

name as witnesses to the said Will together with deponents in the presence of the testator

Sworn & Subscribed at Mays Landing this 14th day of April 1855 before me Jos Thompson Surgt.

Nathaniel Stratton

Atlantic County ss } John W Potter one of the witnesses to the within Codicil being duly sworn on his oath & saith that he saw Ambrose Pancost the testator therein named sign and seal the same and heard him publish pronounce and declare the within writing as and for a Codicil to his last will and testament and at the doing thereof the said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory as far as he knows and as he verily believes and that James W Doyle the other subscribing witness was present at the same time and signed his name as witness to the said Codicil together with deponent in the presence of the Testator

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John W Potter

Atlantic County ss } Lewis Mulford sole Executor within named being duly sworn on his oath & saith that the within instrument contains the true last will and testament of Ambrose Pancost the Testator therein named so far as he knows and as he verily believes that he will well and truly perform the same by paying first the debts of the said deceased and then the legacies in said testament specified so far as the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased can thereunto extend and that he will make and exhibit into the prerogative office at Trenton a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased that have or shall come to his knowledge or possession or to the possession of any other person or persons for his use and render a just & true account when thereunto lawfully required

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Lewis Mulford

I Joseph Thompson Surrogate of the County of Atlantic do certify the foregoing record to be a true copy of the last will and testament of Ambrose Pancost late of the County of Atlantic deceased and of the probate thereof and that Lewis Mulford the Executor therein named proved the same before me and is duly authorized to administer the same agreeably to said Will Witness my hand and seal of office this fourteenth day of April in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and fifty five

Jos Thompson Surrogate

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I Gapheth Leeds of the Township of Galloway County of Atlantic and state of New Jersey being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last Will and Testament

- 1st I order all my just debts and funeral expences to be paid
 - 2nd I give and devise unto my loving wife Ruth Leeds the use on income of all my personal property and Real Estate to have and to hold during the term of her natural life except five hundred dollars of the said estate devised unto Allen J Leeds and Lucy Ann Collins
 - 3rd I give and bequeath unto my son Allen J Leeds and unto my daughter Lucy Ann Collins the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid out of my estate and I hereby authorize my executors to sell land to that amount if they shall deem it best so to do and to pay the same to the said Allen J Leeds and Lucy Ann Collins as soon as conveniently can be done to be equally divided between the said Allen J Leeds and Lucy Ann Collins
 - 4th I give and bequeath unto my four children Elizabeth Clement Lucy Ann Collins Martha Leeds and Allen J Leeds all the residue of my estate both personal and Real to be equally divided among them their heirs and assigns forever
 - 6th And lastly I do appoint my loving wife Ruth Leeds and Allen J Leeds my son Executors of this my last Will and Testament
- In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth day of the second month in year of our Lord (Anno Domini) one thousand eight hundred and fifty five
Signed Sealed and acknowledged to be my last Will & Testament in the presence of
William Leeds
Henry G. Moore
Richard S Shourds

Gapheth Leeds Seal

Atlantic County of

William Leeds one of the witnesses to the foregoing will alledging himself conscientiously scrupulous of taking an oath on his solemn affirmation saith that he saw Gapheth Leeds the testator therein named sign and seal the same and heard him publish pronounce and declare the within writing to be his last will and testament and at the doing thereof the said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory as far as this deponent knows and as he verily believes and that Henry G. Moore and Richard Shourds were present at the same time and signed their names as witnesses together with affirmation in the presence of the testator

Affirmed & Subscribed April 17th A.D. 1855 before me

Jos Thompson Surgt.

William Leeds