

and niece ^{divided} ~~between~~ ^{equally} ~~between~~ ^{between} them. Item 4: I own a lot of ground in Alvers Enlargement, conveyed to me by Robt. H. Alvers and Maria Alvers executor and executrix of the last Will and Testament of Jas. Alvers dec'd by deed dated Decr. 1st 1803 and recorded in deed book C Page 337 in the office of the Clerk of the Henderson County Court. I authorize and direct my executor hereinafter named to sell the said lot of ground on such terms as he may think best, and to distribute the proceeds equally among my three sisters and my nephews and niece ^{divided} ~~between~~ ^{equally} ~~between~~ ^{between} them. I appoint P. H. King the executor of this my last Will and Testament. In Testimony Whereof I hereunto subscribe my name this the 24th day of May 1876.

Signed and acknowledged in our presence May 24th 1876 the words "is" in 6th line of Item 1 and "Convey" in 3rd line of Item 2, and "by deed" in 4th line of Item 4, being indented

S. D. Vance

John D. Cook

State of Kentucky, Henderson County sct June County Court 1876

This Paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of America Stroud dec'd late of Henderson County Ky. was produced in open Court and proven according to law by the evidence of John D. Cook and S. D. Vance subscribing witnesses thereto, said witnesses testifying that said Paper was signed and published by said America Stroud as her last Will Testament in their presence, and that at her request they signed the same as witnesses in the presence of said Notary and in the presence of each other, and that at the time said Will was signed and published the said America Stroud was of sound mind and disposing memory. It is therefore adjudged that said instrument is the true last Will and Testament of said America Stroud dec'd and intended to be recorded as such, which is done accordingly (I Page 33)

Attest George H. Smith Notary
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Morgan Swope

I Morgan Swope of the City and County of Henderson and State of Kentucky, being of sound mind and disposing and mindful of the certainty of death, do make and sign this my last Will and Testament, I wish that my just and honest debts be paid out of my estate, after which all of my property is to go as I hereafter direct viz. To my wife Martha Ann Swope, I will all my Furniture, Horses, Buggy, Car and other personal effects, also the rent or all other personal effects, also the Rents or other profits which may be derived from the Old Homestead Farm, now rented to my son William S. Swope, I also will that certain notes drawn in my favor by John M. Swope, Morgan Swope Jr. and W. H. Swope and all other notes belonging to me shall after my death be placed in the hands of Morgan Swope Jr. who I hereby appoint Trustee and who, I will, shall draw Money from said Notes in equal proportion and receipt therefor, for the Benefit of my said Wife in case she should need it, provided she remains a widow otherwise the remainder of these notes money and Rents, shall revert to my Estate. After the death of my wife, I will that the old Homestead farm shall be the property of my son William S. Swope, in fee simple provided he pays to my Estate a sum amounting to Eighteen Dollars per acre for the same, said Payments to be made in four yearly equal installments, I also will that Morgan Swope Jr. and N. Jorgensen shall act as Administrators to settle my Estate, and after the death of my wife the same shall be divided equitably between my lawful heirs, Done at Henderson Ky this fifth day of July 1876

Morgan Swope

Witness R. J. Davis

Witness W. B. Beverly

The above Will was acknowledged and signed before me by Morgan Swope this 5th day of July 1876

N. Jorgensen Not Public A.C.

State of Kentucky sct
Henderson County

June County Court 1876
This day a Paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Morgan Swope late of Henderson County Kentucky, deceased, was produced in open Court and proved according to law by R. J. Davis and W. B. Beverly subscribing witnesses thereto. It is therefore adjudged that said instrument

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is the true and last Will and Testament of Said Morgan Snipe deceased, and ordered to be recorded as such which is done accordingly.

