

Franklin County Court July Term 1849  
 Auring forth of the the man called will of John G. Gromme  
 dead was this day produced in Court for probate & James Mason called & deposed  
 Spang long says I am as witness testified that the said writing contains  
 substantially the words or words to like import, used by said deceased, with  
 disposition of his property made at his boarding house within County, in his  
 last illness, and that the same was by him committed to writing within  
 six days after the death of said Gromme - Whereupon the same is  
 ordered to be received as the man called will of said decd and  
 the same is truly received in my office

J. H. Dennis. C. C.

Please  
 Sarah H

I Sarah H Bledsoe of the City of Lexington and State of Kentucky, do  
 hereby make and execute this my last will & Testament - Having had you  
 advanced to my beloved & beloved Joseph & Jane their just portion of my  
 small estate and knowing that my beloved grandson Benjamin Gratz Brown  
 will cheerfully acquiesce with my devise, I do hereby will and devise to my  
 beloved daughter Sarah H Bodley wife of Harry S Bodley of Lexington Kentucky,  
 all the estate of every kind which I now have or which at the time  
 of my decease may belong to me - In testimony whereof I have hereunto set  
 and affixed my name within the 10 Feb 1842 Truly, my name and  
 apparant Harry S Bodley executor of this my will and down Thomas  
 Grady as such and that no security be required of them

Witness C. S. Bodley  
 Mason Brown  
 Ben Gratz

S. H. Bledsoe (Seal?)

Witness to my last will - All my estate real and mixed, but being  
 be proved of or in any way entitled to out of the State of Kentucky, and  
 desire to descend to my heirs according to the intestate Law of Kentucky,  
 I hereby my Sons in Law Mason Brown and Harry S Bodley of Lexington  
 my executors, and it is my wish that the County in which they reside, may  
 not require Security of them or either of them Signed Sealed and delivered  
 this Seventh of August 1847.

Witness Ben Gratz  
 M. Bodley

S. H. Bledsoe (Seal?)

Franklin County Court August Term 1849 - August 20th 1849.  
 Auring forth of the the last will & Testament of Sarah H Bledsoe decd with a  
 Codicil thereto attached, and Mason Brown subscribing witness to the said will being  
 sworn stated that the said Sarah H Bledsoe the testator signed her name to the said  
 will with her presence, and with her name of Benjn Gratz the other subscribing witness  
 made and that the said Brown & Gratz signed their names as witnesses, and that  
 she acknowledged the same as her last will - And M. B. Gratz a party  
 to the Codicil was, duly sworn who stated that the said Sarah H Bledsoe  
 lived here some two and Codicil in his presence, as also with her name of  
 Benjamin Gratz the other subscribing witness, and that they both signed

the same name as witness to said Codicil with the name of the said Sarah H  
 and in the presence of each other, and she was duly sworn and  
 Codicil to be received as the last will and Testament of the said  
 Sarah H Bledsoe decd, and the same together with foregoing papers have been  
 truly received in my office  
 J. H. Dennis. C. C.

Judge I James T. Judge, do make this my last will and testament. First I  
 appoint Hugh B. Farnam and Hugh J. G. Cox as Executors of this Testament  
 Second I desire that my Executors shall immediately proceed to settle all  
 of my debts, and close up my affairs, and I hereby authorize them to settle  
 with the firm of "Greenleaf & Alley" all of my concerns with said firm  
 in such manner as in their discretion they may see proper to receive from  
 them all that may be due to me, and to pay the necessary receipts and acquit-  
 -ances thereof, and then powers in said Settlement shall extend to both the  
 really & peacefully, fully authorizing them to dispose of my interest in which con-  
 -cern as they may see proper. Third If my executor see proper, they  
 are authorized to continue my interests in said concern with their consent  
 as heretofore for the use and justice as herein after proposed.

Fourth As my executor shall wind up my estate it is my will that  
 they immediately pass the real property over into the hands of my friend  
 William H. G. Greenleaf who shall hold the same in trust for the use of my  
 children as hereinafter to be decided, and as they pass the same into his hands  
 they shall take care to see that one Sarah H Bledsoe be held by themselves as their  
 security and the other to be given to my Mother Elizabeth Judge -  
 Fifth And the said W. H. G. Greenleaf my trustee in aforesaid shall take care  
 to pass the said estate in trust to the use and benefit of my Mother during her  
 life, and after her death the same shall go absolutely to all of my  
 Brother and Sister in equal degree

Sixth But should my father survive my mother then I desire that  
 my father shall have the six Sevenths parts of my estate to be held by my said  
 trustee for his life and benefit and not be subject to my father's creditors  
 Seventh Sarah my trustee during the life of my mother to make such  
 investments of the trust funds as may be proper, with the consent of my  
 executor or either of them may desire

