

## Will of Charles E. Bollinger

| Name in Record       | Reason for Being in Record                                  | Date of Record |
|----------------------|---|----------------|
| Charles E. Bollinger | Of Monroe, makes his last will & testament                  | June 21, 1917  |
| Ida M. Bollinger     | Wife; inherits household goods, provisions & fuels          |                |
| Viola Pearl Johnson  | Daughter; to receive household goods from mother            |                |
| John E. Johnson      | Executor; shall place monument at grave                     |                |
| Ida M. Bollinger     | Wife; inherits 4883.00 and real estate                      |                |
| Viola Pearl Johnson  | Daughter; receives balance of real estate                   |                |
| John E. Johnson      | Son-in-law; appointed executor of will of Charles Bollinger |                |
| C. W. Merryman       | Witnessed Charles E. Bollinger making his last will         |                |
| W. S. Smith          | Witnessed Charles E. Bollinger making his last will         |                |
| Charles E. Bollinger | Died  | Oct. 25, 1917  |
| C. W. Merryman       | Subscribing witness; oath of death & validity of will       | Oct. 29, 1917  |
| Will Hammell         | Clerk   |                |
| Will Hammell         | Clerk; will has been admitted to probate                    | Oct. 29, 1917  |

in the name of the Reverend Father of our  
 Charles E. Bollinger, resident of the  
 town of Monroe, Adams County, Indiana, of sound  
 of sound mind and disposing memory, yet  
 feeling the uncertainties of life, do hereby make  
 public and declare the following to be my  
 last will and testament, to wit:

Item 1.

I give, will and bequeath to my beloved  
 wife, Ade M. Bollinger, all of the household  
 goods, furniture and fuel, if I may have it,  
 when my time shall come absolutely; but I desire  
 that if my beloved wife shall see fit to do so,  
 that she shall give to my beloved daughter,  
 Viola Pearl Johnson, any items of such  
 household goods as they may agree upon.  
 It is my desire that she should have not  
 to bequeath any of my money, bonds, notes,  
 automobile or other property, except such  
 as are commonly known as household goods,  
 furniture and fuel; and it is my further  
 will that such household goods, furniture  
 and fuel shall not be liable for the  
 payment of my debts, funeral expenses  
 any special bequests made herein or other  
 liabilities of my estate, until my other estate  
 real and personal has been exhausted.

Item 2.

It is my further will that all my debts,  
 funeral expenses, expenses of last sickness,  
 and of administration and other proper  
 liabilities of my estate, shall be paid as soon  
 after my decease as the same can be  
 reasonably done without sacrifice to my  
 estate.

Item 3.

It is my will that my executor  
 hereinafter named, or other proper representa-  
 tive of my estate, if he fails to take upon

himself the execution of this will, shall cause a  
 monument to be erected at my grave at a cost  
 not to exceed five hundred (\$500.00) and the  
 cost thereof shall be considered as a part of  
 my funeral expenses.

Item 4.

I give, will and bequeath to my wife, Ade  
 M. Bollinger, the sum of five hundred (\$500.00)  
 to be her absolutely and in lieu of  
 the \$500.00 allowed her by law, as my widow  
 under the laws of the State of Indiana.

Item 5.

I give, will and devise, to my beloved  
 wife, Ade M. Bollinger, the following described  
 real estate in Adams County, State of Indiana,  
 to wit: Lot number five (5) in Camp street  
 addition to the town of Monroe, Indiana,  
 the same to be her absolutely and in fee  
 simple, and which, for the purpose of  
 making a division of my property, I  
 valued at \$4,000.00; and I also give, will  
 and bequeath to my beloved wife the  
 sum of four thousand and three hundred  
 thirty three & <sup>33</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars (\$4,333.<sup>33</sup>/<sub>100</sub>) to be  
 paid by my beloved daughter, Viola Pearl  
 Johnson, on or before two years after my  
 decease with interest at five percent per  
 annum commencing one year after my  
 decease, out of the real estate devised to  
 my daughter in the next succeeding item  
 of this will, and I now charge, the real  
 estate so devised to her in the next succeeding  
 item of this will with the payment thereof,  
 it being understood that my said daughter  
 shall not be personally liable therefor, but  
 that the real estate devised to her shall be liable  
 for the payment thereof, and no other portion  
 of my estate shall be liable for the payment  
 thereof.

Item 6.

I hereby make addition to the town of  
Barre, and into the town of Barre, and into  
the first addition to the town of Barre,  
(both said lots being in Adams County,  
State of Indiana). I give, will and devise  
the rest and residue of my real estate, being  
my farm of one hundred twenty acres, more  
or less in Adams Township, Adams County,  
Indiana, to my beloved daughter, Viola Pearl  
Johnson, she and to be held absolutely and in  
fee simple, but subject however to the  
payment of said \$535<sup>00</sup> to my beloved wife,  
Ida M. Bollinger, and for the purpose of  
making a division of my property, I have  
valued said farm at the rate of one hundred  
seventy five dollars (\$175<sup>00</sup>) per acre,  
or twenty one thousand dollars (\$21,000<sup>00</sup>)  
for all of said farm.

Item 7.

All the residue of my estate, real  
and personal, I give, will, bequeath and  
devise to my beloved wife, Ida M. Bollinger,  
the undivided one third thereof, and to  
my beloved daughter, Viola Pearl Johnson,  
the undivided two thirds thereof, each to  
receive shares absolutely and in fee simple.

Item 8.

It is my further will, that, if my estate,  
relative of the real estate devised to my  
daughter, Viola Pearl Johnson, in item six  
of this will, and exclusive of the real estate  
devised to my wife in item five of this will,  
be sufficient to pay my debts, funeral  
expenses, expense of last sickness and of  
administration and other liabilities of  
my estate, and to pay for my monument,  
and to pay the five hundred dollars (\$500<sup>00</sup>),  
to my beloved wife Ida M. Bollinger,

as provided in items two, three and four of this  
will, then it is my will that my beloved wife  
shall pay one third of the balance thereof out  
of the four thousand three hundred thirty three  
or \$4,333<sup>00</sup> dollars bequeathed to her in item five  
of this will, and said bequest shall be  
reduced accordingly and my daughter  
shall pay the undivided two thirds thereof  
out of the real estate devised to her in item  
six of this will. It is my further will that  
the real estate devised to my wife in item 5 of  
this will shall not be liable for the payment  
of any debts or other liabilities of my  
estate, until the rest and residue of my  
estate, excepting household goods, fuel  
and provisions as provided in item one  
hereof have been exhausted.

Item 9.

It is my further will that all bequests  
and devises herein made to my beloved  
wife are made in lieu of the \$600<sup>00</sup> attached  
her by law as my widow, and also in lieu  
of any right, title or interest of any kind in  
my estate she may have as my widow,  
under the laws of the State of Indiana or  
otherwise.

Item 10.

I nominate and appoint my son-in-  
law, John E. Johnson, husband of my  
daughter Viola Pearl Johnson, executor  
of this will.

Item 11.

I hereby revoke any and all wills by  
me heretofore made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set  
my hand and seal this 1st day of June  
1891.

Charles E. Bollinger Seal  
Signed, sealed and acknowledged by the  
above named testator as his last will

