

Will of Jacob S. Riley

| Name in Record | Reason for Being in Record | Date of Record |
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| Jacob S. Riley | Of Adams County; makes his last will & testament | Nov. 21, 1898 |
| Otis Jackson Riley | Son; inherits real estate in Bluecreek Twp. & personal property | |
| Mary E. Riley | Daughter; inherits \$50.00 | |
| Henry Hoppel | Friend; appointed executor of will of Jacob Riley | |
| Sarah E. Merriman | Witnessed Jacob Riley making his last will | |
| Bert Merriman | Witnessed Jacob Riley making his last will | |
| Henry Hoppel | Witnessed Jacob Riley making his last will | |
| Jacob S. Riley | Died | Jan. 27, 1905 |
| Henry Hoppel | Subscribing witness; oath of death & validity of will | Feb. 7, 1905 |
| David Gerber | Clerk | |
| Paul Baumgartner | Deputy | |
| David Gerber | Clerk; will has been admitted to probate | Feb. 7, 1905 |
| Paul Baumgartner | Deputy | |

Jacob S. Riley. Last Will & Testament of

no. 732.

State of Indiana
Adams County Ind.In the Name of the Benevolent Father,
State of IndianaI, Jacob S. Riley of the County of Adams and
Being and Believe of sound mind and Disposing
memory Do here by make and Declare this my
last will and testament here by Revoking all
former wills and Declaring such if any there be
void

First

I order and Direct that out of the money on hand
(or out of any other Property) my just Debts and
funeral expenses be paid as soon as practicable
after my Death

Second

I order and Direct that after the payment of
my just Debts and funeral expenses the expenses
of my last sickness be paid out of any money
remaining on hand and if there be not
sufficient for that purpose then out of the
first money collected after my Death

Third

I give and bequeath to my Son Oles Jackson
Riley all of my Personal Property except what
it takes to pay the other claims allowed in
my will and also my Real estate it being Des-
cribed as follows the north half of the north
east quarter of section six of Bluecreek Township
Adams County Indiana also Twelve acres off
of the north west corner of the north west
quarter of the north west quarter of section
five of Bluecreek Township Adams County
IndianaAnd to my Daughter Mary E. Riley Fifty
Dollars out of my ~~estate~~ Personal PropertyI also nominate and appoint my friend
Henry Hoppel as the executor of this my
last willIn witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and subscribed my name this
21 Day of November 1898

Jacob S. Riley (Seal)

The above and foregoing instrument was

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at the Date thereof signed, Published and Declared by the said Jacob S. Riley as and for his last will and Testament and as a Revocation of all former wills here before made by him in the presence of us who at his Request and in his presence and the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses.

Henry Hoppel,
Sarah E. Merriam
Bert. Merriam.

Subscribed to before me this 27th Day of November 1895
John W. Merriam J.P.

State of Indiana, Adams County, Ill.:

Be it known, That Henry Hoppel, one of the subscribing witnesses of the last Will and Testament of Jacob S. Riley late of Adams County, deceased, personally appeared before the undersigned, Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court, Adams County, being of lawful age, and being by me duly sworn, deposed as follows: That Jacob S. Riley deceased, on the 27th day of January 1905; that he left the foregoing as his last Will and Testament; that the undersigned was present and saw the said testator sign his name to the same, and he, also, published and declared that the same was his last Will and Testament; that he was of sound mind and memory, fully competent to devise his property, and was under no restraint or coercion whatever; That Henry Hoppel, Sarah E. Merriam and Bert Merriam, each signed their names to the same as subscribing witnesses, in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Henry Hoppel
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of February, 1905.

David Gerber, Clerk
By Paul Baumgartner.

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State of Indiana,
Adams County, Ill.

I, David Gerber, Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court, of Adams County, Indiana, certify that the above and foregoing Will of Jacob S. Riley late of Adams County, deceased, has been duly admitted to probate; that its due execution was this day proven by Henry Hoppel whose proof, together with said Will, have been duly recorded on pages 291-292-293 Record "W" of Wills, in this office.

Witness my hand, and seal of said Court this 7th day of February 1905.

David Gerber, Clerk.

By Paul Baumgartner, Deputy. seal