

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the said Esther D. Clark as her last will and testament, in presence of us, who have hereto subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto, at the request of, and in the presence of said testator, and in the presence of each other.

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H. M. Mott
E. H. Beebe
Daniel G. Furman.
State of Vermont.

District of Franklin ss Probate Court.
In Probate Court, holden at the city of St. Albans, within and for said District, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1909.

Present His N. Kelton Judge.
This instrument, purporting to be the last will and testament of Esther D. Clark, late of Swanton, in said District, deceased, comes under consideration agreeably to a previous order of this court, made on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1909, and it appearing that the copies of notice thereon hath been duly copied, with, and no one appearing to object, E. H. Beebe, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same, appearing, made oath that he saw Esther D. Clark, the said testator, sign and seal said instrument, and heard her publish and declare the same to be her last will and testament; that he, was, at the time of executing the same, of sound mind and disposing memory; that he, together with H. M. Mott and D. G. Furman all signed as witnesses to the same, at the same time, at the request of the said Estate and in presence and in presence of each other.

Whereupon, it is considered and adjudged by said court, that said will is duly proved, and the same is approved, allowed and confirmed, as the last will and testament of said deceased.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto affix the seal of said court and subscribe my name at the city of St. Albans, in said District, this 28th day of June, A. D. 1909.

His N. Kelton, Judge.

District of Franklin, ss Probate Court.
I, Halle Kelton, Register of the Probate Court for said District, having by law the custody of the seal and all the records, books, documents and papers of or appertaining to said court, hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true copy of the last will and testament of Esther D. Clark, late of Swanton, in said District, deceased, as allowed by said court, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1909 and of the probate thereof, as appears by the records and files of said Probate Court.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto affix the seal of said court, and subscribe my name at the city of St. Albans, in said District, this 2nd day of August, A. D. 1909.

Halle Kelton, Register

Know all Men by these Presents: That we, Milo W. Barney, of Swanton, in the County of Franklin, as principal, and C. E. Allen and A. E. Carr, of Swanton, as surety and holders and stand jointly, bound and obliged to the Probate Court for the District of Franklin, in the State of Vermont, in the penal sum of Twenty thousand Dollars, without money of the United States, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we, the said Milo W. Barney and C. E. Allen and A. E. Carr, each of Swanton, do jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly, by these presents. Signed with our hands and seals with our seals. Dated at the City of St. Albans

the 28th day of June, A. D. 1909.
The condition of the Above Obligation is such, that if the above Bonded Milo W. Barney, who has been appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Esther D. Clark, late of Swanton, in the County of Franklin, and State of Vermont deceased, shall make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular, the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of said deceased, which have or shall come to the knowledge of the said Milo W. Barney, Executor aforesaid or into the possession of any other person or persons, for him and the same return, or caused to be returned to the Register of the Probate Court, for the District of Franklin, on or before the 28th day of September, next ensuing; and the same and all other goods, chattels or rights, credits and estate of the said deceased, at the time of her death, which at any time after shall come into the possession of the said Milo W. Barney, Executor aforesaid, or into the possession of any other person or persons, for him to well and truly administer according to law, and the same pay and discharge all debts, legacies, probate fees and charges, chargeable thereon, by such dividends thereon as shall be ordered and decreed to be paid by said court; and a true and just account of his administration, return to said Register, on or before the 28th day of June, A. D. 1910, and perform all the orders and decrees of said court by him to be performed in the premises, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise in force.

In presence of
Frank W. French } Milo W. Barney
Carl W. Reed } for C. E. Allen
Sera A. Sipple } A. E. Carr
A true copy of record.

Attest: Halle Kelton Register

Letty Testamentary
States of Vermont, } of the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of
District of Franklin, ss } Franklin, aforesaid:
[S. S.] } So all to whom these Presents shall come.

Know ye, That upon the day of the date hereof, at the City of St. Albans, in said District, the instrument hereunto annexed, purporting to be the last will and testament of Esther D. Clark, late of Swanton, in said District, deceased, who had, while she lived, and at the time of her death, goods, chattels, rights or credits in the District aforesaid, was presented to said court and duly approved. The court, therefore, by virtue of the power and authority, by the laws of this State, approve and allow the said instrument as the last will and testament of the said Esther D. Clark, deceased, and do hereby commit the administration thereof, in every respect concerning the estate of said deceased, to Milo W. Barney, of Swanton, in said District, the Executor named in said will, faithfully to execute the same, and to administer upon all the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of the said Esther D. Clark, deceased, according to law. The said Milo W. Barney, having accepted the trust and given bonds to make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular, the goods, chattels, rights, credits and estate of said deceased, which have or shall come to the possession or knowledge of the said Milo W. Barney, or into the possession of any other person or persons for him and the same return, or caused to be returned to the Register of the Probate Court for the District of Franklin, on or before the 28th day of September, next ensuing, and the same and all other goods, chattels, or rights, credits and estate of the said deceased, at the time of her death, which at any time