

Richard Punchard, of Pilton, butcher.

Unto Francis Punchard, my son, house and garden wherein I nowe live. To James Punchard, my son, one shilling; unto Richard Stuckley Punchard, my gran'son, one guinea; unto John Punchard, my son, forty pounds when at the age of twenty-one years; also the house in Pilton for life. Item, unto Mary Punchard, my daughter, fifty pounds; and also, if she outlive her brother John, the said house for life. Unto Mary Harding, my sister, Alice Punchard, my sister, and Frances Smith, my daughter, each one guinea. Unto Frances Smith, my granddaughter, five pounds. Unto Francis Punchard, my son, and Adam Thorne, all the rest of my goods in trust for my daughter, Elizabeth Punchard, whome I make sole executrix. If son Francis die without male issue, then my house and garden before mentioned I give to my son John and his heirs for ever. I ordain my son Francis Punchard to be in trust for my son John and daughter Mary, until they attain the age of twenty-one.

Dated 29 Aug: 1768. Proved 4 Nov: 1768.

Alice Punchard, of Pilton, spinster.

To cousins Francis, John, James, Elizabeth, and Mary Punchard; Frances Smith; William, Thomas, and Mary Gribble; John and Alexander Lakeman: forty shillings each. Also various apparel. Executors, Francis and George Lakeman.

Dated 6 Jan: 1780. Proved Nov: 3, 1780.

(*Ibid.*)

Administrations.

John Punchard, of Pilton.

Committed to Johan Punchard of Pilton, widdowe, 4 June, 27 Eliz: 1585.

. **Punchard, of Ilfracombe.**

Granted . . . Oct: 1601. (The rest illegible.)

William Punchard, of Tawstocks.

Committed to Joanna, the relict, 18 Apl: 1627. Inventory: soma totali, iiii' ij' iiii'.

Sara Collinder, als. Punchard, of Pilton.

The Bond of her brother, Richard Punchard of Pilton, to administer the goods of his sister. Aug: 13, 1670.

Richard Punchard, of Bratton-fleming, yeoman.

Granted to Agnes Punchard, the widow, 2 July, 2 Geo: II., 1762.