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Will of Clement Tappin, of Churchill, 1617

In the name of god amen the Forth day of Februarie in the yeare of or lorde god one thousand sixe hundereth and twelve I Clement Tappan of Churchill in the county of oxon husbandman beinge sicke in body but of p[er]fect memorie thankes be given unto god do make my laste will and testament [and] in maner and forme following Firste I comende my soule into the hands of all mightie god my maker and redeemer trusting to be saved by the merite of Christe Jesus and my body to be buried in the churchyarde of the church of Churchill aforsayd It[em] I doe give and bequeath unto my sonne Roberte Tappin Tenne shillings of money to be payde unto him within a yeare after my decease It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my nephews Jacob Tappan and Clement Tappan sonnes to the above named Roberte Tappan to either of them twentie shillings of money to be payde unto them when they come to one and twentie years of age It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my sonne in lawe John Patten of Risington in the countie of glocs one sheepe to be delivered unto him w[i]thin a year after my decease It[e]m I do give and bequeath unto my nephew Simon Patten sonne to the sayde John Patten twenty shillings to be payde unto him within one year after my decease It[e]m I give and bequeath unto my Coozen Margrette Patten daughter to the sayde John Patten twentie shillings of money to be payde unto her at the day of her marriage It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my nephew Clement Tappa[n] sonne to John Tappan my sonne one bedsteed and one fetherbedd wherin I now lie withall that to them belonge to be delivered unto him when he cometh to twentie one years of age It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto the sayde Clemente Tappan one frame for a table and two plankes to make him a table boorde to be delivered unto him at the time of aforsayde It[e]m I give and bequeath unto my Coozens Clement Tappan Joane Tappan Catheringe Tappan

Richarde Tappan Elizabeth Tappan John Tappan Alice Tappan Merick Tappan and Jane Tappan sonnes and daughters to the above named John Tappan to everie one of them twenty shillinges of money to be payde unto them when they come to twentie years of age and if any of them die before they come to the age of twenty years that his or her parte or their legacies shall descende unto the rest that shall then be living to be equally divided among them It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto the sayde Jane Tappan one brasse panne the best I have and one platter Item I doe give and bequeath unto the sayde Catheringe Tappan one platter and alsoe to Richard tappen Elizabeth tappan John tappan Alice tappan Merick tappan and Jane tappan to everyone of them one platter and to the sayde John tappan I doe give one brasse pot the beste I have Item I doe give unto the sayde Clement and one platter one coffer It[e]m I doe give and bequeath unto my coozen John Carpenter alias Hall sonne to John Carpenter alias Hall late of Shiptone upon Stoure xx^{tie} shillings of money to be payde unto him when he cometh to twenty one years of age Item I doe give and bequeath unto the rest reste of the children of the sayde John Carpenter alias Hall that are now living to survive one of them one sheepe to delivered unto them when they come to twentie one yeares of age It[e]m I doe give and bequeath to the use of the poore of Churchill for ever twentie shillings to remayne as a store to them for ever whereas the poore of Churchill aforsayde to have the intereste of it distributed amongest them everie year for ever to be delivered to seesers for the p[oo]re aforsayde within halfe a year after my decease It[e]m I doe constitute ordayn and appynte to be my executor of this my laste will and testamente and of all the reste of my goodes hearin not bequeathed my son John Tappan

It[e]m I doe give to the parish church of Churchill aforsayde ii^s of money It[e]m I doe appoynte my sonne ^{John} Tappan my Coozen John Adderton my neigboures Roger Medcrofte and John Whitley the elder to be overseers of this my

will wh[ich] I doe put in truste to for my body buried and my funerall celcbrated

Written and reade in the presence of Edmunde glyme the marke of John Adderton John whitlye

Memoranda that the yearly or interest of the twenty shillings aforsayde given to the ? of the poor of Churchill aforsayde is to be distributed amongst them everie year upon good Fryday

Probate granted David Blincow at dedington to executor seventh May 1617

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