Will Book A-page 1: (The wills of William Winter and Hanson Church are intermingled on the beginning 7 pages of this book which has been photostatic copied.)

WILLIAM WINTER Will dated 18 September 1818-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 4 November 1818 (There are two codicils to this will.) Wife: Sylvia Winter

Son--James Dau.-Mahala Hall Dau.-Anne Brown Dau.-Hannah Winter Dau.-Elizabeth Harmon Son--John Winter Dau. - Mary Winters Son-in-law-James Hall Dau.-Sarah, deceased Nephew-James Jones Signed: William Winter

Executors: Moses Hoggatt and Ariel Harmon

Executrix: wife, Sylvia Winters

Wife: Elisabeth Church

Witnesses: James Jones, Martin Partric, Moses Hoggatt

page 1 HANSON CHURCH Will dated 18 August 1818-Vigo County, Indiana Will recorded 2 December 1818-Vigo County: 28 November 1818-Knox County

Son--Hanson Church Dau.-Lydia Church Dau.-Sally Church Dau.-Elisabeth Harris Dau.-Lucinda Church Dau.-Eliza Church

Signed: Hanson(X)Church

Executrix: wife, Elisabeth Church

Witnesses: William Henry, Willis Fellows, Henry Burlingame

page 7 JAMES LEE Will dated 3 March 1819-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 27 September 1819 Wife: Polly Lee

Son--John Lee Dau.-Elisabeth Fergason Dau.-Jane Southard Son--Henry Lee Son--Samuel Lee Dau.-Ruth Denman Son--James Lee Signed: James Lee

Witnesses: Jared Lykins, Ebenezar Paddock, Ebenezar Paddock, Sen.

page 9 ELEASAR ASPINWALL Will dated 20 September 1820-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 24 November 1820

Wife: Eliza Aspinwall-mentions she is to have household goods she brought from New York.

Brother-Lewis Aspinwall Sister--Anne Aspinwall Brother-Chester Aspinwall Sister -- Roxa Campbell

Witnesses: Lucius H. Scott and William C. Linton \*\*\*

page 10 RICHARD COX Will dated 22 July 1820-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 19 May 1821 Son--Thomas Cox Dau.-Rebecca Pace and her son Daniel Pace Dau.-Mary Evans Son--David Son--Peter Son--William Son--Isaac Son--John Son--Richard Grandson-Omer Cox Signed: Richard Cox Sons David, John, and Isaac Executors: Witnesses: Elisha Bentley, John Harkness, Jeremiah Howarth \*\*\* page 11 ABRAHAM ELLIOTT Will dated 10 March 1821-Vigo County, Indiana Dau.-Sarah Dau.-Catharine Dau.-Elisabeth Dau. Son--Abner (to receive money due me in Ohio) Son--Joab Signed: Abraham Elliott Son Abner and friend David Lykins Executors Witnesses: Jared Lykins, Elisabeth Church (X) page 12 ABRAHAM ELLIOTT Codicil dated 27 May 1821 Recorded 6 June 1821 Dau.-Catharine Dau.-Elisabeth Housekeeper-Elisabeth Church Dau.-Sarah Witnesses: Thomas Brown, John Pike page 13 WILLIAM SOULS Will dated 7 September 1820-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 11 June 1821 Son--Charles William Souls Dau.-Elizabeth Souls Dau.-Elinor Souls Son--Nealon Souls Grandson-Henry Souls, son of Dau.-Mary Souls Moses Souls Granddau.-Mary Souls, dau. of Moses Souls My friends Charles B. Modesitt and E--Jones Executors: Witnesses: Salem Pocock (Pecock), John M. Mills, Charles Modesitt page 15 NICHOLAS STEPHENSON, SENR. 30 August 1821-appeared before Curtis Gilbert, Clerk, Mahlon Stephenson, Ruth Stephenson, --- Stephenson and Hannah Stephensondeclared Micholas Stephenson, senr. of Vigo County, Indiana on 19 July 1821 willed to wife, Mary Stephenson, and daughter, Hannah Stephenson, his estate-witnessed by Mahlon Stephenson. Nicholas Stephenson died 21 July 1821. Recorded 30 August 1831

