

And this Dependent further saith, That the said Francis E. Spruill, the testatrix aforesaid, did at the time of subscribing her name as aforesaid declare the said paper-writing to be subscribed by her and exhibited to be her last Will and Testament, and this Dependent did thereupon subscribe his name at the end of said Will, as an attesting witness thereto, and at the request and in the presence of said testatrix. And this Dependent further saith, that at the same time when the said testatrix subscribed her name to the said last Will as aforesaid, and at the time of the Dependent subscribing his name as an attesting witness thereto, as aforesaid, the said Francis E. Spruill was of sound mind and memory, of full age to execute a Will, and was not under any restraint, to the knowledge, information or belief of this Dependent; And further this Dependent says not.

H. M. Salmons.

Sworn and subscribed, this 5th day of February 1912, before me,

C. V. W. Tinslow,
Clerk Superior Court.

State of North Carolina.

Washington County, } In the Superior Court.

A paper-writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Francis E. Spruill, deceased, is exhibited for probate in open Court by J. J. Hopkins, one of the deponents therein named; and it is thereupon proved by the oath and examination of F. R. Johnston that W. T. Freeman one of the subscribing witnesses thereto is dead and it is also proved by the oath and examination of Clarence Latham that W. H. Hampton, another subscribing witness thereto is also dead. And it is further proved by the oath and examination of the said F. R. Johnston that he is well acquainted with the handwriting of the said W. T. Freeman, having often seen him write, and that the name of the said W. T. Freeman subscribed as a witness to the said Will, is in the handwriting of the said W. T. Freeman, and it is also proved by the oath and examination of Clarence Latham that he is well acquainted with the handwriting of the said W. H. Hampton, having often seen him write, and that the name of the said W. H. Hampton subscribed as a witness to the said Will is in the handwriting of the said W. H. Hampton. It is therefore considered by the Court that the said paper-writing, and every part thereof, is the last will and testament of the said Francis E. Spruill, and the same is ordered to be recorded and filed. This 5 day of Feb. 1912.

C. V. W. Tinslow, C.C.

State of Virginia,

County of Norfolk and City of Norfolk.

I L. H. Hornthal of State of Virginia County of Norfolk and City of Norfolk being of sound mind and disposing memory and in view of the certainty of death and the uncertainty of all human affairs do make public and declare this my last will and Testament as follows that is to say,

Item 1st. I give to Miss Louise Hornthal, my entire Estate Real & Personal Property of every kind & description I may have at my death.

Item 2nd. I constitute and appoint my wife Louise Hornthal to be the Executor and trustee under my said will and I hereby will and direct that no bond shall be required of her as Executor. Date Norfolk Va. Oct 3d 1907.

L. H. Hornthal Seal

Witness,

Virginia;

In the Corporation Court of the City of Norfolk, on the 21st day of February, 1912.

A paper-writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of L. H. Hornthal late of this City, deceased, was this day produced in Court by Louise Hornthal the Executor therein named, and offered for probate, and thereupon it was proven by the oath of Bernard H. Salmons that said paper-writing was found among the valuable papers and effects of said L. H. Hornthal after his death, and there being no subscribing witnesses thereto, Louis Shepley, Joseph R. Dues and John E. Malis, competent and credible witnesses, were sworn and severally testified that they were well acquainted with the handwriting of the said L. H. Hornthal, and truly believed the said paper-writing and the name thereto subscribed to have been written wholly by his own hand, and that the said handwriting is generally known to the acquaintances of the said L. H. Hornthal, deceased. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the said paper-writing is duly and fully proved, and it is ordered that the same be recorded as the last Will and Testament of the said L. H. Hornthal, deceased.

And as the motion of the said Louise Hornthal, who has the oath required by law, and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of fifty hundred dollars, conditioned according to law, without surety, the will directing that none be required of her, certificate is granted her for obtaining a probate of said Will in due form.