

I, Wendell B. Paylor of the County of Sebec, in the State of Maine, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament.

1. I give and bequeath to each of my two daughters, Lucinda Paylor and Elizabeth Paylor, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

2. I give and bequeath to each of my three sons, George H. Paylor, Paul Paylor and Martin L. Paylor, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

3. All of the above bequests, I desire and order to be paid out of the money due my beneficiaries at my death from the Home Life Association of Burlington, Iowa, and give and bequeath the remainder of the said sum due my beneficiaries from the said Home Life Association of Burlington, Iowa to my wife, Elizabeth Paylor.

4. I desire and order that the bequests to my wife and two daughters, as aforesaid, be paid to them as soon as the said money is collected from the said Home Life Association, and that the said bequests to my three sons as aforesaid, be kept on interest until they arrive at the age of eighteen years, when the same shall be paid to them.

5. I further give and bequeath to my wife, Elizabeth Paylor, all of my personal property, including notes, accounts and money on hand at my death, not heretofore disposed of.

6. I further give and devise to my wife, Elizabeth Paylor, all of my real estate situated in the County of Sebec and State of Maine, to have and to hold to her during such time as she shall remain my widow or in case she never marries again then during her natural life.

7. I further give and devise to my three sons, George H. Paylor, Paul Paylor and Martin L. Paylor, their heirs and assigns all of the above named real estate after the expiration of my said wife's interest as aforesaid, to have and to hold to them, their heirs and assigns forever.

8. Provided, that should my wife, Elizabeth Paylor, wish, at any time during her life, to sell the said real estate mentioned in items 6 and 7, she shall have full power and authority to do so, and her deed of conveyance shall constitute a good and complete title to the same, and the proceeds of such sale shall be equally divided between her and my

there come upon me, or shall, she marry again and cease to be my widow; then she and my wife and I should have equal shares in the said Real Estate and the same shall be sold and the proceeds divided accordingly.

9. I hereby appoint H. W. Anderson Executor of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made - In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, this first day of February A. D. 1886.

Merideth B. ^{his} ~~mark~~ Paylor

The foregoing instrument was signed and declared by the above named Merideth B. Paylor, to be his last will and testament in the presence of me, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto. Henry Boone of Union Star, Mo, P. M. Anderson of Union Star, Mo,

State of Missouri
County of Jackson

In the Probate Court

I, J. H. Williams, Judge of the Probate Court of Jackson County, State of Missouri, having examined the foregoing instrument purporting to be the last will of Merideth B. Paylor, deceased and signed by Merideth B. Paylor by him making his mark to the same and having heard the testimony of Henry Boone and P. M. Anderson subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same, do declare and adjudge said instrument to be the Last Will and Testament of the said Merideth B. Paylor, deceased, late of Jackson County, Missouri.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at office in Mayesville, this 7th day of April 1886

J. H. Williams

Judge of Probate Court

State of Missouri
County of Jackson

In the Probate Court

Be it Remembered that on this, the 7th day of April A. D. 1886 before me, J. H. Williams, Judge of the Probate Court held in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Henry Boone and P. M. Anderson who are the subscribing witnesses to the annexed Will of Merideth B. Paylor, deceased, and being by me first duly sworn

depon and say that the said Meredith B. Paylor, the testator
 subscribed the same in their presence by making his mark
 and published and declared said will or instrument of
 writing to be his last will and testament, and that at the
 time of signing the same he the said testator, was of sound
 and disposing mind and more than twenty-one years of
 age, and that said deponents attested said will as witnesses
 thereto, by subscribing their names to the same in the pres-
 ence of the testator and of each other, and at the request of the
 said testator

Harro Boone

Paul M. Hudson

known to and subscribed before me, J. H. Williams, Judge
 of the Probate Court, this 7th day of April, A. D. 1886

(Seal)

J. H. Williams
 Judge of Probate