

*Will of  
George R.  
Rowley*

In the name of God, Amen,

I, George R. Rowley, of town of Crittenden, County of Nansemond, State of Virginia, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make and publish this as, and for, my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills written by me, at any time heretofore made.

My will is that all my just debts and funeral expenses shall, by my Executrix, herein after named, be paid out of my estate at once. All Rent and residue of my property, real and personal, and mixed including my policy of insurance in the Virginia Life Insurance Co. and the amount of money I have deposited in the Norfolk National Bank of Norfolk, Va., I give devise and bequeath unto my sister, Malissa H. Rowley, to her own use and benefit, absolutely. And I do hereby appoint my said sister, Malissa H. Rowley executrix of this my last will and testament and ask that that the Court may permit her to qualify without security.

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of October, in the year 1909.

Geo. R. Rowley.

WITNESS: Maury Hundley,  
J.H. Wright,

VIRGINIA:

IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF NORFOLK, ON THE  
15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 1914.

The last will and Testament of George R. Rowley, late of this City, deceased, was this day produced by Malissa H. Thomas, (nee Rowley), the Executrix, therein named, and the whereabouts of the subscribing witnesses thereto being unknown, W.E. Thomas, Clara Sawyer and Kate F. Griffin, were duly sworn and severally testified that they were well acquainted with the hand writing of the said George R. Rowley, deceased, and verily believed the said last will and testament, and the name thereto subscribed to have been written wholly, by the said George R. Rowley, deceased, thereupon it is considered that the same has been fully proved, and it is hereby admitted to probate and recorded as the true, last will and testament of said George R. Rowley, deceased.

And on the motion of said Malissa H. Thomas, (nee Rowley) named as Executrix in said will, who took oath required by law, and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Three Thousand dollars, conditioned according to law, with out security, said will directing that none should be required, certificate is granted the said Malissa H. Thomas for obtaining a probate of said Will in due form. And it is ordered that the said Bond be recorded.

TESTE: Laurence Waring, Clerk.

A copy Teste: Laurence Waring, Clerk.

By, A.M. Brown, D.C.

last will and testament and ask that that the Court may permit her to qualify without security.

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of October, in the year 1909.

Geo.R.Rewley.

WITNESS: Maury Hundley,  
J.H.Wright,

VIRGINIA:

IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF NORFOLK, ON THE  
15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 1914.

The last will and Testament of George R.Rewley, late of this City, deceased, was this day produced by Malissa H.Thomas, (nee Rewley), the Executrix, therein named, and the whereabouts of the subscribing witnesses thereto being unknown, W.E.Thomas, Clara Sawyer and Kate F.Griffin, were duly sworn and severally testified that they were well acquainted with the hand writing of the said George R. Rewley, deceased, and verily believed the said last will and testament, and the name thereto subscribed to have been written wholly, by the said George R.Rewley, deceased, thereupon it is considered that the same has been fully proved, and it is hereby admitted to probate and recorded as the true, last will and testament of said George R.Rewley, deceased.

And on the motion of said Malissa H.Thomas, (nee Rewley) named as Executrix in said will, who took oath required by law, and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Three Thousand dollars, conditioned according to law, with out security, said will directing that none should be required, certificate is granted the said Malissa H.Thomas for obtaining a probate of said Will in due form. And it is ordered that the said Bond be recorded.

TESTE: Laurence Waring, Clerk.

A copy Teste: Laurence Waring, Clerk.

By, A.M.Brown, D.C.

Virginia,

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Nansemond County on the 30th day of September, 1919.

A duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of George R.Rewley; late of the County of Nansemond, State of Virginia, together with the certificate of proof of such will and testament, in the Circuit Court of the city of Norfolk, Virginia, was this day produced before the Clerk of this Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste: G.E.Bunting, Clerk.  
By, Ruby V. Benten, D.C.