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I do hereby direct that if the said Guardian Ethel C. Cudd, may deem it to the best interest of any child or children at any time to invest any child's money in any real estate, or in any other manner than keeping same in a bank on certificates of deposit, she shall have perfect liberty to do so, and make such changes or investments of said money in any manner she, the said Guardian, may deem advisable and to the best interest of said child or children; in other words, she shall have the right and privilege to handle my infant children's money in any manner she may consider to the best interest of any child or children.

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XV.

My wife, Ethel C. Cudd, shall have the Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps which I have given her in this will transferred to her own name by the government at once, and as to the remainder of the said Liberty Bonds and War Saving Stamps belonging to my estate, she, my executrix, Ethel C. Cudd, may hold in her discretion, as they are, or she can dispose of them to the best advantage possible at any time she may see fit, and handle the money as hereinbefore directed; and I further direct that my executrix, Ethel C. Cudd, shall not be held personally liable for any mistake she may inadvertently in any investment she makes for my estate or children.

XVI.

I do hereby direct my wife, Ethel C. Cudd, as guardian for my infant children, that if for any reason the interest or income, or any child's part or portion of my estate, should not be sufficient to pay such child's support at home, board, clothes, etc., or at school, that enough of the principal of such child's interest in my estate be used or disposed of to make up such deficiency.

XVII.

I do hereby direct that my said executrix, Ethel C. Cudd, shall charge my daughter, Maude Cudd, with \$5,000.00 as an advancement

Whereas, I, E. H. Cull did on the 11th day of June, 1919 make my last will & testament, signed and in the presence of J. H. Penn & L. M. Lane, as witnesses to my signature and whereas I desire to add a codicil to my said last will and testament which I make wholly and entirely in my own hand writing and say that I do not wish my said last will & testament to be construed that I want my estate to be wound up at once, but that I want any notes or any other matters to be reserved or extended as my executrix, Ethel B. Cull, may desire or see fit, and any real estate to be held or sold as she may desire or see fit.

I do also hereby direct that the amount to be collected & charged to my daughter Maude, be reduced to \$2,000.00 instead of \$5,000.00 as stated in section seventeen of my said last will & testament. This codicil to be taken as part of my said last will and testament, and being done altogether in my own individual hand writing, I do not have any witnesses to said Codicil.

Given under my own personal individual hand writing and seal this the 13th day of June, 1919.

E. H. Cull. (Seal)

Virginia - In the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court, of Roanoke County, August 25, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of E. H. Cull, deceased, dated June 11th 1919, together with a codicil thereto annexed, dated June 13th 1919, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office of said Court by (Mrs.) Ethel B. Cull, widow of the decedent, and proved according to law as to said will by Leroy M. Lane, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testified under oath that the testator signed and acknowledged the said paper in his presence and in the presence of John H. Penn, the other subscribing witness, all three being present at the same time. And there being no subscribing witnesses to the said codicil, H. B. Gregory and Leroy M. Lane were duly sworn and severally deposed that they

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estate be divided into six equal portions and distributed to the following persons:

Third, I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to each of my living children, (or if they be not living at the time of my death, to their respective heirs), namely, Ida E. Andrews, Mary E. Bennett, Agnes E. Shockey, John Engleby and Jos. T. Engleby, each a one-sixth portion of my said estate.

Fourth, The remaining one-sixth portion derived from the sale of my real and personal estate, I hereby give and devise to the three children of my deceased son, William R. Engleby, namely, Edw. M. Engleby, Lloyd H. Engleby, and Mary Louise Engleby to be equally divided between them, share and share alike.

Fifth, I further authorize and empower my executor, if and whenever in the settlement of my estate, he deems it advisable, at his discretion, to sell the whole or any part of my real and personal property, at public auction or private sale, and to execute and deliver all deeds, instruments or transfer, and other writings necessary to pass a proper title thereto.

Sixth, I do appoint my son, John Engleby, to be executor of this, my last will and testament, and I direct that he shall not be required, to give bond for the faithful execution thereof.

Elizabeth B. Engleby.
and that he shall not be required to file an appraisement of my estate.

Witness my hand which I have set to this my will, written upon two sheets of paper, signing every sheet thereof this 22nd day of January, 1914.

Elizabeth B. Engleby.

Signed, Published
and declared by Elizabeth B. Engleby as and for her last will, in the presence of us, who in her presence, at her request, and in the presence of one another, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

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In the name of God, Amen, I Emma C. Wiley of the town of Salem County of Roanoke, State of Virginia being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make this to be my last will and testament, (that is to say:

I desire that my body may be decently buried by my Executors hereinafter named, and that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my estate as soon as practicable after my death.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved sister Annie S. Wiley, all my estate, real, personal and mixed of which I may be seized. This includes my interest in the house and lot in the town of Salem and also the lign I hold upon said lot of land of four hundred dollars.

I hereby appoint my sister, Annie S. Wiley, the Executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that no security be required of her upon her bond.

I hereby revoke any and all wills by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I hereto subscribe my name, and affix my seal as seal on this 26th day of October, 1906.

Witness:

Geo. M. Muse Emma C. Wiley (Seal)
H. H. Ballard.

Virginia - In the Circuit Court of Roanoke County, Sept. 9, 1919,
a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of (Miss) Emma C. Wiley dated October 26, 1906, was this day produced in Court by R. T. Hubbard, Attorney, and proved according to law by the oaths of Geo. M. Muse and H. H. Ballard, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is ordered to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said (Miss) Emma C. Wiley, deceased.

And it being shown to the Court that (Miss) Annie S. Wiley, named as Executrix in the said will, is now an insane person and confined in an asylum for the insane by operation of law repounces her right to qualify as such, on the motion of Dr. R. M. Wiley, she is permitted to qualify as Administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate

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said paper, H. H. Tinsley and J. Horace Smith were
duly sworn and severally deposed that they were
well acquainted with the handwriting of the said
R. H. M^{rs} Blaugherty, deceased, and they verily believed
the said writing and the name of R. H. M^{rs} Blaugherty
thereto signed to have been wholly written by the
said decedent. Thereupon the said paper being duly
proved, on motion of the Executor therein named,
is probated and admitted to record as and for
the true last will and testament of the said
R. H. M^{rs} Blaugherty, deceased.

