

1853 No 154

In the Surrogate Court  
of the County of Oxford  
Province of Canada.

Petition of John Macleod and  
Adam B. Sheik. to prove will of  
John Sanick, Senr., of Blandford  
County Canada.

Filed 27<sup>th</sup> April 1853.

J. G. Vandellart  
Registrar.

To His Honor William Lupton Esquire Justice of the  
Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford

The Petition of John Master of the Township of Melrose County of Waterloo  
Farmer and Adam B Sheek of the Township of Blenheim in the County of  
Oxford Prayers make the Executors named in the last Will and Testament of  
the late John Sharick, Senior, late of the Township of Blenheim in the County  
of Oxford Farmer deceased

Accountly Sheweth

That the late John Sharick, Senior, late of the Township of Blenheim in the  
County of Oxford Farmer deceased duly made and published his last Will  
and Testament writing bearing date on or about the twenty sixth day of  
March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty three and  
thirty appointed John Petitioner Executors of the said Will. That the said  
John Sharick, Senior, departed this life in the said Township of Blenheim on or  
about the fifth day of April instant without having altered or in  
any way revoked his said Will. That at the time of his decease the said Testator  
was possessed of or entitled to divers Goods and Chattels rights and Credits  
all within the County of Oxford amounting in the whole to as your  
Petitioner have been enabled to ascertain to the sum of One hundred and  
thirty five pounds fifteen shillings and six pence That you Petitioner  
are desirous of exhibiting and proving the said Will before your Honor. You  
Petitioner therefore humbly pray your Honor will be pleased to permit them  
to exhibit and prove the said Will. and your Petitioner as in duty bound will  
ever pray.

Woodstock 27 April 1853

John Master

Adam B Sheek

On reading the foregoing Petition I do order that the Petitioner be allowed  
to prove the said Will therein named. Dated this 27 day of April 1853

W. Lupton Esquire  
Justice Surrogate Court  
County of Oxford

This is the last Will and Testament of Me  
Am Sherrick Sen<sup>r</sup> of the Township of Blandford  
County of Oxford Farmer

After payment of all my just debts  
I Give devise and bequeath unto my beloved Wife  
Maryann Sherrick one third of all my property  
and the remainder of all my effects to be divided  
in as many <sup>equal</sup> parts as will be equal to the number  
of my then surviving Children one such part  
shall be the portion of each of my four eldest  
Children to receive their portion at the age  
of twenty one years,

The remaining <sup>part</sup> I give and bequeath to my beloved  
Wife Maryann together with the first mentioned  
one third for her own use and benefit forever  
and I hereby appoint Am Master of the Township  
of Wilket County of Waterloo Farmer and Adam  
B Sherk of the Township of Blenheim County of  
Oxford Waggon maker

Executors of this my last Will with power  
to transact all the duties contained in and  
connected with this my last Will and  
Testament

and I hereby appoint Love Sherk of the  
Township of Blenheim County of Oxford Store  
keeper Guardian of my Son Joseph Thomas  
Sherrick and my daughter Nancy Maryann Sherrick

As Witness my hand this twenty sixth  
day of March one thousand eight hundred  
and fifty three

John Sharick Sen<sup>r</sup>

Signed and acknowledged by the said John  
Sharick Sen<sup>r</sup> the 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 hereunto  
Subscribed our names as Witnesses

John Fairbairn )  
John Burns ) Witnesses

Province of Canada  
County of Oxford  
To Wit.

In the Singsat Court  
of the County of Oxford

You John Burns of the Township of  
Blandford in the County of Oxford and Province  
of Canada Yeoman one of the subscribing  
Witnesses to the last Will and Testament of the  
late John Shaink Senior late of the Township  
of Blandford in the County and Province aforesaid  
Yeoman deceased, do swear that you were  
personally present and did see the said John  
Shaink Senior sign Seal Publish and declare  
the Will now shewn to you as his last Will and  
Testament, and you the said John Burns do  
further swear that the names John Fairbairn  
and John Burns which appear as Witnesses to  
the last Will and Testament of the said John  
Shaink Senior are the proper handwriting of  
him the said John Fairbairn and yourself,  
and that the said John Fairbairn and you  
signed your names in pursuance of the said  
Testator and at his special instance and  
request. You further swear that you verily  
believe that the said John Shaink Senior  
at the signing of the said last Will and  
Testament was of sound mind memory and  
understanding.

