

Lena Poff being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and contribute this my last will and testament to wit. I hereby will give and bequeath to my beloved husband Fred Poff all my personal property including one note of \$300, dated 25 September 1888 and given by Philip Stephen and Maggie Stephen at Paduch, Kentucky on which said note there is a credit of \$150⁰⁰ paid on day of Nov 1888 said note bears six per cent interest from date until paid. Witness my hand this July 26th 1889.

Witness Mat Nelson

Geo A Nelson

Lena Poff

State of Kentucky } Henderson County Court Aug Term 1889
County of Henderson } (26th day of Aug 1889)

This day a paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of Lena Poff dec^d late of Henderson County was produced in open Court and proven according to law by the oath of Mat Nelson and Geo A Nelson subscribing witnesses thereto. Thereupon the same was adjudged by the Court to be the last will of Lena Poff and ordered to be recorded which is here done accordingly.

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Geo W Smith clk

In the name of God Amen. I William Bailey of the City and County of Henderson State of Kentucky being sick and weak in body but of sound mind and disposing memory knowing the uncertainty of life and being desirous of disposing of the worldly estate which God has been pleased to bless me with do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner following. First. I desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses shall first be paid. Second. I give and bequeath to Martha Schlamp E W Wortham and William Cummings & all my property, personal, real and mixed to be held in trust for my children. They are to settle up my estate to the best of their ability and divide the it as equally as possible between my four children Maggie Mattie Rachel & Anne soon as possible after my death. Third. I appoint these gentlemen named my executors to act with this will annexed without bond in wherever whereof I have here set my hand this 10th day of Aug 1889.

att E B Eggenrold Jr

William Bailey
mark

Subscribed and acknowledged as and for the last will and Testament of William Bailey in our presence and at his request, signed by us on his presence in the presence of each other this Aug 10th 1889.

P C Kyle
Wm Cummings &

State of Kentucky } Henderson County Court August Term 1889
County of Henderson } (26th day of August 1889)

This day a paper purporting to be the last will and Testament of William Bailey dec^d late of Henderson County was produced in open Court and proven according to law by the oath of P C Kyle and William Cummings subscribing witnesses thereto, thereupon the same was adjudged by the Court to be the last will of Wm Bailey and ordered to be recorded as such which is here done accordingly.

Witness

Geo W Smith clerk

I Laura M Holloway of the County of Henderson and State of Kentucky being of sound mind and disposing memory, and wishing to avail myself of the right given under the will of my deceased husband John D Holloway dec^d, do make this my last will and testament. 1st I devise to my son Wm S Holloway and M S Holloway in trust, the sum of five thousand dollars. They are to invest said sum in a good and secure manner, in stocks bonds or lands, and are authorized in their discretion to pay the annual income therefrom, a any part thereof to my son Wm S Holloway during his natural life. They are to be under no legal obligation to do so, nor is said W S Holloway to have the right to compel them to do so, but they are to have the right to exercise their own discretion and will about the matter. At the death of the said W S Holloway the said sum is to be equally divided among my children, or their descendants if dead 'per stirpes'. 2nd I devise to my son W S Holloway all the stock, teams, tools and farming implements on hand at my death, subject to the provision made in the 3rd clause of this will. 3rd I devise to each of my daughters and daughters in law a dowry and self. If not or less than my executors are to purchase same for them. 4th I devise to my grand daughter Sophie Cammell five hundred dollars. 5th I hereby expressly revoke any and all wills heretofore made by me. 6th I nominate and appoint my son Wm S Holloway Executor of this my last will and testament. In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 27th day of April 1888, in the presence of the subscribing witnesses.

Laura M Holloway

Signed in the presence of
the testator and in the
presence of each other
W M Nelson
H L Albee

State of Kentucky, September County Court 1889
 Henderson County, Sept Term (23rd day of Sept 1889)

This day a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs Laura Holloway dec^d late of Henderson County was produced in open court and proved by the oath of J M Hines and W S Hines subscribing witnesses thereto, thereupon the same was adjudged by the court to be the last will of Mrs Laura Holloway dec^d and ordered to be recorded, which is here done accordingly. Attest

Leah Smith Clk
 By J H Beverly DC

Will Record, Shelby County Probate Court 1889.

Will of Ruth Ellwell, Dated Aug 3rd 1889.
 State of Tenn Shelby Co.

I, Ruth Ellwell, being of sound and disposing mind, do make, and publish the my last will and testament. To my beloved husband, James C. Ellwell, I give, and bequeath, my entire estate, real, personal & mixed, and every right or interest in the way of property which I may have, the power to dispose of by last will & testament. Dec 26 1888.
 Ruth Ellwell.

Sigs & published,
 in our presence as
 subscribing witnesses
 at the request of the
 testatrix, this Dec 26 1888

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Geo South Jr.

Admitted to probate & ordered to be recorded August 3rd 1889
 Recorded August 3rd 1889

P J Lingley Clk
 By Theo B. Crouch DC.

State of Tennessee Shelby County, ss.

I P J Lingley, Clerk of the County and Probate Courts of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing One (1) page contains a full, true and perfect copy of the Last Will and Testament of Ruth Ellwell deceased, which was admitted to probate by Probate Court of said County on August 3rd 1889, as the same appears of record in said Record Book No 498 now on file in my office. In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at office, in the City of Memphis, this 26th day of October 1889.

P J Lingley.

State of Tennessee, Shelby County,

Probate Court Room, Memphis Tenn, October 26th 1889.

I, J. S. Galloway, sole and presiding judge of the Probate Court of said County, certify that P J Lingley, who gave the foregoing Certificate, is now and was at the time of signing the same, Clerk of said Court, and that said Court is a Court of Record, and that his attestation is in due form, and his official acts as such, are entitled to full faith and credit. Witness my hand this 26th day of October 1889.
 J. S. Galloway Judge.

State of Tennessee, Shelby County,

I, P J Lingley, Clerk of the Probate Court of said County, certify that Geo J. S. Galloway whose genuine official signature appears to the above and hereto annexed Certificate is and was at the time of signing the same, sole and presiding judge of the Probate Court in & for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and qualified, and that all his official acts, as such are entitled to full faith and credit. In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at office, in the City of Memphis, this 26th day of October 1889.

P J Lingley Clk

State of Kentucky, Henderson County, ss.

I, Geo H. Smith, Clerk of the Henderson County Court do certify that the foregoing paper purporting to be a copy of the Last Will of Ruth Ellwell dec^d, was on this day lodged in my office for record, and that the same together with the certificate thereon enclosed has been truly recorded in my office. Given under my hand this 31st day of October 1889.

Geo H. Smith Clk