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Probate of the Will

of

Mr. Benjamin Lowe
deceased.

Dated 18th day of June 1910.

Extracted by
Alfred Kerwood,
Solicitor,
Redditch.

In His Majesty's High Court of Justice.

The Principal Probate Registry.

BE IT KNOWN that Benjamin Lowe of 72 Ryland Road Edgbaston ^{near} ~~in~~ the city of Birmingham formerly of Redditch in the County of Worcester

died on the 21st day of May 1910 at 72 Ryland Road aforesaid

AND BE IT FURTHER KNOWN that at the date hereunder written the last Will and Testament

(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

Emily Comyns (wife of Henry Comyns) sister of deceased and the said Henry Comyns and Joseph Clarke the executors

named in the said will

INLAND REVENUE.	
The true gross value of the said Estate is now shewn to be.....	1273.2.5
The amount of deduction for debts and funeral expenses is.....	As before
The correct rate of Estate duty is.....	
The amount of ESTATE DUTY paid has been adjusted accordingly.	
By the Commissioners	
Estate Duty Office, <i>W. Johnson</i>	
10 Feb. 19 11	

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 £ 1363-2-5.

And it is further certified that it appears by a Receipt signed by an Inland Revenue Officer on the said Affidavit that £ 39.6.8. on account of Estate Duty and interest on such duty has been paid.

Dated the 18th day of June 1910.

A. Musgrave
Registrar.



This is the last Will and Testament

of me

Benjamin Lowe of Redditch in the County of Worcester barrowman I revoke all former Wills and bequests made by me I appoint my sister Emily Comyns my brother-in-law Henry Comyns and Joseph Clarke of 49 Grant Street Birmingham the husband of my niece Emily Clarke (hereinafter called "my Trustees") to be the Executive Executors and Trustees of this my Will and I bequeath to each of them the said Henry Comyns and Joseph Clarke the sum of three pounds for his trouble as such Executor and Trustee I bequeath to my said niece Emily Clarke the chest of drawers made by my brother William I bequeath the sum of One hundred pounds unto my late wife's nieces Kate Elizabeth Young Mary Jane Spiers Annie Green Ellen Young and Florence Young in equal shares I devise and bequeath all my real estate and the residue of my personal estate unto my Trustees Upon trust that my Trustees shall sell call in and convert into money the same or such part thereof as shall not consist of money and shall out of the moneys produced by such sale calling in and conversion and out of my ready money pay my funeral and testamentary expenses

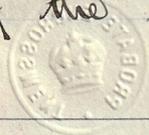
and debts and the legacies other than specific —
bequeathed by this my Will or any codicil hereto

And shall stand possessed of the residue of
the said moneys In trust for all or any my
brothers and sisters living at my death and the
children or child then living of any then deceased

brother or sister of mine who being male have —
attained or attain the age of twenty one years or
being female have attained or attain that age or
marry in equal shares but so that the children of
any deceased brother or sister of mine if more than
one shall take equally between them only the share
which their parent would have taken if he or she
had lived But so also that the share of my

brother James Lowe if he shall then be living shall
not be payable to him but shall be held upon
the trusts hereinafter declared concerning the same

And I declare that my Trustees shall retain the
share of my said brother James Lowe in the
residuary trust moneys upon the trusts following
that is to say Upon trust to invest the same
at their discretion in any of the investments for
the time being authorised by law for the — —
investment of trust moneys with power from time
to time to vary such investments at discretion And
upon further trust that my Trustees shall in their
absolute discretion from time to time during the
life of the said James Lowe or during such shorter



period or periods either continuous or discontinuous
 as they shall think fit ^{to} all or any part of the
 income of such share and the investments thereof or
 if they shall from time to time think fit any part
 of the capital thereof unto or apply the same for the
 maintenance and personal support or benefit of all or
 any one or more to the exclusion of the other or
 others of the following persons namely the said James
 ✓ Lowe and the children of the said James Lowe
 whether minors or adults in such proportions and
 manner as my Trustees shall in their absolute and
 uncontrolled discretion from time to time think proper
 and subject to the discretionary trust or power &
 lastly hereinbefore contained shall hold the said income
 or so much thereof as shall not be applied under
 such discretionary trust or power upon the trusts
 and for the purposes upon and for which the &
 said income would for the time being be held
 ✓ if the said James Lowe were then dead And after
 the death of my brother the said James Lowe as
 to both capital or so much thereof as shall not be
 distributed as aforesaid and income In trust for
 all the children or any the child of my said &
 brother James Lowe who being sons or a son
 attain or have attained the age of twenty one
 years or being daughters or a daughter attain or
 have attained that age or marry and if more than
 one in equal shares *In witness* whereof I have

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herewith set my hand this twentieth day of
September one thousand nine hundred and five
Benjⁿ Lowe.

Signed by the said Benjamin Lowe as his
last Will and Testament 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 herewith subscribed our names as
witnesses Alfred Kerwood, Solicitor,
Redditch Thos. J. Hemming, Clerk to Mr.
A. Kerwood.

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Registered in the books
of the

June 21st



1910

William Harbour
Secretary.

