

every of every character wherever situated — hereby making my said husband with a fee simple in and really, and an absolute ownership of the personally, and hereby constitute and appoint my said husband, John Johnson the Executor of this will, and request the Court granting probate hereof, will require of said Executor no Security: Should I owe any debt or demands the same to be paid, Witness the hand of the Testatrix this 17th day of November A.D. 1878.

Anne Johnson

The foregoing Will of Mrs Anne Johnson, being read in the presence of the Testatrix, and in our presence she signed the same, and declared it to be her Will, and we hereby affix our names below, in the presence of each other and the Testatrix as Subscribing Witnesses.
Nov 17 1878.

A. C. Talbot

A. T. Dudley.

State of Kentucky } Henderson County Court 1888.
Henderson County } February Term (27th day 1888)

This day a paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mrs Anne Johnson, deceased, late of Henderson County, was produced in open court and proven according to law by the oath of A. C. Talbot and A. T. Dudley, subscribing witnesses thereto, thereupon the same was adjudged by the Court to be the last Will of Mrs Anne Johnson, and ordered to be recorded as such, which is here done accordingly.

Attest

Geo. H. Smith, C. H. C. C.

I Francis Amory of Beverly in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts make and declare this my last Will and Testament —
1st I desire that my Executors shall first pay all my just debts of which the principal is the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars & interest due to John Amory. So much or certain promissory notes to be retained by him from the income or principal of the residue of my father's Estate now held in trust by him under the terms of the will, 2nd I give to my brother George H. Amory the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, or in the event of his death to the children of his eldest son John S. Amory dec^d share and share alike 3rd I give to my nephew Francis Amory Jr now of Boston the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars or in the event of his death to the children of my nephew John S. Amory aforesaid dec^d who may be living share and share alike, 4th I give to my nephew Geo H. Amory now of Lincoln Nebraska a Thousand Dollars and a release from the payment of any sum due me on his own promissory notes, and in the event of his death, to his two children Ruth and Cornelia or the

survivors of them, 5th I give to Mrs Ellen Amory widow of John S. Amory aforesaid, Two Thousand Dollars and in the event of her death to her eldest daughter Mamie Thomas also of Evansville Indiana, 6th I give to Mrs Mamie Thomas aforesaid daughter of John S. Amory dec^d the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, or in the event of her death, to her husband Levi D. Thomas of Evansville Ind, 7th I give to Fannie Amory daughter of John S. Amory dec^d aforesaid, One Thousand Dollars or in the event of her death, to her sister Grace Amory, 8th I give to Grace Amory daughter of John S. Amory dec^d One Thousand Dollars or in the event of her death without children to her sister Mrs Mamie Thomas or her children, 9th I give to George Amory son of John S. Amory dec^d the sum of Five Thousand Dollars to be paid him on reaching the age of twenty one, 10th I give to Francis Amory son of John S. Amory dec^d aforesaid the sum of Five Thousand Dollars the principal to be paid him on reaching the age of twenty one, and the income of said Five Thousand Dollars paid annually for his benefit toward his maintenance and education — 11th I give to Mrs Adelaide Amory wife of my nephew Geo H. Amory now of Lincoln Nebraska the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars payable to her and for her own use on his proper receipt and acquittance free from any debt or control of her said husband, 12th I give to Ruth Amory eldest daughter of Mrs Adelaide Amory One Thousand Dollars the principal & interest that may accumulate thereon to be paid her on reaching age of Eighteen — 13th I give to Cornelia Amory, second daughter of Mrs Adelaide Amory, One Thousand Dollars, the principal and interest that may accumulate thereon to be paid her on reaching age of eighteen, 14th I give to Francis Hopkins of Evansville Indiana son of John S. Hopkins One Thousand Dollars, 15th I give to Geo S. Lehart of Evansville Indiana formerly my attorney Five Hundred Dollars, 16th I give to William M. Bell of Evansville Indiana now acting as my Agent and Attorney Three Thousand Dollars and release him from a debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars and interest due me on two promissory notes, 17th I give to Mary Bell of Evansville Indiana sister of said William M. Bell the sum of Two Thousand Dollars and in the event of her death, to her mother Mrs Julia Bell and after her to her son William M. aforesaid, 18th I give to Charles C. Loring of Boston the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars as a mark of my friendship and esteem, and in the event of his death to his wife Mary C. Loring and his daughter Ruth or the survivors of them, 19th I give to Miss Anna P. Jackson of Boston daughter of P. P. Jackson One Thousand Dollars as a mark of esteem, 20th I give the sum of One Thousand Dollars to my Cousin Samuel K. Lathrop of Boston 21st I give the sum of One Thousand Dollars to my Cousin Mrs Francis Lathrop now of the State of Missouri as supposed, or in the event of her death to her sister Mrs Mary Ann Wetmore of New York and her children or the survivors of them, 22nd I give to my nephew George A. Goddard any pictures of mine now in his possession whether at Beverly or Boston designing and intending to include any pictures