And on motion of J. A. Finke, named in
said will as Executor, he is permitted to qualify
as such. Whereupon the said J. A. Finke who
made oath thereto, and having entered into
and acknowledged a bond in the penalty
of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00), conditioned
according to law, but without security, the
testator requesting that no security be re-
quired, and that clerk requiring none,
certificate is granted him for obtaining
a probate of said will in due form (Approver
waived by executor).

Teste:-

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

A Copy - Teste:-

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

John R. Mays

I, John R. Mays, of the Town of Dinton and
County of Roanoke and State of Virginia,
being of sound mind and memory, do make,
publish and declare this to be my last
will and testament, to-wit:-

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First - All my just debts and funeral
expenses shall be first fully paid.

Second - I will, devise and bequeath
all of my estate, money, houses and lots,
both real and personal property, to my
wife, Sallie W. Mays, to have to hold
to her in full possession her life time
and then divided as follows.

Third - I will give and bequeath to
Mamie C. Turner, houses and lots as follows,
lot No. 17, to No. 24, to have and to hold
same, her life time, as her own
individual property, willed to her by me the
said John R. Mays.

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Lee Jackson I commit my soul in the hands of my
Saviour, full of confidence that paying re-
deemed life and washed it with His most
precious blood, He will present it faultless
before the throne of my heavenly Father. I,
Lee Jackson being of sound mind and
body do make, publish and declare this to
be my last will and testament, revoking
all others previously made as follows:

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First, I give and bequeath unto my
wife, Mariah Jackson, eleven (11) acres of
land with dwelling house containing six
(6) rooms with all furniture, house-hold
effects, together with one horse and buggy,
harness and all live-stock belonging thereto
and all my farming implements.

Second, In any way or at anytime
my dear wife, Mariah Jackson, becomes
disabled in any way to maintain herself,
she is sell real-estate or anything for
her support, mentioned in this will.

Third, Lee Allen Jackson, the boy
I raised, after the death of my wife
must come into full possession of all
the real-estate, house, and horse,
buggy and all farming implements
and everything left in possession of
my wife forever (after her death)

Fourth, I nominate and appoint
my wife, Mariah Jackson, to be exe-
cutor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I, the said
Lee Jackson to this my last will set
my hand and seal, this third day
of August in the year of our Lord
thirteen hundred and nineteen (1919)

Lee Jackson (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and
declared by the testator,
Lee Jackson as and for his
last will and testament
in the presence of us who in
his presence, at his request and
in the presence of each other
have hereunto subscribed our
names as witnesses.

W. R. Brown (Seal)
B. H. Patterson (Seal)

natural life.

I also give and bequeath unto my said wife an annuity of Three Hundred and Sixty Dollars, the same to be paid to her in monthly installments of Thirty Dollars per month, for and during the term of her natural life.

Item Third. I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Minnie L. Palmer, the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

Item Fourth. I give, devise and bequeath unto my son William T. Whitten, my house and lot located at number 348 Charles street, in the city of Henderson, State of North Carolina, the same being seventy feet front on said street, running back about two hundred feet. To have and to hold the same in fee simple.

Item Fifth. I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Lucile Hart, the two insurance policies (which I am now carrying on my life in the Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, the said policies being numbered 97798, and 98617, respectively. The proceeds of the said policies to be paid to her on the annuity plan. I also give, devise and bequeath unto my daughter, Lucile Hart, my house and lot located at number 338 Charles street, in the city of Henderson, State of North Carolina, being about 70 feet front on said street and running back about two hundred feet. To have and to hold, use and enjoy the net income and profits therefrom for and during the term of her natural life. After her death I give the said house and lot to her children, in fee simple.

Item Sixth. I give, devise and bequeath unto my son, Charles Whitten, my house and lot located at number 320 Charles street, in the city of Henderson, State of North Carolina, the same being about fifty one feet front on said street, running back about two hundred feet. To have and to hold the said house in fee simple.

Item Seventh. I give, devise and bequeath unto my son, James Webster Whitten, my house and lot located at number 314 Charles street, in the city of Henderson, State of North Carolina, the same being about fifty one feet front on the said street, running back about two hundred feet. To have and to hold the same in fee simple.

Item Eighth. I give, devise and bequeath unto my son, Robert Whitten, my house and lot located at number 318 Charles street, in the city of Henderson, State of North Carolina, the same being about 63 feet front on said street, running back about two hundred feet. To have and to hold the same in fee simple.

Item Ninth. I give and bequeath unto my son, Samuel

After the death of my said wife, Mamie Whitten, I give, devise and bequeath all of the said real and residue of my property of every kind and description, and not herein before specifically given or devised, unto my children who may be then living, and if any dead, then to their representative or representatives, to be equally divided between them, share and share alike, provided however, that the representative or representatives of any deceased child shall take only the share or shares, the parent would have taken if living. To have, and to hold the same unto the said children, and their representatives as aforesaid, after the death of my said wife, absolutely and in fee simple.

Lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my son William J. Whitten, and my friend Hugh L. Norvell, executors, of this my last will and testament, to execute the same and every part thereof, according to its true intent and purpose, hereby revoking all other wills or wills heretofore at anytime made by me, I declare this to be my last will.

Witness my hand and seal, this the 4th day of May, 1916

Samuel S. Whitten. (Seal)

Signed, sealed, declared and published to be the last will and testament of Samuel S. Whitten, who in our presence signed the same, and at whose request and in whose presence, and in the presence of each other, we do hereby set our names as witnesses thereto. This the 4 day of May 1916.

Jere P. Gollicoffer
H. C. Gollicoffer.

This 26 day of November 1917 I make and execute this codicil to my will and testament heretofore duly executed on May 4, 1916.

