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Dear Sir/Madam, I am researching the life of a man who died in 1947. His Solicitor, who acted for the Executor of his will [the Midland Bank] namely Kerly, Sons and Karuth at that time practiced at 7/8 Great Winchester Street in the City, but by 1995 they were established at 10/11 Austin Friars just across the street. Now they are nowhere to be found. I assume that they have gone out of business or have merged with another firm of Solicitors. I would be very grateful if you could tell me which [and when]. I would also like to know if the City of London has a legal archive dating back to the late 1940's which deals with wills, the execution of, and probate which I could visit to do some research work? Very grateful for any help you can give. Regards. Godfrey Dykes Southsea Hampshire.

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