Sub. George W. Smith Clerk

By Mr. Francis L. Child &c

Albin Hancock In the name of God Amen ~~I the said~~ I Albin Hancock of
 the County of Henderson and State of Kentucky being in my usual
 health and enjoying my natural mind knowing the certainty of
 death and the uncertainty of life do make and declare this my
 Will and Testament that I wish all of my debt that I may
 be owing at the time of my death including burial expenses to
 be paid I then give and bequeath to my wife Rebecca Hancock
 my tract of Land Situated in Henderson County being in the
 Walnut Bottom and on the Ohio River to have and to hold for her
 benefit during her natural life I do also give and bequeath to her
 all the stock together with farming utensils Household and Kitchen
 Furniture that I may die possessed of I do also Will and bequeath
 to my wife Rebecca and my daughter Susan Hancock all the
 money with all that may be due me at the time of my death to be
 equally divided between them I do likewise give and bequeath to my
 daughter Susan Hancock my Farm with all its improvements
 containing Two Hundred and Six acres of Land Situated on the
 Madisonville Road and being the one which I reside on I also
 give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca Lockitt and her issue
 Two hundred and thirty Six acres of Land being a portion of the
 tract of Land I purchased of John B Hall and Bounded by the Ceme-
 tery run by Gabriel D Sugg I do also leave in trust to my Friends
 and Brethren-in-Law Wm Cigoby for the benefit of my son Albin
 Hancock Jr and his Children Two hundred and thirty six acres
 of Land being the Land I purchased of David Hart including two
 Six and two Nines of John B Hall said Land at the death of my
 Son Albin Hancock Jr I wish equally divided between his children
 and in case of the death of any of his children they leaving
 Children of children is to abide a Father or Mother in Trust
 This also my wish It is also my wish that said Land be entirely
 Annually until my Friend and Brethren-in-Law Wm Cigoby shall
 see that the proceeds are judiciously appropriated for the support
 of my son Albin Hancock and his Family until he dies
 his Children I do also wish that at the death of my wife Rebecca
 Hancock the Farm that I have given her situated on the
 Ohio River should be sold and the proceeds to be equally divided
 between my three Children viz; Susan Hancock Rebecca Hancock
 and Rebecca Lockitt

Witness my hand Helen Hancock

BOOK D PAGE 37

Supplement To Will of Miss Hancock, BOOK D PAGE 3
This Will was not signed at the time of Writing being at this
time feeble in health but in the enjoyment of my natural mind
Desirous to make no alterations

This 31st day of July 1868

State of Kentucky
Landonson County & 1st August County Court 1876

this day J. M. Stone, who was appointed to take the deposition
 of William Shanklin, subscribing witness to the Last Will and
 Testament of William Hancock, dec in the matter of Probating said
 Will filed the deposition of said Shanklin the evidence of H. W.
 Cripps the other subscribing witness having heretofore
 been taken. It is upon his testimony and the testimony of said
 Shanklin adjudged that the paper purporting to be the Last Will
 and Testament of William Hancock is Dec is the true Last will and
 Testament of said Hancock and ordered to be recorded as such
 which is here done accordingly.

Order Book for Aug. 5 & 26

Dr. B. Meers

will

I Henry P. Moore of the City of Henderson & State of Kentucky, being sound in mind, yet knowing the uncertainty of human life, deem it prudent while blessed with health to make such disposition of my property as to me seems right & proper. I do therefore make & declare this writing to be my last will & testament hereby revoking all others - Being a firm believer in the Christian faith I do will my soul to God through our Saviour Jesus Christ, Amen, - 1st I do regard to my property, after the payment of my debts & personal expenses, I give all my personal property including stocks, notes & accounts & money to my beloved wife Huldry, I also give to her for & during her life, the house in which we reside, together with the ground surrounding it & lying between the Ohio River & the lots hereinafter devised to children & Grand Child together with a seven teen feet passway to Main street, all of which property at her death shall be equally divided between my heirs per stirpes.

2^d I have heretofore advanced to my daughter Mary Jane & her husband Wm A. David Two Thousand Dollars, which sum I direct they shall be charged with in the general division of my estate. 3^d I give & bequeath to my daughter Angeline wife of Robt. King & to my son E. P. Moore in equal parts all that lot of ground situated in City of Henderson Ky. fronting on Main street &c beginning at the line of Martin Shays on Main street as the same is this day, & extending up Main street to the passway opposite