Giving said the property at 1612 3d. Ave. N. W., Roanoke, Va., which, by item second of my said will, was devised to my wife Mamie Whitten for life, I hereby substitute there for my house and lot No. 621 Virginia Avenue, Virginia Heights, near Roanoke, Va., together with all the household and kitchen furniture and other tangible personal property which, at my death may then be in said house, I leave to my said wife for and during her natural life, but upon the condition that she shall continue to occupy said house as her home, and should she not observe this condition then her

of their selection to defend any attack made upon what my executors may consider the proper effect and interpretation thereof, and pay reasonable counsel fees out of my estate.

I commend my wife Mamie Whitten to the love and thoughtful care of all my children and desire here to testify to the happiness of our married life and to her unqualified devotion and service to me at all times and under all circumstances.

Where the term, "representative or representatives of any of my children who may die in my life time," is used in my said will, I mean thereby the children, or, if none, then the heirs at law of such deceased child or children.

Executed as and for a codicil to my said will which two papers being read together I hereby execute as and for my last will and testament this 14th day of Oct., 1918.

Witness my hand and seal. Samuel S. Whitten (Seal)
Signed sealed published and declared as and for a codicil to the last will and testament of Samuel S. Whitten, who, in the presence of both of the undersigned witnesses, sealed, published, and declared the same, and, in whose presence and at whose request we, the undersigned, being all three present together at the same time, have each of us hereunto set our signatures as witnesses thereto this 14th day of Oct. 1918.

L. E. M. Blair
B. F. Vine

State of Virginia,
City of Roanoke,
I, Samuel S. Whitten, of the city of Roanoke, State of Virginia, do make declare and publish this to be a codicil to my last will and testament made and published by me, on the 4th day of May 1916, and the codicil thereto made by me on the 14th day of October 1918, which said will and codicil thereto, are now in custody and possession of the First National Bank, Henderson, North Carolina, and which said will, and codicil thereto, and every part thereof, I do now ratify and confirm, except as same may be changed

Given under my hand this 13th day of May 1919.

Samuel J. Whitten.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public for city and state aforesaid this 13th day of May 1919.

W. P. Bowling, Notary Public.

(Seal of
(W. P. Bowling)
(Notary Public)
(Roanoke, Virginia)

My Commission expires August 1, 1920.

Virginia - In the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court of Roanoke County October 13th, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Samuel J. Whitten, deceased, late of this county, dated May 4, 1916, together with two codicils thereto annexed, one dated October 14th, 1918 and the second dated April 23rd, 1919, together with affidavit thereto attached, were this day produced before me in the said Clerk's Office by A. C. and J. P. Gollicoffer, attorneys for the executors therein named, and proved according to law, as to the body of said will, by Jere P. Gollicoffer and A. C. Gollicoffer, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and as to codicil dated October 14th, 1918, by L. E. Sp. Blair and B. F. Mine, the subscribing witnesses to said codicil, and as to the codicil dated April 23rd, 1919, by W. P. Bowling and H. P. Glasgow, the subscribing witnesses thereto, all of whom testified under oath that the decedent signed the said respective papers in their presence, and that they signed same in the presence of each other and of the testator, all three being present at the same time, in each case respectively. Thereupon, on motion of the executors named in said papers, by their said attorneys, the said will, with the codicils thereto annexed, are probated and ordered to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said Samuel J. Whitten, deceased.

Teste: Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

By Geo. A. Denit - - his deputy.

A. Copy - Teste:

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

manage the same, but without power to sell the real estate, except as herein above provided.

Out of the funds coming into her hands, she shall each year pay the taxes

against the property. Jos. R. Ellis
so that the property may at no time be delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes. Afterward she may use so much or all of the income, derived from said estate as may to her seem just and proper, in keeping the properties in repair and in the support, maintenance and education of our son, and I direct that she be not called to account, either by my said son, upon his coming of age, or by any other party, for the manner in which she expends such rents and profits, but I first charge the rents and profits derived from this portion of my estate to the payment of all taxes.

(3) I wish the Court to appoint my wife guardian of our son, during his minority, without surety, and I hereby name and appoint her as executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that no security be required of her.

I fully authorize and empower my said executrix to make any necessary deed or deeds to real estate sold under the provisions of this will and direct that no purchaser from her be required to look to the application of the purchase money.

Jos. R. Ellis
Witness my hand, which I have set to this will, written upon four sheets of paper, signing every sheet thereof this the 22 day of July, 1908.

Jos. R. Ellis.
Signed, published, and declared by Joseph R. Ellis, as and for his last will, in the presence of us, who in his presence at his request, and in the presence of one another, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Saml. H. Hoge
Geo. H. Payne

Virginia.

At a corporation Court, begun and held in and for the City of Roanoke, Virginia, at the Court House thereof on the 4th day of November 1908. This day a writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph R. Ellis, deceased,

as provided, then
(H) To the heirs at law of the above named testatrix.

This will is made in pursuance of a contract dated the 8th day of January, in the year, 1915, in which it was agreed between Ida Ferguson, Melba Ferguson, Annie M. Ferguson, Abbie Ferguson, John T. Ferguson, Lillian Ferguson, Josephine Ferguson and Willie Ferguson, that they should make joint or mutual wills, each for the benefit of the others, with the limitations and provisions set forth in this will.

I appoint John T. Ferguson, executor of this my last will and testament.

Witness my hand this the 8th. day of January, 1915.

Lillian Ferguson.

Signed, published, and declared, by Lillian Ferguson, as and for her last will, in the presence of us, who in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

H. S. Trout.
A. L. Liberty
J. Tyler Meadows. } Witnesses

Virginia:—In the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court of Roanoke County, October 24th, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of (Miss) Lillian Ferguson, deceased, dated January 8th, 1915, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office of said Court by the executor therein named, and was proved according to law by the oath of J. Tyler Meadows, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, it being shown that the other subscribing witnesses have departed this life, the said J. Tyler Meadows testifying under oath that the decedent, Lillian Ferguson, signed and acknowledged the said paper in his presence and in the presence of H. S. Trout and A. L. Liberty, the other subscribing witnesses, all four being present at the same time. Thereupon, on motion of the heirs of decedent the said paper is probated and admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said Lillian Ferguson.

of this my last will and testament, and ask that no security be required of them as such.

