

Osage County, Mo. Recited the proceedings in
 will & testament of William King Henry deceased
 together with the proof taken thereon in the Osage
 County Surrogate's Court relating to the said last will
 and testament which record is hereby signed and
 certified by me pursuant to the provisions of the
 Revised Statute this being fifth day of February
 A.D. 1850.

C. H. Wilbur,
 County Judge, Osage Co.

Be it remembered that herebefore & with my due
 2^d day of February, A.D. 1850 Enosh M. Ferris Executor named
 in the last will and testament of Elmer Ferris, late of Missouri
 in the county of Osage, deceased, appeared in open court
 before Orin H. Whitney County Judge of the county of Osage,
 and made application to have the said last will and testament
 which relates to personal estate only proved, and on such
 application the county judge did ascertain by satis-
 factory evidence who were the widow, heirs and
 next of kin of the said deceased and their respective
 places of residence: and said judge did thereupon
 issue a citation according to law, directed to the
 said widow, heirs and next of kin by their respec-
 tive names, stating their respective places of residence
 and requiring them to appear in this court before the
 said judge at his office in Missouri, on the eighth
 day of April then next, to attend the probate of said will,
 and afterwards to wait on the said eighth day of April
 satisfactory evidence by affidavit was produced and
 presented to said judge of the service of the said citation
 in the mode prescribed by law, and on that day as
 my appearing to appear such proceedings were taken
 and afterwards that the said judge took the proof of the
 said will being first set forth, on this eighth day of
 April one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and
 he adjudged the said will to be a valid will of personal
 estate and the proof thereof to be sufficient, which said
 will and proof are as follows: that is to say:

In the name of God Amen - I Elmer Ferris of the town of Naples Court
 of Osage and State of Missouri, do make, publish, and declare this my
 last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say
 I do hereby give unto my brother Enosh Ferris my gun, being one fourth

belonging to my father, and I do also hereby give and bequeath unto my
 wife Susan Ferris the interest of all my property of every kind and description
 during the time she shall continue my widow, and do hereby direct my
 executor to see all of said property, either at private or public sale
 as they shall think best, and please the said Susan Ferris and
 pay to my said wife, annually the interest which shall accrue there-
 on, and do also hereby further order and direct my executor
 on the marriage or death of my said wife to divide among my brothers
 and sisters in equal proportion all that remains of my property of every
 name and nature whatsoever excepting from such division my sister
 Martha Cogdon who it not to receive any part of my said property
 when divided among my said brothers and sisters. And I do
 hereby make, constitute and appoint my said wife Susan Ferris and
 my said brother Enosh Ferris joint executors of this my last will and tes-
 tament, hereby ordering that my said brother Enosh Ferris receive for his
 compensation as executor of this my last will and testament, twice
 the amount of usual legal fees or compensation.

I do likewise when of my hand and seal, and published
 and done this to be my last will and testament in presence of the wit-
 nesses named below this 25th day of November in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and forty nine

Elmer Ferris S.D.

Signed, sealed, declared and published by the said Elmer Ferris as
 and of his last will and testament in presence of us who at his request
 and in his presence and in presence of each other have subscribed our
 names as witnesses hereto.

Elise Brumley Residing in Osage County
 Madison D. Eakin Residing in Osage County

Osage County Court
 In the matter of proving the
 last will and testament of
 Elmer Ferris deceased.

Osage County ss. Madison D. Eakin of the town of Naples
 in the County of Osage being duly sworn and examined before Orin H. Whitney
 County Judge of Osage County, with a paper and says that he, this deponent, was
 well acquainted with Elmer Ferris late of the town of Naples in the County of
 Osage now deceased. That this deponent was present as a witness, and
 did see the said Elmer Ferris subscribe at the end thereof, the testam-
 ent now produced and shown to this deponent, purporting to be
 the last will and testament of the said deceased, bearing date the 25th day