

No. 556

STATE OF GEORGIA ()
RICHMOND COUNTY)

I, Joseph Akerman, of Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia, do make declare and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all other Wills by me heretofore made.

ITEM I

I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid by my Executrix herein after named.

ITEM II

I give, bequeath and devise unto my beloved wife, Effie Reid Akerman, all of the property of any character of which I die seized and possessed, in fee simple. I do not name my four children as beneficiaries under the terms of this will in the event my said wife shall be in life at the time of my death because of the knowledge that I have that she will carry on for me, and in my place and stead provide for all of their necessities in so far as she is able so to do.

ITEM III

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my said wife, Effie Reid Akerman, the sole Executrix of this Will, hereby relieving her from making any returns to the Court of Ordinary or to any other Court.

ITEM IV

In the event my said wife should predecease me, then and in that event I give, bequeath and devise unto my four children and unto my wife's aunt, Martha Ida Clark, all of the property of which I die seized and possessed, to share and share alike in equal portions, during the lifetime of the said Martha Ida Clark. Upon the death of the said Martha Ida Clark and upon the youngest of my said children attaining majority, I give, bequeath and devise all of my said property to my said children in fee simple, to share and share alike, the issue of any child or children to stand in the place and stead of its parent and to inherit the portion that his or her or thier parent would otherwise have taken under the terms of this will.

ITEM V

I hereby, in the event of the death of my said wife before this Will becomes operative, nominate, constitute and appoint my brother Charles Akerman, of Macon, Georgia, the sole Executor of this Will and the Guardian of my minor children, and I do hereby empower my said brother with full and complete authority to sell any portion of my estate all of it, should it become necessary in his opinion to do so for the maintenance, education and support of my said children and the said Martha Ida Clark, without the order of the Court of Ordinary or of any other court, and I hereby expressly relieve my said brother from the necessity of giving any bond as said Executor or as said Guardian. It is my further wish and desire that my said brother shall not make any returns to the Court of Ordinary of his acts and doings, either as Executor or as Guardian of my minor children, it being my purpose and intention, should this provision of my will become operative, to entrust my said brother with complete and final control of the estate that I shall leave during the minority of my said children. Upon the youngest of my said children reaching majority, I direct my said brother to divide among my said children and my wife's said aunt, in equal portions, should my wife's said aunt be in life at the time my youngest child attains majority, all of my said property.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12 day of July, 1926.

Joseph Akerman

Signed, sealed, declared and published by JOSEPH AKERMAN as his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, who subscribe our names hereto in the presence of said Testator, after he had signed his name thereto, and at his special instance and request, and in the presence of each other.

This 12th day of July, 1926.

J. Paul Stephens
Maude V. Gray
Archibald Blackshear

STATE OF GEORGIA
COURT OF ORDINARY
COUNTY OF RICHMOND

I, Elizabeth White, Clerk of the Court of Ordinary of said County do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of Last Will and Testament of Joseph Akerman with the original record and find thereof, now remaining in this office, and the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original record and file and that said Court is a Court of Record.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Court of Ordinary this the 1st day of March 1944.

(SEAL)

Elizabeth White
Clerk Court of Ordinary, Richmond County, Georgia

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF RICHMOND

ORDINARY'S OFFICE

I, JOHN C. HARPER, Ordinary of Richmond County, State of Georgia, do hereby certify that Elizabeth White, who signed the foregoing certificate, is and was at the time of signing the same, duly qualified Clerk of my Court; that the attestation is in due form of law, and that all her official acts are entitled to full faith and credit.

WITNESS my official signature at the City of Augusta, this 1st day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

John C. Harper
Ordinary, Richmond County, Ga.

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF RICHMOND

ORDINARY'S OFFICE

I, ELIZABETH WHITE, Clerk of the Court of Ordinary of Richmond County, State of Georgia, do hereby certify that JOHN C. HARPER, who signed the foregoing certificate, is and was at the time of signing the same, the Ordinary of Richmond County, Georgia, duly elected, commissioned and qualified, and that said signature is genuine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF

I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Court of Ordinary, at the City of Augusta, County and State aforesaid, the 1st day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.

