

equal shares per stirpes, so that the issue of any deceased child shall take equally between them the share which the parent would have taken if living.

I hereby nominate and appoint John P. Ashmead the sole Executor of this Will revoking all former Wills by me made. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1904.

Joseph Race

Sealed, acknowledged and declared by the said Joseph Race as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us both being present at the same time who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

W. H. Mathis
Samuel G. Bowen.

State of New Jersey ss.
County of Atlantic

W. H. Mathis, one of the witnesses to the within will, being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that he saw the testator therein named, sign and seal the same, and heard him publish, pronounce and declare the within writing to be his last will and testament, and that at the time of the doing thereof, the said testator was of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, so far as he knows and as he verily believes and that Samuel G. Bowen the other subscribing witness was present at the same time and signed his name as witness to the said will together with this deponent in the presence of the said testator and in the presence of each other, all being present at the same time.

Sworn and subscribed at Mays Landing, County and State aforesaid, the 10th day of October, A. D. 1905 before me

W. H. Mathis

Emanuel C. Shaver
Surrogate.

State of New Jersey ss.
County of Atlantic

John P. Ashmead, Executor of the within named Joseph Race deceased, being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that the within writing contains the true last will and testament of Joseph Race therein named, deceased, so far as he knows and as he verily believes; that he will well and truly perform the same by paying first the debts of the said deceased and then the legacies in the said testament specified, so far as the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased can thereunto extend, and that he will make and exhibit into the Surrogate's office of the County of Atlantic, at or before the expiration of three calendar months, a

true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said decedent that have or shall come to his knowledge or possession, or to the possession of any other person or persons for his use, and render a just and true account when thereunto lawfully required, and also diligently and faithfully regard and well and truly comply with the provisions of the act relating to collateral inheritance.

Sworn and subscribed at Mays Landing, County and State aforesaid, the 10th day of October, A. D. 1905 before me

Emanuel C. Shaver,
Surrogate.

John P. Ashmead.

Atlantic County Surrogate's Court.

In the Matter of the Probate of the last will and testament of Joseph Race deceased. } Order For Probate passed.

Application having been made to me by John P. Ashmead the executor named in the last will and testament of Joseph Race, late of Pleasantville in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey, deceased, for probate of the said will and testament and letters testamentary thereon, and the Surrogate having inquired into the circumstances and taken the proofs and being satisfied of the genuineness of the said will, produced, the validity of its execution, and the competency of the testator, and the probate of the said will not being contested and it appearing that the testator died more than ten days ago to wit: September 29, 1905. It is on this Tenth day of October A. D. 1905: adjudged that the instrument offered for probate in this matter is established as the last will and testament of Joseph Race deceased, and the same is hereby admitted to probate, and it is ordered that letters testamentary be issued thereon to John P. Ashmead the executor named in the said will who may qualify thereunder.

Emanuel C. Shaver,
Surrogate.

State of New Jersey ss.
County of Atlantic

Emanuel C. Shaver, Surrogate of the said County of Atlantic, do hereby certify the annexed to be a true copy of the last will and testament of Joseph Race, late of the County of Atlantic, deceased, as the same is recorded in my office at Mays Landing, County and State aforesaid, in book "C" of wills at page 421 ss, and that John P. Ashmead the executor therein named, proved the same before me on the Tenth day of October nineteen hundred and five and is duly authorized to take upon himself the ad-