I witness my hand and seal this 5th day of May, 1904.
L. P. Shaner, (Seal)

The foregoing will was signed, sealed and acknowledged by L. P. Shaner as and for his last will and testament, in our presence, we being present together, and we in his presence and in the presence of each other, and at his request, have signed our names as attesting witnesses thereto, this 5 day of May, 1904.

Mary G. Harris
N. G. Mason, Jr.

Virginia: At Lynchburg Corporation Court
January 18th, 1916.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Louis P. Shaner, deceased, was produced to the Court and proved according to law by the oath of N. G. Mason, Jr., one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who proved the due attestation of Mary G. Harris, the other subscribing witness thereto, and thereupon the said paper writing was ordered to be recorded as the true last will and testament of the said Louis P. Shaner, deceased.

Test: Thos. D. Davis, Clerk.

A copy, Test: Thos. D. Davis,
Clerk.

Will Book K, page 165.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Roanoke, Va., this 29th day of October, 1919 this copy of will was presented, and with the order of probate thereto annexed, admitted to record at 8:30 o'clock A. M.

Test: Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

Will of E. J. Parker

E. J. Parker

In the name of God, Amen: I, E. J. Parker of the County of Roanoke, Virginia, considering the uncertainty of life and being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make this my last Will

(Mrs) Mary B. Parker for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

A Copy - Teste:

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

I, Alexander Chambers, of Roanoke County, Virginia, do make this my last will and testament, as follows;

(1) I direct that my body be decently buried in a manner corresponding to my estate and position in life, but with as little expense as may be, consistent therewith.

(2) I direct all of my just debts to be paid, and to this end I charge my entire estate, both real and personal.

(3) After the payment of all of my just debts, I hereby give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Frances Chambers for her life all of my property real, personal and mixed, and at her death, I give devise and bequeath all of said property to Belle White and Bertha Martin to be equally divided between them, share and share alike.

(4) I appoint my wife Executor of my estate, and direct that she be allowed to qualify without security.

Witness my hand this 6 day of September, 1919.

Alexander ^{his} ~~mark~~ Chambers.

Signed and published by Alexander Chambers as and for his last will, in the presence of us, who in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

A. B. Leslie
J. G. Loyd

Virginia - In the Circuit Court of Roanoke County, November 25, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Alexander Chambers, deceased, dated September 6, 1919, was this day produced in Court and proved according to law by the oath of J. G. Loyd,

Item III. I give and bequeath unto my said wife, Eliza Simmons Gale, all my household and kitchen furniture of every kind, including books and pictures, to be held by her during her life, and upon her death, I give and bequeath said household and kitchen furniture to my daughter, Charlotte Dryden Gale,

To my sons, Dr. Sparrel Simmons Gale, I give and bequeath my medical books, surgical instruments, and my silver, Looking Glass.

Item IV. I hereby will and bequeath all of the residue of my property, both real and personal after the payment of my debts and the specific request as hereinabove provided to Jas. P. Hoode, Trustee, to be held by him as such Trustee, upon the following terms and for the following purposes:

(1) I hereby direct that my Trustee herein named shall hold my entire estate which may come into his hands under this clause of my will in trust for my wife, Eliza Simmons Gale, during her lifetime, paying to her the rents, profits and income therefrom, said rents, profits and income to be held, used and disposed of by my said wife as she may deem proper.

(2) Upon the death of my said wife, I hereby direct that my said Trustee shall hold one-half of my said estate which may come into his hands, under this clause of my will in trust for my daughter, Charlotte.

Joe. A. Gale. (Seal)

Dryden Gale: My said Trustee shall pay to my said daughter the rents, profits and income from said one-half of my estate in monthly payments during her natural life, and upon her death, I direct that the principal or corpus of my estate held in trust for my said daughter shall go to her children, if any, or their descendants, and in case she shall die without children, said one-half of my estate shall go Dr. Sparrel Simmons Gale, or his heirs or distributees. If however, my said daughter, Charlotte Dryden Gale, shall marry and leave no children or their descendants, and shall be survived by her husband, my said Trustee shall pay to her

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Item VI I hereby revoke all previous wills or codicils made by me.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal this ~~day~~ day of December, 1915, to this my last will and testament, typewritten on one side of five (5)

sheets of paper, my name being signed to each sheet thereof.

Jos. A. Gale (Deal)

Jos. A. Gale. (Deal)

Signed, Published and Declared by Jos. A. Gale as and for his last will and testament in our presence, who, in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, hereunto subscribe our names as witnesses:

E. F. Peters, Witness.
L. B. Gatch, Witness.

Virginia:

At a Court of Law and Chancery, continued and held in and for the City of Roanoke, Virginia, on the Twenty-ninth day of July, Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen.

This day a paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph A. Gale, deceased, was presented to the Court and the said writing was proved according to law by the depositions of one of the attesting witnesses to the said writing, (the other witness being inaccessible) whereupon it is ordered that the said writing be admitted to probate and record as and for the true last will and testament of the said Joseph A. Gale, deceased.

Thereupon, Sparrell D. Gale the executor nominated in said will, was permitted to qualify as such Executor and is required to enter into a bond before the Clerk of this Court in the penalty of \$300,000.00, conditioned according to law, but without security, the said will requesting that no security be required of him.

Thereupon the said Sparrell D. Gale entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of \$300,000.00, payable to the

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In the name of God. Amen. I, George Saunders, being of sound mind and memory, and being capable of executing a valid deed or contract, do hereby declare and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all wills, or any papers that purport to be a disposition of my property in any way.