(SEAL)

Elizabeth White
Clerk Court of Ordinary, Richmond County, Georgia

James P. Eskildson, Dec'd

No 557

"WILL"

I, JAMES P. ESKILDSON, do hereby make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me.

Item 1. I wish that all my just and proper debts shall be paid; that a suitable tombstone be erected at my grave to be selected and paid for by the executor of my estate.

Item 2. The balance of my estate is to be distributed as follows:

\$1,000 I give to the Woman's Auxiliary No. 1 of the First Presbyterian Church, Danville, Virginia. This gift being in memory of my mother, Mrs. Mary B. Eskildson. My wish and desire is that this fund is to be used as this auxiliary may see fit, but in the event that this auxiliary for any reason should be not in existence at the time of my death then I give this fund of \$1,000.00 to the First Presbyterian Church of Danville, Virginia with the direction that same shall be used for the Poor Fund of said Church.

All the rest and residue of my estate of whatever nature and wherever located I give, devise and bequeath in equal shares to the following named persons. This includes all of my oil painting which were painted by my brother, and I want these oil paintings not to be sold but distributed by my executor in its wise and proper discretion among the below named residuary legatees and devisees who will take my estate including all of my real estate in Danville, Virginia, Southport, North Carolina, and Omaha, Nebraska, as hereafter set out, each to receive an equal share. I hereby give to my executor complete discretion, authority and right to sell all of my real estate at public or private sale as said executor may think wise and best; and the purchaser of such real estate shall take a good title by the sole deed of my said executor, and shall be required to look to the application of any of the purchase money. All of my remaining estate over and above the \$1,000 hereinbefore mentioned, and over and above the said

paintings hereinbefore mentioned shall be as promptly as possible converted into cash including all real estate and all.

James P. Eskildson

property of every kind and nature, and shall then be distributed in equal shares to the following:

John A. Jones, Danville, Virginia
 Harry E. Jones Danville, Virginia
 Mrs. Anna Belle Abbott, Drewrys Bluff, Virginia
 Robert E. Crowder, Richmond, Virginia
 Mrs. Elsie Crowder Korr, West Point, Virginia
 Ruth Crowder Bryant, Richmond, Virginia
 Annie Crowder Leffler, Richmond, Virginia
 Maggie Galloway Adams, Southport, North Carolina

Should any of the above parties die before I do that share provided for in this will for that person so dying shall become a part of my residuary estate and shall be distributed as a part thereof equally to the remaining persons named in the foregoing clause.

ITEM 3 I hereby nominate and appoint the First National Bank of Danville, Danville Virginia as my executor. I hereby give to said Bank full complete and absolute authority and power to sell and transfer all personal property, to sell at public or private sale upon such terms and conditions as to it seems wise all real estate owned by me at the time of my death wherever same may be situate, and to convey to the purchaser at any such sale a complete and absolute fee simple title to said property.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature and seal to this my last will and testament on this the 2nd day of September, 1937.

James P. Eskildson (SEAL)

The foregoing writing, consisting of one and three-fourths typewritten pages, was signed, and the whole published and declared by James P. Eskildson, who was then of sound mind, as and for his last will and testament in our presence, said testator having signed said will in the presence of all of us and we, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have hereunto affixed our signatures as witnesses to his will, at his request, and have written after our signatures our respective places of residence, we, the said testator and said three witnesses being all four together present at one and the same time, and this certificate having first been read to us and we intending to hereby certify that the foregoing took place in the order and under the circumstances as herein set out on the said 2nd day of September, 1937.

Thelma B. Petty
 RESIDING AT DANVILLE, VIRGINIA.

L. C. Horne
 RESIDING AT DANVILLE, VIRGINIA.

E. B. Bagby
 RESIDING AT DANVILLE, VIRGINIA.

VIRGINIA:-

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville on the 30th day of March, 1944.

