

Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this

10th day of October 1847

Signed sealed published and declared

as and for the last will and testament

of the above named Peter Karmen in

presence of us

Witnesses

James Carver

John Carver

Alleghany County Court September Term 1847

An Instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Peter Karmen was this day returned to the Court for probate and was proved by the oath of Schellier New and George Carver two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and the same is ordered to be recorded.

And on motion of Thomas Karmen one of the executors named in the will of Peter Karmen deceased which was admitted to probate during this Term who appeared in Court and made oath thereto and together with Christopher Karmen on his solemnity entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of

Karmen for obtaining letters of Administration on the said deceased's estate with his will aforesaid annexed in due form.

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Test

Andrew Hudger Clk

In the name of God Amen. I Angelina Skiraid of the County of Alleghany and State of Virginia, being of sound mind and memory, do make this as my last will & Testament. First I will my Spirit to God who gave it, and my body to the dust from which it came, and my worldly property as follows. To wit I will all my land estate to my two Sisters Margaret & Alice Skiraid, my Case, Horse and Bureau, I will to be sold to pay my debts my Saddle I will to Malenna S Skiraid. I also appoint William Skan as my Executor. In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this 10th day of October 1847

Test

Thomas Mayse

Henry J. Wilson

Lewis J. Mann

Angelina S Skiraid

Alleghany County Court December Term 1847

An Instrument of writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of Angelina Skiraid deceased was produced to the Court for probate and was proved by the oath of Lewis Skiraid one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and the same is ordered to be recorded & continued until the next Term for further proof

Test

And. Judge Clk

Alleghany County Court January Term 1848

The last will & Testament of Angelina Skiraid deceased was again produced to the Court for probate, and was further proved by the oath of Thomas Mayse one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and the same is ordered to be recorded. Whereupon William Skan the executor therein named, who appeared in Court refused to take upon himself the burden of the execution thereof, and relinquished his right to John Skiraid. Whereupon the said John Skiraid made oath thereto, and with William Skan his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$1000. Conditioned, as the law directs. Certificate is granted

in the said deceased's estate with her will aforesaid annexed in due form.

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Test

And. Judge Clk

In William Skan a Called Court of Common Pleas, begun and held, in and for the County of Scioto, at the Court House thereof, in Portsmouth on Friday the fourteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty eight. Present Samuel Small, William Satter and Edward Knauston special Judges of said Court.

The last will and Testament of John Williams was this day brought before the Court, and was proved by the oath of Nelson Clark and Edward Hamilton two of the witnesses thereto, whose examination were reduced to writing, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the said John Williams was at the time of executing said will, of full age, of sound mind and memory, and not under any restraint, It is ordered that the said will and proof, so reduced to writing be recorded and then the Court adjourned.

will named, refusing to act as such. Execution on motion
 I ~~John Williams~~ ~~of the County of Scott~~ ~~in the State of Ohio~~
 annexed, he granted to Abigail Williams, and thereupon the
 said Abigail Williams appeared in open Court and gave bond
 with William M. Colton and Lewis C. Barker her sureties to the
 acceptance of the Court in the penalty of fifty dollars, conditioned
 according to law. Testimony so made. In the matter of the
 last will and Testament of John Williams late of Scott County
 Ohio dec'd. Edward Hamilton and Selma Clark being first
 duly sworn in open Court depose and say, that the paper
 wanting now here presented for their inspection, purporting to be
 the last will and Testament of John Williams late of said Scott
 County dec'd. was signed and executed at the time & place date
 by the said John Williams, as and for his last will & Testament
 in their presence, and that the subscribed their names as witnesses
 to said will in the presence of the Testator, and in the
 presence of each other, at his the said Testator's request, and
 further that the said John Williams at the time of executing
 said will, was of full age, of sound mind and memory, and not

being subscribed in open Court before me
 this 11th day of January A.D. 1848.
 J. R. Sumner Clerk

The following is the will by:-
 "In the name of God Amen. I John Williams of
 Portsmouth Ohio being of sound disposing mind & memory
 do make this last will and Testament, hereby revoking
 all others. I give, devise and bequeath unto my wife
 Abigail Williams and to her heirs forever, all my real and
 personal property of every description, which I now own, or
 may hereafter acquire, of which I may die seized, and
 possessed. It is my will that Washington Hurvey be my executor
 and that he shall just pay all my just debts and funeral expenses
 out of my Estate aforesaid. In Testimony whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand this twenty sixth day of March in the
 year one thousand eight hundred and forty five
 signed in our presence and hereby
 attested by us, at the request of
 the Testator
 Selma Clark
 Edward Hamilton

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John Williams

Read & Received January 14th. 1848
 The State of Ohio, Scott County, ss.
 I John R. Sumner Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas
 within and for the County aforesaid, do hereby certify, that the foregoing
 is truly taken, and correctly copied from the records of Wills which
 remains in my office, in said County of Scott.
 In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
 name, and affixed the seal of said Court of
 Common Pleas this 3d day of February A.D. 1848.
 J. R. Sumner Clk
 for Ed. Walker Deputy

I Abigail Williams, Widow of John Williams, late of Scott County
 Ohio dec'd. hereby decline to administer upon that portion of the
 estate of my said late husband, which lies in the State of Virginia
 or is connected with Citizens of that State, and signify my preference
 for Peter Byer to be appointed for that purpose.
 Portsmouth Feb 7th 1848.
 Abigail Williams.

An Instrument of Writing purporting to be an authentic
 Copy of the last will and Testament of John Williams late of
 County of Scott, in the State of Ohio, was this day presented to the
 Court for record. and it appearing by the Certificate of the Clerk
 under the seal of the Court of Common Pleas for the said County
 that the said will, has been duly admitted to record in said Court
 and it further appearing by the Certificate of Abigail Williams
 the sole Legatee in said will, that she relinquished all her right to
 the administration of said Estate, which lies within the State
 of Virginia in favor of Peter Byer. Whereupon the said will is
 ordered to be recorded. Whereupon the said Peter Byer made
 oath thereof, and with Robert Shaw, Andrew S. Shick, James Buck
 William Shaw, Samuel C. Shick & James M. Montague his associates
 entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$5000
 conditioned as the laws demand, Certificate is granted the said
 Peter Byer for obtaining a probat of said will in due form.
 Wm. J. Judge Clk