

On Oath that the Estate real and personal of the said Jordan Spring, does not amount in Value the Sum of Two Thousand dollars. ~
Teste.

Edwards, Cg

In the Name of God amen. I Owen Myrick of the County of Southampton and Parish of Netterway do Make and Order this my last Will and Testament in Manuscript and found to wit: 1st. I Give the whole of my Interest in my Sister Mary Miller's Estate after paying all of my Just Debts to my Beloved daughter Martha A. Simmons the wife of Thos. Simmons to her and her heirs forever. 2^d. I Give the Ballance of my Estate of what Nature or kind soever to my said Daughter Martha A. Simmons to her and her heirs forever and 3^d. I do hereby Nominat and appoint my Friend Thos. Simmons my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby Making void all other Wills heretofore Made by me in witness my hand and Seal this 20th day of October 1858. ~
Signed Seal'd Publish'd and declar'd by the Testator as his last Will and Testament In Presence of }
James H. Bell }
James E. Linton }
Epho Linton }

Owen Myrick (Seal)

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Southampton on Tuesday November the 12th 1857. ~
Thomas Simmons & Martha his wife

Plffs:

against }
James R. Scarborough Guardian ad litem to Mary Scarborough his wife formerly Mary Myrick, Nathaniel Myrick, Thomas Myrick, Solomon Myrick and Virginia Myrick. }
Infants and parties interest'd in the partab of the said will, James R. Scarborough }
husband as aforesaid of the said Mary Scarborough, Henry L. Myrick, Lewis A }
Holt formerly Myrick and Elisha Chant and Mary his wife formerly Myrick. }
This day Came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a jury to wit: Calvin Scarborough, Hewitt Beane, W^m H. Watkins, Richard A. Brister, Arington Gardner, W^m E. Horrell, John H. Griffin, W^m H. Stephenson, Mills R. Edwards, Lewis Manry, J. D. Pablow, Rufus E. Gardner, who being elected heard and sworn the Court to Speak upon the issues join'd, upon their Oath, returned a Verdict in the following words to wit: "We the Jury find the paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Owen Myrick, bearing date October 20th 1858, is the true last Will and Testament of said Owen Myrick, ~ Thereford it is Consider'd by the Court that the writing aforesaid bearing date the 20th day of October 1858, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Owen Myrick deceased, be record'd as and for the true last Will and Testament of the said Owen Myrick deceased. ~
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