

State of Kentucky
Henderson County, Ky. February Court 1879
This day this Paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of A. H. Hicks late of Henderson County, Ky. was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the Oaths of Thos. H. Bennett on 28 day Feb. 1879 and W. O. Bennett on March 1st 1879 Subscribing Witnesses thereto and the same was adjudged to be the true last will and Testament of A. H. Hicks Dec. and ordered to be recorded as such which is here done accordingly.

Attest Geo. W. Smith & Co.
By Sam. W. Sigmore Dec.

James H. Jones
Will

Henderson County Ky. February the 18th 1879
I James H. Jones know myself to be in my wife mine and knowing that I am liable to die at any time and having my property of who shall settle my business I will say in the presence of these witnesses that I leave A. G. Jones as my Executor and Guardian for my Child Ida Jones without any security on his part.

James H. Jones
Attest J. P. Moss
J. A. Moss.

J. A. Moss
Deposition to
Jones' Will

The Deposition of J. A. Moss taken this 28th day of Feb. 1879 to be Read as Testimony in the case of the Will of James H. Jones Dec. The deponent after being duly sworn deposes as follows. Says that he is 30 years of age, Says that he is sound in mind but feeble in health. Says that he signed the will of James H. Jones in Jones' presence and saw Jones sign it. Says that he knows the present to be the same will that he signed and that it is his hand writing where he signed his name. Says that he saw J. P. Moss the other witness sign the will also. Says that he believes that James H. Jones was in sound mind when he signed the will as he ever saw him.

J. A. Moss.

State of Ky. Henderson County

J. H. Webster a Justice of the Peace for said County Certify that the foregoing Deposition of J. A. Moss was taken before me this 28th day of Feb. 1879 at the Residence of J. A. Moss in said County and that he was duly sworn before giving it, that it was written by me in his presence, and Read to him in my presence and subscribed by him in my presence and that A. G. Jones the Executor was present at the time the Deposition was taken and Read to him. Given under my hand this 28th day of Feb. 1879.

H. H. Webster J.P. & Co.

J. P. Moss' Deposition to Jones' Will
The Deposition of James P. Moss to be Read as evidence in the Matter of Deposition to probating the Will of James H. Jones Dec. taken this 3rd day of March 1879. The deponent after being duly sworn deposes as follows. Says that he is 30 years old, Says that he is sound in mind but feeble in health. Says that the paper presented purporting to be the last Will and Testament of James H. Jones Dec. is the same paper that he signed as witness, Says that it was Read in his presence, Says that he saw James H. Jones subscribe said will, Says that he J. P. Moss signed said will as witness in presence of J. H. Jones & J. A. Moss, Says that he believes Jones was in sound mind.

J. P. Moss.

State of Ky. Henderson County

J. H. Webster a Justice of the Peace for Henderson County Ky. certify that the foregoing Deposition of James P. Moss was taken before me this 3rd day of March 1879. that J. P. Moss was duly sworn before giving it. That it was written by me and Read to him in his presence and that he was duly sworn to and subscribed the same in my presence. Given under my hand this 3rd day of March 1879.

H. H. Webster J.P. & Co.

State of Kentucky, Jefferson

Henderson County February County Court 1879.
This day this Paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of James H. Jones late of Henderson Co. Ky. Dec. was produced in open Court and Proven by the foregoing Depositions of J. A. Moss & J. P. Moss, subscribing witnesses thereto, And the same was adjudged to be the true last Will & Testament of James H. Jones Dec. and ordered to be recorded as such, which is here done accordingly.

Attest Geo. W. Smith & Co.
By Sam. W. Sigmore & Co.

James B. Norment
Will

Henderson Co. Ky. March 9th 1879.
In the name of God: Amen.

