

Otterville -  
New York

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No 23

In De

Stephen Jewell

22<sup>d</sup> September 1843.

Administration with  
vice executor granted

To  
Deacon Loring and  
John W. Cornell

**IN THE SURROGATE COURT.**

PROVINCE OF CANADA,  
DISTRICT OF BROCK,

YOU *Abel W Pratt*  
of the *Township* of *Norwich*

WOODSTOCK, TO WIT:

in the District of *Brock* and Province of Canada, *Yeoman* one

of the subscribing witnesses to the last Will and Testament of the late *Stephen Hewellin*

of the *Township* of *Norwich*  
in the District of *Brock* and province aforesaid *Yeoman*

Deceased, do swear that you were personally present and did see the said *Stephen Hewellin*

*Hewellin* sign, seal, publish and declare the *Paper*

now shown to you as his last Will and Testament; and you the said *Abel W Pratt*

do further swear that the names *Abraham Stewart*  
*and William Garnier*

which appear as Witnesses to the last Will and Testa-  
ment of the said *Stephen Hewellin* are the proper handwriting of them the said  
*Abraham Stewart and William Garnier*

who together with you  
signed their names in the presence of the said testator and at his special instance and  
request; and you likewise further swear that you verily believe that the said  
*Abel W Pratt* at the signing of the said last Will and Testament was of  
sound mind, memory and understanding.

So Help You GOD.

Sworn before me at Woodstock, this 22<sup>nd</sup>

*Abel W Pratt*

day of *Sept* 1843

*J Amold (curt)*

**IN THE SURROGATE COURT.**

PROVINCE OF CANADA,  
DISTRICT,  
Woodstock, to wit:

YOU *Benson Loring and John W Cornell both*  
of the *Township* of *Norwich*

in the *County* of *Brock*  
and Province of Canada *Yeoman* do swear that you are the persons named in the

last Will and Testament of the late *Stephen Hewellin*

of the *Township* of *Norwich* in the *Brock* District, and

Province aforesaid. *Yeoman* deceased as Executor thereto,  
that you believe the paper now shown to you to be the said last Will and Testament of  
the said Deceased; that you will pay all the debts and legacies of the said deceased so  
far as the Goods and Chattels shall extend, and the law shall bind you, and that you will  
exhibit a true, full, and perfect Inventory of all and every the goods and chattels, Rights  
and Credits of the said deceased, together with a just and true account into the Registry  
of the said Surrogate Court, when you shall be thereto lawfully required—

*Affirmed*  
Sworn before me at Woodstock, this 22<sup>nd</sup>

So Help You GOD.

day of *September* 1843

*Benson Loring*  
*John W Cornell*

*John Amold*  
*(curt)*

IN THE SURROGATE COURT.

District of Brock, Canada West.

WOODSTOCK,

TO WIT:

} John H. Cornell

Of the Township of *Norwich* District of *Brock* and Province

*Norwich*  
aforesaid, ~~maketh oath~~ and saith that

*Stephen Hemmick late of  
the Township of Norwich in said District and  
Province yeoman*

departed this life on or about the *Twenty fifth* day of *October*  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Two* - and that to  
the best of *his* knowledge and belief, as far as *he* hath been able to discover  
the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said deceased, within the said District  
of *Brock* - did not exceed the sum of *Two hundred*  
Pounds Currency.

*Sworn*  
sworn before me at Woodstock, this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *Sept. 1843*

*John H. Cornell*

*J. Arnold* Surrogate. District of Brock.

As Inventory taken the 29<sup>th</sup> day of October in  
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and forty two — of Property belonging to the late  
Stephen Plowden of Norwich in the County of Norfolk  
in the Province of Canada —

N<sup>o</sup>. 1. A Deed of Mortgage bearing date the fifteenth  
day of August 1842. Between John M<sup>c</sup> Cormick of  
the township of Norwich, County of Norfolk, District of  
of Brock and Province of Canada, Yeoman of the one  
part, and Stephen Plowden of the same place, Yeoman  
of the other part, for the security of one hundred  
and seventy five Pounds —

N<sup>o</sup>. 2. A Note of hand, purporting to be a Note for  
the payment of ten sheep and eight lambs, four years  
from the 12<sup>th</sup> of August 1842, by Augustus Spru —

N<sup>o</sup>. 3. Two Notes, valued at 17/6 G.

N<sup>o</sup>. 4. About two Tons & a half of hay of moderate quality  
valued at one pound G. per ton

N<sup>o</sup>. 5. A Cow. Valued at two pounds fifteen shillings G.

N<sup>o</sup>. 6. A yearling Steer, Valued at one pound five  
shillings G. —

No. 1. Two Sheep, valued at 8/9. G.

Valued the day above

written by us

Abraham Sumner  
Abel W. Pratt

In the name of God, Amen. I Stephen Huellen of the Township of Norwich, County of Oxford, District of Brock and Province of Canada Yeoman, being at the present time infirm in Body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, thanks be to God for the same, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say:

First, I will and direct that all my funeral expenses and just debts be paid as soon as conveniently may be after my decease.

Second, After my just debts are paid it is my will that my wife Lucy shall have paid to her as soon as the same can be collected upon my Securities the sum of Twenty five pounds Provincial Currency - Also I will and bequeath to her twelve sheep. - and also a Cow. -

Third, the remainder of my property I will to be applied to the good and benefit of my Son John D. in the most judicious manner that my executors can devise. -

Fourth, I nominate and appoint, Benson Loring of the Township of Norwich aforesaid Yeoman, and John A. Corneil of the same place Merchants, Executors to this my will. -

Lastly, I hereby revoke all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this eleventh - day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two. -

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Stephen Huellen the Testator, as and for his last will & testament in the presence of us, who, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence and sight of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Abel W. Pratt  
Abraham Sweetwood  
William Gaine

Stephen Huellen