of mine now hanging in my room and in the parlor at No 1 Mt Vernon Place as well as all those in his house at Beverly, 25th I give to my Cousin Anne C Lowell any pictures owned by me, now in her possession, 26th I give to my nephew Francis Amory Junr my library and collection of books in Boston also my collection of pictures and engravings of whales and other nature other than those reserved as above in articles 22 and 23, on this page 25. I give to Dr. J. Noble of Milwau Mass the sum of One Thousand Dollars, and a release from payment of any promissory notes made payable to my order previous to January 1st 1851 and desire that the same may be returned to him, this is not intended to release him from liability on any notes given out at a date subsequent date to Jan 1st 51 or on which I may have become an endorser for J. Noble or D. Sparrow, on act of their business, 26th I give to Samuel Snow of Cambridge Mass the sum of One Thousand Dollars as a mark of esteem and appreciation of his services, 27th I give to The Young Men's Christian Union, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, 28th I give to The New England Hospital for women and children of Boston the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars from which one free bed shall be provided and maintained which may be called after the donor if not inconsistent with the rules of the Hospital, 29th I give to my Cousin John Amory Lowell, One Thousand Dollars in testimony of my esteem and appreciation of many acts of kindness, 30th I give to my nephew George A Goddard, the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars I give and appropriate out of the income or principal of my estate father's estate, now held in trust under the terms of his will, whatever sums may be needed to pay my notes to John A Lowell, referred to in the first clause of this my last will and testament, next what may be needed to pay the legacies to my brother Geo W Amory, to my nephew Geo A Amory, to Mrs Ellen Amory and the children of John Amory deceased, and to pay Mrs Adelaide Amory and her children Ruth & Cornelia on their respective order as provided for in clauses numbered. 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12. And in case these several legacies should be fully provided and paid before the death of my brother Geo W Amory the last survivor under the will of my father, then I give and appropriate 2000 of the annual income of the residue of my father's estate to the maintenance and education of the children of John A Amory deceased also \$2000 of the annual income as aforesaid to Adelaide Amory aforesaid to be paid only on her personal estate free from any control of her husband Geo W Amory or his executors or assigns and that the remaining income of \$2000 more or less equally between my two nephews, Francis Amory Junr and Geo A Goddard, I give to the said Francis Amory Junr and Geo A Goddard my nephews all the rest and residue of my estate together with my share of the principal of the residue of my father's estate, now held in trust under his will, and my other property of which I have the power to dispose by will my share of the income thereof having been provided for as above. In the event of the decease of my nephew Geo A Goddard in my life time leaving no wife or children I give

one half of said residue and other property to the heirs or next of kin of my said nephew Geo A Goddard on his mother's side, and one half to Lehas & Loring of Boston, but in case of the decease of the said Geo A Goddard in my life time leaving a wife and children they shall inherit the above bequest. In the event of the decease of my nephew Francis Amory Junr in my life time leaving no children, I give the one half of all the rest and residue of my estate together with my share of the principal of the residue of my father's estate to the widow and children of my nephew John A Amory deceased share and share alike, but in case of the decease of the said Francis Amory Junr in my life time leaving a child or children they shall inherit the above bequest. I appoint my nephew Geo A Goddard and Samuel Snow of Cambridge to be the executors of my last will and request that they be not required to give sureties on their official bonds. In as much as a considerable part of my estate can not readily be converted into cash assets being situated in Western lands, and in trust, it is my wish that my executors shall be allowed from time to time to settle the estate at their discretion. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ninth day of May A D Eighteen Hundred and Eighty one in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our hands as attesting witnesses =
 Requested to Sign
 Geo A Goddard
 Mary Jane Robinson

Will proved June 6 - 1851.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Essex, SS.

At a Probate Court holden at Salem on and for said County of Essex on the first Monday of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty one. On the petition of George A Goddard of Boston in the County of Suffolk and Samuel Snow of Cambridge in the County of Middlesex and both in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts praying that the instrument presented purporting to be the last will and testament of Francis Amory late of Beverly in said County of Essex, gentleman deceased, may be proved and allowed and letters testamentary issued to them, the Executors therein named; and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds, and the heirs-at-law next of kin and all other persons interested having been duly notified according to the order of Court to appear and show cause, if any they have, against the same; and no party objecting thereto and it appearing that said will and instrument is the last will and testament of said deceased and is as legally executed and that said testator was at the time of making same of full age and sound mind and that said petitioners are competent persons to be appointed to said trust. It is therefore decreed that said instrument be approved

and allowed as the last will and testament of said deceased and letters testamentary bearing to said petitioners they first gave bond with suitable sureties for the due performance of said trust.