A writing, bearing date of September 2, 1937, purporting to be the last will and testament of James P. Eskildson, late of this city, deceased, was this day presented to the Clerk of said Court and Thelma B. Petty and L. C. Horne, two of the subscribing witnesses to said will, being duly sworn deposed and said that they and E. B. Bagby, the other subscribing witness to said will, in the presence of each other and in the presence of said testator, and at the request of said testator, subscribed their names as witnesses to said will and that said testator in their presence, all being present together, signed and acknowledged said writing as and for his last will and testament, and that he was then of sound mind and memory. Whereupon the same is ordered to be recorded as the true last will and testament of the said James P. Eskildson, deceased.

And on the motion of The First National Bank of Danville, Va. the only executor of said will, who made oath as the law directs, by and through L. C. Horne, as its attorney,

Officer, and entered into a bond in the penalty of Thirty Thousand Dollars, payable and conditioned according to law (but without security, none being required of it under Section 4149 (69) of the Code of Va.; and which said bond being acknowledged by The First National Bank of Danville, Va. by L. C. Horne, its Trust Officer, is ordered to be recorded), certificate is granted the said The First National Bank of Danville, Va. for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

C. Stuart Wheatley, Clerk.

Copy-Teste:-

C. Stuart Wheatley, Clerk

Virginia:-

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Danville on the 30th day of March, 1944, the foregoing last will and testament of James P. Eskildson, deceased, together with the order of the Clerk of said Court thereon, was admitted to record.

Teste:-

C. Stuart Wheatley, Clerk

IN TESTIMONY, that the foregoing is a true Copy, taken from the records of said Court, I. C. Stuart Wheatley, Clerk thereof, hereto set my hand and affix the Seal of said Court, this the 30th day of March, 1944.

(SEAL)

C. Stuart Wheatley Clerk
 Corporation Court of Danville, Va.

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No 558

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

BRUNSWICK COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen. I, Clara Etta Krahmke, of Leland, in the County of Brunswick and State of North Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, but feeling the uncertainty of this my earthly existence, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say:

FIRST: It is my will and desire that my body shall receive a decent burial, suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and that all of my just debts shall be paid, including my funeral expenses, out of the first money or monies, that may come into the hands of my executors hereinafter named, as a part and parcel of my estate.

SECOND: I give, devise and bequeath to Emil Carl Krahmke, Ferdinand Henry Krahmke, August John Krahmke, Earnest Limwood Krahmke, Wilson Norries Krahmke, Bertha Clara Krahmke Roberts, Gretchen Veneta Krahmke Adams, Esther Orene Krahmke, and Margaret Cleone Krahmke, my children, all of my property, personal, real and mixed, of every nature, kind and description, and whosoever the same may be situate, absolutely and in fee simple, share and share alike, charging however, the share of Earnest Limwood Krahmke with an advancement of \$1300.00, with interest from the 8th day of March, 1922, and the share of August John Krahmke with an advancement of \$1,078.00, with interest from the 1st day of January, A. D. 1923.

THIRD: I nominate, constitute and appoint W. G. Adams, my true and lawful executor, to carry into execution this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and declaring utterly null and void, any and all other wills heretofore made by me.

Given under my hand and seal, this the 5th day of April A. D. 1930

Clara Etta Krahmke (SEAL)

Signed, Sealed, Published and declared by the said Clara Etta Krahmke to be her last will and testament in the presence of us, who, at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

C. C. Holmes

Herbert McClure

I don't know but I may die very sudden if I should I want what cash money I have divided equally between Emil Krahmke, Bertha Roberts, Gretchen Adams, Wilson Krahmke, Cleone Krahmke. The Property can be devised as the Will says which is in the safe at Leland. Stack is Orenes.

Wm. F. H. Krahmke

May 15 1937

Greensboro, Va.

the money is at the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.
 110 Paterson St. Wilmington, N.C.