So help you God  
John Burns

sworn before me at Woodstock  
in the County of Oxford  
this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1850

W. Laporte  
Judge of the Singsat Court of the  
County of Oxford.

Appraisement of the Goods & Chattels  
of the late John Masruk of the Township of  
Blanford Descasca as taken the fifteenth day of  
April eighteenth hundred fifty three

		\$	c			\$	c
1 cow white back	3			2 sugar kettles		15	
2 do Dun & Red	3			1 waggon		12	10
1 do	1	10		one span of Horses & Harness		20	00
1 4 year old steer	2			1 coll		2	10
1 3 do do	1	10		1 pair ox & Horse Bells		10	6
1 12 year old sheep	2			five tubs & twenty crocks		10	
1 one Bull calf 1 year old	2	10		2 wash tubs Churn & nails		10	
6 Sheep common	3			2 tubs <del>in</del> in the smoke house		2	6
7 pigs	1	15		one ladder		2	6
Rakes forks &c	7	6		10 hives of bees		1	10
Box of sunnies	1	3		Bed & Bedstead out of			
1 cutting box	10			the House		15	
one plough & drag	1	9	6	110 sap Buckets		3	8
Waggon Racks	2	6		16 chairs one tall		1	4
turning Lathe	1			cooking stove		1	10
1 saw	15			Kitchen cupboard		14	
1 pair of waggon tires	1			Dishes		1	
1 pair of waggon tires	5			1 large trough & chest		12	6
paint stones & work bench	6	3		water Bench & 1/2 bars		5	6
wolf trap & old iron	9	6		1 chest 3 Bedsteads & bedding		2	5
axe & broad axe	5			a lot of sunnies		15	
chest of carpenter tools	5			Shoemakers tools		5	
2 sugars	29	12	6			57	14
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	1 00		1 00
wool wheel & swift	10	in cash	
2 Omega Barrels	15	12 acres <sup>with wheat</sup> in the ground	10
Roading cradle	2 00	note of Andrew Oliver	7
lot of wool	1	in cash	4 12 6
2 grass scythes	10		21 12 6
2 brooms & nail keg	2 6		26 16 3
Bot stove & pipe	1 4		29 12 6
Sheet of Bot 1/2 clock	1 3	Andrew Oliver	37 14 3
Stand 3/6	6 6	Abraham Bean	135 15 6
Best seat & padding	1		
do do	1 10		
Wrentho Bell	5		
Bureau	4 10	neglected	
cupboard	10	to Bonds of three hundred	
the family Bible		& twenty five Pounds of	
Books & Theological		of John Oliver with the	
dictionary the Heritage	2 6	exceptions of a small amount	
2 Botanical Books	10	due on the above mentioned	
do do	5	Bonds these Bonds were	
2 Razors anchored & ring		transferred from John Sharick	
Janee & pocket compass	3 7	to John Oliver senr	325
2 Barrel of salt	2 6	signed by one of	467 15 6
1 fanning mill	3	the appraisors the twenty sixth	
1 single Harnys	5	day of April 16 33	
Morgan Thompson			Andrew Oliver
in account	1		
Peter Paul note	3		
	26 16 3		

Province of Canada  
County of Oxford  
to wit

In the Surrogate Court  
of the County of Oxford

Y<sup>e</sup> John Master of the Township of Wilnot  
in the County of Waterloo Farmer do swear that you  
believe this Paper writing now shown to you to be the  
true last Will and Testament of John Sharick Senior  
late of the Township of Blandford in the County of  
Oxford and Province aforesaid Yeoman deceased  
that you will well and faithfully administer all  
and singular the Goods Rights Credits and Chattels  
of the said deceased according to the Contents of  
his said Will: that you will pay all such debts  
as the said deceased owed at his death, so far  
as such Goods, Rights, Credits and Chattels will  
thereunto extend and the Law requires; and that  
you will make a true, full, and perfect Inventory  
of all and singular the Goods Rights Credits and  
Chattels of the said deceased, and exhibit the  
same into the Registry of the Surrogate Court of  
the County of Oxford when you shall be thereunto  
lawfully required You further swear that the  
Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of the said  
deceased at the time of his death did not in  
the whole exceed the sum of Three hundred Pounds.

So help me God.

Sworn before me at Windsor in the County of  
Oxford this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April A D 1853

W. Laprindie

Judge of the Surrogate Court of the  
County of Oxford

John Master



Province of Canada  
County of Oxford  
to wit.

In the Surrogate Court  
of the County of Oxford

You Adam B. Misk of the Township of  
Blenheim in the County of Oxford and Province  
of Canada Wagon Maker do swear that you  
believe the Paper writing now shewn to you to be  
the true last Will and Testament of John Sharack  
the Senior late of the Township of Bladford in the  
County of Oxford and Province aforesaid deceased,  
that you will well and faithfully  
administer all and singular the Goods, Rights,  
Credits and Chattels of the said deceased according  
to the contents of his said will, that you will  
pay all such debts as the said deceased was  
at his death, so far as such Goods, Rights, Credits  
and Chattels will therunto extend, and the law  
requires; and that you will make a true and  
perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods,  
Rights Credits and Chattels of the said deceased,  
and exhibit the same into the Registry of  
the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford  
where you shall be therunto lawfully required  
and further that the said John Sharack, Senior, departed this life at <sup>Bladford</sup> ~~Bladford~~  
aforesaid on or about the fifth day of March last, & April instant, and  
that the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said John Sharack  
Senior at the time of his decease did not exceed in the whole the sum of  
One hundred pounds

So help me God

Sworn before me at Woodstock in the County  
of Oxford this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1853

W. Laprise

Judge of the County Surrogate Court  
of the County of Oxford

A. B. Misk