I direct first that all my just debts be paid. I give and devise and bequeath unto my wife Mangassa Saunders, all of my property, real personal or mixed to have to have and to hold for rest of natural life, with the right reserved unto her to sell any or all of the same as she may deem best at any time and for any price and upon her death, should there be any property left it is my request, that it go to my nine children, share and share alike, their heirs and assigns forever.

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Robert F. Hyatt to be the executor of this my last will and request that he be permitted to serve without bond.

In testimony whereof I have affixed my hand and seal on this the 2nd day of December, 1919.

George X^{his mark} Saunders - Seal

We the undersigned, hereby certify that at the request of George Saunders, we witnessed him execute the foregoing paper, that he subscribed his name to it in our presence, that he declared the same to be his last Will and Testament, and that he requested us to sign it as witnesses, and that we do so in his presence and in the presence of each other this the 2nd day of December, 1919.

O. C. Riley
J. R. Burnett

Virginia - In the Clerk's Office Circuit Court of Roanoke County, December 20th, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of George Saunders deceased, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office of said Court by Robert F. Hyatt, the executor therein named, and was

1919, was this day produced before me, in the Clerk's Office of said Court by the heirs of decedent and proved according to law by the oaths of C. B. Boone and J. M. Wray, the subscribing witnesses thereto. And, thereupon, on motion of the heirs, the said paper is probated and admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said (Mrs.) Jane Bird, deceased.

Teste:

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

A Copy-Teste:

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

I, Alice V. Johnson, being of sound mind do make this my last will and testament.

First after my death I want all my just debts paid. Second - I leave to my daughters Julia A. & Sallie B. the money I have in bank and the notes in my possession at the time of my death - also my personal property to do with as they think best. Third - I leave my real estate to be equally divided among my surviving children, signed

Alice V. Johnson;

Jan. 6, 1919.

In the Circuit Court of Roanoke County, Va.,
January 6th, 1919.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of (Mrs.) Alice V. Johnson, deceased, was this day produced in Court by the heirs of said decedent, and there being no subscribing witnesses to said paper, W. R. Dester and C. M. Hatter were duly sworn and severally deposed that they were well acquainted with the handwriting of said decedent, and that they verily believed the said writing and the name of Alice V. Johnson thereto signed to have been wholly written by the said decedent. Thereupon, the said paper, being duly proved, on motion of the heirs, is probated and admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said (Mrs.) Alice V. Johnson, deceased.

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A Copy - Test: Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

In the name of God, Amen. I, John L. Yingling, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do make and ordain this as my last will and testament.

I desire to be decently buried after my death. And aft. my just debts, if I should then owe anything, to be paid by my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Mary J. Yingling, all my estate, both real and personal of which I may die possessed, to be used and disposed of by her as she may deem best.

I hereby appoint my wife, Mary J. Yingling, the Executrix of this my last and testament, and request that the Court in which this will may be probated, will not require security of her. I hereby revoke any and all wills by me heretofore made, declaring and publishing this as my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I here to set my hand and seal this the 17th day of August 1899.

Witness -
W. H. Ballard.
M. P. Frantz.

John L. Yingling (Seal)

Virginia - In the Clerk's Office Circuit Court of Roanoke County, February 2nd. 1926.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of John L. Yingling, deceased, dated August 17th, 1899, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office of said Court by (Mrs.) Mary J. Yingling, widow of decedent, and proved according to law by the oath of W. H. Ballard, only surviving witness to said paper, M. P. Frantz, the other subscribing witness, having departed this life. and, on motion of the widow, said paper is admitted to probate and ordered to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said

Virginia: At a Corporation Court Continued and held in and for the City of Roanoke, in the State of Virginia, at the Courthouse thereof on the 2nd day of March, 1920.

This day a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of John Rose, deceased, was presented to the Court and the said writing was proved, according to law, by the oaths of John T. Brown and H. S. Jones, to be wholly in the hand writing of the testator. Whereupon, it is ordered that the said writing be admitted to probate and record as and for the true last will and testament of the said John Rose, deceased.

A copy:

Teste: R. J. Watson, Clerk.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Roanoke, Va., this 24th day of March, 1920, this copy of will was presented, and with the certificate attached, admitted to record at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

Teste:

Dep. Clerk

Three Pounds.

In His Majesty's High Court of Justice

Be It known that upon search being made in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, it appears that on the sixteenth day of July in the year of our Lord 1919 the last will and testament of Jane Withers late of Berkhampton Road Dupleck Park Bath in the County of Somerset formerly of 4 Alexander Buildings Grosvenor Bath aforesaid spinster deceased who died on the 6th day of March 1919 at 26 Kent Road Southsea in the County of Southampton was proved in the said High Court of Justice by Robert Withers the Brother, the sole executor named in the said will and which Probate now remains of record in the said Registry. The true tenor of the said will is in the words following to-wit:

This is the last will and testament of me Jane Withers of 4 Alexander Buildings Grosvenor Bath in the County of Somerset made this 23rd day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred & 11. I hereby revoke all wills by me at any time heretofore made

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year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and
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A. Musgrave, Registrar.

(Seal of the Probate Division)
(of the High Court of Justice)
(Principal Registry)

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court
for the County of Roanoke, Va., this 31st day of
March, 1920, this copy of will was presented,
and with the certificate thereto annexed, admitted
to record.

Teste: Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

A Copy - Teste:

Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

I do will and bequeath to my wife,
Mary Gunter, in fee simple all of my
property, real estate and personal, where-
soever situated -
Witness my hand and seal this 26th
day of March 1920.

T. H. Gunter

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T. H. ^{his} Gunter (Seal)

Witness to same { Ethel Scruggs
Mrs. George Pittrell
Mrs. Laura T. Coleman.

Virginia: - In the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court
of Roanoke County, April 2nd, 1920.

A paper purporting to be the last will
and testament of T. H. Gunter, deceased,
dated March 26th 1920, was this day produced
before me in the Clerk's Office of said
Court by (Mrs.) Mary Gunter, widow of
decedent, and, proved according to law
by the oaths of Ethel Scruggs and Mrs. George
Pittrell, two of the subscribing witnesses to said
paper. Thereupon, on the motion of (Mrs.) Mary
Gunter, the said paper is admitted to probate
and ordered to be recorded as and for the true
last will and testament of T. H. Gunter, deceased.

