

I, John H. Rothert, of Louisville, Jefferson Co., Ky., being of sound mind and disposing memory, hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament.

I hereby give, devise and bequeath all of my estate, real, personal and mixed, wherever situated, to my two brothers, Otto A. Rothert, of Louisville, Ky., and Hugo C. Rothert, of Huntingburg, Indiana, an undivided one-half to each, should both survive me. Should my said brother Otto be dead at the time of my death, then my entire estate shall go to my said brother Hugo, if living, or to his heirs should he be dead.

I make this disposition of my estate having full confidence in my said brothers; and although I give them said respective shares in fee simple to dispose of as they may desire, I am confident that they will always see that our sister, Sophia M. B. Rothert, is properly cared for and has all the comforts which are now hers, should her individual estate which is now providing for her ever become inadequate for her support.

I hereby appoint said Otto A. Rothert executor of this will, and direct that he be allowed to qualify as such without surety on his bond. I direct that no inventory or appraisement be made of my estate, and that no settlement in court be required of said executor.

IN TESTIMONY OF ALL WHICH, witness my signature this 4th day of October, 1916.
John H. Rothert

Signed and acknowledged by John H. Rothert to be his last will and testament in our presence, and signed by us as witnesses thereto at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other on this 4th day of October, 1916.

Bert Finck
M. F. Karwiese

State of Kentucky.

At a County Court held for Jefferson County at Court House in City of Louisville on May 19th, 1925, was produced in Court the foregoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of John H. Rothert, deceased, late of this County, who died May 13th, 1925, resident thereof; and same was proven by testimony of Bert Finck, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who also proved the attestation of H. F. Karwiese, now deceased, the other subscribing witness thereto; whereupon same was established and adjudged by the Court to be the last will and testament of said testator, and ordered to be recorded as such; and I hereby certify that same is recorded in my office as Clerk of said Court.

Witness my hand this May 19th, 1925.
Fred O. Nuetzel, Clerk,
By Harry W. Russell, D. C.,

I, Fred O. Nuetzel, Clerk of the Jefferson County Court, Kentucky, do hereby certify that the foregoing contains a true and correct copy as taken from and compared with the original record and that said will is recorded in Will Book 42, at page 5.

Witness my hand this September 21st., 1925.
Fred O. Nuetzel, Clerk,
By I. J. Bord, D. C.

State of Kentucky,

County of Muhlenberg.

I, Lena L. Slaton, Clerk of the Muhlenberg County Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the last Will and Testament of John H. Rothert, deceased, which Will was probated in the Jefferson County Court and sent to me for record, after having been recorded in the office of the Clerk of the Jefferson County Court also.

Given under my hand this 15 day of October, 1925.

Lena L. Slaton, Clerk,

By *Lena L. Slaton* D.C.