

to be examined touching his knowledge thereof, how long such will hath been in his hands, by whom the same was delivered to him, if by the testator himself, or other, and by whom; and if he verily believes *that* to be the last, or only will and testament of the deceased: the answer to which being satisfactory, he is to prove the identity thereof, by taking the following oath, which is to be entered at the foot of the will, *verbatim*, viz

Then came A. B. and made oath, &c. that the within instrument of writing is the true, and whole will and testament of B. C. late of _____ county deceased, that hath come to his hands or possession; and that he doth not know of any other.

Probate to wills by the executor.

Certified per _____ deputy commissary of _____ county.

The witnesses to the will must next be examined; and being first required seriously to attend to the nature and effect of the oath they are going to take, are to answer the following interrogatories, to wit.

First. Do you acknowledge your name, signed to this will, to be of your hand writing?

Secondly. Did you really see the testator herein named, sign and seal this will, and did you

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