

by me, Joseph and I intend to be collected and kept by  
my sole executor for the benefit of my beloved wife Susanna  
the only child my said beloved wife Susanna the only child  
have a decent support during his life and after the death  
of my beloved wife all of the said money shall be paid to my  
said child and I intend that it shall be my said child's legacy  
to my daughter Anna Elizabeth of my first child named  
David & John Samuel & John Thomas & John John & John  
each are having an equal share I do constitute and appoint  
Joseph & John my sole executor to this my last will and  
testament hereby revoking all former wills and testaments  
I have heretofore made and signed my seal this twentieth  
fourth of November in the year of our Lord the thousand  
eight hundred and twenty nine. David Shockley Seal  
I give sealed published and  
witnessed by the above David Shockley  
to be his last will and testament in the  
presence of us at his request and at  
his presence have hereunto subscribed  
Our names as witnesses to the same

Joseph Reed

H. Salazar

Benjamin Reed

Barren county court January court 1830

The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the  
last will and testament of David Shockley deceased was produced in  
court and proved in and confirmed by the oath of Joseph Reed  
and Edmund Sherman subscribing witnesses and the court  
after reading a warrant to be recorded as the true last  
will of the said David Shockley David Shockley deceased  
and therefore the aforesaid hath been duly recorded according  
to the Statute in that behalf made.

James D. Shockley of Barren county State of Kentucky of lawful  
age and sound mind and knowing the contents of this  
do make this my last will and testament in full of my  
last will to the heirs of my first wife Susanna Shockley  
to be divided into equal shares to be used for  
their use and equally divided between them the balance of  
my estate both real and personal shall be bequeathed  
one half of it to my beloved daughter Anna Elizabeth  
and the other half to my beloved daughter Mary

and the other to my living little child Mary D. Shockley all by my wife  
while she remains single or until my daughter should marry but  
provided my wife should marry my daughter should be managed  
and taken care of by Richard Smith and Bartlett & Graves for  
the benefit with this bequeathed that if they should die it was not likely  
to be wanted to let it remain with my wife but at their discretion it  
is also my wish that if my daughter Mary should die without  
a living heir of her body that the whole of my estate should go to my  
wife and if my wife should die without marrying again or having  
any more heirs that the whole of my estate then should go to my child  
forever unless my wife and she seal this 18th day of January 1830

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James D. ShockleyEdmund Sherman  
Joseph D. Shockley  
Bennett Lucate

James D. Shockley Seal

Barren county court February court 1830

The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last will and  
testament of James D. Shockley deceased was produced in  
court and proved by the oath of James D. Shockley and Edmund  
Sherman two of the subscribing witnesses and the court  
thereafter reading a warrant to be recorded as the true last will and  
testament of the said James D. Shockley deceased

Attest Thomas Clark

Unimpaired William D. Shirley, Attorney at Law, do hereby  
testify that we were present with the said James D. Shockley a short time before he died  
for many and hours and distinctly know that he was in his proper mind  
and aware of the contents of the within and foregoing writing and that he  
wished after his death and is as follows: That his last  
examined will should be paid should there not be sufficient to pay  
therein without selling part of his land he wished his estate  
to sell the tract of land and its appurtenances that he  
purchased of Nathaniel Hays known by the name of  
the still home land should that not be sufficient to pay  
all the debts he wished the balance of his estate to be paid  
properly of his estate and after all his debts were paid  
he wished his wife Mary D. Shockley to have all the balance  
to be paid of as the plaintiff with his son John

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 Hannah 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 25<sup>th</sup> of May 1830. M. J. Schilling  
H. M. S.

Harriet H. Phelps

*Mary Sherry*

Barrenbury Court, 2nd July 1840  
The within and foregoing purporting to be the  
Munro's Bill of John Smith & Co. was produced in  
Court and sworn to by William Shirley, Mary Shirley and Harriet  
Shirley Subscribers thereto and the same on the aforesaid writing  
was ordered to be received as the true munro's Bill of the said  
John Smith & Co.

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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 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 manage my estate by hiring out my servants or otherwise  
 as he may think best for the interest of my daughter  
 until she be married 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  
 son and brother Edward Smith my executor to carry  
 out my last will and testament and execution given  
 under my hand and seal the 29<sup>th</sup> July 1830  
 attested

attended

William Anderson

Joseph B'stackler

Noah Barber

sent <sup>very</sup> small ~~note~~  
mark

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Rose County Court August County Court 1830  
The within and foregoing writing purporting purporting to be the  
last will and testament of John Smith Roseman was produced  
in Court and proved in due form by the Oaths of William  
Anderson and Noah Barton Subscribing witnesses and thereupon  
the aforesaid writing was decreed to be recorded as the true last will  
of the said John Smith Roseman and the same shall be recorded  
accordingly Teste Morgan & 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 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1880  
 John Huntington  
 Richard H. Bell

John. Montague  
17th Dec

Some few minutes after, Joseph W. Barclay made the above declaration of his wife's name with his presence, and he repeated it to her, and added that he wished that such B. Gamott (I have his musical B. also, and his father named Barclay, warning) to have his Medical Science & Medicine given under the names "his 12<sup>th</sup> Feb 1830".

James M. Hall  
Richard H. H. H.

*Reverly*

Warren County Court & Orleans County Court 1830  
I William D. Clark clerk of the county Court for the County of Orleans do certify that the within and foregoing writing was presented to said Court and John Montague and Richard H. Bell being sworn said that the said Writing contained in substance the Declaration of Joseph W. Burdick Recusing himself the Jurisdiction of this State and that the rule before and there made was such to require that one Richard H. Bell to be the executor of the said W. Burdick Declaration respecting his recusal and thereupon the said Writing was ordered to be read