

Orange County, Be it remembered that on this day  
 the day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
 hundred and twenty five before me Charles Hayden Surrogate  
 of said County, personally came John Hayden one of the depositees  
 witnesses of the will of Peter Baker late of Albion in said  
 County deceased, who being duly sworn declared that he did  
 see the said Peter Baker sign and execute the instrument a  
 copy of which is hereto annexed, which said instrument  
 purports to be the last will & testament of the said deceased  
 bearing date the twenty ninth day of September one thou  
 sand eight hundred and twenty five. That he heard  
 the said Peter Baker publish and declare the said will  
 before as and for his last will & testament, that at the  
 time thereof he the said Peter Baker was of sound dis  
 posing mind and memory, and to the best of the knowl  
 edge & belief of the said John Hayden, and that he  
 together with Mr. A. Steen, Sarah Baker, and John Baker  
 the other depositees to the said will did severally subscribe  
 their names thereto in the presence of the testator as  
 legal witnesses - In Testimony whereof I the said

(L.S.)

Surrogate have hereunto set my hand  
 and affixed my seal of office at Rockland in  
 in said County the twenty sixth day of October  
 one thousand eight hundred & twenty five in

Charles Hayden, Surrogate

Orange County, Be it also remembered that on the  
 same day and year last aforesaid personally appeared  
 before me the said Surrogate Mary Baker the executrix  
 in the aforesaid will named and was duly sworn to  
 the faithful performance and execution thereof by  
 taking the usual oath in that case provided

Charles Hayden, Surrogate

(L.S.)

The People of the State of New York by the Grace  
 of God firm and permanent. To all to whom these  
 Presents shall come, greeting - Know ye that the Town of Rockland in the  
 County of Orange on the twenty fifth day of October in the  
 year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five before  
 Charles Hayden Esquire, Surrogate of said County the last will and  
 testament of Peter Baker deceased, a copy whereof is hereto annexed  
 was proved and is now affirmed and allowed of by us. And the said de  
 ceased having whist being and at the time of his death goods  
 chattels and credits within this state, by reason whereof the proving  
 and registering the said will and granting administration of the  
 said goods chattels and credits, and also the an  
 nually allowing and final discharging the account thereof doth  
 belong unto us; We administration of all and singular the goods  
 chattels and credits of the said deceased, and any way concerning his  
 will is granted unto Mary Baker, the executrix in the said will  
 named, she being first duly sworn well and faithfully to admin  
 ister the same, and to make use of the same to the best of her  
 ability a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the  
 said goods chattels and credits, and also to render a just  
 and true account thereof when the same shall be required  
 In testimony whereof we have caused the seal of  
 office of the said Surrogate to be hereunto affixed  
 Witness Charles Hayden Esquire Surrogate  
 of said County the twenty fifth day of October in  
 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
 and twenty five at Rockland in said County  
 Charles Hayden, Surrogate

(How follows Copy of Will is inserted in Book of Probate, page  
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