In the name of God Amen I John B. Allen of the city of Albany State of New York being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this present and transitory life do therefore make and ordain this my last will & testament in manner & form following viz I give all my earthly estate real & personal wherever situated to my beloved wife Maria B. Allen to have & to hold in trust for the use of my children & their heirs forever

Item I hereby constitute and appoint my wife Maria B. Allen sole executrix of this my last will & testament revoking all other previous wills by me made and I give each of my children the sum of one dollar in the most lawful money of the U.S.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal the 15th day October in the year of our Lord 1870

John B. Allen (Seal)

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said John B. Allen in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us to be his last will & testament and we at his request have signed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence of each other and in the presence of said testator

Albany N.Y.

Witness { Peter E. Sauer
J. R. Grapes
Geo. R. Allen Jr.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament of

Patrick Farrell deceased.

Oswego County, ss.

Isaac R. Pomeroy and Geo. M. Bacon being first duly sworn, in open Court, upon their several corporeal oaths, each for himself, doth depose and say, that they are subscribing witnesses to the Last Will and Testament of Patrick Farrell late of the ~~City~~ town of Scriba in the County of Oswego and State of New York deceased. And these deponents do further say, that the said Patrick Farrell deceased, did in the presence of each of these deponents, subscribe his name at the end of the instrument in writing, which is now here shown to these deponents, and which purports to be the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, and which bears date on the 1st day of May one thousand eight hundred and ~~[illegible]~~ That the said deceased did at the time of subscribing his name to the said instrument as aforesaid, declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; and these deponents did thereupon subscribe their own respective names at the end of said instrument, as attesting witnesses to the execution thereof, each at the request of the said deceased, and in his presence and in the presence of each other; That the said deceased, at the time of so subscribing his name to said instrument as aforesaid, and publishing said instrument as aforesaid, was upwards of twenty-one years of age, and a citizen of the United States: that he appeared to be, and deponent believe he was of sound mind, memory and understanding, and not under any restraint, and as deponents verily believe, in all respects competent to devise real estate: that each of these deponents saw the other sign his name to said instrument in the presence of the said deceased.

Isaac R. Pomeroy
Geo. M. Bacon

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6 day of Oct A. D. 1873
J. W. Skinner Surrogate

Oswego County, ss.

It appearing upon the proofs duly taken in respect to the Last Will and Testament of Patrick Farrell late of the town of Scriba in the County of Oswego and State of New York, deceased, that the said Will was duly executed, and that the said Patrick Farrell at the time he executed the same, was in all respects competent to devise real estate, and not under restraint, the said last Will and Testament ~~[illegible]~~ and the proofs and examinations are hereby recorded, signed and certified by me, pursuant to the provision of the Revised Statutes, this 6 day of Oct A. D. 1873

J. W. Skinner Surrogate.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

Patrick Farrell Deceased.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That heretofore to wit, on the 5 day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 73 Nancy Farrell Executrix named in the LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of Patrick Farrell late of the town of Scriba in the County of Oswego deceased, appeared in open Court, before the Surrogate of the County of Oswego and made application to have the said LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT which relates to both Real and Personal Estate proved; and on such application, the said Surrogate did ascertain by satisfactory evidence who were the heirs at law and next of kin of the said testator, and their respective residences

and said Surrogate did thereupon issue a Citation in due form of law, directed to the heirs at law, and next of kin by their respective names, stating their respective places of residence requiring them to appear before said Surrogate at his Office in the ~~village~~ city of Oswego in said County, on the 6 day of Oct A. D. 1873 to attend the Probate of said Will,

And afterwards to wit: on the 6 day of Oct A. D. 1873 satisfactory evidence by affidavit, was produced and presented to said Surrogate, of the due service of said Citation in the mode prescribed by law; and on that day no one appearing to oppose the Probate of such Will such proceedings was thereupon had in said Court afterwards, that the said Surrogate took the proofs of said Will hereinafter set forth, upon this 6 day of Oct A. D. 1873 and he thereupon adjudged the said Will to be a valid Will of Real and Personal Estate, and the proofs thereof to be sufficient, which said LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT and proofs are as follows, that is to say:

WILL: