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SUSSEX COUNTY SURROGATE'S OFFICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROBATE OF THE)
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT)
OF)
WILLIAM MEDAUGH, DECEASED.)

BE it remembered that on the Eleventh day of March A. D. 1908, the Executor named in the last Will and Testament of William Medaugh, late of the Township of Wantage, in the County of Sussex, deceased, appeared before the Surrogate of the County of Sussex, and made application to have the said Will proved; and on such application said Surrogate adjudged the said Will to be a valid Will, and the proof thereof to be sufficient, which said last Will and Testament, and the proof thereof, are as follows, that is to say:

I, William Medaugh, of the township of Wantage, in the County of Sussex and State of New Jersey, make and declare this writing to be my last will and testament in manner following that is to say:

First. I order and direct that my just debts and funeral expenses shall be paid.

Second. I give and bequeath to each of my daughters Minnie A. Medaugh and Alice Medaugh the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Third. I give and bequeath to my wife one third of my personal property and one third of the net income of my real estate.

Fourth. If my wife, and my daughters who may be living at home at the time of my death, do not wish to live upon the farm and so notify my executor, then and in that case I direct that the said farm shall be sold at public or private sale as my executor shall think best, and so much of the net proceeds of the sale as may be necessary for the purpose shall be used to purchase a home for my wife and daughters, and shall be held for their use during the lifetime of my wife, and after her death the said home shall be sold, and the proceeds of such sale shall be divided among my children equally.

Fifth. I direct that if my wife and daughters do not wish to reside upon my farm it shall not be rented but shall be sold as directed in the fourth paragraph.

Sixth: All my estate after the payment of the legacies to my daughters, and the provisions for my wife I give, devise and bequeath to my children to be equally divided among them. If any of my children contest this will, such child shall receive no part of my estate, but his, her, or their share shall fall into the residue of my estate and be equally divided among my other children.

Seventh. I constitute and appoint my son Mead Medaugh Executor of this will and empower him to sell and convey any and all real estate as hereinbefore directed.

In Witness Whereof I have hereto affixed my hand the twenty fifth day of April Nineteen Hundred and three.

W M. M E D A U G H.

Signed, published and declared by the said William Medaugh to be his last will and testament in our presence, both being present at the same time, and we at his request, in his presence and in presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses.

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ANNA A. MEDAUGH - SISTER
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MARY C. BERMER - SISTER

SURREX COUNTY, SS.

ANNA A. MEDAUGH, one of the witnesses to the annexed writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of William Medaugh, the Testator therein named, deceased, being duly sworn doth depose and say, that she saw the said Testator sign the said annexed writing, and heard him publish and declare the same as and for his last Will and Testament; that at the time of the doing thereof, the said Testator was of sound disposing mind, memory and understanding, as far as this deponent knows, and as she verily believes, that MARY C. BREMER, the other subscribing witness thereto, was present at the same time with this deponent, and together with her subscribed her name thereto as witness in the presence of the Testator and of each other, and at the request of the Testator and that the said Testator departed this life on the Fourth day of February A. D. 1908, according to the best of this deponent's information and belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Newton,)
this 11th day of March A. D., 1908.)

ANNA A. MEDAUGH

JACOB M. DEMAREST, Surrogate.

SUSSEX COUNTY, SS.

MEAD MEDAUGH, the Executor in the annexed writing named, being duly sworn doth depose and say, that the said annexed writing contains the true last Will and Testament of William Medaugh, the Testator therein named, deceased, as far as he knows, and as he verily believes, that he will, as the Executor thereof, well and truly perform the same, first by paying the debts of said deceased, and then the legacies therein specified, as far as the Goods, Chattels and Credits of said deceased will thereunto extend, and the law charges; that he will make and exhibit into the Surrogate's Office of the County of Sussex, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the said Goods, Chattels and Credits, as far as the same have or shall come to his possession or knowledge, or to the possession of any other person or persons to his use to his knowledge; and that he will well and truly account when thereunto lawfully required.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Newton,)
this 11th day of March A. D., 1908.)

MEAD MEDAUGH.

JACOB M. DEMAREST, Surrogate.

SUSSEX COUNTY SURROGATE'S OFFICE.

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ORDER FOR PROBATE.

Application having been made to me by Mead Medaugh for probate of the last will of William Medaugh, deceased, and letters testamentary thereon, and the deposition of one of the subscribing witnesses to the same having been duly taken, and it appearing to me upon such proof that the will produced was duly executed according to law, and that more than ten days have elapsed since the death of the testator, it is ordered and adjudged that the said will be and the same is hereby established as the last will and testament of the said deceased, and

that the same shall be and is admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon.

D a t e d March 11th A. D. 1908.

J A C O B M. D E M A R E S T, Surrogate.

S T A T E O F N E W J E R S E Y.

S U S S E X C O U N T Y S U R R O G A T E ' S O F F I C E.

I, J A C O B M. D E M A R E S T, Surrogate of the County of Sussex, do certify the annexed to be a true copy of the last Will and Testament of William Medaugh, late of the County of Sussex, deceased, and that Mead Medaugh, the Executor therein ^{named} proved the same before me, and is duly authorized to take upon himself the administration of the Estate of the Testator agreeably to the said Will.

(Official Seal)

Witness my Hand and Seal of Office the Eleventh day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

J A C O B M. D E M A R E S T.

Filed March 11, 1908, and recorded by J A C O B M. D E M A R E S T, Surrogate.

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J A N E D R A K E, D E C E A S E D.)

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the Sixteenth day of March A. D. 1908, the Executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Jane Drake, late of the Borough of Branchville, in the County of Sussex, deceased, appeared before the Surrogate of the County of Sussex, and made application to have the said Will proved; and on such application said Surrogate adjudged the said Will to be a valid Will, and the proof thereof to be sufficient, which said last Will and Testament, and the proof thereof, are as follows, that is to say:

I, Jane Drake of the Borough of Branchville, in the County of Sussex and State of New Jersey do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner following, to wit.

First. I order and direct my executor hereinafter named to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon as he conveniently can after my decease.

Second. I further order and direct my executor to purchase and have erected on my burial plot in the Branchville Cemetery where my husband is buried a granite monument that shall cost a sum not less than two hundred dollars (\$200.00) and that he shall have inscribed thereon the date of my death and age also the name of my husband Isaac H. Drake and the date of his death and age.