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Joseph Osborns Will

Be it Remembered that at a Court of Common Pleas for the County of Mahoning in the State of Ohio begun and held at the Office of Elisha Whittier in the town of Canfield within and for said County on the 14th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six by and before James Wallace James Osborn and Lemuel Bingham Esquires Associate Judges of said Court the last will and testament of Joseph Osborn late of Youngstown in said County deceased was produced in Court for probate. John Grove and James Crook the subscribing witnesses appearing in open Court, were examined, and their testimony reduced to writing, and it appearing from their evidence to the satisfaction of the Court, that said Will was duly attested and executed and that the testator was of full age, and of sound mind and memory and not under restraint, the Court admitted said will to probate. Which said will follows in these words to wit.

Will.

I Joseph Osborn of the County of Trumbull in the State of Ohio, do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

First it is my will that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be fully paid.

Second I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret Osborn in line of her dower the House and the proceeds of the plantation on which we now reside during her natural life the plantation subject to the control of my Executors, and I have four cows, twelve sheep and all hogs which I now own, and as much grain and most Farming utensils and house hold furniture as she may desire to keep, the balance of Goods and chattles I order to be sold at public sale by my Executors, and that at the death of my said wife all the property hereby devised or bequeathed to her as aforesaid or so much thereof as may then remain unexpended I order to be sold by my Executors at public sale excepting my real estate which may be sold either at public or private sale as my Executors may think proper.

Thirdly I order the moneys arising from the sales to be divided amongst my ten heirs (namely) my daughter Sarah Corke, Mary Osborn, Mahlon Osborn, Donathans Osborn, John W. Osborn, Alfred Osborn, Abner Osborn, Thomas P. Osborn, Elizabeth Osborn and Joseph Osborn. I share I share alike excepting my daughter Mary Osborn who I order to have one hundred and fifty dollars more than an equal share. And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my sons Donathans and Alfred Osborn to be the Executors for this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 5th day of April A.D. 1844. Signed published

declared by the above named Joseph Osborn
as and for his last will and testament
in presence of us who at his request have
signed as witnesses to the same

John Grove
James Crooks

Joseph ^{his} Osborn ^{mark} (P)

Proof

I John Grove being duly sworn in open Court says that
he signed the will hereunto annexed as a Witness in his presence
and in the presence of James Crooks his Co Witness and saw
Joseph Osborn sign the same, and says that he was at the time of
full age and of sound mind and memory and without any
constraint. John Grove

James Crooks being duly sworn in open Court says that he
signed the will hereunto annexed as a Witness in his presence, and
in the presence of John Grove his Co Witness, and saw Joseph
Osborn sign the same, and says that he was at the time of
full age, and of sound mind and memory, and without any
constraint. James Crooks

Attest: William W. Whittlesey Clerk

David Justice's Will

Be it remembered that at a special Court of
Common Pleas for the County of Mahoning in the State of
Ohio, begun and held at the Office of Elisha Whittlesey in the
town of Canfield within and for said County on the sixteenth
day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and forty six by and before James Wallace James
Brownlee and Samuel Bingham Esquires Associate Judges
of said Court the last will and testament of David Justice late of
Springfield in said County deceased was produced in Court for
probate. George Brungart and Adam Brungart two of the sub-
scribing witnesses to said will appeared in open Court, were exam-
ined and their testimony is reduced to writing and by them respec-
tively subscribed, and filed with said Will, and it appearing from
their evidence, to the satisfaction of the Court, that the said will was
duly attested, and executed, and that the testator at the time of execution
the same was of full age and of sound mind and memory, and not
under restraint, the Court admitted said will to probate. Which said
Will follows in these words to wit:

In the name of God Amen I David
Justice of the County of Columbiana in the State of Ohio, being weak in
body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and understand-
ing, thanks be to Almighty God for the same, do make and publish
this my last will and testament in manner and form following
that is to say First I resign my soul to God who give it and my