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Will of Austine Sheller, husbandman, of Sarden, 1633

In the name of god Amen etc The ninth Daye of Aprill Anno D[omi]ni 1633
I Austine Sheller of Saresden in the Countye & diocesse of Oxon
husbandman sicke in bodye but of p[er]fect remembrance doe make my last
will & Testament thus viz Inp[ri]mis I com[m]end my soule my principalle
part into the hands of god ny creator & mercifull father by the meritts
& Death of whose only sonne Jesus Christ I hope & beeleve to be saved
both in soule & bodye And my bodye I yeeld unto the ground whence it
was taken & to bee laid in Chr[isti]an buriall As for those goods w[hi]ch god
hath lent mee & w[hi]ch I nowe possesse I give & bequeath as
followeth Inp[ri]mis I give and bequeath to my three Children three pounds
a peece of lawfull Englishe money to be paid to them pr[e]sently after
my deceasse & further my will is that the aforesaid legacies shall be paid &
delivered into the hands of mr Francis Haslewoode & John Rawlines
to be employed to the best benefitt & behoofe of my children untill they
come of sufficient age to use it them selves Ite[m] I give to my sonne
Austine Sheller my Bible to bee Delivered unto him when hee comes
to sufficient Age to use it Ite[m] I give to my sonne Austine Sheller & to
my Daughter Jane Sheller one yewe A peece to be delivered to the
p[ar]ties aforesaid to bee employed to their use The residue of my goodes
and chattells unbequeathed I give and bequeath to Margery my lawfull
wife whome I make sole Executrix of this my last will & Testament
& I doe appointe & ordaine my well beloved in Christ Francis Haslewoode
& Jhon Rawlines Overseers of the same And in Testimonie that this is
my last will & Testament I have heereunto sett my hande and seale the
daye & yeare first above written

