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This is the last Will and Testament  
of me Edwin Thomas Beeching in the Parish of St. Pauls  
Borough of Maidstone in the County of Kent I direct the payment  
of all my just debts funeral and testamentary expenses and subject  
5 thereto I give devise and bequeath unto my wife Hellen all and every  
my household furniture linen books china glass and all sums of money in  
any Bank or Society or about my person at my death to and for her own  
use and service absolutely provided she keeps unmarried the remainder of  
her life I likewise leave to my wife Hellen my freehold house N<sup>o</sup>. 16 Scott  
10 Street Maidstone for her use and service absolutely provided she keeps un-  
married the remainder of her life and at her death the house may be sold  
to the best advantage and the profits derived therefrom to be equally divided  
between my surviving children I also appoint my wife Hellen sole  
15 Executrix of this my will In witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand this twenty eight day of May one thousand eight hundred eighty four  
Signed by the said Testator as his last will and testament 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 subscribed our names as witnesses  
20 thereof — Alfred Charles Miller — Edwin Nelson  
Beeching — Edwin Thomas Beeching.

An Affidavit of due execution filed.  
On the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1884 Admon with this a  
Will annexed of the Effects of the Testator was granted to  
Edwin Nelson Beeching the natural and lawful Son and one  
of the Next of kin.

BE IT KNOWN, that Edwin Thomas Beeching late of the Parish of Saint Pauls Borough of Maidstone in the County of Kent

deceased, who died on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1884

at Maidstone aforesaid

, made and duly executed his last Will and Testament and did therein name his wife Helen

Beeching sole Executrix but did not therein name any residuary Legatee. And that the said Helen Beeching survived the said Deceased and died without having proved the said Will.

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AND BE IT FURTHER KNOWN, that at the date hereunder written, Letters of Administration with the Will

of the personal estate of the said Deceased

were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof to

Edwin Nelson Beeching of Maidstone aforesaid. Paper Maker the natural and lawful Son and one of the Next of Kin of the said Deceased, he

having been first sworn well and faithfully to administer the same.

Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1884.

Gross value of personal estate, £ 44 .. *Wm*