Teste: Chas. D. Denit, Clerk.

A Copy - Teste:

Clerk.

Will of James G. Dickerson.

I, James G. Dickerson, a resident of the County of Roanoke, State of Virginia, considering the uncertainty of life, and being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows, hereby revoking all former wills by me made at any time.

First: I desire that my body be decently buried in a manner corresponding to my estate and situation in life but with as little expense as maybe consistent therewith.

Second: I desire that my funeral expenses and physicians bills be paid as soon after my death as conveniently maybe, and that all my other just debts be paid by my executrix hereinafter named, and to that end I charge my whole estate both real and personal with the payment of same.

Third: After the payment of all my just debts, I devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Essie Dickerson, all my estate, real, personal and mixed of whatever nature and kind, the same consisting principally of two horses, buggy, household goods and five lots located in the County of Roanoke, on the east side of the Lynchburg and Salem Turnpike, the same being known as Lots 2, 3, 4, & 5, Section 23, and Lot 3, Section 17, as shown by the map of the Shenandoah Land Company, and being the same property which I purchased of James A. Bear and wife by deed dated July 6th, 1909, and also it is my desire that my wife is to have all property which I may lease or own at the time of my death whether the same be legal or equitable, absolute and in fee with full powers over same to do as she deems best, though whatever property which remains at the time of the death of my said wife, and after the payment of her funeral expenses and her other outstanding indebtedness of my said wife, I devise the same to Mose Henry Perry being the boy I took to raise and who is now making his home with me.

Fourth: I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that she be allowed to qualify as such without security.

Witness my hand which is set to this my last will and testament written on two sheets of paper, the same being attached together

James G. Dickerson

E. J. Smith

The last Will and Testament of Eugie M. Newsom, she being of sound mind and understanding and knowing the uncertainty of life, desires that her personal property, consisting of Furniture, beds, bed clothing, silverware and everything in her possession, be equally divided between her two nephews Dr. Edwin Newsom of Newport News and Robert Newsom of Wilmington, Del. with these exceptions, her cameo pin she bequeaths to Virginia Belle Newsom, and her initial pin to Mary wife of Robt. Newsom, her Pearl set ring and pin given her by Mrs. McGuire she bequeaths to Clara Newsom. The gold thimble and silver butter knife with her initials, she bequeaths to Ora Griffing as a bridal present from her. Any money of hers that may be left after paying burial expenses, drug bills and Drs. and paying for a small tombstone she wishes equally divided between the two nephews, who have so kindly administered to her during her long suffering.

Signed—Eugie Newsom.
Witness—Mary F. Field
Cora M. Dearing

Apr. 8th 1920.
City Hospital.

This to be opened after my death.

Virginia—In the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court of
Coamke County, April 12th, 1920.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of (Mrs.) Eugie M. Newsom, deceased, dated April 8th, 1920, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office of said Court, and proved according to law by the oaths of Mary F. Field and Cora M. Dearing, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is thereupon admitted to probate, and ordered to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said (Mrs.) Eugie Newsom, deceased.

And, on motion of Dr. Edwin Newsom, one of the heirs of said decedent, Robert Newsom is appointed Administrator of the estate of said decedent. Thereupon the said Robert Newsom, who made oath thereto, and together with Edwin Newsom, his surety, who justified on

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I, F. G. Webber do hereby make and declare this to be my last will and testament thereby revoking all other wills heretofore by me at any time made.

I hereby give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Emma F. Webber all of my real and personal property of every kind whatsoever and wherever the same may be located, in fee simple, absolute, to be disposed of by her as she may deem best.

(2) I hereby appoint my said wife to be executrix of this my last will and testament and request that she be allowed to qualify as such without being required to give security on her bond.

Given under my hand and seal at Salem Virginia this 29th day of March, 1917.

F. G. Webber - (Seal)

Virginia: - In the Clerk's Office Circuit Court of Roanoke County, April 16th, 1920.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of F. G. Webber, deceased, dated March 29th, 1917, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's Office by (Mrs.) Emma V. Webber, widow of decedent, and there being no subscribing witnesses to said paper, H. A. Keast and J. Horace Smith were duly sworn and severally deposed that they were well acquainted with the handwriting of the said F. G. Webber, deceased, and they verily believed the said writing and the name of F. G. Webber thereto signed to have been wholly written by the said decedent. Thereupon, the said paper being duly proved, on motion of the executrix therein named, is probated and admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said F. G. Webber, deceased.

And, on motion of (Mrs.) Emma V. Webber, named in said will as executrix, she is permitted to qualify as such. Thereupon, the said (Mrs.) Emma V. Webber, who made oath thereto, and having entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), conditioned according to law, but without security, the testator requesting that no security be required, and the Clerk requiring none, certificate is granted her for obtaining a probate of said will in due form (Appraisers waived by executrix.)

Teste: Chas. D. Demit, Clerk.

A Copy - Teste: Chas. D. Demit, Clerk.

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Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans

I Thomas Connell, Clerk of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans.

Do Hereby Certify, that the annexed eleven (11) pages contain a true and correct copy of:

1. Petition for Probate of Will, Affidavit and Order of Court thereon, filed December 16, 1919;
2. Will and Probate, filed December 16, 1919;
3. Petition for recognition and possession and Affidavits, filed February 27th, 1920;
4. Judgment read, rendered and signed, on the 27th. day of February, 1920.

in the matter entitled "Succession of John Munford", bearing the No. 129,701 of the docket of this Court, Division "B".

