

Lord One Thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

Gottfried But *Test*

Signed, sealed, Published and Declared, by the said Gottfried But the testator to be his last Will and Testament, in our presence, and in our presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

A. Stephany
Charles Heil

State of New Jersey } ss
County of Atlantic }

Albert C. Stephany, being duly sworn on his oath deposes and says that he is acquainted with the handwriting of A. Stephany one of the witnesses to the last will and testament of Gottfried But, deceased; that he has frequently seen him sign his name; that the said A. Stephany is deceased; that he knew A. Stephany in his lifetime; that the signature of A. Stephany to the last will and testament of Gottfried But, dated the 26th day of February, 1882, as subscribing witness to said will is in the handwriting of said A. Stephany.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 29th day of March, 1909.

George J. Vetter
Deputy Surrogate

On the matter of the probate of the last will and testament of Gottfried But, deceased

Atlantic County Surrogate^{Court} }
Orders for Probate

It appearing from the petition of Catharine Collins, filed herein, that Gottfried But, late of the Township of Galloway in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey, died on the 22nd day of February, 1882, and more than ten days ago, having first duly made and executed a paper writing purporting to be his last will and testament, in and by which he appointed Wilhelmine But the executrix thereof; that said Wilhelmine But departed this life on the 17th day of February, 1899, without taking upon herself the burden of administration or admitting the will to probate, and the Surrogate having given notice to the next of kin, inquired into the circumstances taken proof, and being satisfied of the genuineness of the will produced, the validity of its execution, and the competency of the testator, and for cause against the probate of said will having been filed and the said Charles East being in my judgment a fit person to administer the estate of the said testator,

It is on this twenty-second day of July, 1909, adjudged that the instrument, offered for probate in this matter is the last will and testament of Gottfried But, deceased, and the same is hereby admitted to probate, and it is ordered that letters of Administration with the Will Annexed be issued thereon to the said Charles East upon the giving by him of a bond as required by law.

Emmanuel C. Shaner
Surrogate

State of New Jersey } ss
County of Atlantic }

To All Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:
Whereas Gottfried But late of Galloway Township in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey, died, having made and executed a last will and testament which has been duly proved according to law before the Surrogate of the said County of Atlantic; and

Whereas, the said testator, appointed Wilhelmine But executrix thereof, who failed to take upon herself the burden of administration and departed this life on February 17, 1899, without admitting the said will to probate.

Therefore, Emmanuel C. Shaner, Surrogate of the said County of Atlantic, do in the place and stead of the said Wilhelmine But hereby substitute and appoint Charles East administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of the said testator which is duly authorized as such substituted administrator to administer the same agreeably to the said will.

And I do hereby further certify the annexed to be a true copy of the said last will and testament of Gottfried But deceased, as the same is recorded in my office at May Landing, in the County and State aforesaid, in Book "P" of Wills, at page 113 etc.

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In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this Twenty-second day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine

Emmanuel C. Shaner
Surrogate

Passed and recorded July 22nd 1909.
Emmanuel C. Shaner
Surrogate