

## Aide Mott of Wartling 1643

Will made 11 December 1643, probate 4 March 1643/4

December the eleventh 1643

In the name of God Amen I Aide Mott of Wartling in the County of Sussex being of good and perfect memory thanks be given to God therefore do ordyane and make this my last will and testament in maner and forme following that is to saye First and principally I commend my soule to Almighty God hoping to bee saved thro the merits of Jesus Christ my Saviour and my bodie to bee buried in church yard of Hirstmounsie Item I will and bequeth to the poore of the parishe of Wartling five shillings Item I will and bequeth to the poore of the parishe of Herstmounsee five shillings to be payed by my executors hereafter mencioned Item I will and bequeth to **Benjamin Mott** my sone fortie pounds to bee payed to him by my executors when he shall come to the age of on an twenty Item I will and bequeth to **George Mott** my sone fifti pounds when hee shall come to the age of on an twenty Item I will and bequeth to Samuell Mott my sone my goods and estates my debts and legacies being payed my funeral discharged and intreate my loving frendes **Benjamin Mott** and **George Mott** and **Thomas Williames** to bee my overseers of this my last will and testament provided allwayes that if the said George Mott shall depart this naturall life beefore he shall come to the age of on an twenty that then the survivors shall shift by equal porcions and if the said Benjamin Mott shall depart this naturall life beefore hee shall come to the age of on an twenty that then the survivors shall shift by equal porcions and my will is that the rent of my landes shall goe to bringing up of my children till they shall come to the age of sixteen yeares and then be put to prentice the youngest ones In witness whereof unto I the said Aide Mott have pute my hand and seale the day and year first above writen **Aide Mott** The marke of Mark Cooper The marke of Max Godwin

Quarto die Martii anno domini iuxta computacionem Ecclesie Anglicane millesimo sexcentesimo quadragesimo tertio Magro Thomas Russell Clericus Artium Magistro Surrogato etc eoquod nullius in testamento dicti defuncti nominatur executor commissit administrationem bonorum etc eiusdem defuncti Benjamine Mott et Thome Williams duobus superviribus in eodem testamentum nominatis de bene et fideliter iuxta tenorem testamenti predicti administrando etc ad Sancta etc iuratis

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