

BE IT KNOWN that *Joshua Gibbs of Teddington*
in the County of Oxford, Stationer and
General Dealer, _____

_____ who at the time of *his* death had a fixed place of abode
at *Teddington aforesaid,* _____ within the District
of *the Counties of Oxford, Berks and Buckingham,*
died on the *10th* _____ day of *March* _____ 1906,
at *Teddington aforesaid.*

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

of the said deceased was proved and registered in the District Probate Registry
of His Majesty's High Court of Justice at *Oxford,* _____
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

Annie Gibbs, Widow, the Relict of the
Deceased, Adelaide Gibbs, Spinster, the
Daughter of the Deceased and Joseph
William French, Assitant Overseer, all of
Teddington aforesaid, the Executors _____
named in the said *Will.*

Dated the *7th* day of *August* _____ 1907.

Gross value of Estate ... £ *465. 0. 0.*

Net value of Personal Estate £ *176. 0. 0.*

Extracted by *George Coggins,*
Solicitor, Teddington.



J.F.

I Joshua Gibbs of Deddington in the County of Oxford Stationer and General Dealer hereby revoke all former Wills and Testamentary dispositions made by me and declare this to be my last Will and Testament I appoint my dear Wife Annie Gibbs my youngest daughter Adelaide Gibbs and my Son-in-law Joseph William French hereinafter called "my Trustees" to be the Executors and Trustees of this my Will I give all my furniture linen china books pictures and household effects unto my said Wife for her use and enjoyment during her life and upon her decease I direct that the same shall be sold and that the proceeds be divided amongst all my children and the issue of anyone who may be dead in the same manner as I hereinafter direct my real and residuary personal estate shall be disposed of I direct my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses to be paid and satisfied and with respect to the business of a Stationer and General Dealer now carried on by me at Deddington aforesaid I empower my Trustees to continue the same for so long as they shall think fit and to employ the whole or any part of the capital which shall be employed therein at my decease and generally to act in the conduct of the said business as they shall in their absolute discretion think fit during the lifetime of my said Wife without being answerable for any loss arising thereby by the loss of capital or in any other manner And in case there shall be a profit in carrying on such business then that such profit shall become the absolute property of my said Wife I devise the freehold Dwellinghouse Shop yard garden outbuildings and premises situate and being in the New Street in Deddington aforesaid now and for many years past in my own occupation and also all those four freehold cottages or Tenements with the outbuildings gardens and appurtenances situate and being in Earl's Lane in Deddington aforesaid which I recently purchased of Mr. Fitzroy Dean Gore together with all other my real estate if any unto my Trustees Upon trust to allow my said Wife to have the use and enjoyment of the house shop and premises now in my own occupation during her life and for her to receive the rents profits and income of the said four cottages and of any other real estate of which I may die possessed for her absolute use during her life she maintaining and keeping the same

itors.



in tenantable order and repair and insured against loss or damage by fire And I bequeath any personal estate not hereby otherwise disposed of unto my Trustees Upon trust to call in and convert into money the same or such part thereof as shall not consist of money and shall invest the money to arise therefrom in any Post Office or any other Government security or upon the security of any freehold property and shall allow my said Wife to receive the dividends interest or annual income to arise therefrom during her life and upon her decease I devise my said Dwellinghouse and premises together with the four cottages hereditaments and premises and any other real Estate of which I may die possessed and I bequeath the household furniture and effects together with the Stock in trade and effects of a General Dealer and all other my personal estate unto the said Adelaide Gibbs and Joseph William French Upon trust that they do and shall sell call in and convert into money the same or such part thereof as shall not consist of money either by Public Auction or private contract and either together or in lots and subject to any special or other conditions of Sale and — shall stand possessed of the money to arise by such sale calling in and conversion Upon further trust after paying thereout the costs and expenses attending such sale calling in and conversion to divide the residue between my eight children namely Robert Gibbs, Kate now the Wife of William Peacock, Letitia now the Wife of Arthur James Liddell, Emily now the Wife of the said Joseph William French, Louisa now the wife of Albert Jesse Gulliver, Joseph William Gibbs, Charles Gibbs and Adelaide Gibbs, share and share alike And I direct that the shares of females shall be for their absolute use and benefit and free from the debts contracted or engagements of any husband I also direct that in case either of my said children shall die in my lifetime or in the lifetime of my said Wife leaving lawful issue him or her surviving then that such issue shall take the share of the parent so dying And that the share of any grandchild shall be paid on attaining the age of twenty one years I declare the expression "the Trustees" in this my Will shall mean and include the said Annie Gibbs Adelaide Gibbs and Joseph William French and the survivors and survivor of them and the executors or administrators of such survivor, and other the Trustees or Trustee for the time being of this my Will In witness whereof I have

hereunto set my hand this sixteenth day of June One thousand nine hundred and four.

Signed by the said Joshua Gibbs as and for his last Will in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our names as witnesses.

Joshua Gibbs

Geo: Loggins Solicitor Deddington.

J. F. Mitchell his clerk.

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(11 folios)

On the Seventh day of August 1907, Probate of this Will was granted at Oxford to Annie Gibbs Widow, the Relict, Adelaide Gibbs, Spinster, the Daughter and Joseph William French, the Executors.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing is a correct copy }
Dated this Fifteenth day of August 1907. }

