

Lich 30^o Aug:

1821

J. Rob^t. Sims

pro^o Wirksworth

2. Ex. C. Inf 200[£]

Will.

In the *Bishop's* Court of *Lichfield*

In the Goods of *Robert Sims*
Deceased.

Insert the Names,
Residences and
Professions of the
Persons making the
Affidavit.

Appeared Personally *James Sims of Alderwasley in
the parish of Wirksworth & County of Derby & Diocese
of Lichf. & Cov. Farmer and Ann Sims of Alderwasley
of the parish of Wirksworth aforesaid Spinster
the Executor and*

Execut^{rix} named in the last Will and Testament of the said *Robert
Sims* late of *Alderwasley
in the parish of Wirksworth in the County of Derby
Farmer* Deceased; and made Oath, that the Estate and
Effects of the said Deceased, for, or in respect of which, a Probate of the said Will

If one or more
Execut^{rix} state so.

is to be granted, exclusive of what the
said Deceased may have been possessed of, or entitled to, as a Trustee for any other
person or persons, and not beneficially, but including the Leasehold Estate or
Estates for Years of the Deceased, if any, whether absolute or determinable on
Lives, and without deducting any thing on account of the Debts, due and owing
from the said Deceased are under the value of *Two hundred*
Pounds, to the best of these Deponent's knowledge, information and belief,

Sworn on the *Twenty ninth*
day of *August* 1821 } *James Sims*
Ann Sims

before me,

N. Hulberty Sur.

JAMES THOMAS LAW, Clerk,

Master of Arts, Vicar General of the Honourable and Right Reverend
Father in God JAMES, by Divine permission, Lord Bishop of LICH-
FIELD and COVENTRY, To *Nathan Hubberty*



Clerks, jointly, and severally
Sendeth Greeting, WHEREAS it has been alledged, before the Rev.
CHARLES BUCKERIDGE, D. D. our Surrogate, that *Robert*
Sim late of *Alderwasley* in the
parish of *Wirksworth* in the County of *Derby*
and Diocese of *Lichfield and Coventry*, Farmer
deceased, duly made and executed, his last Will and Testament,
in writing, and therein named *James Sim* of
Alderwasley aforesaid *Farmer* and
Ann Sim of the Parish
of *Wirksworth* aforesaid *Spinster* Execut ors thereof
We therefore by these presents, Commit and Grant, to you jointly,
and severally, full power and authority to administer the Oath under-
written, to the said

Execut ors and also to Swear the Persons
whose names are Subscribed to the Affidavit annexed to the truth thereof, and the said Oath being
administered, you are to certify the same to US or our said Surrogate, and subscribe your Name
thereto, together with these presents, within three Months from the date hereof. *Provided never-*
theless that this Commission shall be of no effect, unless so certified and transmitted to US within
that time. Dated at LICHFIELD, the *Twenty sixth* day of *August* in the
Year of our Lord, 1821

Wm Mott & Regd

The Oath.

YOUR Oath is, that the writing, now shewed unto you, contains the original last Will, and
Testament, of *Robert Sim* deceased, so far as you know and believe ;
that you are *the Executives and* Execut ors named therein, and
will faithfully perform that Office, by paying his Just Debts, and the Legacies therein be-
queathed, so far as his Personal Estate will Extend, and the Law require from you ; that
you will make a true, and perfect, Inventory thereof, and Exhibit the same into the Registry
of the Bishop's Consistory Court of LICHFIELD, and also a just account of your Executorship,
when you are thereunto lawfully required, and that the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said
Deceased as they were at his Death without deducting any debts owing by the said deceased
therefrom, did not amount in value to the Sum of *Two hundred*
Pounds and that the Contents of the Affidavit hereto annexed to which you have sub-
scribed your name were and are true,

So help you God, &c.

QRY. When he died?

Ans. *July 11th 1821*

On the *Twenty ninth* day of *August* 1821
this Commission was duly executed and the said *James Sim* and

Ann Sim were duly
sworn according to the above oath before me

N Hubberty } Commissioner.

Probat extracted at Lich: 30th Aug^r 1821.