

to be cited or who are interested in this proceeding requiring them and each of them to attend the probate of said paper writing before the Surrogate at a Surrogate's Court held at the Surrogate's Office in the Village of White Plains on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1913, and it appearing that all the persons interested in said estate were not cited, a supplemental citation was duly issued returnable on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1913, and said supplemental citation having been returned, and it appearing that all the persons to whom said citation and said supplemental citation were directed have been duly served with the same; or have duly appeared herein by Attorney, or have duly waived the service hereof, and consented to such probate; and no other parties or persons having appeared in this proceeding and after hearing the proofs and allegations in support of the probate of said paper writing and due deliberation being had thereon and the probate not having been contested, on motion of the said proponent,

It is Adjudged and Decreed, That the paper writing so propounded as the last Will and Testament of said Lillian L. D. Jones, formerly Lillian Scott, late of the Village of Tarrytown, in said County, was duly executed, that the said testatrix was at the time of executing it in all respects competent to make a Will and was not under restraint.

And it is further Adjudged and Decreed, That said paper writing be admitted to probate as the Will of Lillian L. D. Jones, formerly Lillian Scott, deceased, and valid to pass real and personal property, and the said paper writing and the proofs and examinations taken in this proceeding are hereby ordered to be recorded.

And it is further Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, That upon the persons named in said Will as the Executors thereof appearing and qualifying according to law Letters Testamentary thereupon forthwith issue to them or to such of them as shall so qualify.

Wm. A. Sawyer  
Surrogate.

Surrogate's Court  
Westchester County.  
In the matter of the probate  
of a paper writing propounded  
as the last Will and Testament  
of  
Anthony Yerks,  
Deceased.

I, Anthony Yerks of the Town of North Castle County of Westchester and State of New York do make publish and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner and form as follows—

My will is that all my just debts and funeral expenses shall be paid by my executors hereinafter named out of my estate as soon after my decease as shall be found by them convenient.

I give devise and bequeath to my Wife Louise A. Yerks the use and income of all my real and personal property during her natural life. She however to keep the property in good repair and pay all taxes and interest to which the property may be justly chargeable.

At her — that is to say my said wife's death I give devise and bequeath to my four Children to wit Adeline A. Farrington, Almira Brundage, Mary Yerks and George Yerks the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars each.

I give devise and bequeath unto my four Children above named all the rest residue and remainder of my property to be divided equally between them share and share alike.

And I do nominate and appoint my son George Yerks and my friend James Hopkins to be the executors of this my last will and testament and I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety one.

Anthony Yerks AS

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Anthony Yerks as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Thomas J. Clekerman      Armonk, N. Y.  
Gilbert R. Yerks      " " " "

Surrogate's Court.  
Westchester County.  
In the Matter of Proving  
a Paper Writing Purporting  
to be the Last Will and Testament  
of  
Anthony Yerks,  
Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss.:  
 William K. Haviland being called and examined as a witness  
 in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Armonk, Westchester  
 Co., N. Y. I was well acquainted with Anthony Yerks late of the  
 town of North Castle, in said county, deceased, and with his  
 manner and style of handwriting, having often seen him write,  
 and I verily believe that the signature Anthony Yerks signed to  
 the instrument in writing now produced and shown to this depo-  
 nent, bearing date the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year one thousand  
 eight hundred and ninety one purporting to be the last Will and Tes-  
 tament of said Anthony Yerks late of the town of North Castle, West-  
 Chester County, deceased, is the true and genuine handwriting and  
 signature of the said Anthony Yerks.

Deponent further says that said Anthony Yerks is now dead.  
 Sworn, examined and subscribed } Wm K. Haviland  
 before me this 27 day of May 1913

J. J. Hartnett  
 Deputy Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Surrogate's Court,  
 Westchester County,  
 In the Matter of Proving  
 a Paper Writing Purporting  
 to be the Last Will and Testament  
 of  
 Anthony Yerks,  
 Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss.:  
 William K. Haviland being called and examined as a witness  
 in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Armonk, Westchester  
 Co., N. Y. I was well acquainted with Gilbert R. Yerks late of the  
 town of North Castle in said county, deceased, and with his manner  
 and style of handwriting, having often seen him write, and I verily  
 believe that the signature Gilbert R. Yerks signed to the instrument  
 in writing now produced and shown to this deponent, bearing date  
 the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and  
 ninety one purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Anthony  
 Yerks late of the town of North Castle, Westchester County, deceased.  
 Is the true and genuine handwriting and signature of the said  
 Gilbert R. Yerks.

