

Schley County Court of Ordinary

1862

to appear.

Schley County } This the 13th day of August, A.D. 1861

I Nathaniel Butler of said State & County
deeming it right & proper as respects my self & relations
that I should make a disposition of the property with
which a kind providence has blessed me do hereby re-
make this my last will & testament.

Item the 1st I declare that my body has been in a
decayed & weakened manner suitable to my
circumstances & could be in nothing, my soul I trust
shall return to God, who gave it, as I hope for
eternal salvation through the merits & atonement
of our Lord & our our Lord Jesus Christ.

Item the 2nd I declare that my just debts be paid
without delay and in full for the benefit of my appointed,
as I am indebted to creditors I have to be delayed, I
have to be as there is no remedy for delay.

Item 3rd I give bequeath, devise to my aged mother
Nelly Butler and to my son a Butler all my entire
estate consisting in what is now, an equal division
to be made by my executor when he shall be
shown - some cash I can make, upon & see
I & father my executor of this my last will &
testament, this August 13th 1861.

- N. Butler

signed, read, declared and pronounced by Nathaniel
Butler as his last will & testament, in presence of,
his the subscribers & his executor, our names
herein in the presence of said Testator at his special
request, and of each other
August 13th 1861.

John T. Hunt
James C. Kennedy
W. R. Singleton

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In Chambers Court of Ordinary
4th December 1861.

Came into Court T. R. Doughton & J. C. Lounsbury who being duly sworn depose that they saw Emerson Miller sign & publish the within and his last will & testament, whilst of sound & disposing mind, That they submitted the same at his request and in his presence and the same was executed by him voluntarily on the day it purports to have been executed that they saw John T. Hunt the other subscribing witness to said will sign the same in the presence of the testator & of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed
before me the 4th Decr 1861
= Wm. H. Hunt
Ordinary

Sam. & J. C. Lounsbury
T. R. Doughton

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Schley County, } Court of Ordinary for said County.
January Term 1862.

Personally appearing in open Court this day Erastus T. Miller Executor of the last will & testament of Emerson Miller late of said County deceased, and produced before Wm. H. Hunt the ordinary of said County in open Court the last will & testament of said Emerson Miller deceased, and the witnesses to said will to wit, George T. McEluffey and James M. Henry being two of the witnesses which witnesses being duly sworn depose & say that they saw Emerson Miller the testator sign and declare & publish the instrument now presenting as his last will & testament, freely voluntarily and of his own accord and without any compulsion or influence whatever, that, at the time of the execution of said will said testator was of sound & disposing mind & memory that deponent signed said will as witnesses in the presence of the testator and at his special instance & request and in the presence of each other & that Wm. H. Hunt & Leander T. Moxley did likewise sworn to & subscribed in open Court. George T. McEluffey