

In the Name of God - Amen.

I, Thomas Henderson of Albion Cayuga County New York being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament, that is to say:

First - After all my lawful debts are paid and discharged, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Julia C. Henderson all my household goods and furniture to have & to hold forever. I also give and bequeath to her my said wife the use of one third of all my estate so long as she shall live which bequest to her is in lieu of Dower & all statutory provisions for widows except the \$150 given widows by act of 1842 which I desire her to have.

All the rest and residue of my estate both real and personal I desire to be divided as follows. I give and bequeath to my son Washington T. Henderson one fifth of my estate To my daughter Helen M. Bennett one fifth To my daughter Gertrude Morris one fifth To my daughter Mary Ann Simons one fifth To my grand children Thomas Henderson and Grace Henderson, the children of my deceased son J. Fayette Henderson, one fifth being the same share their father would have if living.

I make the above bequests to my children subject to the following changes, to wit; Whereas my late son Duane Henderson now deceased died leaving two sons whose names I have now forgotten but who are supposed to be living in some of the western states now I hereby authorize and empower my executor hereinafter named in case said grand sons are living and they are found to be temperate and industrious he may in his discretion pay to them such sum as he may see fit not to exceed one sixth of said residuum after taking out the bequest to my said wife above mentioned and the bequests to my said other children are to be 1/5 of such balance after taking out the bequest to my widow & the sum as (Carried to page 618)

SURROGATE'S COURT

In the matter of Proving the Last Will and Testament of

George H. Hamilton deceased

Cayuga County, ss.

Joseph Woodruff and Edward W. Burn each

being first duly sworn, in open Court, upon their several oaths, each for himself, doth depose and say, that they are subscribing witnesses to the

last Will and Testament of George H. Hamilton late of the town of Palermo in the County of Cayuga and State of New York deceased. And these deponents do further say, that the said 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 22^d day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighty four. 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 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 believes 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, Joseph Woodruff Edward W. Burn

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1884 F. David Surrogate Cayuga County, ss.

If appearing upon the proofs duly taken in respect to the last Will and Testament of George H. Hamilton late of the town of Palermo in the County of Cayuga and the State of New York, deceased, that the said Will was duly executed, and that the said George H. Hamilton 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 proof and examinations are hereby recorded, signed and certified by me, pursuant to the provision of the Revised Statutes, this 7th day of July, A. D. 1884 F. David Surrogate.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF

George H. Hamilton deceased

BE IT REMEMBERED, That heretofore, to wit, on the 23rd day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty four, George H. Hamilton, named in the LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of George H. Hamilton late of the town of Palermo in the County of Cayuga deceased, appeared in open Court, before the Surrogate of the County of Cayuga 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 of Phoenix in the said County, on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1884 to attend the Probate of said Will,

And afterwards to wit: on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1884 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 7th day of July, A. D. 1884 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: