

The last Will and Testament of Geo. C. Spears as he detailed to us on the 16th of January 1864.

First, I want all my just debts paid.

Second, I give all my possessions both real and personal to my wife Ann Spears during her natural life.

I give my son Hugh Spears five hundred dollars out of my estate for six years annually, to make him equal with the rest of my children. Having reference to my books that I charged them in, I wish my two sons John L. Spears and Sydney C. Spears to act as Executors to my Estate and manage said Estate during my wife's lifetime, she still holding possession of every thing. I wish my wife to use my Estate with my children whenever she chooses so as to make them equal. in the distribution & at her death I wish all my property both real and personal to be sold and equally divided with all my children, having reference to the account book they were charged in in the final settlement.

I also wish my son John L. Spears & Sydney Spears to take charge of my estate without giving security.

This given under our hands the 10th day of January 1864

Charles Clark

A. Harris

We the wife and children of George C. Spears, deceased, do hereby certify that we are satisfied with the above Will and want said Will to be put on record, this 10th day Jan'y 1864.

Ann Spears

Geo. C. Spears

John L. Spears

Sydney C. Spears

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court Feb'y Term 1864

I Jon^a B. Nichols Clerk of the Boyle County Court do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the noncompulsory Will and Testament of George C. Spears dec^d was produced to Court at its above Term, and it being proven by the oaths of Charles Clark and A. Harris, it is therefore adjudged by the Court to be the noncompulsory Will of the said Geo. C. Spears dec^d, and as such ordered to be recorded, which is truly done in my office.

Given under my hand this 16th day of February 1864

Jon^a B. Nichols. Clerk

I Mary R. Ball being at this time in a low state of health and not knowing how soon I may be called hence do publish this as my last Will and Testament. After payment of all liabilities against me and the expenses that may be incurred by my funeral, It is my will that all the Estate I hold either in money Cash notes or negroes be equally divided between my two sisters Martha Stoner and Maria Ball.

And I hereby constitute and appoint the said Martha & Maria as joint Executors to this my last Will.

Given under my hand and seal this 19th day of January in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty four.

Attest

John R. Lyle

Eb. Owsley

Mary R. Ball (Seal)

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court March Term 1864

I Jon^a B. Nichols Clerk of the Boyle County Court do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mary R. Ball dec^d was produced to Court at its above Term, and it being duly proven by the oaths of John R. Lyle and Eb. Owsley, subscribing witnesses thereto, it is therefore adjudged by the Court to be the true last Will and Testament of the said Mary R. Ball dec^d and as such ordered to be recorded, which is truly done in my office.

Given under my hand this 21st day of March 1864

Jon^a B. Nichols. Clerk

Dec^r 22nd 1863.

I will and bequeath to my Husband, John Henry Funk one half of my property allotted to me by the trustees of my father's Estate. the other half, I give to my mother to use as she sees proper

Witness

Frederic R. Wingate

Geo. W. Hudson

Belle Caldwell

Martha A. Rippe-dans

Fannie C. Funk

State of Kentucky

Boyle County Court March Term 1864

I Jon^a B. Nichols Clerk of the Boyle County Court do certify that the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Fannie C. Funk dec^d was produced to Court at its above Term, and it being