

Thompson came & he Jeffers being duly sworn
testifies as follows & was acquainted with Davis
Kerston in his life time he is now dead he died
about the 18th of June 1876 at his residence in the
City of Helena. I have examined this paper writing
purporting to be the last will and testament of Davis
Kerston and declare that I signed the same as an
attesting witness to the same at the request and in the
presence of said testator and of Robt. Horn the other
attesting witness. He was of sound mind and
disposing memory at the time of signing said
will to the best of my knowledge and belief. The body
of the will was written in his own hand writing
and signed by himself.

I, C. Jeffers
inscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July 1876
John W. Reed, Clerk
Royal Lawrence, Deacon &c

State of Arkansas
County of Phillips
I, John W. Reed, Clerk of the County
and ex officio Clerk of Probate Court in and for
said County and State aforesaid do hereby certify that
the above foregoing pages contain a true and
correct copy of the last will and testament of Davis
Kerston deceased given June 2nd 1876 and admitted
to probate this 10th day of July 1876 and duly recorded
this 10th day of July 1876 in testimony whereof I
hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of office
this 10th day of August 1876

John W. Reed, Clerk
Royal Lawrence, Deacon &c

Montgomery County, In the Superior Court
In the Matter of the Will of Before the Clerk
M. M. Ludwig
Elias Hawley, being duly sworn, deposes that M. M. Ludwig, late
of said County, is dead having first made and published his
last Will and Testament, and that Elias Hawley is the Executor named
therein. Further, that the property of the said M. M. Ludwig
consisting of Personal and Real Estate is worth about \$5000 as far as
can be ascertained at the date of this Application and that
Angeline Walton and John L. Hold are the parties entitled under said
will to the said property.

Will of
M. M. Ludwig
E. Hawley, Exr

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 12th day of & Hawley,
December 1885
to be W. C. de

I, Martha L. Ludwig late of the County of Rowan now of
the County of Montgomery and State of North Carolina
being of sound mind and memory but being in
delicate health and knowing the uncertainty of life
and the certainty of death and desiring to give direction
to the disposition of my property to take effect upon my death
do make publish and declare the following to be my last
Will and Testament

I It is my will and desire that my dear sister Angeline
Walton shall have my certain and personal property
which I do hereby give and devise unto her in and to
quit the one known in common parlance as a sand
and one known as a figure & painted and also my
Bible or Chalice book and one large yellow trunk
II It is my will and desire that my dear nephew John
L. Hall shall have all my remaining property both real
and personal not included in my bequest to my sister
Angeline. My real property consist of a house and lot
at Cat & Hill in the County of Rowan N.C.
III It is my desire that my dear nephew John L. Hall carry
my body to Cat & Hill and bury it in a neat Coffin
my grave marked by a neat tomb stone
IV I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Elias
Hawley of Montgomery County N.C. my executor to carry
out the provision of the foregoing Will with the desire that
as soon as practicable after my death he cause each of
the legatee above named with their rightful property
in testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix
my seal
This Oct 14th 1885

Attest
Geo. B. Droughs
J. C. Reynolds

Attest, M. Ludwig

North Carolina
Montgomery County
In the Superior Court
Before the Clerk
A paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of
M. M. Ludwig deceased is exhibited before me the undersigned

