

Wills ordered to be recorded

Last will & Testament,
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand this
 23rd day of April 1878
 L. Gerolle
 J. M. Yost
 Jacob C. Smith

Proven in open Court by L. Gerolle one of subscribing
 witnesses on oath May 6th 1878 and by oath of J. M. Yost
 the other subscribing witness in open Court May 7th 1878 and
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Codicil to my former will

I further will to my wife Sarah Smith the present and I know
 one of the best horse waggons for her to take with
 one pair of good enough farming implements to farm the
 lot such as plows hoes &c all that will be necessary to
 farm the same I want her to have what cooking utensils
 she wants and the store all these things to remain with
 the house when she is done with them I do not wish my
 executors Edwin and Frank Smith my sons to give account as
 such this the 25th day of April 1878
 L. Gerolle
 J. M. Yost
 J. C. Smith

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The Last will & Testament of
 George W. of Ford Hill
 State of New York Sullivan County
 Being a firm believer in the Christian religion and knowing
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 infirmities that I cannot by the laws of nature survive a
 great length of time and being of sound and disposing mind
 and qualified to dispose and arrange my various transac-
 tions so far as my worldly effects are concerned by making
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In the County Court Sullivan County New York

First I will that all my just debts be paid after my decease
 as soon as practicable out of my effects on hand
 second that my home place on which I now live containing by
 survey and estimate in several tracts Considered three hundred
 and thirty two acres of land and that the said boundary be
 divided in the following manner
 I bequeath to my son William G. Wolford two hundred
 and thirty two acres of land on the north east end of said
 tract including the house and barn or so much as may remain
 at my decease

said tract of land is devised to said William upon the fol-
 lowing conditions and expectations

Said William is hereby obligated to support and provide for in
 a comfortable and reasonable manner his father and mother
 during their natural lives bearing the expense and labor atten-
 dant thereto during their declining years giving to each a decent
 and respectable interment

I will and ordain that all my personally owned consisting of
 farming utensils, stock of all kinds, Carpenter's shop tools
 Household & kitchen furniture & utensils now on hand and or
 may be accumulated in future remain for common use of the
 said persons, or in other words my son William the Devisor
 and wife during their natural lives or the lives of said two
 parents and at the decease of said parents my executor shall
 sell said personally or so much of it as shall remain and
 distribute as may hereafter be provided

It should it be considered that the Devisor and wife may at
 any time distribute the said personally or any part of it or
 sell the same and distribute the proceeds or so much of it as
 in their judgment may seem best for their own interest and the
 interest of the heirs so as to prevent trouble and waste said
 distribution is at the option of said two parents and in
 case said testator does not survive his consent that he will
 have the power to make said distribution

I will that my daughter Sarah Leunker have one
 thousand dollars of my estate of this said three hundred
 dollars have been paid heretofore or at the time of her mar-
 riage. The testator now holds a note on the said Sarah for
 the sum of \$500⁰⁰ Five hundred and thirty eight Dollars
 dated May 26th 1859 with a credit thereon of \$50⁰⁰ Five hundred

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and fifty Dollars in Confederate money dated November 19th 1863 which credit as above stated I value at one hundred dollars in par money and which I consider a fair equivalent also one other note for the sum of fifty dollars dated Oct 20 1862 upon which there is no credit at this date

I hold one other note upon facts for the sum of (1800⁰⁰) Thirty Dollars dated on the 20th day of October being three hundred and seventy one.

I direct that my Executor turn over to Justis S. Simmer the the aforesaid note and he the Executor pay him the sum of seventy Dollars in current money.

6th I will to my daughter Catherine Barger one Thousand Dollars Three Hundred of this sum has been already discharged; and since said sum was paid the further sum of forty Dollars has been paid.

7th I will and bequeath to my daughter Anne the sum of (300⁰⁰) Three Hundred Dollars which was discharged at the time of her first marriage.

And I farther will that she have one hundred acres of the 332 acre tract to be located on the south side of the place so as to include the house at the upper end of the meadow and which I value at two dollars per acre to one thousand dollars in current money.

Anne is to pay to Amaline Barger and Sarah G. Simmer the sum of One Hundred Dollars each in current money, thus making the sum of (1100⁰⁰) eleven hundred dollars to each three daughters.

Anne is to pay during the life time of a Deleator and wife, one third grain rental of said one hundred acres of the said parcella and it and should be proper to treat it.

8th Of my notes and accounts now on hand and in every way due me at this date amounting to the sum of One hundred Dollars or perhaps more, I may collect and use for the benefit of my family.

That should any part of said amount mentioned be uncollected at the decease of the Parents I direct that my Executor collect the said amount or residue and use it in the discharge of the residues that may be due of any to the heirs now living in the foregoing bequests.

9th I will and bequeath to my son William my Secretary

In the County Court Sullivan County

for his own use as well as his mother who is to use the same as she has heretofore done and at her death here to be the sole owner and preserve it as a family memorial.

10th I direct that, after the decease of the parents the property on hand mentioned and described in section 3 of this Instrument or so much of it as may remain or may in the meantime be appropriated or distributed by the parents in their lifetime shall be sold by my Executor and the proceeds equally divided between my four children or their heirs at law.

11th I hereby ordain and appoint my son William G. Wolford my Executor in all things pertaining to this my last will and testament and hereby revoking all former wills by me made in testimony whereof I have this day signed my name and affixed my seal being the thirtieth day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and seventy eight

in presence of the undersigned witnesses

W. M. Wolford

R. T. Pickle

George Wolford (seal)

Proven in open Court by oaths of W. M. Wolford R. T. Pickle. July 1st 1878 & ordered to be recorded. Vol. A. 100. 11. 18.

The Last will of Rebecca Wolford admitted to probate September term 1878

Rebecca Wolford In the name of God amen,
I Rebecca Wolford now residing on Rose Hill, Colquhoun, Muscogee County, State of Georgia being of sound mind and good bodily health do hereby make this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows. First I recommend my soul to Almighty God my body to be planted & cordly dressed & kept five days before burying. I thus give and bequeath five dollars to my son John now living in Kentucky, so my daughter may maintain all my wearing apparel, furniture & carriage with all arrears of any in England and of any arrears of Alimony in Louisiana Kentucky, and any other property I may be entitled to not subject to this or any other husband's control. I nominate my daughter Mary Ann willing to be my sole executrix of this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal and publish and decree in the