

Robert Burgess late of the
Township of Bleckheim in the
District of Beuch, German
deceased

Petition from Executor
to be allowed to prove will

filed 24th October 1849

J. W. Registrar.

From John Mason
District of Brook
1677

In the Singular Court of the District of Brook

You Henry Munn of the Township of Blewinge Woman and you
Andrew Bunge of the said Township of Woman. do severally certify that
you being the only now living heirs of the last Will and Testament of the late
Robert Bunge late of the Township of New and of woman deceased. and that
you will pay all the debts and legacies of the deceased as far as the goods
shall extend and the law shall bind you; and that you will exhibit
at ten full and perfect inventory of all and every the goods rights and
credits of the deceased together with a just and true account with
the registry of the Singular Court of the District of Brook when you shall be
lawfully called thereto. And you also certify that you believe the
whole of the goods debts and credits of the deceased at the time of his
death did not exceed the sum of one thousand pounds.

Given before me at Woodstock in the
District of Brook this 24 day of April
1677

W. Laporte

Judge Singular Court
District of Brook

So help you God

To His Honor the Judge of the Surrogate Court of the
District of New York.

The Petition of Henry Muma and Andrew Bunge of the
Township of Blenheim in the County of Dutchess in the District of South of New York
the Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Robert Bunge late of Blenheim
aforesaid deceased

Assembly Sheweth

That the said Robert Bunge by his last Will and Testament bearing date on
the 31st day of August in the 4th year of our Lord 1849. constituted your Petitioners
together with one John Maynard Executors of his said Will which your
Petitioners believe to be the only one of the said Robert Bunge; that the said Robert
Bunge departed this life at Blenheim aforesaid on or about the second day of
September last past, leaving divers goods and chattels rights and credits
amounting in the whole to your Petitioners have been unable to ascertain
to the sum of Three hundred and fifteen dollars, pounds 4/4 or thereabouts
all within the District aforesaid. That your Petitioners are desirous of settling
and proving the said Will. Your Petitioners therefore pray your Honor will be
pleased to permit your Petitioners to prove the said Will, and your Petitioners
as in duty bound will ever pray.

Henry Muma

Andrew Bunge

Woodstock 23 October 1849

Let probate be granted to the Petitioners aforesaid to John Maynard
hereafter to prove the same. 23 October 1849.

W. Lapinville

Judge Surrogate Court
District of New York

	\$	6	5
Philip & James Rapsom Bond for	75	0	0
James Rapsom Note for	12	10	0
payable in Lumpsum			
	37	0	0
Archibald Steurts note for			
John. H. Burp's note for	3	0	0
Andru Burp's note for	30	5	0
Henry Minnas note for	7	10	0
Thos Novell note for	12	10	0
Noras Teays note for	6	5	0
William Burp's note for	2	10	0
John Waddingtons note for	3	0	0
Reichard Burp's asc for	2	10	0
Andru do asc for	2	10	0
George Burp asc for	1	5	7
Thos Novell asc for	1	2	6

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Inventory of the goods & chattels of the Late Robert Burgel, Dec. 2

2	Steers . 1. Valued at \$10 .. 1. at \$8	74	40	5
2	Steers Valued at \$10 Each	5	0	0
1	Heffer Valued \$6 -	1	10	0
1	Cow Valued \$10 - - - -	2	10	0
1	Cow Valued \$12 - - - -	3	0	0
1	Cow Valued \$12 -	3	0	0
1	Mare Valued \$65 - - - -	16	5	0
1	Horse Valued \$55 - - - -	13	15	0
1	Wagon Valued \$20 - - - -	5	0	0
1	plough Valued \$3 .. 25 Cents	0	16	3
1	Set. Harness. Valued \$18 - - - -	4	10	0
1	Stone - Valued \$14 - - - -	3	10	0
6	Sheep - - Valued \$8 - - - -	2	0	0
2	Hags Valued \$10 - - - -	2	10	0
..	Hay & oats Valued \$10 - - - -	2	10	0
..	Wheat in the Barn - Valued \$200.	50	0	0
		120	6	3

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Province of Canada
District of Brock
To wit

