

State of Kentucky SS

Franklin County Court May 1. 1869

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Lucy J Taylor dec^d was produced in court and was proved by the oath of W B Taylor & Dr W H Rhythian the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded which is truly done
A H Pennick cplb

J Surgent

I make this my last will & testament. I appoint my brother Philips sons Danl & Jacob, & H Taylor Jr and Dr J S Price my Executors (security by the court not to be required) I vest in them the title to my whole estate subject to the restrictions herein set forth a majority to control Lucy, Emma & Daniel have had their share, no debts to them; Lucy & Emma not to be charged for board. The debt due to me from Dr Blanton's estate to be paid if able with interest, I devise to Hollen two thousand dollars in money or property to be handed to her when she needs it in the opinion of the Executors. I owe my wards Marget Johnson a debt, my acct will show the amount her board & clothing set off against the interest, I owe Stape a small amt; no interest to be paid. Taylor to make the settlements & convey the property he acquired as the trustee of Settle, he will collect what is practicable, I have stated the acct with him on a settlement. Son Joe not to be charged with the balance of his education. Whatever of my estate may be left after payment of debts to be divided between my three youngest sons, if either die without being married that interest to go to the other. My Library will be distributed among all the children according to their tastes for reading. Danl has had his in large W^s of the God Review. My Erors will see that my servants who behave properly shall not be imposed on. My brother Philips has aided me & hope he will still do so & advise my dear children. I trust my friend Taylor will out of his abundant means aid them, they both know that I would in such a case aid them to the extent of my ability
Witness my hand & Seal this 29th Jan'y 1860

J Surgent

1st Codicil. I will to brother Philips my Henry purchased of the Marshalls he will control & sell it to in paying my debts
2^d Codicil to my will = I appoint my friend Dr Price joint Executor of my will with the same powers the others. that my servants may all be protected & cared particularly Mary Ristow who has aided in nursing me
9th Dec 1865
J Surgent

& devicil to my will - The item giving Hollen two thousand dollars is stricken out and the balance of my estate after payment my debts is to be divided between her & three boys on the terms mentioned in the will if some of them die without being married
Witness my hand this 10 day of May 1866

J Surgent Seal

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Franklin County Court May 10 1869

A writing purporting to be the last will & testament of Jacob Surgent dec^d with two codicils attached was this day produced in court and there being no subscribing witnesses to the said will, or codicils Alexander H Pennick & Richard Long being sworn testified that the said Will & Codicils with the signatures thereto are wholly in the hand writing of the testator. And thereupon said will & Codicils are ordered to be recorded which is truly done
A H Pennick cplb

Dixon

I Wm W Dixon being weak in body but of disposing mind & memory make & constitute this following my last Will & testament -

- 1st I will that my Executrix hereafter named shall cause my body to be decently buried and a suitable head & foot stone to be erected at my grave for which she shall pay for out of my estate.
- 2^d I will & bequeath to Mrs Follis Jett such a sum as will be a fair compensation for her kindness & care towards me during my illness.
- 3^d I will & bequeath that seventy five dollars be left on the hands of my executrix to be used as she may think best for the use of Mrs Fanny Cully.
- 4th I will & bequeath that the balance of my estate shall be equally divided between my mother & two brothers, provided my mother does not wish any part of my estate then it is to be equally divided between my two brothers alone.
- 5th I constitute & appoint Mrs Letitia Jett the executrix of this my last Will & testament. My Estate consists of one note on George Edwards for one hundred & fifty dollars due July 6th 1866 - one note on Lewis B Bratcher for two hundred & fifty dollars due March 6th 1868 and Twenty four dollars & 25 cents balance due on a note against Mrs Letitia Jett due 1st April 1868 -
this 6th day of March 1869
Wm W Dixon
att - D R Jones
Thomas H Edwards

Franklin County Court June 23 1869
A writing purporting to be the last Will & testament of William Dixon dec^d was produced to court and proved by the oath of Thomas H Edwards the subscribing witness thereto
J Surgent