

To my beloved wife, Lydia L. Davis, all the estate of which I shall die seized & possessed, whether real, personal or mixed, of whatever name or nature, or wherever the same may be situated, or to which I shall be entitled at the time of my decease, to her absolutely to be at her free use & disposal. And I hereby nominate my said wife, to be the executrix of this, my will, and it is my desire, that she shall be exempt, from giving the bonds in such cases required.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand, and in the presence of three witnesses, declare this to be my last will, this day of January 1890.

James R. Davis.

On this 19th day of February, 1890, James R. Davis, of Mendon, Massachusetts, signed the foregoing instrument, in our presence, declaring it to be his last will, and as witnesses hereof, we three do now, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, hereto subscribe our names.

Edward S. Wither.

Joseph Bates.

Wesley Hackell.

A true record.

Attest: *J. W. Southwick*, Register.

Case 12511. *Facet Hackell*

I, Facet Hackell of Fitchburg, in the County of Worcester, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills, by me heretofore made.

All of my property, of every nature and description, real, personal or mixed, of which I shall die seized, in possession, or the owner, I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved wife, Mary F. Hackell, to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

To my three children, Anna F. Hackell, Lizzie H. Hackell, and Albert B. Hackell, I give nothing. I nominate and appoint my said son Albert B. Hackell, as executor of this will, and request that he be exempt from furnishing a surety or sureties on his bond.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal, this twenty fifth day of April, A. D. 1891. *Facet Hackell* Seal.

Signed, read, published and declared by the said Facet Hackell as and for his last will, in the presence of us, who, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, hereto signed our names as witnesses hereof.

Charles J. Crocker, Jr. Josephine Raymond, Harriem Bailey.

A true record. Attest: *J. W. Southwick*, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

WORCESTER, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To *James W. Carruth, John C. Carruth & Edwin W. Giddard*

GREETING:

YOU are hereby appointed to appraise, on oath, the estate and effects of *James W. Carruth* late of *Worcester* in said County of Worcester, deceased, which may be in said County. When you have performed that service, you will deliver this order, with your doings in pursuance thereof, to *Frank H. Carruth* the *administrator* of the *estate* of said deceased, that he may return the same to the Probate Court for said County of Worcester.

Given under my hand, this *twentieth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*nine*.

WORCESTER, ss. *James E. Hodge* Justice of the Peace. *September 22* A. D. 1891. Then the above-named

personally appeared and made oath that they would faithfully discharge the trust reposed in them by the foregoing order.

Pursuant to the foregoing order, we have appraised the estate, as follows, to wit:

Amount of Real Estate, as per Schedule exhibited, \$ *none*
Amount of Personal Estate, as per Schedule exhibited, \$ *438.00*

J. W. Carruth
John C. Carruth
Edwin W. Giddard Appraisers.

OATH OF EXECUTOR OR ADMINISTRATOR.

WORCESTER, ss.

October 20 A. D. 1891. Then personally appeared

Frank H. Carruth the *administrator* of the *estate* of *James W. Carruth* deceased, which has come to *his* possession or knowledge.

Before me, *James E. Hodge* Justice of the Peace.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

WORCESTER, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To *Geo. H. Mellen, William C. Fowler and Mrs. M. Gardner* all of said County and County of Worcester

GREETING:

YOU are hereby appointed to appraise, on oath, the estate and effects of *Sarah A. Putnam* late of *Worcester* in said County of Worcester, deceased, which may be in said County. When you have performed that service, you will deliver this order, with your doings in pursuance thereof, to *William C. Gardner* the *administrator* of the *estate* of said deceased, that he may return the same to the Probate Court for said County of Worcester.

Given under my hand, this *twentieth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-*one*.

WORCESTER, ss. *Geo. H. Mellen, William C. Fowler and Mrs. M. Gardner* Justice of the Peace. *Oct. 21* A. D. 1891. Then the above-named

personally appeared and made oath that they would faithfully discharge the trust reposed in them by the foregoing order.

Pursuant to the foregoing order, we have appraised the estate as follows, to wit:

Amount of Real Estate, as per Schedule exhibited, \$ *9711.52*
Amount of Personal Estate, as per Schedule exhibited, \$ *9711.52*

George H. Mellen
William Everett Fowler
Mirick M. Gardner Appraisers.

OATH OF EXECUTOR OR ADMINISTRATOR.

WORCESTER, ss.

Oct. 23 A. D. 1891. Then personally appeared

William C. Gardner the *administrator* of the *estate* of *Sarah A. Putnam* deceased, which has come to *his* possession or knowledge.

Before me, *Geo. H. Mellen* Justice of the Peace.

A true record, Attest: *J. W. Southwick*, Register.