(Seal of
(Civil District Court for the
Parish of Orleans
State of Louisiana)

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at the City of New Orleans, on this 24th day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and Twenty, and in the one hundred and forty fourth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

T. Connell, Clerk

I, Frederick D. Ling, presiding Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, Do Hereby Certify that Thomas Connell is the Clerk of said Court, that the same is a Court of Record, having probate jurisdiction, and that the signature, T. Connell, Clerk, to the foregoing certificate is in the proper handwriting of him, the said Thomas Connell, Clerk; to his official act as such, full faith and credit are due

to probate, and ordered registered and executed.

Petitioner further prays for all general and equitable relief.

(Signed) Spencer, Tenner, Lidiere & Phelps,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

State of Louisiana,
Parish of Orleans:

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared Mrs. Emma Breon, widow of John Munford, who being by me duly sworn declared that she is the petitioner in the foregoing petition, and that all the facts therein set forth are true.

(Signed)

Mrs. Emma Breon Munford.

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 15th day
of December, 1919.

(Signed) Pierre D. Olivier,
Notary Public.

(Seal)

Order.

Let the last will and testament of the deceased John Munford made in olographic form on the 1st day of November, 1901, and filed with the within petition be proved before me forthwith.

(Signed) Fred D. King, Judge.

New Orleans,

December 16th 1919.

Will and Probate

Filed December 16, 1919.

Succession

of
John Munford

No. 129701
Civil District Court for the
Parish of Orleans
Division "B".

Re Varietur, New Orleans, Dec. 16th 1919 (Signed)

Fred D. King, Judge

New Orleans, La.

Nov. 1st 1901.

I, John Munford, of the City of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, being of sound mind & memory, hereby make this, my last will & testament, wholly written & signed by, myself.

I have no forced heirs and I will & bequeath to my beloved wife, Emma Breon Munford my effects, all & singular, movable, ^{& immovable} which I may die possessed of.

In case it is necessary to open my succession, it is my wish and decree, that she shall have immediate possession & administer my estate without

according to law.

Done in the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, this 16th day of December, 1919.

(Signed) Chas. J. Jackson
Pierre D. Olivier.

(Signed)

Fred. D. King, Judge.

Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans,
State of Louisiana.

No. 129701

Division "B"

Docket 1.

Succession of John Munford.

Filed Feb. 27, 1920

Petition

(Signed) Th. T. Barry, Dy. Clk.

To The Honorable The Civil District Court for the Parish
of Orleans:

The petition of Mrs. Emma Person, widow of John
Munford, with respect shows:

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That petitioner was married to John Munford, deceased, on the 14th day of April, 1901; that her said husband departed this life in the City of New Orleans where he was domiciled on the 7th day of December, 1919, leaving surviving him neither ascendants nor descendants, but leaving surviving him his widow, your petitioner, with whom he was living at the time of his death.

II

That the deceased John Munford left a last will and testament in holographic form which has been duly probated in this Honorable Court and ordered executed; that under the terms of said will, the deceased John Munford bequeathed all of the property of every description of which he died possessed, to your petitioner.

III

That a community of acquets and gains existed between the said John Munford, deceased, and your petitioner.

IV

That said deceased left certain policies of life insurance which were taken out prior to his marriage with your petitioner and were made payable to his estate, and said deceased also left certain land in the State of Virginia which was acquired by him prior to his marriage to your petitioner; that the balance of the estate of

twenty-five (25) feet front on Painters by one hundred nine-
teen (19) feet in depth; all as shown by a plan of Warren
B. Reed dated March 20, 1909, being the same property
acquired by John Munford, deceased, from Gentilly
Terrace Company by act before J. C. French on June
28, 1917, registered C. O. B. 293, Folio 202

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That the policies left by the deceased, and above
referred to are the following:

One (1) policy of life insurance in the
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York,
bearing the No. 822, 516 for the sum of three
thousand (\$3,000) Dollars.

Three (3) policies of life insurance in the
Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York,
as follows:

Policy No. 668, 699 for the sum of Five thousand
and (\$5,000) Dollars;

Policy No. 788, 768 for the sum of Five thousand
(\$5,000) Dollars;

Policy No. 870, 413 for the sum of Five thousand
(\$5,000) Dollars.

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That the deceased left no debts and an
administration of his succession is therefore
unnecessary, and petitioner desires to uncon-
ditionally accept said succession, and to be
placed in possession thereof.

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That petitioner as widow in community of
the deceased is entitled in her own right to the
ownership of one-half of all community property
left by the deceased, and petitioner, as the
universal legatee of the deceased, is entitled
to be placed in possession of all property left
by the deceased of every kind.

Therefore, petitioner prays that there be
judgment herein recognizing her as the widow
in community of John Munford, deceased,
and as such entitled in her own right to
one-half (1/2) of all property of every description
belonging to the community of acquets and
gains heretofore existing between petitioner and
her said deceased husband, John Munford.

And petitioner further prays that there be judgment
herein recognizing her as the universal legatee under
the last will and testament of the deceased John
Munford, and as such sending her into possession
of all property of every description left by the

Apparuer further declared that the said John Munford left surviving him neither ascendants nor descendants.
(Signed) H. M. Rhett.

Sworn to and subscribed
before me at the City of
New Orleans, La., this 29th
day of January, 1930.

(Seal) (Signed) Pierre D. Olivier,
Notary Public.

State of Louisiana,
Parish of Orleans.

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Edward Alois who being by me duly sworn declared that he was well acquainted with the late John Munford, who died in the City of New Orleans, on December 7, 1919; that said John Munford was married twice, first to Miss Ellen Price, who died without issue in June 1895, and second to Miss Emma Person, his surviving widow.

Apparuer further declared that the said John Munford left surviving him neither ascendants nor descendants.

(Signed) Edward Alois.

Sworn to and subscribed
before me at the City of
New Orleans, La., this 30
day of January, 1930.

(Seal) (Signed) Pierre D. Olivier,
Notary Public.

Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans,
State of Louisiana.

No. 129701

Division B.

Docket 1.

Succession of John Munford.

