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William Osborn's Will

I William Osborn of Wayne County in the State of Indiana do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore at any time made. First I direct that my body be decently interred and that my funeral be conducted in a manner corresponding with my estate and situation in life. And as to such worldly affairs as it has pleased God to intrust me with I dispose of in the following manner to wit. First I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first moneys that shall come to the hands of my executors from any portion of my personal estate. I also direct that a fair valuation or appraisement be made by two judicious neighbors of all my personal estate. I also give and bequeath to my beloved wife Amy Osborn all my estate both real and personal without reserve during her natural life time or while she may remain my widow and at her death or marriage the real estate to be equally divided share and share alike between my three youngest sons William Thomas & Elisha Osborn and all the personal property to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder and the proceeds of said sale to be equally divided share and share alike between my other children to wit Charles Elizabeth Simons Jeremiah Arriena Amy Ann Delila Sophia Isaac Maria Catharine and Martha Jane Osborn. And I hereby make and ordain my beloved wife Amy Osborn my executrix of this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I William Osborn the testator have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and forty one. William Osborn {Seal}

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named William Osborn as his last will and testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence of said testator and in the presence of each other

Richard Jones
John Brackburn