

Probate records of the Archdeaconry of Wiltshire.

The Will of Edward Gale of Collingbourne Kingston, written 20 Dec 1695, proved 12 May 1696.

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In the Name of God Amen December the xxth Anno Domini 1695 I Edward Gale of Sunton in the Parish of Collingborne Regis in the County of Wilts yeoman Being sick & weake of Body But of a perfect mind & memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same Doe make & ordayne this my Last Will & Testament in maner & forme following vizt:

First & principally I Comend my Soule into the hands of God my Creator hoping to be Saved by the precious Death & merritts of my blessed Savior & Redeemer Christ Jesus & my Body to Earth from Whence it was taken to be byried in such Decent & Christian Like Maner as to my Executor hereafter to be named shall be thought fitt & Convenient & as Touching such Worldly Goods as the Lord in Mercy hath Lent mee my Will and meaning is the same Shall be Imployd & Bestowd as in this my Will is Exprest.

Imprimus I Give & Bequeath unto **my well Beloved Sonn Edward Gale** one Shilling.

Item. I Give & Bequeath unto **my well Beloved Daughter Mary** one Shilling.

Item. I Give unto **my Beloved Sonn Thomas Gale** one Shillings.

Item. I Give & Bequeath unto **my well Beloved Sonn Andrew Gale** one Shilling.

Item. I Give & Bequeath unto **my Grand Daughters Mary & Elizabeth Gale Daughters of John Gale** *fillio* all my Brass & Pewter to be equally Divided Betweene them.

Item. I Give & Bequeathe unto **my Grand Daughter Elizabeth Gale** one bedsteed & one feather bedd.

Item. I Give & Bequeathe unto **my Grand Daughter Mary Gale** two Chestes.

Item. And of this my Last Will & Testament I Doe make and Ordayne my Well Beloved Sonn John Gale my full & Whole Executor.

The mark of Edward Gale sen:

Signed Sealed Published Declared & Pronounced as my Last Will & Testament in the Presence of Us Tho: Kerman, Ffrancis Earle.

A true and perfect Inventory of all the Goods and Chattles of Edward Gale of Sunton in the Parish of Collingbourne Kingstone in the County of Wilts lately deceased taken and appraised ... this xxxth Day of January Anno Domini 1695. Appraisers: Tho: Kerman, Francis Earle Jun^r.

<i>Imprimis</i> his wereing Apparrell & money in his purse:	£3
- Forty Sheepe of all sorts	£12
- Corne in the barne unthreshed	£10
- Three acres & halfe of Corne upon the Ground	£5
- In the Chamber two fether bedds with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging	£3 4s 6d
- Linen	£0 13s 4d
- Brass & Pewter	£2
- Table Bord & frame with some Lumbere	£0 13s 4d
- In the Buttery five old Barrells with one Gill & some other Lumber	£1 2s 6d
- In the Malt House one Youting Stone, one Kerne, one Haire? with some Lumber	£2 3s 4d
- Wood	£1
- One Rickscaffold of five paire of stows? with one fann & other implements belonging to the Barne with some Sacks	£1 0s 6d
- Hay upon the ---ing	£0 10s
- Three old Chests & three old Boxes	£0 10s
Sum totall is	£42 17s 06d