Eighth - Having an limited confidence in my Mother I request  
 that she will use her life interest in such way as will conduce  
 most to the good of the family, that is to say - herself and my father  
 and my Brother and children as long as they shall continue in the family  
 I do hereby give and devise unto my friend "Greenleaf & Alley" to be held by  
 them in trust "with Greenleaf & Co" In testimony whereof I have hereunto  
 set my hand and seal this the 29th day of August 1849

Witness James T. Judge  
 in presence of the 29th August 1849

J. T. Judge (Seal?)

Franklin County Court Septor Term 1849

Having perused the last will and testament of James T. Hearn dec<sup>d</sup> was produced in Court and was proven by the oath of W. C. Reed a Subscribing Witness thereto, and it was further proven by the oath of the said W. C. Reed that W. D. Reed the other Subscribing Witness thereto, signed his name as a witness to said will in his presence, and also in the presence of the testator - It is therefore ordered the said will be recorded as the last will and testament of the said James T. Hearn dec<sup>d</sup> and the same is hereby recorded in my office  
A. H. Pennington C. J.

Hearn  
Andant

Franklin County Kentucky July 18<sup>th</sup> 1849.  
In the name of god Amen I Andrew Hearn of the County and State aforesaid after due consideration and reflection make and ordain the following my last will and testament as follows to wit

I give unto my wife Sally Hearn all the land whereon I now live in the County and State aforesaid - I am to give unto my aforesaid my negro woman Pussilla and her child Obediah and her in case of any during her life - I am to give to my negro woman Pussilla during my wife Sally Hearn's life that she shall have her share of any my children to own and possess of right as a part of my estate at fifty dollars less than her value that she shall have and after fifty dollars is deducted from her value aforesaid the residue that is over is to be paid over in cash of my estate to be divided among my other children as I am to give to my said wife and her children my whole tract of land whereon I now live with the outbuildings and slave owned after the death of myself and wife to be of right by my will signed and published by my son Charles G. Hearn - I am to give

I will after my just debts is paid that all my estate that is not disposed of as directed above to be sold and the amount of the sale money be equally divided among all my children according from each my part the amount that they have received for my son William W. Hearn is hereby excluded having received his full part of all my estate and received for the same I approve for my executor my son Charles G. Hearn and William H. Middle - Witness my hand the day & date above written

Witness Thomas Hall  
I H. Hearn

Andrew Hearn (C)

Franklin County Court August Term 1849

Having perused the last will & testament of Andrew Hearn dec<sup>d</sup> was produced in Court and was proven by the oath of I. H. Hearn a Subscribing Witness thereto

at A. H. Pennington C. J.

Franklin County Court Septor Term 1849.

The last will and testament of Andrew Hearn dec<sup>d</sup> was further fully proven by the oath of Thomas Hall dec<sup>d</sup> whereupon the same is ordered to be recorded, and the same is hereby recorded in my office  
A. H. Pennington C. J.

Morgan In the name of God Amen I Isaac Morgan of Franklin County Kentucky make this my last will and testament in manner following to wit after my death I leave all my just debts to be paid and I leave upon my death my home and other to the survivor of myself my wife and my children who shall survive and I give my negro man during her life for her sole support and support to be considered as a part of my estate and after her death she shall be divided equally among my children and after her death I leave the residue of my estate to my grand child Fleta Monthead and an adopted child George Person the whole of my estate as above named to be held in trust for said children until they each arrive at the age of 21 years by my executor herein after named whom I have appointed a trustee for said purpose. The bequest herein made to George Person is upon the following terms & conditions and none other to wit that he continue to live with me during my life and with my consent upon my death should he survive me and look after our interests and conduct our business and in all things report himself in a legal kind and order and account to my self so long as either of us live but if he fails to comply with the foregoing requirements then I leave after the death of my self that all my estate of whatever character be held by my executor as trustee for the benefit of my grand children above named during her minority and when she shall arrive at full age then to work when exclaim shall be made in full payment and I hereby appoint my friend Morgan & China trustee and executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other former wills heretofore made - In testimony of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11<sup>th</sup> day of Septor 1848.

Isaac Morgan  
W. Seal

Isaac Morgan (C)

Franklin Co. Ky 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1849.

I do hereby certify this as a correct copy of the last will and testament of Isaac Morgan deceased being found in my hands and being the bequest with the body herein of Elizabeth M. Monthead daughter of Isaac Morgan one half of my property as a personal or real after the death of my wife Helen Morgan and in case of the death of E. M. Monthead and her heirs then the property to remain to the heirs of my sister Hannah M. Mott of Warren County and State of Ohio

Witness William P. Ball  
George C. Hatcher

Isaac Morgan (C)

Franklin County Court Septor Term 1849.

Having perused the last will & testament of Isaac Morgan dec<sup>d</sup> and found it to be a true copy of the same as shown by the oath of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto

Franklin County Court October Term 1849

The last will and testament of Isaac Morgan dec<sup>d</sup> was further fully proven by the oath of A. C. Gove and W. Seal the Subscribing Witnesses thereto whereupon the same is ordered to be recorded and the same is hereby recorded in my office