Geo P Choate, Judge of
Probate Court

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Essex SS.

Office of Register of Probate and Insolvency

I Jeremiah S Mahoney, Register of Probate and Insolvency for said County of Essex, having by law the custody of the seal and all the records, books, documents and papers of or appertaining to the Court of Probate and Insolvency hereby certify the papers hereto annexed to be true copies of papers appertaining to the Court of Probate and Insolvency and of record in the office of said Court viz. of the last will and testament of Francis Amory late of & formerly in said County. Gentlemen deceased, and of the decree of probate thereof In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court this ninth day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-one



J S Mahoney
Register

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Essex SS.
Probate Court

I George P Choate Esquire, Judge of the Probate Court within and for the County of Essex hereby certify that Jeremiah S Mahoney whose signature is affixed to the annexed certificate and attestation is the Register and proper certifying officer of said Court and has by law the custody of the seal and all the records, books, documents and papers of or appertaining to said Court and that said certificate and attestation are in due form and entitled to full faith and credit. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this ninth day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Eighty-one

Geo P Choate, Judge
of the Probate Court

State of Kentucky Henderson County Court

Henderson County 1st Day Term 27th day of Feb'y 1885

I Geo H Smith clerk of the Henderson County Court do hereby certify that the foregoing paper, purporting to be the last will and testament of Francis Amory late of & formerly in said County, was this day lodged in my office for record and that the same together with the certificates thereon enclosed has been duly recorded in my office. Attest Geo H Smith Clerk

By J N Bowdler &c

Henderson Ky July 9th 1885 Life at best is short and I think it but right to put on paper some words and wishes for my two darling children Emma and Mary to look upon after I have pass'd away. I do not fear death, not because I am holy, or good, in my own strength, but because I know that my Redeemer liveth, and through His merits and pardoning grace I hope to be saved, and pray that He will keep my husband and dear children one and all in the path of safety, and we may be a united family in their kingdom forever. I wish my daughter Emma B. Tanner to have the work table left me by Aunt Sally and my daughter Mary to have the writing desk - if they prefer to exchange its all right. The white counterpane made in my grandfather Hopkins farm in 1819 my daughter Emma can have. The quilt given me by my sister in law Mrs Lee I wish my daughter Mary to have. I wish Mary to have my garnet jewelry, and Emma to have my topaz pins, & the silver service if she wishes it, if not then let Mary have it, my other jewelry, which is but little, they can divide and keep as souvenirs of a loving mother. My silver spoons I give to Mary as Emma has plenty, yet if Emma would like half dozen of the teaspoons she and Mary can arrange it. All my household furniture bedding &c I give to Mary with the exception of furniture and bedding for a room for my husband during his life. My children must always be kind and tender to their father, for whom I am gone he will miss me. At my death my daughter Mary comes into possession of half the house and lot on 2d street in the City of Henderson Ky (where I now live) the other half is mine given me by deed of Mr. & Mrs J. J. Tanner who held an interest in it by the will of my grandmother Catherine Brent. My half of said lot I give to my daughter Mary reserving for my husband John S. Dunch during his life (if he should need it so long) a means of support from the half, and at his death, or so soon as he does not need it as a means of support, I give it to my daughter Mary, to be taken possession of it by her and to use as she pleases. My daughter Emma B. Tanner is well provided for and does not need anything from me, but if I had it to give would gladly divide it with her and family, she is a darling loving daughter, and her husband Mr Tanner is one of "Nature's noblemen". The sword presented me by the State of Ky. in honor of Major Barbours gallantry as a soldier I leave to my grandson John Stewart Tanner believing he will prize it, and if ever called upon to use it will do so with honor to himself and to the cause he defends. The portrait of Major Barbours I present to the State of Ky. to adorn the walls of the Capitol. I give to my darling grandson Brent Tanner the engraving of Henry Clay, where he is making his celebrated compromise speech in the Senate in 1850. I expect this picture in all their articles in the house given to my daughter Mary. I have some hardcover books which Emma and Mary can divide between them, as Emma has a fine collection herself she should give Mary first choice of mine. My uncle John B. Bith at his death left me a one thousand dollar (\$1000) Bond on a Cincinnati and Indianapolis Rail Road, it is in the hands of the Cashier of the Farmers Bank of Henderson in trust for me, at my death I give said \$1000 Bond to my daughter Mary S. Bunch for