No. 6653. Equity.

I George Shafer of Frederick County in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say,

Item. I give and devise unto my son Hanson the farm whereon he resides at present, which I value at Fifty seven Dollars per acre, also a Mountain lot of twenty acres, adjoining the lands of Wm Shafer and others which I value at ten dollars per acre, allowing my son Hanson three thousand dollars in said land, and that he shall twelve months after my decease, pay to my Executors, the sum of Five hundred Dollars and the like sum annually, for five consecutive years

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my son Joseph Shafer and my son in law Hanson P. Rudy my Executors of this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all wills heretofore made by me and ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fifty seven

George Shafer (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by George Shafer the above named testator, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Christian Remsberg
Jacob T. C. Miller
Peter Shafer

Exhibit

State of Maryland, Frederick County to wit:
On the 22d day of December 1857, came Peter Shafer and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that the foregoing instrument of writing is the true whole will and testament of George Shafer late of Frederick County, deceased that he has come to his hands and possession that he received the same from the testator for safe keeping and that he does not know of any other

Test: A. P. Rudy, Regr.

State of Maryland, Frederick County to wit:
On the 22d day of December 1857 came Christian Remsberg, Jacob T. C. Miller and Peter Shafer the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last will and testament of George Shafer late of Frederick County, deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see George Shafer the testator therein named, sign and seal this will that they heard him