

2d) Thomas Scotty learned of me he then advised that the amount of the estate at that time should be equally divided between his wife and child and he expressly stated that R. M. S. should give his wife Margaret an equal share of the said estate in the settlement of his estate. He also should administer on his estate & send under our hands this 25th of May 1830. M. S. Scholfield
R. M. S.

Harriet C. Sherbo
May 1874

Barren County Court held July County Court 1845
The within and foregoing purporting to be the
Surrender Bill of John Smith by Deed was produced in
Court and sworn to by William Shirley Mary Shirley and Harriet
W. Shirley Subscribers thereto and the court the aforesaid writing
was ordered to be recorded as the true surrender Bill of the said
John Smith by Deed
Teste ^{Wm} J. Garrison Clerk
deputy Clerk, ^{Wm} J. Garrison

*Teste M^r Jean alle
deputy teste M^r Jean alle*

I am in a low state of health but retaining my right reason
 and understanding and calling to mind the uncertainty
 of life I do make and ordain this my last will and testament
 in manner following I do by my will and desire that so
 much of my personal estate to be sold as will pay all my
 just debts at such credit as my executor may deem
 meet to the interest of my Estate The residue I
 desire is and I do hereby give and bequeath to my beloved
 daughter Elizabeth Smith the whole of my estate both
 real and personal and my executors wholly as vested
 to managing my estate by hiring out my servants or otherwise
 as he may think best for the interest of my daughter
 until she becomes of lawful age or marriage and in either
 case my daughter should have the free and full possession
 of my estate & I do hereby nominate and appoint my
 friend & brother Edward Jencks my executor to carry
 into my last will and testament and execution given
 under my hand and seal the 29th July 1830
 attested

Attested
William Anderson
Joseph B. Stockton
John Barber

(25) Reason being said August Court, court 1830
The within are foregoing writing purporting purporting to be the
last will and testament of John Smith deceased was produced
in Court and perused in presence by the Judge of Probate,
Judge of the Court, Justice of the Peace and thereupon
the aforesaid Writing was done to be recorded as the true last Will
of the said John Smith deceased and the same shall be duly
recorded accordingly Teste J. H. G. & K

The John Huntington and Richard H. Bell do testify that we were present
 with Rachel Josephine Barclay at her residence in Glasgow and Bristol
 Vermont on the day before he departed this life & which time he expressed
 his desire to make his last wishes known, which were expressed by him in
 the presence of us and others that it was his desire that his wife should
 have all his property as long as she lived and at her death to be
 divided equally between his brothers and sisters and his wife, brothers and sisters at her death to be further
 stated that there was a settlement & take place between R. H. Rogers
 and himself that they would arrange the accounts without
 difficulty that the said Josephine Barclay died on a certain day
 the 8th day of October 1880
 John Huntington
 Richard H. Bell

Some few minutes after Joseph N. Barclay made the above declaration of faith his wife came into his presence and he repeated it to her and added that he wished Richard H. Canoll to have his morocco Bible, and his father Samuel Barclay (nowing) to have his Nicholas morocco Bible. Given under our hands this 12th Feb^r 1820

James Watt
Richard H. Canoll

Nathaniel
 Barron County and Colden County Court 1830
 I William D. Clerk of the County Court for the County of
 do certify that the within and foregoing writing was produced
 in Court, and John Montague and Richard H. Bell being
 sworn said that the said Writing contained in substance the Declaration
 of Joseph W. Barclay because respecting the distribution of his estate and
 that the said letter and thereof annexed was sworn to by James Bell
 and Richard H. Bell to be the existence of ^{the} said Joseph W. Barclay
 Declaration respecting his estate
 and thereupon the said Writing was ordered to be read