

Surrogate's Court, County of Oswego, New York.

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament

Hosea Ballou deceased.

COUNTY OF OSWEGO, ss. Alfred N. Schumacher of the Town of Sandy Creek and Daniel B. Cissinworth of the Town of Sandy Creek in the County of Oswego, being duly sworn and examined, each for himself doth depose and say, that he was well acquainted with Hosea Ballou late of the Town of Boylston in the County of Oswego, New York, deceased, that deponent was present as a witness and did see the said Hosea Ballou subscribe his name at the end of the instrument in writing now produced and shown to the deponent purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, bearing date the 20th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six that the said testator did at the time of subscribing his name to the said instrument as aforesaid, declare the instrument so subscribed by him to be his last will and testament, that thereupon the persons whose names are thereto subscribed as witnesses, in the presence of each other, subscribed their names at the end thereof as witnesses thereto, at the request of the testator and in his presence, and that the said testator, at the time of so executing and publishing the said last will and testament, as aforesaid, was of full age, of sound mind and memory, not under restraint, and was in all respects competent to devise real estate and to make a last will and testament, as deponents verily believe.

Sworn to before me this 17th day of March 1896

Alfred N. Schumacher Daniel B. Cissinworth

S. B. Mead Surrogate.

COUNTY OF OSWEGO, ss. It appearing upon the proofs duly taken in respect to the last will and testament of Hosea Ballou late of the Town of Boylston in the County of Oswego, and the State of New York, deceased, that the said will was duly executed, and that the said Hosea Ballou at the time he executed the same, was in all respects competent to devise real estate, and not under restraint, the last will and testament and the proofs and examinations are hereby recorded, signed and certified by me pursuant to the provision of the Revised Statutes, this 23rd day of March A. D. 1896

S. B. Mead Surrogate

At a Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Oswego, at the Surrogate's Office in the City of Oswego, on the 23rd day of March A. D. 1896

PRESENT, SHELDON B. MEAD, Surrogate

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament

Hosea Ballou deceased.

Application having been made on the 7th day of Nov 1895 by Alfred N. Schumacher the Executor of Hosea Ballou late of the Town of Boylston County of Oswego, New York, to have the last will and testament of the said Hosea Ballou proved; and a citation having been thereupon issued in due form of law, directed to the heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees, requiring them to appear before our Surrogate of the said County of Oswego, at the Surrogate's Office in the City of Oswego, on the 23rd day of March 1896 to attend the probate of said will

And afterward, to-wit: On the 23rd day of March 1896 Such proceedings were thereupon had that the proofs were duly taken; and the allegations of the parties appearing having been heard and the Surrogate having inquired particularly into all the facts and circumstances and being satisfied of the genuineness of said will

and the validity of its execution, and it appearing upon the proofs taken, that the said will, bearing date the 20th day of September 1886 was duly executed, that the said testator when he executed the same was of full age for making a will, of sound and disposing mind and memory, and in all respects competent to make a last will and testament and devise real estate, and was not under restraint; and the probate of said will not having been contested.

It is Ordered, adjudged and decreed that the instrument offered for probate in this matter is the last will and testament of the said testator and is properly executed, and is genuine and valid; and that the said instrument may be admitted to probate and established as a will valid to pass real and personal property, and that the same, together with the proofs thereof, be recorded accordingly.

S. B. Mead Surrogate

Surrogate's Court, County of Oswego, New York.

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament

Sarah P. Meridith deceased.

COUNTY OF OSWEGO, ss. J. M. Page of the City of Syracuse and Minerva M. Page of the City of Syracuse in the County of Oswego, being duly sworn and examined, each for himself doth depose and say, that she was well acquainted with Sarah P. Meridith late of the Town of Schrofflet in the County of Oswego, New York, deceased, that deponent was present as a witness and did see the said Sarah P. Meridith subscribe her name at the end of the instrument in writing now produced and shown to the deponent purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, bearing date the 21st day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty five that the said testator did at the time of subscribing her name to the said instrument as aforesaid, declare the instrument so subscribed by her to be her last will and testament; that thereupon the persons whose names are thereto subscribed as witnesses, in the presence of each other, subscribed their names at the end thereof as witnesses thereto, at the request of the testator and in her presence, and that the said testator at the time of so executing and publishing the said last will and testament, as aforesaid, was of full age, of sound mind and memory, not under restraint, and was in all respects competent to devise real estate and to make a last will and testament, as deponents verily believe.

Sworn to before me this 24th day of Feb and March 1896

J. M. Page Minerva M. Page

Edgar G. Glass & S. B. Mead Surrogate

COUNTY OF OSWEGO, ss. It appearing upon the proofs duly taken in respect to the last will and testament of Sarah P. Meridith late of the Town of Schrofflet in the County of Oswego, and the State of New York, deceased, that the said will was duly executed, and that the said Sarah P. Meridith at the time she executed the same, was in all respects competent to devise real estate, and not under restraint, the last will and testament and the proofs and examinations are hereby recorded, signed and certified by me pursuant to the provision of the Revised Statutes, this 23rd day of March A. D. 1896

S. B. Mead Surrogate

At a Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Oswego, at the Surrogate's Office in the City of Oswego, on the 23rd day of March A. D. 1896

PRESENT, SHELDON B. MEAD, Surrogate

In the Matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament

Sarah P. Meridith deceased.

Application having been made on the 24th day of Feb 1896 by Hugh Meridith the Executor of Sarah P. Meridith late of the Town of Schrofflet County of Oswego, New York, to have the last will and testament of the said Sarah P. Meridith proved; and a citation having been thereupon issued in due form of law, directed to the heirs at law, next of kin, legatees and devisees, requiring them to appear before our Surrogate of the said County of Oswego, at the Surrogate's Office in the City of Oswego, on the 23rd day of March 1896 to attend the probate of said will

And afterward, to-wit: On the 23rd day of March 1896 Such proceedings were thereupon had that the proofs were duly taken; and the allegations of the parties appearing having been heard and the Surrogate having inquired particularly into all the facts and circumstances and being satisfied of the genuineness of said will

and the validity of its execution, and it appearing upon the proofs taken, that the said will, bearing date the 28th day of July 1885 was duly executed, that the said testator when he executed the same was of full age for making a will, of sound and disposing mind and memory, and in all respects competent to make a last will and testament and devise real estate, and was not under restraint; and the probate of said will not having been contested.

It is Ordered, adjudged and decreed that the instrument offered for probate in this matter is the last will and testament of the said testator and is properly executed, and is genuine and valid; and that the said instrument may be admitted to probate and established as a will valid to pass real and personal property, and that the same, together with the proofs thereof, be recorded accordingly.

S. B. Mead Surrogate