

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Holding Probate Court

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, to-wit:

I, THEODORE COGSWELL, register of wills for the District of Columbia Clerk of the Probate Court, having by law the custody of the seal and of all the records, books, documents, and papers of, or appertaining to said Court, HEREBY CERTIFY the papers hereto annexed to be true copies of papers on file and of record in the Office of said Court, to-wit: The last will and testament of Wm. H. Layne, deceased, the proof of the subscribing witnesses thereto; the decree of the Court admitting said will to probate and record.

I FURTHER CERTIFY, That said will was duly executed, proved, and admitted to probate and record in accordance with the laws and usages of the District of Columbia, and that the probate of said will has not been set aside or annulled.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Probate Court, this 7th day of April, A. D., 1936.

THEODORE COGSWELL, CLERK OF PROBATE COURT
Register of Wills for the District of
Columbia

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, to-wit:

I, ALFRED A. WHEAT, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, do hereby certify that THEODORE COGSWELL whose genuine signature is ascribed to the foregoing certificate, was, at the time of signing and attesting the same, the register of wills in and for said District and Clerk of the Probate Court, and that said attestation by him is in due form, and that he is the proper officer to make the same.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 8th day of April, 1936.

ALFRED A. WHEAT, CHIEF JUSTICE.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, to-wit:

I, FRANK M. CUMMINGS, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, hereby certify that Alfred A. Wheat whose genuine signature is ascribed to the foregoing certificate, was, at the time of signing and attesting the same, Chief Justice of said Court, duly commissioned and qualified.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court this 8th day of April, 1936.

(SEAL)

FRANK M. CUMMINGS, CLERK
BY HARRY A. HULL, ASSISTANT CLERK.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
COUNTY OF FLOYD, SCT.

I, A. B. READE, Clerk of the County Court in and for the County and State aforesaid certify that the foregoing Will was on the 24th day of April, 1936, lodged for record; whereupon the same together with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

WITNESS my hand this the 24th day of June, 1936.

A. B. READE, CLERK

BY Margaret M. Spadlin

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:-

That I, Estell Taylor, of Martin Ky now at Concordat Pulaski County Ky being sound in mind and memory do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all wills by me heretofore made.

ITEM I

I direct that all my just debts be paid as soon as possible after my death.

ITEM II

I give, will and bequeath to Estell Barnett, daughter of Frank Barnett and my deceased by divorced engagement ring.

I have another diamond ring that I give will and bequeath to my mother-in-law Jessie Taylor.

I give will and bequeath one certain gold bracelet that came to me from my mother to my sister Jennie Ann.

I have insurance in the sum of \$3000.00 made to my mother Jennie

B. Barnett, I desire and request that she pay my funeral expenses from the proceeds of said insurance and the remainder thereof to be hers absolutely.

All the residue of my estate, Real, personal, mixed of every kind and character and wheresoever located I give, will and bequeath to my husband Demra Taylor to be his absolutely and in fee simple.

ITEM III

I hereby name, nominate and appoint my husband Demra Taylor to be the executor of this my last will and testament and request that he and he be required of him as such and that no inventory be made of my estate as far as same may be legally limited.

Given under my hand at Concordat Kentucky this January 10 1936.

ESTELL B. TAYLOR

We the undersigned do hereby certify that the foregoing will of Estell Taylor was this day produced to us in the County and State aforesaid and was duly signed by her in our presence and we have at her instance and request signed same as witnesses thereto and this in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Given under our hands this January 10th, 1936.

William Taylor Poshin residing at Concordat Ky
H. A. Barnett residing at Concordat Ky

Martin, Ky.
Sept. 10, 1936

Although my life insurance -

H. A. A. OF AMERICA
Metropolitan Life Ins.

\$1000
\$2000

is made to my mother, Mrs. Jennie B. Barnett, I wish it to go to my darling husband Demra Taylor, as I know he will it as I would want him to as my darling mother who means more to me than life itself.

ESTELL B. TAYLOR

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
COUNTY OF FLOYD, SCT.

I, A. B. READE, Clerk of the County Court in and for the County and State aforesaid certify that the foregoing will was on the 27 day of April, 1936 lodged for record; whereupon the same together with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

Witness my hand this the 10 day of July, 1936.

A. B. READE, CLERK

BY Margaret M. Spadlin

WILL OF MARY A. ELLIOTT

I, Mary A. Elliott, being of sound mind and memory, make this my last Will and Testament.

1. I want all debts that I owe including funeral and burial expenses paid by my executor.

2. I want my mother Arminie Osborn to use during her lifetime each of my household goods as she is now using. All the other of my household goods and clothes, I want divided equally among my nieces namely, Orpha Mae Osborn, Rebekah Roberts, Arminie Roberts, Elizabeth Osborn, Helen Osborn, Jennette Osborn, Ruth Osborn, Alta Osborn, Edna Osborn and Vivian Osborn.

3. After all debts and expenses as aforesaid together with executors expenses are paid I want the remainder of my personal property, including money and amounts of accounts due me when collected to be divided equally among my brothers and sister, namely, M. T. Osborn, M. L. Osborn, Stonewall Osborn, and Rhoda J. Roberts.

