

on which I now reside, during her natural life. All the furniture which my said wife has brought into the family, and also most of the remainder of the furniture, she shall have to take. Also Eight Hundred Dollars on Bond and Mortgage, the interest of which I give and bequeath to my said wife to be paid to her yearly by my executors during her natural life.

Second: I give and bequeath to my son, George W. Halsey Six Hundred Dollars in Bond and Mortgage, Also One Hundred Dollars more, making in all to my son George Seven Hundred Dollars. Also One Hundred Dollars more making in all to my son George Eight Hundred Dollars.

Third: I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann S. Halsey Five Hundred Dollars in Bond and Mortgage and One Carriage or Steeking Top Buggy in six months after my decease.

Fourth: I give and bequeath to my daughter Julia Goodwin wife of Austin Goodwin Seven Hundred Dollars in Bond and Mortgage.

Fifth: I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin M. Halsey Eleven Hundred Dollars to be paid to him by my executor on his becoming of the age of twenty one years by or on Bond and Mortgage with the Ints.

Sixth: I give and bequeath the remainder of my estate, after all my debts and all charges for sickness for sickness and funeral expenses are paid by my executors, to my wife and to my children to be divided equally between them on the settlement of my said estate with the exception of the balance of the bond which is to be divided equally between my wife during her natural life and to my children above named.

Lastly: I hereby nominate and appoint my wife Susan J. Halsey and John Halsey of the town of Whitesboro in the County of Oneida and State of New York Executor and Executrix of this my last Will and Testament. The farm it is my wish and desire to have carried on as it has been by my wife taking her support and her hired help out of the proceeds of the said farm without charge to her for six months after my decease.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this fourth day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty One

William Halsey 

The above instrument consisting of one sheet of paper was subscribed by the above named William Halsey in our presence, and in the presence of each of us and he at the same time declared it to be his last Will and Testament and requested us to sign the same as Subscribing Witnesses

Starr Clark Sheriff Oswego County New York
Harmon Halsey Sheriff Oswego County New York