Deponent further says that the said Gilbert R. Yerks  
 is now dead.  
 Sworn, examined and subscribed } Wm K. Haviland  
 before me this 22 day of May, 1913

J. J. Hartnett  
 Deputy Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Surrogate's Court,  
 Westchester County,  
 In the Matter of Proving  
 a Paper Writing Purporting  
 to be the Last Will and Testament  
 of  
 Anthony Yerks,  
 Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss.:  
 William K. Haviland being called and examined as a witness  
 in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Armonk, West-  
 Chester Co., N. Y. I was well acquainted with Thomas J. Ackerman  
 late of the town of North Castle in said county, de-  
 ceased, and with his manner and style of handwriting, having  
 often seen him write, and I verily believe that the signature  
 Thomas J. Ackerman signed to the instrument in writing now  
 produced and shown to this deponent, bearing date the 28<sup>th</sup>  
 day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred  
 and ninety one purporting to be the last Will and Testament  
 of Anthony Yerks late of the town of North Castle, Westchester  
 County, deceased, is the true and genuine handwriting and  
 signature of the said Thomas J. Ackerman.

Deponent further says that Thomas J. Ackerman  
 is now dead.  
 Sworn, examined and subscribed } Wm K. Haviland  
 before me this 22 day of May 1913

J. J. Hartnett  
 Deputy Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Surrogate's Court,  
 Westchester County,  
 In the Matter of Proving  
 a Paper Writing Purporting  
 to be the Last Will and Testament  
 of  
 Anthony Yerks,  
 Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss.:  
 Charles McDonald being called and examined as a witness  
 in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Armonk, Westchester  
 County, State of New York. I was well acquainted with Thomas  
 J. Ackerman late of the town of Mt. Pleasant in said county,  
 deceased, and with his manner and style of handwriting, hav-  
 ing often seen him write, and I verily believe that the sig-  
 nature Thomas J. Ackerman signed to the instrument in

writing now produced and shown to this deponent, bearing date the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety one purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Anthony Yerks late of the Town of North Castle, Westchester County, deceased, is the true and genuine handwriting and signature of the said Thomas J. Ackerman.

Deponent further says that said Thomas J. Ackerman is now dead.

Sworn, examined and subscribed } Chas. McDonald  
before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1913 }

Wm. A. Sawyer  
Surrogate.

Surrogate's Court,  
Westchester County.

In the Matter of Proving  
a Paper Writing Purporting  
to be the Last Will and Testament

of  
Anthony Yerks.

Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss:

Charles McDonald being called and examined as a witness in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Armonk, Westchester County, State of New York. I was well acquainted with Gilbert R. Yerks late of the Town of Mt. Pleasant in said county, deceased and with his manner and style of handwriting, having often seen him write, and I verily believe that the signature Gilbert R. Yerks signed to the instrument in writing now produced and shown to this deponent, bearing date the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety one purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Anthony Yerks late of the Town of North Castle, Westchester County, deceased, is the true and genuine handwriting and signature of the said Gilbert R. Yerks.

Deponent further says that said Gilbert R. Yerks is now dead.

Sworn, examined and subscribed } Chas. McDonald  
before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1913 }

Wm. A. Sawyer  
Surrogate's Court

At a Surrogate's Court, held in  
and for the County of Westchester,  
at the County Court House, in the  
Town of White Plains on the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
day of May, A. D. 1913

Present,

Hon. William A. Sawyer,

Surrogate.

In the matter of the probate  
of a paper writing propounded  
as the last Will and Testament

of  
Anthony Yerks.

Deceased.

A Petition having been presented by George W. Yerks, the proponent, and duly filed for the probate of a paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Anthony Yerks late of the Town of North Castle in said County, deceased, and it satisfactorily appearing that all the persons required by law to be cited or interested in the proceeding have by their appearance, consent and waiver in writing duly executed and filed waived the issuance and service upon them of a citation in this proceeding and consented to the probate of said paper writing, and after hearing the proofs and allegations in support of the probate of said paper writing and due deliberation being had thereon and the probate not having been contested, on motion of the said proponent

It is Adjudged and Decreed, That the paper writing propounded as the last Will and Testament of said Anthony Yerks, late of the Town of North Castle in said County, was duly executed, that the testator was at the time of executing it in all respects competent to make a Will and was not under restraint.

