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Last Will and Testament of William G Osborn

I William G Osborn of the County of Fulton in the State of Indiana do hereby make and publish the following as my last Will and Testament hereby revoking any and all Wills by me at any time heretofore made
 Item (1)

It is my Will that all my just debts be first paid
 Item (2)

I hereby Will and devise to my children Laura Osborn Mary Osborn and Daisy Osborn the real Estate in the County of Fulton in the State of Indiana described as follows to wit- The north Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the south half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the north half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of Section number two (2) Township Thirty One (31) ^{North} Range Two (2) East Reserving however a Life estate in and to said real estate for the sole use and benefit of my Wife Rebecca Osborn who shall be entitled to the use occupancy rents and profits of the said real estate so long as she shall live and reserving also the right and privileges of my son Robert C. Osborn to Farm the above described tract of real estate as tenant and to deliver unto my Wife Rebecca Osborn the two fifths of all grain and other crops raised thereon
 Item (3)

I also Will and bequeath to my said Wife Rebecca Osborn all the Household and Kitchen furniture of Every description which I may own at my death one good Buggy Horse Buggy and Harness two milk cows two fifths of the wheat now growing upon the aforesaid described real estate and all provisions on hand at time of death for home consumption
 Item 4

I Will and devise to my son Robert G Osborn the Real Estate in said County of Fulton in the State of Indiana described as follows to wit- The south Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the south Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the north Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of section two (2) Township thirty One (31) north range two (2) East and all the Farming utensils owned by me at my death

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I reserve however wood from the last described tract of real estate for my wife Rebecca Osborn for her own domestic consumption during her natural life time

Item (5)

I here by will and bequest to my son Charles E. Osborn the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars less the amount which I have heretofore advanced him and which amount is Ten Hundred seventy two (\$1072⁰⁰) Dollars as evidenced by receipt signed said Charles E. Osborn on Jan 1st 1896

Item (6)

I will and bequest to my Daughter Elnora Morgan the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars less the amount which I have heretofore advanced her and which amount is Ten Hundred thirty three (\$1033⁰⁰) Dollars as indicated by receipt signed by said Elnora Morgan and F. M. Morgan on Jan 1st 1896

The amounts devised herewith Charles E. Osborn and Elnora Morgan shall be paid to them out of my Personal property and if the same is not sufficient then the balance shall be paid to them by my son Robert M. Osborn and the amount if any which shall have failed to be realized out of my personal property shall be a lien upon the Land above devised to Robert M. Osborn until the same shall be paid

Item 7

I will and bequest to Enoch M. McCoy the sum of Five Hundred Dollars which shall be paid to him by my Executor out of my Estate and if there is not sufficient personal property to pay the same then I direct that it shall be paid to the said McCoy by my son Robert M. Osborn and the said amount shall be a lien on the real estate herein devised to said Robert M. Osborn until the same shall be paid

Item (8)

I here by appoint and constitute my son

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Robert M Osborn Executor of my last will and Testament with out Bond and authority him as my Executor to settle my estate Collect all Debts owing to me pay all my Debts and Funeral Expenses erect a Tombstone at the head of the Graves of my self and wife to sell and convert into money all my personal property not disposed of in the Will. Take a receipt from my wife for her statutory allowance of five Hundred Dollars which is included in property in Item three (3) Four (4) and Five (5) here in, and to pay the legacies herein bequeathed, he is as such Executor here by authorized to sell all personal property at public or private sale as he may think best and to settle my estate within two years after my Death and my legates shall not until the Expiration of said two years bring actions against my said Executor for any balance that may be due them

Item

as to my partnership stock owned by me and my son Robert M Osborn jointly I bequeath all my right title and Interest in and to same to my wife Rebecca Osborn. In Witness whereof I have hereunto signed this foregoing as my last will and testament - this 27 day of May 1898

William ^{his} M Osborn

Signed by the said William M Osborn in our presence as his last will Testament - and we at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other hereunto sign our names as subscribing witnesses

John A Drew
Rob Bliss



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State of Indiana Fulton County SS.

Be it remembered that on the 25th day of February 1899 Robert C. O'Brien one of the subscribing witnesses to the within and foregoing last will and testament of William G. Osborn late of said County deceased personally appeared before Henry H. Ward Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fulton County in the State of Indiana and being duly sworn by the Clerk of said Court before his oath declared and testified as follows that is to say that on the 27th day ^{of May} 1888 he saw the said William G. Osborn sign his name to said Instrument in writing as and for his last will and testament and that this deponent at the time heard the said William G. Osborn declare the said Instrument in writing to be his last will and testament and that the said instrument was subscribed by him at the same time and with his consent attested and subscribed by the said Robert C. O'Brien and John H. Drew in the presence of said testator and in the presence of each other as subscribing witnesses thereto and that the said William G. Osborn was at the time of the signing and subscribing of said instrument in writing as aforesaid of full age (that is more than twenty one years of age) and of sound and disposing mind and memory and not under any coercion or restraint, as the said deponent verily believes and further deponent says out

Sworn to and

Robert C. O'Brien

Subscribed by the said Robert C. O'Brien before me
Henry H. Ward Clerk of said Court at Rochester Indiana the 25th
day of February 1899 Henry H. Ward Clerk

In attestation whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed the seal of said Court Henry H. Ward Clerk
State of Indiana Fulton County SS. I Henry H. Ward Clerk
of Fulton County Indiana do hereby certify that the within and
will and testament of William G. Osborn has been duly admitted to
and duly proved by the testimony of Robert C. O'Brien one of the
subscribing witnesses thereto that a complete record of said will and of the
testimony of the said Robert C. O'Brien in proof thereof has been by me duly made
In attestation whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and
and affixed the seal of said Court at Rochester this 25th day of February 1899
H. H. Ward Clerk of Circuit Court of Fulton County