

Record of Wills,

and wherever the same may be situated, I give, devise and bequeath, in trust, to my sons, John Laughlin and Michael Laughlin, and I direct that they sell all of my real estate (other than that especially devised to my daughter Alice Judge and to my son Michael Laughlin in fee). They are to convert all of my estate, real and personal, as speedily as they can into money, and to enable them to do so with the least expense possible, I authorize and direct them to make sale of all of my real estate, without making application to, or receiving any order from Court for that purpose.

Upon the sale of my real estate and the conversion of my personal property into money, I direct, after the payment of all my debts, funeral expenses and costs of administration, that the remainder be divided into six equal parts, and my executors are, immediately upon the conversion of said real and personal estate into money, to pay the same in equal parts to my daughters Mary A. Owens, Kate Condon, Lizzie Kane, Alice Judge, and to my sons, Michael Laughlin and John Laughlin. It being my desire and direction that the residue of my estate is to be divided equally between my children above named.

On the event of any of my children dying before me leaving children surviving, then the children of such child is to take the share the parent would take.

I Nominate and appoint as my executors, my sons John Laughlin and Michael Laughlin. Witness my hand this 11th. day of May 1915.

Mary Laughlin.

We, the undersigned, at the request of Mary Laughlin, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses to the foregoing instrument, which she at the time declared to be her last will and testament.

Mrs Joseph Schroer.

Mr Joseph Schroer.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR CLINTON COUNTY.

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

I, Charles J. Reusche, Clerk of the District Court, in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that on the 22nd day of June 1918 the will of Mary Laughlin, deceased, to which this certificate is annexed, which will is dated May 11th., 1915, and Codicil which is dated March 7, 1916, was duly admitted to probate by said Court as and for the last will and testament of said decedent.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 22nd day of June 1918.

(Seal)

Charles J. Reusche Clerk.
By Mabel Reusche Deputy.

* A Codicil to the last will and testament of Mary Laughlin dated May, 11, 1915.

I Mary Laughlin being of sound mind and memory and of full age to make this Codicil to my will made May, 11, 1915 and with this exception I ratify and reform said will. I direct my executor to take out of the legacy I have devised to my daughter Mrs John W. Judge the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and I direct that said Five Hundred Dollars be paid to my son John Laughlin in addition to what I have given him in my last will and testament. Witness my hand this 7th. day of March, 1916. Mary Laughlin.
We at the request of Mary Laughlin and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses to the foregoing instrument which Mary Laughlin declared to be a Codicil to her last will and testament. P. B. Wolfe.
Mrs. Joseph Schroer

Clinton County, Iowa.

No. 6625.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOHN E. WOLFE.

I, John E. Wolfe, of De Witt Clinton County Iowa being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make declare and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all former wills by me made.

I herein direct my executor hereinafter named to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses and costs of administration.

I give and bequeath to my son E. M. Wolfe Three Thousand Dollars and direct my executor to cancel any note or notes I may have against him and to deliver the same to him free of any claim against him as I have already substantially assisted him.

I give and bequeath to my son Anthony Wolfe Ten Thousand Dollars for his own absolutely

I give and bequeath to my son V.M. Wolfe Twelve Thousand Dollars for his own absolutely.

I give and bequeath to my son John Arthur Wolfe Ten Thousand Dollars together with what he has already got from me and direct my executor to cancel any note or notes that he may have given me and deliver the same to him free of any charge.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Celia Wolfe Twelve Thousand Dollars for her own absolutely.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Ellen Hart Eight Thousand Dollars for her own absolutely.

I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret Wolfe the use and occupation of my residence property in De Witt for and during the term of her natural life And all the balance of my personal property of every nature and kind including what is left out of the sale of my farm lands after paying the legacies herein specified.

I herein authorize, direct and empower the executor of this my last will and testament to sell and convey by proper deed of conveyance, without the necessity of giving bond or having the authority or approval of any Court in reference thereto. All of my real estate at any time after the death of my said wife or at any time prior to her death if she shall consent thereto and join in such conveyance preference in buying any of the Real estate shall be given to any of my sons or daughters who desire to buy any of it.

I nominate and appoint as executor of this my last will and testament my son V. M. Wolfe and exempt him from giving any bonds as such executor.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12- day of August 1917.

J. E. Wolfe.

The foregoing instrument was on the 12 day of August 1917 signed and delivered and declared by John E. Wolfe the testator herein named as for and to be his last will and testament and we the undersigned at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other signed our names hereto as attesting witnesses and he signed his name hereto in our presence.

Witness R. B. Wolfe, M Scanlan

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR CLINTON COUNTY.

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

I, Charles J. Reusche, Clerk of the District Court, in and for said County and State do hereby certify that on the 22nd day of April 1918 the will of John E. Wolfe, deceased, to which this certificate is annexed, which will is dated August 12, 1917, was duly admitted to probate by said Court as and for the last will and testament of said decedent.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 22nd day of April 1918.

(Seal)

By *(Signature)* Clerk
Deputy.