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I Jonathau Osborn of Green County Indiana do make & publish  
this my last will and testament hereby Revoking and making void  
all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

First that my Debts be paid I direct that all my goods, chat-  
tles moneys and effects and a certain tract of Land to wit being  
the North west quarter of the South west quarter of fractional  
Section twelve in Township eight South of range five west shall  
be and remain the absolute property of my wife excepting one  
Dollar to my daughter Jane and one dollar to my daughter Ann  
and one dollar to my son Joseph and one dollar to my daughter  
Catharine and one dollar to my daughter Patience and one dollar  
to my daughter Rachel one dollar to my son Jonathau. I also direct  
that the whole of Goods, Chattels, moneys and effects with the above  
described tract of Land except such several sums of moneys as are here-  
in specifically bequeathed to my several children shall be and re-  
main the absolute property of my beloved wife if she shall be living  
at the time of my decease and I hereby make and ordain my worthy  
esteemed friends Joseph S Osborn, Ira Winley executors of this my  
last will and testament. In Witness whereof I Jonathau Osborn the  
testator have hereunto set my hand and seal this twelfth day  
of July in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty two

Jonathau <sup>his</sup> Osborn Seal

signed sealed published and declared by the above named Jonathau  
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 the said testator and in the presence of each other

James C. Plume  
James B. Sparks  
Ira Waneley  
Joseph S. Osborn

State of Indiana }  
Greene County Sd } Be it remembered that on the 6 day of Sept  
A. D. 1842 personally appeared before me Samuel R. Leavins clerk of the  
Probate Court of said County Ira Waneley and Joseph S. Osborn who  
being by me duly sworn depose and say "We saw Jonathau  
Osborn, sign, seal, publish and declare the above and foregoing  
writing to be his last will and testament and that we believe he  
was at the time of its execution of sound mind and memory and  
that we subscribed our names thereto as subscribing witnesses in the  
presence of the said testator, and each other So helps us God

subscribed & sworn to before me  
this 6. day Sept A. D. 1842  
Sd. S. R. Leavins

Ira Waneley  
Joseph S. Osborn

State of Indiana }  
Greene County Sd } Be it remembered that on the thirty first day  
of August in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty  
two, personally appeared before me Samuel R. Leavins Clerk of the  
Probate Court of said County James C. Plume and James Sparks  
who after being by me duly sworn depose and say "We saw Jonathau

Osborn sign seal publish and declare the within and foregoing writing to be his last will and testament, and that we believe he was at the time of its execution of sound mind and memory, and that we subscribed our names thereto as subscribing witnesses, in the presence of the said Testator, and each other. So helps us God

James C. Plume  
James <sup>his</sup> Sparks  
<sup>mark</sup>

subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of August Anno Domini 1842.

Jest. S. R. Leavins

Filed August  
23<sup>rd</sup> 1843

Whereas I am about to depart this life,

I will as my last will and Testament that my body be interred in the ground and my soul to God that gave it, and it is my will that my neighbor and friend P. C. Ballard should execute this my will as follows.

In I will that said Benjamin C. Ballard be and he is hereby ordained and appointed to sell all my goods and chattels on a credit of one year, and that he sell my land all of it in three equal annual instalments one third in one year, one third in another year, and the balance in another year, and collect all debts due me

herein. I will the expenses of last sickness be first paid and my funeral expenses secondly and shortly all my just debts, and the remaining balance be divided as follows, to wit,

That John P. Jewell have five dollars, for the love and affection I have for him as my son

And William P. Jewell have twenty dollars for the love and affection I have for him my son

and that the remaining balance be equally divided between my wife Nancy Jewell, Elizabeth Brookbank, Sarah Master, Mary Woodsmall and Margaret Calvert, Isaac P. Jewell, for the love and affection I have for them as my children Except Nancy she is my wife

I revoke the sale of our bed and steer and bedding and that the sum prop to Isaac P. Jewell to make him equal with the balance as they each of them are married and received that account from me, in their manage. sd Isaac having not got his nor is married as I now of.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of June in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty three

signed and sealed in the presence

of the following witnesses  
Mrs J. M. D. D. D.  
Darius B. D. D.  
<sup>mark</sup>

Samuel Jewell (seal)

State of Indiana } Be it remembered that on the twenty  
Kosciusko County } second day of August A.D. 1843 that