Know all men that I James B. Norment being of sound mind do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament. First It is my desire that all my just debts be paid. Secondly I bequeath all my property to my wife Leita Norment to be held in trust for the support of herself and the support of and education of any child or children that may hereafter be born to me of her should no child be born or should one be born and die before attaining its majority I desire that my wife the said Leita Norment shall have all my property during her life after which it is to be distributed among my natural heirs, should any child be born to me it is my desire that it shall pass on attaining its majority two thirds of my real estate and

my personal property as may not be given to my widow by law should it be necessary for the support and education of any child or children born to me; my wife the said Leila Norment is empowered to sell any real estate belonging to me other than the farm on which I now reside in such manner as may be deemed best by her should my wife the said Leila Norment marry again and should any child of mine be living at the time the said child is to have two thirds of my estate, but should said child die before attaining its majority then this property is to go back to the said Leila Norment for her natural life. I hereby appoint my wife the said Leila Norment the sole executrix of this will and request that no security be required on her bond. In witness whereof I hereunto place my hand.

At B. Smith {Witness
R. M. Walker { J. B. Norment

State of Kentucky

Henderson County 3 April County Court 1879

This day this paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. B. Norment late of Henderson County Ky deceased, was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the Oaths of Atty. Smith & R. M. Walker subscribing witnesses thereto, and the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of J. B. Norment Decd and ordered to be recorded as such, which is here done accordingly.

Attest Geo. H. Smith C. C. C.
By Saml. H. Sigmons A. C.

Fortunes, P.
Crosby's
Will

March 31st 1879

I, Fortunatus P. Crosby of the County of Henderson and State of Kentucky being of sound mind make this my last will and testament. I will that my just debts be paid. I give one hundred and five acres of land on which I reside to my wife M. A. Crosby as long as she may live; I give to my said wife the choice of two of my horses or mules as she may choose wishing her to hold the two best animals I may leave, also two cows and calves such as she may choose, also two head of sheep, also all my hogs, also all my household and kitchen furniture, also three hundred dollars if there shall be that much after paying my debts, if not so much, then, all that may be left after paying my debts. I give my other tract of land containing about one hundred and fifty acres to my nephew James Wesley Watkins, At my wife's death, I will that the tract of land given her for life, be given to my said nephew James Wesley Watkins and my niece Sarah J. Warren one half in value to each; if there is any thing left after paying my debts and the three hundred dollars bequest to my wife, I hereby give it to James Wesley Watkins

I desire my nephew James Wesley Watkins to become my executor or guardian of the proper funds.
Witness L. A. Farmer
By J. P. Harwell

State of Kentucky

Henderson County 3 April County Court 1879

This day this paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of Fortunatus P. Crosby late of Henderson County Ky, deceased was produced in open Court and proved according to law by the Oaths of L. A. Farmer & By J. P. Harwell as subscribing witnesses thereto, and the same was adjudged to be the true last Will and Testament of Fortunatus P. Crosby decd and ordered to be recorded as such, which is here done accordingly.

Attest Geo. H. Smith C. C. C.
By Saml. H. Sigmons A. C.

Joel Lambert
Will

Joel Lambert of Henderson County Kentucky make and publish this as my only true last will and testament - All of my just debts shall be paid as soon after the qualification of the executors hereinafter named as the interest of my estate will allow - All the rest and residue of my estate of every kind and description that remains after the payment of my debts that I may die possessed of I devise and bequeath unto S. H. Nunn Saml. H. Lambert John J. Rousseau and Manning M. Himmel in trust for the following purposes, namely - First to manage and control the said estate and to collect the rents issues and profits thereof and after paying taxes repairs and other necessary expenses to pay the remainder of said rents issues and profits to my beloved wife Polly Lambert for and during the term of her natural life. Second - During the life of my said wife to sell and make conveyances of any of said estate real or personal and collect the proceeds thereof and reinvest said proceeds for the benefit of the estate hereby devised to them in such manner as they may deem best. The property acquired by such reinvestments to be held in the trust and upon the conditions herein expressed. Third - After the death of my said wife to divide the whole estate into as many equal parts as I may have children and grand children the descendants of each child of mine representing one share and to