

Probate
of the Will
of

M^r. David Hughes
deceased.

Will dated 23rd January 1899
Codicil dated 2nd July 1904
Deceased died 4th July 1904
Probate dated 12th September 1904.

Registered in books of
THE CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LD.
REDDITCH. Procy
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In His Majesty's High Court of Justice.

The Principal Probate Registry.

BE IT KNOWN that *David Hughes of The Poplars Farm Beoley in the County of Worcester*

died on the *4th* day of *July 1904*
at *Redditch in the said County*

AND BE IT FURTHER KNOWN that at the date hereunder written the last Will and Testament *with a codicil* _____

(a copy whereof is hereunto annexed) of the said deceased was proved and registered in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice and that Administration of all the estate which by law devolves to and vests in the personal representative of the said deceased was granted by the aforesaid Court to

Given Hughes widow the Relict and John Hughes son of deceased the executors _____

named in the said *will* _____

And it is hereby certified that an Affidavit for Inland Revenue has been delivered wherein it is shewn that the gross value of the said Estate within the United Kingdom (exclusive of what the said deceased may have been possessed of or entitled to as a Trustee and not beneficially) amounts to £ *895. 0. 7*

And it is further certified that it appears by a Receipt signed by an Inland Revenue Officer on the said Affidavit that £ *14. 4. 7* for Estate Duty and interest on such duty has been paid, the duty being charged at the rate of £ *2. 0. 0* per cent.

Dated the *12th* day of *September 1904*

[Signature]
Registrar.



C. F. A.

10/20/1914
R.H.

PROBATE ENCLOSURE

This is the last Will and Testament

of me

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David Hughes of the Poplars Farm in the Parish of Beoley in the County of Worcester Farmer I appoint my dear wife Gwen Hughes and my eldest son John Hughes (hereinafter called "my Trustees") to be the Executive and Executor and Trustees of this my Will I revoke all my previous testamentary instruments I direct the payment of my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses out of my personal estate I direct my real estate to be considered as personally for the purposes of this my Will and I devise my real and personal estate not hereby otherwise disposed of unto and to the use of my Trustees upon the following trusts to be performed by them or the survivors or survivor of them and the executor or administrator of such survivor Upon trust to sell my real estate and invest the proceeds and vary the investments of same with the discretion of absolute owners And to pay the income thereof to my said wife during her life And as to my personal estate Upon trust to allow my said wife during her life to receive the income thereof and to carry on my business of a Farmer with the same discretion as I might have used myself



and for that purpose to employ any portion of my personal estate by way of capital and to occupy the Farm and premises in which my said business is carried on or to take any others which she may think more convenient I give my wife during her life the income of the said personal estate including the income of the said business After my wife's death my Trustees shall sell call in and convert into money my personal estate or such part thereof as shall then not consist of money And I declare that my Trustees shall stand possessed of the moneys produced by such sale calling in and conversion and of my ready money and also of the proceeds of sale of my real estate (all of which are together hereinafter called my trust estate) In trust to pay thereout the following legacies which I do hereby bequeath that is to say To my daughter Alice Roberts the sum of Ten pounds and to my daughters Minnie Hughes, Catherine Hughes Mary Hughes and Elizabeth Hughes the sum of forty pounds each And shall hold the residue of my trust estate In trust for my children John Hughes David Hughes Hugh Hughes and Jane Hughes in equal shares Provided always that if any of my said children shall die in my lifetime or in the lifetime of my said wife without leaving issue living at my death or at the death of my said wife the legacy or share in my trust estate expressed to be hereby



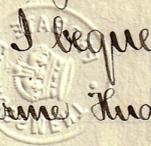
given to such child shall sink into and form part of the residue of my trust estate and be held and applied for the benefit of the other persons entitled thereto in the same manner as if the child of mine so dying without leaving issue had been originally excluded from taking a legacy or share in my trust estate In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this twenty third day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine.

David Hughes

Signed by the said Testator as his last Will in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

William Howard Adams James
Thomas Barrett

This is a Codicil to the last Will and Testament of me David Hughes of The Poplars Farm in the parish of Beoley in the county of Worcester Farmer which Will bears date the twenty third day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine. I bequeath a legacy of thirty pounds to my daughter Catherine Hughes in addition to the legacy of forty pounds given to her by my said Will I bequeath the legacy or sum of One hundred and twenty pounds to my daughter Jane Hughes but I declare that the legacies hereby bequeathed shall not be payable until the death of my wife Gwen Hughes



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I revoke the trust and bequest contained in my said Will of a share in the residue of my trust estate and the trust premises representing the same in favour of my said daughter Jane Hughes. And I declare that my said Will (as heretofore aforesaid) shall operate and take effect in the same manner as if the said Jane Hughes had been excluded by my said Will from taking a share in the said residuary trust estate and premises and the number of shares into which the same is divisible were reduced accordingly. And in all other respects I confirm my said Will. In witness whereof I have herewith set my hand this second day of July one thousand nine hundred and four.

David Hughes

Signed by the said David Hughes as a codicil to his last Will in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses

William Howard Adams, Redditch
J. K. Smith, Clerk to
W. Alfred Kerwood, Solicitor, Redditch.

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Handwritten signature or initials.