In the Surrogate Court
of the District of Brock

You Harvey Millar of the Township of
Blenheim in the District of Brock Yeoman one of
the subscribing witnesses to the last Will and Testament
of the late Robert Burgess late of the Township of
Blenheim in the District of Brock and Province of
Canada aforesaid Yeoman deceased do swear that you were
personally present and did see the said Robert Burgess
sign seal publish and declare the will now shown to you
as his last Will and Testament. And you likewise
farther swear that you verily believe that the said
Robert Burgess at the signing of the said last Will
and Testament was of sound mind memory and
understanding, and you further swear that the said Will
was executed by the said Robert Burgess in presence of
yourself and ~~William Burgess~~ ^{George Still} and that you and the said
William Burgess set and ~~George Still~~ ^{you} set and subscribed
your names to the said Will as witnesses thereto
in the presence of the said Robert Burgess and at his
special instance and request and that the names George
Still and Harvey Millar set and subscribed thereto are
in the proper hand writing of the said George Still and
yourself - and you further swear that the said deceased departed
his life at Blenheim aforesaid on about the second day of September
last. So help you God.

Subscribed at Windsor in the
District of Brock this 24 day of October
1849

W. Laprothier

Judge Surrogate
District of Brock

Know all Men by these presents that
I Robert Burgess of the Township of Blenheim
in the County of Oxford in the Province of Ontario
and in the Province of Canada do hereby
do Make Ordain This my Last Will and Testament
in the presence & Before William Burgess George Hill
and Harvey Millar of the Township County Province
and District aforesaid Who are Witnesses that I
Robert Burgess do herein by this transaction & former
following - viz - I give and - Bequeath to My Son James
Roach Burgess fifty acres of Land and is known as
The North Westealy quarter of Lot Number Twelve
in the Sixth Concession of the Said Township of Blenheim
in the Said Beach District - together with all its
Improvements Buildings thereon &c &c to the said
James Roach Burgess to be his when he comes to the
Age of Twenty one years With this provision - viz -
that the said James Roach Burgess shall be held
Responsible for & required to Restore & pay to James
Jen Burgess and also shall be held Responsible for
and required to pay to Elizabeth Alis Burgess - the
Respective Sums of fifty pounds Each - of the Law
and Lawful Money of Canada - within four years
after the said James Roach Burgess comes to the age
of Twenty one years & takes possession of the aforesaid
fifty acres of Land. But reserving the full and
Entire Use of the Aforesaid Estate and property
for the Use & Comfortable Support of Mrs Jane
Burgess untill that time should she remain

my Widow and requir it - or should she ^{and} ~~be~~ ^{with} ~~be~~ ^{more} ~~be~~ ^{Widow}
after my decease & yet she ~~be~~ ^{and} ~~be~~ ^{with} ~~be~~ ^{more} ~~be~~ ^{Widow}
~~be~~ ^{and} ~~be~~ ^{with} ~~be~~ ^{more} ~~be~~ ^{Widow}
Behave to my dear
Children - as in the Judgment of Henry Mann &
John Maynard & Andrew Burgess - Whome I the
Said Robert Burgess Chauson nominated appoint
and authorized to take Charge of and management
of all my propriety Buisness & affairs - as my
Executors & to take Charge of all my goods & Chattles
& Effects & to collect all notes & debts due or
to come due to me the Said Robert Burgess & request
that the Said Executors to appropriate what ever sum
of my Effects it may require to procure the Little Decd in
per simple for the above mentioned fifty Acres of
Land & to apply such part of the residue of my
Effects as may be require to pay all debts dues
& Demands standing against me the Said
Robert Burgess & all such residue of my goods
Chattles & Effects as may be left after the
payment of all my Just & Lawful debts - to be
to be applied to the use & comfortable Supporte
of Mrs Jane Burgess soe long as she remains
my Widow & takes good Care of my dear Children
as a coordinary total support & provider of
Henry Mann John Maynard & Andrew Burgess
Whome I have Chauson & nominated as my
Executors of this my Last Will & testament hereby
Revoking all other & former Wills by me at any
time heretofore made

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my
Hand & Seal the Thirtieth day of August in the
year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred
and forty nine

Signed Sealed and Declared by the
Said testator Robert Burgess as for his Last Will
& Testament in the presence of us who have subscribed
our names as witnesses here to in the presence of
the said Testator

Witness present

Robert Burgess

William Burgess

Mark

George Hill

Henry Miller