

Last Will & Testament

John T. Jackson Decd.

I John T. Jackson being in feeble health, but sound in mind in the name of God doth make and publish this as my last Will and Testament, first I will my spirit to God who give it & my body to the earth from whence it came & being blessed of the goods of this world first I will to my wife Priscilla Jackson Thirty Dollars a year out of the proceeds of my farms so long as she may live and said Thirty Dollars to be a lien on said farm from Year to Year as perches money of not paid as here after provided & said Thirty Dollars beginning with the Year 1891, & it is my Will that fifty dollars be paid to my half sister Sarah Lane out of an land, & it is my will & desire, that my three Grand Children or that is my son W. D. C. Jackson Decd. Children is to have twenty five Dollars each when every Da. Marry & to be paid as here after provided & I will & bequeath my land to my two sons viz: P. H. W. & John E. C. Jackson after paying Sarah Lane fifty out of same, said land lying & being in the State of Tennessee & Sullivan Co. & State of Va Scott Co. but said two sons are to pay to my wife Priscilla Jackson Thirty dollars per Year as long as she may live for which said Thirty Dollars is to be a lien on said land provided my sons shall fail to pay it & then are to pay to my son W. Jacksons Three Children twenty five dollars a piece when said or as they marry & the fifty Dollars to Sarah Lane at once & it is further my will & desire that my wife Priscilla Jackson own half of the Corn that is on hand & all hives that is on hand & all the property that she brought here & such other things out of the House as she may need but A. L. C. Snapp is to see that she dont take any thing that she dont need & then it is my Will & desire that the remainder of my House hold property be equally divided between my two sons & it is further my Will & desire that A. L. C. Snapp take possession of my old Gray Mare & Yearling Colt & my Hogs & what Corn is left after my wife gets her half & A. L. C. Snapp is paid what I owe him sell the same at private sale if he can & not to sell the same at public sale on such time as he may think best & it is further my Will that my wife have what Bacon that is on hand & it is further my Will that all just debts shall be paid including the fifty dollars to Sarah Lane & Funeral Expence to be paid & that A. L. C. Snapp shall receive

the rents off of all of my lands for the Year 1891 & after paying of my widow the balance to be applied to paying my debts & if my two sons do not except this my last Will & Testament my Widow is to have & hold my lands as long as she may live provided she pays Sarah Lane her fifty dollars & I hereby appoint A. L. C. Snapp as my Executor in this Will & without Bond.

Given under my hand & seal this 13th day of April 1891.
 attest
 Thos. H. Snapp
 James H. Snapp
 J. T. Jackson - seal

Proven in open Court by the Oaths of Thomas H. Snapp and James H. Snapp, subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will & the same was adjudged & declared to be the last Will & Testament of John T. Jackson decd. & ordered to be recorded in the book of wills June 1. 1891
 W. D. Buchanan Clk.

Last Will & Testament Schuylkill County Pa.
 Peter W. Sheaffer

By the tenor of these presents, I, Samuel Beane, Esq., register for the probate of wills and granting letters of administration in and for the County of Schuylkill, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do make known unto all men, that on the day of the date hereof, at Pottsville, before me now present, appeared and insinuated the last will and testament of Peter W. Sheaffer, late of the Borough of Pottsville, in the County of Schuylkill, deceased, (a true copy whereof is to these presents annexed) having whilst he lived and at the time of his death, diverse goods, chattels, rights and credits within the said Commonwealth; by reason whereof, the approbation and insinuation of the said last will and testament, and the committing the administration of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits, which were of the said deceased, and also the auditing the accounts, calculations and reckonings of the said administration, and a final dismission from the same, & we are manifestly known to belong, and that administrations of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased any way concerning his last will and testament was committed to Walter S. Sheaffer, Arthur W. Sheaffer, W. Lehigh Sheaffer and Henry Sheaffer, in the said testament named, they having been duly sworn with and truly to administer the goods, chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and make a true and perfect inventory thereof, and exhibit the same into the