4. I want each of my brothers and sister, M. T. Osborn, M. L. Osborn, Stonewall Osborn and Rhoda J. Roberts to share equally in all my real estate in Todd Creek, in Floyd County, Kentucky. Said real estate includes the tract of land and gas and other minerals conveyed to M. T. Osborn, to me (Mary A. Osborn), M. L. Osborn, Stonewall and Rhoda J. Roberts by deed by M. L. Osborn and Arminie Osborn, also one-fifth interest in the coal, oil and gas and other minerals in lot No. 4 of the Robert McKinnis Farm. This I inherited from my father M. L. Osborn, deceased, who died intestate.

5. I intend hereby to convey the foregoing described real estate to W. T. Osborn, E. J. Osborn and Stonewall Osborn and Rhoda J. Roberts, their heirs and assigns forever.

6. I hereby make exceptions to bequests in paragraph No. 2 hereof; I want Rhoda J. Roberts to have my dresser, rocker and rug in the lower room, and I want Ruth Osborn to have my shoes, coats, hats and stockings.

7. I wish my niece, Ruth Osborn paid well for her services in caring for me in addition to the other foregoing bequests.

8. I hereby appoint my brother W. T. Osborn as my executor without bond.

9. As my permanent home and real estate are in Floyd County Kentucky I want this will probated in Floyd County, Kentucky.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1936.

MARY M. ELLIOTT

Witnesses:

Bertha A. Kessling
F. D. Coleman
Katie Puckett Shaw

STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF FLOYD SCT.,

I, A. B. MEADE, Clerk of the County Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing Will was on the 20th day of October, 1936 lodged for record; whereupon the same together with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

Witness my hand this the 20th day of November, 1936.

Attest, A. B. MEADE, Clerk

By Maggie Bailey D.C.

I, Tipton Hall, of Abu, Ky. being weak in body but strong in mind do make and publish this my last will and testament and all other wills that I have heretofore made.

First: It is my will that when I die that I be buried my expense be paid out of whatever money I have at my death, the same to be paid out of my money in the bank at Pikeville, Ky.

On account of my having lived in the home of my daughter Margaret Bush & John Bush, and the kind treatment they have given me, and had a time when it has been necessary for me to file suit to recover property that the remainder of my children have caused me in my declining days to worry and to file suit and to set aside deeds which I did not understand which I had made, and my beloved daughter Margaret Bush did not join in said suit, and did not carry me over my property but has treated me so kindly I do hereby will to her all of my money in Pikeville, Ark. bank or any other money or property that I own at my death, including the money I have in the bank and what I have in person and elsewhere.

I also will to my daughter Margaret Bush all of my real estate that I own in Floyd Co. Ky. which is located on left hand fork of Tolars Creek of Big Mud of Big Sandy River. It is my will that my daughter Margaret Bush have all the remainder of my land that I have not heretofore conveyed to my children for the reason that she had not caused me any worry or trouble over the deeds I have heretofore executed, and on account of the treatment Margaret Bush has given me in my last sickness and worry I give to her all of my personal property and real estate at the time of my death, and I hereby appoint my daughter Margaret Bush as my executrix of this my last will with out bond to carry out the same.

I hereby cancel and revoke any and all wills heretofore made by me.

Witness my hand in the presence of the undersigned witnesses on this the 16th day of Nov. 1936.

JAN HOWELL
JAN ROBERTS
DANIEL G. LEBURN

his
TIPTON A. HALL
CLERK

STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF FLOYD SCT.,

I, A. B. MEADE, Clerk of the County Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing Will was on the 22nd day of November, 1936, lodged for record; whereupon the same together with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

Witness my hand this the 31st day of December, 1936.

Attest, A. B. MEADE, Clerk

By Maggie Bailey D.C.

WILL OF FRANK FINION

IN THE NAME OF ALMIGHTY GOD, AMEN:

I, Frank Finion, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby make and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills heretofore made by me.

First, I desire that out of my estate, my doctors bills and hospital and burial expenses be paid in full.

Second, After the payment of the above items, if any, that all my just debts be paid in full.

Third, After the payment of the above two items, I will and bequeath all my property and estate, real, personal and mixed, of every kind and nature, and wherever situated, to my beloved children Corda Harless, Malcolm Finion, Belle Cornett, and my grand-children, Edna Picklesimer and Elma Picklesimer, Hence Finion, Lula Harless, Birdie Thompson, share and share alike, except my grand-children, Edna Picklesimer and Elma Picklesimer, shall share only the portion that would have been going to my daughter and their mother, Sala Picklesimer, had she been living.

I hereby appoint Hence Finion as Administrator of this my last will and testament.

In making this my last will and testament, I am not unwinding of my son, Lee Finion and his supposed heirs. May Finion Collins which I will and bequeath (\$1.00) One dollars.

Given under my hand, this the 17 day of Feb. 1934.

FRANK FINION

Witnesses:

C. S. Roop
Ellen C. Roop
Stonewall Cline
R. T. Hunt

STATE OF KENTUCKY

COUNTY OF FLOYD SCT.,

I, A. B. MEADE, Clerk of the County Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing Will was on the 25th day of July, 1936 lodged for record; whereupon the same together with the foregoing and this certificate have been duly recorded in my office.

Witness my hand this the 13th day of January, 1937.

Attest, A. B. MEADE, Clerk

By Maggie Bailey D.C.