

Signed published and declared by the said Nathaniel Steelman to be his last will in the presence of us who were present at the same time and subscribed our names as witnesses in the presence of the testator

John Godfrey  
John G. Baker

Nathaniel <sup>his</sup> Steelman Seal  
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Atlantic County ss. John Godfrey one of the witnesses to the within will being duly sworn on his oath saith that he saw Nathaniel Steelman 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 & as he verily believes and that John G. Baker the other subscribing witness was present at the same time and signed his name as witness to the said will together with deponent in the presence of the testator

Sworn & Subscribed at Mays Landing this 12th day of April A.D. 1864 before me  
S. R. Devinney Surgt.

John Godfrey

Atlantic County ss. Elizabeth Steelman, Jeremiah Steelman and James L. Smith the Executors within named being duly sworn on their respective oaths saith that the within Instrument contains the true last will and testament of Nathaniel Steelman the testator within named so far as they know and as they verily believe that they 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 chattels and credits of said deceased can thereunto extend and that they will make and exhibit into the prerogative office at Trenton a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods chattels & credits of said deceased that have or shall come to their knowledge or possession or to the possession of any other person or persons for their use and render a just & true account when thereunto lawfully required.

Sworn & Subscribed at Mays Landing April 12th 1864 before me S. R. Devinney Surgt.

Elizabeth Steelman  
Jeremiah Steelman  
James L. Smith

I Solomon B. Devinney Surrogate of the County of Atlantic do certify the foregoing record to be a true copy of the last will and testament of Nathaniel Steelman late of the County of Atlantic deceased and of the probate thereof and that Elizabeth Steelman, Jeremiah Steelman, and James L. Smith the Executors 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 twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty four.

S. B. Devinney Surgt.

Will of Jacob Godfrey

In the name of God Amen I Jacob Godfrey of Weymouth Township County of Atlantic State of New Jersey being of sound mind memory and understanding for which blessing I thank God do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following that is to say

First It is my last will and I do order that all my just debts and funeral expences be duly paid and satisfied as soon as conveniently can be after my decease

First I give to my wife Emeline all the furniture in and about my house and the choice of two cows and choice of one heifer and one horse and waggons and harness and all of the farmman utensils on my farm the choice of two hogs and a part of the farm where I now dwell and buildings and improvements viz

Starting from the public road leading from Tuckahoe to Carl Ingersolls on the first fence back from the house to a large apple tree in the same back considered a line tree continuen the same course to the John B. Mad den line all of the property to the East of the above described line to my wife Emeline during her lifetime except the cedar growing on or near the run not to be cut for twenty years then I leave the same to Andrew S. Godfrey and my son Burgan Godfrey and my son Andrew S. Godfrey to give my wife Emeline two hundred cedar rails my wife Emeline can cut ten cords of market wood a year off of the same property besides her fire wood also a lot of meadow, the first lot above the Abram Creek the said lot surrounded by a small creek supposed to be seven or eight acres in the same if there should be hay on the place at my deceased my wife Emeline is to have a ruff to winter the horse and cattle also my wife Emeline is to have two hundred dollars cash out of the money I have at interest also