

said trust and has given Bond to exhibit an Inventory of said Estate into the Probate Office in said County within three Months and to render an Account (upon oath) of his proceedings when thereunto lawfully required.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of Office the Day & Year above written.

Math^r Prime J. Prob.

Exekutor Jos^{ph} Mitten

In the Name of God Amen.

I, Exekutor Jos^{ph} of Mendon in the County of Worcester, Yeoman, being advanced in years weak in Body, but of sound Mind and Memory, do this Twenty fourth day of June Anno Domini One thousand eight hundred and fifteen, make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner following. That is to say: First I do, I give my Body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereafter named, and my Soul to God who gave it.

I give unto my beloved Wife all my household goods to be at her disposal. I also give unto my beloved Wife the use and improvement of all my Real Estate during her life, or while she remains my Widow, and also the use of one cow during said term.

I give unto my beloved Son Henry Jos^{ph}, who I hereby constitute and appoint my sole Executor all my Real and Personal Estate of every description, except what I have given to my beloved Wife to enable him to pay my just debts, funeral charges and the Legacies hereafter named.

I give unto my beloved Son Daniel Jos^{ph}, the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Son Exekutor Jos^{ph}, the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Son Enoch Jos^{ph}, the sum of Five Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Son William Jos^{ph}, the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Daughter Eunice French the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Daughter Priscilla Sab. the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto my beloved Daughter Hannah French the sum of One hundred Dollars.

I give unto the Heirs of my late beloved Daughters Eliza^W & Mary^W deceased, the sum of One hundred Dollars, to be equally divided among them. Each of the above sums to be paid by my said Executor to the above named Legacies at the expiration of one year after my decease.

Lastly - If my beloved Wife should not need all the rents and profits of my Real Estate for her support the residue is to belong to my said Executor.

In Testimony whereof, I do hereunto set my hand and seal, the Day and Year above written.

Exekutor Jos^{ph} (S.D.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Exekutor Jos^{ph}, as and for his last Will & Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence hereunto set our names as Witnesses to the same.

Elisha Hayward.

Stephen Woods.

Joseph Adams.

Worcester. To all People to whom this Present shall come, Math^r Prime, Esq^r Judge of the Probate of Wills in the County of Worcester, within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, sendeth

Greeting. Know ye that on the third day of July Anno Domini 1821 the Instrument hereunto annexed purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Exekutor Jos^{ph} late of Mendon in the County of Worcester, deceased, was presented for Probate by Henry Jos^{ph} the Executor therein named; then present Joseph Adams Esq^r one of the Witnesses thereto subscribed who made oath that he saw the said Testator sign and seal & hear him declare the said Instrument to be his last Will and Testament and that he with Elisha Hayward and Stephen Woods, subscribed their names together as Witnesses to the Execution thereof in the said Testator's presence; and that he was then (to the best of the said judgment) of sound and disposing mind.

I do therefore Do, Approve and Allow of the said Instrument as the last Will & Testament of the above named Deceased, & commit the Administration thereof in all matters the same concerning, and of his Estate whereof he died seized and possessed in said Commonwealth, unto Henry Jos^{ph} the before named Executor well and faithfully to execute the said Will and to administer the Estate of the said Deceased according thereto; who accepted said bequest & gave