page 16 JOHN F. THOMPSON Will dated 3 December 1821-Vigo County, Indiana Wife: Margaret Son--James Youngest Dau.-Priscilla Son--Thomas Son--William Dau.-Jane Son--John Dau.-Polly Son--Alfred Son--Samuel Dau. - Peggy Brother-James Thompson Executor: William Kelso, Moses Hoggatt, Samuel C. Thompson Witnesses: George French, Moses Hoggatt, Supply Butterfield, Jr. Recorded: 1 January 1822 page 19 JAMES JOHNSTON Will dated 30 July 1822 Recorded 21 August 1822-Vigo County, Indiana Wife: Margaret Son--Charles Johnston Son-in-law-Nathan Poyner Eldest Dau.-Nancy, wife of Nathan Poyner Son-in-law-Jesse Kester Youngest Dau.-Sarah, wife of Jesse Kester -- to have property in Bloomfield, Butler Co. Ohio Grandson-James L. Poyner Executors: Thomas Pounds and Benjamin Kerchival (Perchival) Witnesses: William Welsh, Moses Evans, and John Kester page 21 GERSHAM TUTTLE Will dated 29 August 1823 Recorded 23 September 1823 Wife: Parmela Tuttle Our children Gersham Tuttle Signed: Executrix: wife, Parmela Tuttle Executor: Nathaniel Huntington, Esq. Peter Hagler and Ralph White Witnesses JAMES B. WINTER Will dated 24 July 1825-Honey Creek Township, Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 2 September 1825 Bro.-John Winter-to have land from my father Sister-Betsey Harmond Sister-Mary Colman Bro.-in-law-Elisha M. Brown James Hall and his wife, Mahala Signed: James B. Winter Sister-Hannah Winter Executors: John Winter and Elisha M. Brown Witnesses: Ashley Harris and Ansel Harris

JOHN BROCKLEBANK \*-- Fountain County, Indiana Will dated 24 November 1826 Recorded 30 December 1826-Vigo County, Indiana Nephew-Samuel Jemison and his son, John B. Jemison Nephew-C(aius) M(aius) Eaton Nephew-John B. Jemison Dau.-Elinore Brocklebanks Solmon Wright of Terre Haute, Indiana, for estate in Executors: Indiana and Illinois: Abner Bunnell of Conandaqua,-New York, for estate in New York. Anson Cone and Peloq Babcock Witnesses: page 25 ISAIAH WALLACE Will dated 14 February 1825-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 5 March 1828 Wife: Mealthy ( ) Dau.-Clarinda Ketum ( ) Dau.-Saphena Wallace Son--James Madison Wallace Dau.-Roxana Denton Son--Eldridge G. Wallace Son--Anson Son--Andrew J. Wallace Son--Solmon Dau.-Lydia Wallace Son--Nathan N. Wallace (to have money from Allen Wallace of N.Y. state who owes money to Isaiah) Moses Hoggatt, John Cox, and Robert Hopkins John Phillips, John More, John Cox Witnesses page 28 WILLIAM MARKLE Will dated February 1820 Recorded 30 August 1828 Bro.-Henry Mentions Amos Rice under contract to him. Mentions Samuel L. Richardson Mentions brothers and sisters-not heirs. Sister-Aula, wife of Nathaniel Huntington Signed: William Markle father, Abraham Markle and brother, Henry Markle Executors: N. Huntington, S.R. Squire, and William Briggs Witnesses: page 30 JOHN NORRIS Will dated 9 September 1828 Recorded 4 October 1828 Wife: Ebby Norris Children-Stephen Nelson Norris John Ketcher Norris Samuel H. Thompson Norris Marthia Jane Norris Westley Norris Mentions William L. Veach

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page 30 - NORRIS, cont.
    Dau.-Seney Winchell
                                    Dau.-Elizabeth Norris
    Son--William
                                    Dau.-Anna Norris
    Son--Joel
                                    Dau.-Deborah Norris
    Son--James
                                    John Skinner
    Dau.-Fanny Carpenter
    Mentions lands in Vigo County, Indiana, and Shawney Town,
      Illinois
                                    Signed: John Norris
            John Cox and Robert Hoggatt
Executors:
Witnesses: Robert Caldwell, William (X) Collins, and Benj.
            F. Powers
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JEREMIAH WILSON
Will dated 20 December 1828
Recorded 9 January 1829
Wife: Elizabeth
    Children-Elizabeth Foster
                                    Aron Wilson
                                    Reben Wilson
             Edith Miles
                                   Samuel Wilson
             Merry Wilson
             William Wilson
                                   Miles Wilson
                                   Eldest son-Gabriel
             Jeremiah Wilson
             John Wilson
                                    Signed: Jeremiah Wilson
            Edward Miles and Robert Hoggatt
Executors:
Witnesses: Moses Hoggatt and Eliphatet Shattuck
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BENJAMIN STARKE
Will made 3 January 1831-Vigo County, Indiana Recorded 23 January 1831
Wife: Phebe
    Son--John
                                    Dau.-Hulda
                                    Dau.-Eddy
    Son--Henry
    Son--Elijah Arnold
                                    Dau.-Mary
    Son-Benjamin Franklin
                                    Dau. ----
                                    Dau.-Christiana
    Dau.-Ma---
                                   Dau.-Susannah
    Dau.-Elizabeth
    Dau.-Cyrena
                                   Dau.-Meriah
Executrix: wife, Phebe
Executor: Abraham Stark
Witnesses: Richard Canaday and Samuel B. (X) Lamar
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JAPHET BUSH
Recorded 31 July 1829
Wife: Hester Bush
    Son--William Bush
                                    Dau.-Sally Jones
                                    Son--Warren Bush
    Dau.-Caroline Putnam
Executrix: Hester Bush, wife
Witnesses: Eliphatet Shattuck, James Johnston, Nathan Andrews
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