

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, William Cathcart of the City of Philadelphia, M. D., being weak and infirm in Body, but of sound mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made.

Imprimis. It is my Will that my funeral expenses & Doctors Bills shall be first paid and that all my just debts to whomsoever due shall be duly and punctually paid by my Executor as soon as conveniently may be after my decease.

Item. It is my Will that my Brother in Law George Latimer, Esquire, be and I do hereby nominate and appoint him to be my Sole Executor, hereby authorizing, directing and empowering him to Grant, Bargain and sell any part or parts of my Estate, whether mixed, real or personal, be the same Situate in the States of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Virginia, North Carolina or elsewhere and to make good and sufficient Titles in the Law therefor to any Purchaser or Purchasers of the same.

Item. It is my Will (After the Debts aforesaid are duly paid and discharged) and I do hereby bequeath and devise Three fourths undivided parts of all the remainder or residue of my Estate wheresoever or whatsoever to my dearly beloved Son, Howard Latimer, to have, her heirs and assigns forever, and the remaining fourth part of my Estate I bequeath and devise to my dear & Beloved Daughter, Elizabeth Poirer, wife of James Poirer Esquire of Franklin County and Daughter of my dear deceased Son Elizabeth Poirer to her the said Elizabeth Poirer, her heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my Hand and Seal this twentieth Day of September in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and five, 1805.

Wm Cathcart Seal

Signed Sealed declared and published as the Last Will and Testament of the said William Cathcart in the presence of us the subscribing Witnesses.

The Doctors right arm being disordered he could not therefore make his Signature but made the above mark in our Presence.

Francis Johnston
Wm Clark

Publ'd July 2nd 1806. I am personally appeared Francis Johnston and William Clark the Witnesses to the foregoing Will and on oath depose and say that they saw & heard William Cathcart the Testator make his mark Seal publish and declare the same as and for his last Will and Testament and that at the doing thereof he was of sound mind memory and understanding to the best of their knowledge & belief.

Coram

3rd William Clark, Sec. Reg. Seal

The Ex^r sworn same day.

Philadelphia City and County, P.

By the Senor of these Presents I Charles Swift, Esquire Register for the Probate of Wills and Granting Letters of Administration in and for the City and County of Philadelphia, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Do make known unto all Men, that on the day of the Date hereof at Philadelphia before me was proved and approved the last Will and Testament of William Cathcart deceased a true copy whereof is to these presents annexed having whist he lived and at the time of his Death Divers 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 to me are manifestly known to be true and that Administration of all and singular the Goods, Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said Deceased any day concerning his last Will and Testament was committed to George Latimer, Esquire, Sole Executor, in the said Testament named, he having first boundly sworn well 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 Registers Office at Philadelphia on or before the second day of August next and to render a true and just Account, Calculation and Reckoning of the said Administration on or before the second day of July One thousand Eight hundred and seven, or when lawfully required.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of Office at Philadelphia the second day of July, in the Year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and six.

Charles Swift, Register.

City and County of Philadelphia, P.

I certify the above & within writing & printing is a true copy of the original Last Will & Testament & probate thereof of William Cathcart, deceased, on file & remaining on record in the Registers Office at Philadelphia, and of the original Letters Testamentary thereon, Granted unto George Latimer the Sole Executor named in the said & having first been duly sworn on the second day of July, A. D. 1806, and that the said Letters Testamentary remain & continue in full force and effect.

Given under my hand and seal of office this fifth day of March, Anno Domini, 1827.

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