

This is the last will and testament of me JOHN HART of Polefield Cottage Rossendale in the County of Lancaster Company Secretary I REVOKE all Wills and testamentary dispositions at any time heretofore executed by me and declare this to be my last Will and Testament I APPOINT my wife Sarah Louise Hart (hereinafter called "my Trustee") to be the sole EXECUTRIX AND TRUSTEE of this my Will I GIVE the following Pecuniary Legacies all free of Legacy Duty namely TO:- my sister Lena Grimshaw the sum of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE POUNDS (£120) TO my sister Ethel Hart the sum of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY POUNDS (£250) and TO my friend the Reverend J Barton Turner of 61 Wordsworth Avenue Keswick the sum of FIFTY POUNDS (£50) I GIVE DEVISE AND BEQUEATH all the rest residue and remainder of my property real and personal whatsoever and wheresoever unto my Trustee UPON TRUST to sell call in and convert the same into money or such part thereof as shall not already consist of money AND out of the proceeds of sale to arise therefrom and the ready money of which I shall be possessed at my death to pay my debts funeral and testamentary expenses and death duties including the Legacy Duty (if any) on the before mentioned Pecuniary Legacies AND to invest the residue which shall remain after making the aforesaid payments (hereinafter called 'my Residuary Estate') in such investments as she shall in her absolute discretion think fit without being personally liable or responsible for any capital loss occasioned thereby AND to pay the whole annual income to arise from my Residuary Estate to my said wife during her life if she shall survive me for a period of one month from the date of my death AND to pay such further sums in addition to the said annual income as she may deem necessary for her maintenance and requirements it being my intention that my said wife shall have full and unrestricted power to deal with and enjoy my estate in such manner as she shall in her absolute discretion think fit AND from and after the death of my said wife I direct that such of my Residuary Estate as shall remain be disposed of as follows namely: I GIVE the following Pecuniary Legacies all free of Legacy Duty:- TO Bertha Fielden on 18 Dobbin Lane Cloughfold aforesaid the sum of FIFTY POUNDS (£50) in appreciation of her helpful service to my wife TO Peggy Lonsdale of 21 Hareholme Terrace Cloughfold aforesaid the sum of FIFTY POUNDS (£50) TO the Peace Pledge Union of London the sum of FIFTY POUNDS (£50) and TO Sarah Rothwell and Fanny Rothwell of 269 Bacup Road Cloughfold aforesaid the sum of FIFTY POUNDS (£50) each AND I DECLARE that if either of them shall predecease my said wife the sum of Fifty pounds bequeathed to the one so dying shall be paid to the survivor of them AND I DIRECT my Trustee to stand possessed of the residue which shall remain after paying the lastly mentioned Pecuniary Legacies and the Legacy Duty thereon UPON TRUST to divide the same into nineteen equal parts AND TO PAY one of such parts to my sister Margaret Kershaw absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to my sister Emily Ann Ormerod absolutely AND TO PAY three of such parts to my sister the said Lena Grimshaw AND TO PAY three of such parts to my sister the said Ethel Hart absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Marie Kershaw of 150 White Road Quinton Birmingham absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Doreen Mary Ormerod of Ashgrove House Rawtenstall absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Albert Addison of 127 Newton Street Macclesfield absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Bertha Ball of 175 Marshside Road Southport

absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Harry Hopkinson Murgatroyd of The Cottage Springhill Cloughfold aforesaid absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to John Naylor Murgatroyd of The Cottage Springhill Cloughfold aforesaid absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Henry Sugden Wrigley of Berwyn Cloughfold aforesaid absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Enid Mary Sutcliffe of 102 Bacup Road Cloughfold aforesaid absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Douglas Sutcliffe of 102 Bacup Road Cloughfold aforesaid absolutely AND TO PAY one of such parts to Suzanne Jeanne Emilie Marie Murgatroyd of 5 Rue de L'Aurore Brussels Belgium absolutely AND TO PAY the remaining part to Shirley Murgatroyd of 33 Penrith Avenue Cleveleys absolutely AND I DECLARE that if any of the before mentioned Residuary Legatees shall predecease my said wife leaving a husband or wife who shall survive my said wife such husband or wife shall take the share which the deceased husband or wife would have taken in my residuary estate had he or she survived my said wife except that in the case of the said Albert Addison predeceasing my said wife I direct that his adopted daughter Dorothy Louisa Bourne of Lyon Cot Marple shall take the share which the said Albert Addison would have taken had he survived my said wife AND I FURTHER DECLARE that if any of the before mentioned Residuary Legatees other than the said Albert Addison shall predecease my said wife without leaving a husband or wife surviving but leaving a child or children him or her surviving who shall survive my said wife and attain the age of twenty one years such child or children shall take (and equally between them if more than one) the share in my residuary estate which his her or their parent would have taken had he or she attained a vested interest AND I FURTHER DECLARE that in case the trust hereinbefore declared concerning any of such nineteen shares in my Residuary Estate shall absolutely fail then the share or shares as to which there shall be such failure (including any further shares added thereto by virtue of this present provision) shall accrue and be added in equal proportions to the others of such nineteen shares and be held in trust accordingly AND I FURTHER DECLARE that the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being of the said Peace Pledge Union shall be a full and sufficient discharge to my Trustee for the legacy of Fifty pounds hereinbefore bequeathed to such Union. AND I FURTHER DECLARE that any person who may at any time hereafter be appointed a Trustee of this my Will who is a Solicitor or engaged in any profession or business shall be entitled to charge and be paid all the usual professional and other charges for work or business done or transacted by him or his firm in the execution of or in connection with the trusts hereof including work or business not of a strictly professional nature which a Trustee not being a Solicitor or engaged in any profession or business could do personally. IN WITNESS whereof I have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand this ninth month of May one thousand nine hundred and forty seven..

SIGNED by the said JOHN HART the Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us both present at the same time who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

Geo R Holt, Solicitor, Rawtenstall
May Ormerod, his Clerk

Be it known that John Hart of Polefield Cottage Higher Cloughfold Lancashire died there on the 22nd day of July 1947 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 Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice 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 Sarah Louise Hart of Polefield Cottage Cloughfold aforesaid widow the relict of the deceased the sole Executrix named in the said will and it is hereby certified that an Affidavie for Inland Revenue has been delivered wherein it is shown that the gross value of the Estate in Great Britain amounts of £2802-13-3 and that the net value of the estate amounts to £2546-14-9 and it is further certified that it appears by a receipt signed by an Inland Revenue Officer on the said affidavit that £24-17-8 on account of Estate Duty and interest on such duty has been paid. Dated the 26yh day of September 1947.