

writing be recorded as the true last-will and Testament of Geo. M. Bell, deceased.

A copy from the records of Court,

Test:

C. D. Smith, Clerk.

Chas. L. Cocke.

I make this my last-will and Testament hereby revoking all other wills made by me.

The proceeds of my life work are invested in Hollins Institute - My desire is that this investment shall remain and that the institution shall continue to be operated by and for the beneficiaries of my estate. To this end I hereby devise and bequeath my entire estate to Lucian H. Cocke, Joseph A. Turner, Jr., Estes Cocke and Mattie L. Cocke as Trustees, and in trust for the following purposes, they shall take possession of my estate and use and operate the same in the conduct of a school at Hollins Institute in the manner that the same has heretofore been conducted by me, and to this end I hereby invest them with all necessary power as to the use and disposition of the estate. I direct that this trust shall continue for a period of ten years after my death. After the expiration of this ten period I direct my trustees to assign and allot my estate equally to my children as now named Sallie L. Cocke Mary S. Hayward Mattie L. Cocke, Bessie Barber, Lucian H. Cocke, the children of my daughter Mrs L. V. Turner, and the children of my son Chas. H. Cocke. I do not make mention of my son Joseph J. Cocke as I have already provided for him by advancements made in my life time.

I have made this provision for the conduct of the property for a period of time by trustees in the belief that when the time of allotment shall come it will be the desire and wish, as it is my earnest desire and wish, of the beneficiaries to retain the corpus of my estate in my family and their descendants.

I enjoin upon them that there should not be any division of the property but the same should be kept intact for the benefit of the family through succeeding generations.

During the existence of the above declared trust I direct the trustees named to cause suitable provision to be made for the board and education at the institution of all my grandchildren or other descendants free of cost. Witness my hand this the 16th June 1900, attaching my name to the three sheets.

Chas L. Cocke

Signed and acknowledged by the testator in our presence, who in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto attached our names.

Thalia Stewart Hayward

Rosa Pleasant Cocke.

At Roanoke County Court- July 26th 1901.

The last-will and testament of Chas. L. Coker deceased was this day produced in Court, and proved according to law by Rosa Placanta Duke (ne Rosa Placanta Coker) and Thalia Stewart Hayward subscribing witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded. Lucian H. Coker, one of the Trustees named in the will, appeared in Court and renounced the Trusteeship. Whereupon, on motion of Mattie L. Coker, Joseph A. Turner and M. Estlin Coker, three of the Trustees named in said will, who made oath thereto, and together with Lucian H. Coker, their surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged their bond, in the penalty of \$25,000 conditioned according to law, certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate of said will in due form as Trustees & Executors with the will annexed.

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Teste;

C. D. Denik, Clerk.

Robt. S. Loyd.

I, Robert S. Loyd, of the County of Roanoke in the State of Virginia, being of sound mind and disposing memory, and recognizing the uncertainty of life, and the certainty of death, do make this my last-will and testament, hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me.

I direct that my body shall be given a decent and Christian burial.

I also direct that all my just debts if any shall be paid, after which all my property, both real and personal shall become the property of my wife, Finita Loyd, to be under her control and management; and she to receive the income and profits therefrom, during her natural life, or as long as she shall remain my widow. And she shall have authority to collect all debts due me, and to apply the same, as well as all money in my possession at the time of my death, to her own use, and also to sell, or otherwise dispose of any of the personal property I leave to her. And after her death or remarriage, all my real estate, and such personal property as may remain, shall be equally divided among my children Sarah Coker, J. E. Loyd, R. L. Loyd, J. H. Loyd, Sophia Loyd, Nancy P. Richardson, Zilla A. Richardson and Lillie Lockett, and the children of my deceased daughter, Jeany Lind Nimmo shall receive their mothers one ninth interest in my estate. The said property may be divided, or sold and the proceeds divided among those entitled thereto as they may elect.

I direct that in case any of my children now living shall die, before receiving his or her share of my estate, leaving no living heir, then such share shall be equally divided among those entitled thereto, and if any shall die leaving living heirs, then said share shall pass to the heirs of said decedent; it being my intention that all my children shall share equally in the distribution of my estate, the children of such as may be deceased to receive the share of their respective father or mother as the case may be.

I hereby appoint R. L. Loyd and T. D. Lockett, executors of this my last-will and testament, with no power to act as such until after the