Judgment

On petition of the widow of John Munford, deceased, to be recognized as the surviving widow in community and as universal legatee of the deceased;

It is Ordered, Adjudged, and Decreed, that petitioner, Mrs. Emma Person Munford, widow of John Munford, be, and she is, hereby recognized as the surviving spouse in community of the deceased John Munford entitled, as such in her own right to the ownership of

sale by the Union Stock Yards Company, Ltd. to Leon Bouzeque, passed before Tuxton Bailey, Notary Public on December 17, 1912, being the same property acquired from Leon Bouzeque by act before William F. Roy, Notary Public, in the Parish of St. Bernard on April 4, 1916, registered C. O. B. 287 folio 10.

And No. 12 certain lots of ground in the Third District of the City of New Orleans, eight (8) of said lots being Nos. 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 being located in square 7 bounded by Music, Lombard, Arts, and Gentilly Boulevard, and measuring each twenty-five (25) feet on Music Street by a depth of one hundred nineteen (119) feet; two (2) of said lots being Nos. 47 and 48 are located in square 8 bounded by Arts, Painters, Lombard Streets, and Gentilly Boulevard, and measuring each twenty-five (25) feet front on Art Street by one hundred nineteen (119) feet in depth; two (2) of said lots being Nos. 52 and 53 are located in square 9 bounded by Painters, Venus, Lombard and Gentilly Boulevard, and measure each twenty five feet (25) front on Painters by one hundred nineteen (119) feet in depth; all as shown by a plan of Warren B. Reed, dated March 20, 1909, being the same property acquired by John Munford, deceased, from Gentilly Terrace Company by act before J. C. Menck on June 28, 1917, registered C. O. B. 293, folio 202.

Judgment Read, Rendered and Signed, in open Court this 27th day of February, 1920.
(Signed)
Fred. D. King, Judge.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Roanoke, Va. this 1st day of June, 1920 this copy of will was presented, and with the certificates of probate thereto annexed, admitted to record at 9 o'clock A. M.

Teste:
Chas. D. Demit, Clerk.

ried as such, and that said attestation is in due form of law.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of July, 1900.

(Seal of the Court). T. Connell, Clerk.

Re Varietur, N. O. July 23, 1900.

(Signed) John St. Paul, Judge.

New Orleans July First 1898 (July First Eighteen hundred and ninety eight. This is my biographic last Will and testament, written, dated and signed with my own hand. I give and bequeath unto my wife Emma Dechamps the usufruct of all the property that I may leave at my death, the said usufruct to end in case she should marry again and I dispense her giving bond as such usufructuary. I appoint my wife Emma Dechamps my testamentary Executrix and dispense her with the furnishing of bond as such Executrix. Should my wife need any advice or should she be troubled about settling my affairs, I recommend my friends F.D. Chretien or Bernard M. Clokey either one.

New Orleans July 1st 1898

(Signed) P. Mallard.

Re Varietur, N. O. July 23, 1900. (Signed)

John St. Paul, Judge.

Be It Remembered, That on this Twenty-third day of July in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and the 125th of The Independence of the United States of America

Upon application of Mrs. Emma Dechamps Mallard, and pursuant to my decree bearing even date herewith.

Before me, John St. Paul, Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, personally came and appeared Messrs. Geo. Mallard and J. A. Grasser, witnesses, who being duly sworn, were by me presented with an instrument of writing, written on, one page of one sheet of white letter paper, beginning with the following words: New Orleans July 1st 1898 (July First Eighteen hundred &c) and ending with the

This 29th day of May 1882 being of sound mind and in good health I make this my last will and testament I leave to my two sisters Laura G. Boone and Sallie H. Sellers all my property both real and personal Everything of which I may ^{disseized} or possessed to be shared equally and jointly. And in the event of the death of either the said Laura G. Boone or Sallie H. Sellers the said property or any part of it remaining is to pass wholly and entirely into the hands of the surviving party to be used and disposed of as they may deem proper.

In testimony thereof witness my hand this 29th day of May, 1882.

Annie Whitehurst.

At a Hustings Court continued and held for the City of Roanoke, Virginia, on the 2nd day of January, 1900.

A writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Annie Whitehurst deceased was this day presented to the Court and there being no subscribing witnesses to said will F. H. Woodhouse and Mrs. Mary McClelland were sworn and severally deposed that they are well acquainted with the handwriting of the said Annie Whitehurst deceased and verily believe that the handwriting and the signature thereto subscribed are wholly in the handwriting of the said Annie Whitehurst deceased. Whereupon it is ordered that the same be recorded as the true last will and testament of the said Annie Whitehurst, deceased.

A copy test, J. J. Brook, Clerk.

A copy test, R. J. Watson, Clerk.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Roanoke, Va., this 21st day of July, 1900, this copy of will was presented and with the certificate of probate thereto annexed, admitted to record.

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Les. A. Denit, Dep. Clerk.

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testament of Wm. B. Gale, deceased, dated October 28th 1912, was this day produced before me in the Clerk's office of said Court and there being no subscribing witnesses to said paper, J. H. J. Goff and Geo. W. Muse were duly sworn, and testified that they were well acquainted with the handwriting of the said Wm. B. Gale, deceased, and verily believed that the said writing and the name thereto signed to have been wholly written by the said Wm. B. Gale; and on motion of the devisees of said decedent, by their attorney, the said paper is probated, and admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said Wm. B. Gale, deceased.

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In the name of God, Amen: I Blanche Jeter, being in full possession of my mental faculties, and of a good and disposing mind and memory, and calling to mind the uncertainty of life, do hereby make and declare this, as my last will and testament.

I desire to be decently buried after my death, and all my debts and funeral expenses to be paid.

Whereas, my beloved niece Lillie Jeter and myself own jointly both real and personal property situated in the County of Boone, should I die before my said niece Lillie, I devise and bequeath to her all my property both real and personal to be used and held by her as she may choose.

I desire that my niece Lillie Jeter will make some provision either in her lifetime or by her will, out of the property held jointly by us, for marking and fixing up the graves of our family in Tombstone Cemetery.

I hereby appoint Charles L. Hatcher my Executor of this my last will and testament, and request that no security be required of him on his bond.

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