

J. G. Hook Recorder

J. G. Hillon

To Will

Ellen Hillon Et. al.

In the name of God amen I James G. Hillon formerly of Madison County and State of Iowa being at this time of a sound mind do make this my last will and testament that is to say first and most important of all I give my body to the earth from from whence it came to be buried in a Christian burial and in a decent Manner and secondly after all my legal honest debts are paid I give and bequeath to my daughter Ellen and my son Edward all my lands in Walnut Township in Madison County State of Iowa that is to say Eight acres of Prairie on which I have formerly lived and my forty acres of Timber Land on Bonds Creek jointly to have and hold the same to their own use and benefit forever on to their heirs and assigns the said lands not to be sold after my death until it will bring Twelve dollars per acre I also give to my son Edward all my personal property except one

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Reel, headstead, and Bedding which I give to My daughter Ellen
in witness whereof I hereunto set my hand done in Llay
County, N. Y. the 19th day of April 1859

J. B. Hilton

I also leave my daughter Ellen and my son Edward Hilton
their own Executors

J. B. Hilton

Attest

J. L. Harrison
Christopher Wayne

Senetury of Nebraska County of Llay Austin August
19th 1861 This day personally appeared before me J. L.
Harrison who who having first duly sworn sayth that
the maker of this will was in sound mind at the time
of making thereof & that his signature thereto is genuine

H. W. Panther Probate
Judge of Llay Co

I certify that the foregoing is a correct & true
copy of the original now on file in the Probate Office

H. W. Panther Probate
Judge of Llay Co N. Y.

The Judge of
this county has
no official seal
as yet H. W. Panther
Judge

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J. B. Hawk Recorder

Rachel Sweetfinger