And it is further Adjudged and Decreed, That said paper writing be admitted to probate as the Will of said Anthony Yerks, deceased, and valid to pass real and personal property and the said paper writing and the proofs and examinations taken in this proceeding are hereby ordered to be recorded.

And it is further Ordered, Adjudged and Decreed, That upon the persons named in said Will as the Executors thereof appearing and qualifying according to law Letters Testamentary thereupon forthwith issue to them or to such of them as shall so qualify.

Wm. A. Sawyer  
Surrogate.

Surrogate's Court,  
Westchester County.  
In the matter of the probate  
of a paper writing purporting  
to be the last Will and Testament

of  
Theresa A. Davis,

Deceased.

I, Theresa Davis, of the Borough of Manhattan,  
City of New York do make, publish and declare this to be my last  
Will and Testament hereby revoking any and all wills by me at  
any time heretofore made.

First, I direct the payment of all my just debts and  
funeral expenses.

Second, I hereby give and bequeath to my Executors  
hereinafter named, or the survivor of them, the sum of Two hun-  
dred (\$200.) dollars in trust that they hold said sum until the  
death of my husband, John R. Davis, and then apply said sum or such  
part thereof as may be necessary toward the payment of the funeral  
expenses of my said husband and then, in their discretion, to pay  
the remainder of said sum, if any, toward or on account of the  
debts, if any, of my said husband or to Carrie A. Gaylor hereinafter  
named. In the event of the death of my husband occurring before  
mine, then the above sum of Two Hundred (\$200.) dollars is to go to  
Carrie A. Gaylor hereinafter named.

Third, I hereby give, devise and bequeath to Carrie A.  
Gaylor now living with me all the rest, residue and remainder of  
my property real and personal of whatever kind or description  
and wherever situated. But, in the event of her death occurring  
before mine, then the property given, devised and bequeathed to  
her I direct to be paid and given over to my brother Jarvis B. Smith.

Fourth, I do hereby nominate and appoint my brothers  
Jarvis B. Smith and Corcoran J. Smith the executors of this my  
last Will and Testament and I hereby authorize and empower  
them to sell and dispose of any and all my real estate in such  
manner as to them may seem best, and to give proper conveyances  
thereof.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and  
seal the Fifth day of August, One thousand nine hundred  
and one.

Theresa A. Davis 

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named  
Theresa Davis as and for her last Will and Testament in the  
presence of us who, at her request, in her presence, and in

the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names  
as witnesses.

Paul Campbell Cloyd No. 208 West 120<sup>th</sup> Street New York City (Borough of Manhattan)  
Sarah Amelia Smith No. 208 West 130<sup>th</sup> Street New York City (Borough of Manhattan)

Surrogate's Court,  
Westchester County.

In the Matter of proving  
a Paper Writing purporting  
to be the Last Will and Testament.

of  
Theresa A. Davis,

Deceased.

State of New York, County of Westchester, ss:  
Paul Campbell Cloyd being called and examined as a witness  
in the above proceeding testifies: I reside at Summit, in  
the State of New Jersey. I was well acquainted with Theresa  
A. Davis late of the City of Mount Vernon in said County, for  
more than 10 years prior to her death. I was present and  
saw the said deceased subscribe her name at the end of the  
paper writing now produced and shown me bearing date 5<sup>th</sup>  
day of August, 1901 and purporting to be the last Will and Tes-  
tament of the said decedent. The said Theresa A. Davis at the  
time of such subscription declared said paper writing to be her  
last Will and Testament and requested me and Sarah Amelia  
Smith the other subscribing witnesses to sign our names as wit-  
nesses thereto. I thereupon signed my name as a witness at  
the end of said paper writing in the presence of said decedent,  
and in the presence of Sarah Amelia Smith the other subscrib-  
ing witness to said paper writing. I saw Sarah Amelia  
Smith at the same time sign her name as witness at the end  
of said paper writing in the presence of said decedent.

Said decedent was at the time of signing  
said paper writing about 70 years of age, was a citizen of  
the United States and impressed me as being a rational  
person of sound mind and memory.

Sworn, examined and subscribed } Paul C. Cloyd  
before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1913

Oscar Le Roy Warren  
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

Surrogate's Court,  
Westchester County.