MR. MACK HEAD

(Delivered)
August 5, 1963

Mr. C. A. Nunnery  
c/o First Methodist Church  
5th and Greenup Street  
Covington, Kentucky

In Re: Estate of Mary K. Shotwell

Dear Mr. Nunnery:

Today I received in the mail a copy of the Last Will of Mary Kay Shotwell, and I am enclosing same herewith. If you look at Article Two, Item 3, you will find that the Methodist Church will receive $1,000.00 from this estate, and according to Article Three there is a chance that you may receive additional monies if there is anything left in the estate when all the legacies are paid.

In reviewing the terms of the Will and in further comparing it with the terms of the probate petition, it is my opinion that there is a possibility that the Church would receive an additional $1,000.00 from this estate.

Very truly yours,

John R. S. Brooking

JRSB:sks

Encl:
LAST WILL
OF
MARY K. SHOTWELL

I, MARY K. SHOTWELL, of Chicago, Illinois, being of sound mind, memory, and understanding, and having no children or descendants of children, do hereby make, publish, and declare this instrument to be my last will, and do hereby cancel and revoke any and all other wills and codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

ARTICLE ONE

All inheritance, estate, and succession taxes payable by reason of my death with respect to property passing under my will, or any codicil thereto, insurance on my life, United States savings bonds, however held, and property held by me jointly with any person with right of survivorship, and with respect to the interest therein of any person, shall be paid out of and be charged generally against the principal of my residuary estate without reimbursement from any person.

ARTICLE TWO

I give and bequeath the following:

1. To my friend, BLANCH A. RICE,
   a. The sum of EIGHT THOUSAND ($8,000.00) DOLLARS; and
   b. FIFTY (50) shares of Commonwealth Edison Company which I now own, together with any additional shares which may result from any stock splits between the date of this, my last will, and the time of distribution hereunder.

2. To the EIGHTEENTH CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.
3. To the M. E. METHODIST CHURCH, Fifth and Scott Streets, Covington, Kentucky, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

4. To HINES HOSPITAL (Veterans), Hines, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

5. To THE SALVATION ARMY, Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

6. To the UNITED SERVICE ORGANIZATION, Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

7. To my brother, RODNEY BRYSON, Covington, Kentucky, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

8. To ETHEL BRYSON, wife of my brother, RODNEY, because she was so good to my mother, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

9. To my brother, WILLARD F. BRYSON, of Ft. Thomas, Kentucky, or, in the event he should predecease me, then to his wife, MARGARET, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

10. To my late husband's nephew, CLIFFORD SHOTWELL, of Cleveland, Ohio, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

11. To my late husband's nephew, LE ROY SHOTWELL, and his wife, of Dayton, Kentucky, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

12. To my late husband's nephew, GEORGE H. SHOTWELL, of Nashville, Tennessee, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

13. To my late husband's niece, LA VERNE AYERS, of Portsmouth, Virginia, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

14. To my late husband's niece, RUTH PAINTER, of California, Kentucky, the sum of SIX THOUSAND ($6,000.00) DOLLARS.

15. To my late husband's brother, EARL SHOTWELL, of California, Kentucky, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

16. To my late husband's nephew, PAUL SHRIMP, of Decatur, Georgia, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

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17. To my late husband's nephew, DONALD SHRIMP, of Decatur, Georgia, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

18. To my brother's wife, ELLA BRYSON (MRS. GEORGE RAY BRYSON), of Kingsville, Maryland, or, in the event she should predecease me, then to her sister, GRACE FOSTER, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

19. To my friend, MRS. T. J. RICHARDSON, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

20. To my friend, VERA VOCKET, of Glendale, Arizona, or in the event she should predecease me, then to her daughter, FERN COLE, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

21. To my friends, ALMEDA and HENRY WULLARET, of Chicago, Illinois, or, in the event one of them should predecease me, then to the survivor of them, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

22. To my friend, MARGARET MC NULTY, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

23. To my friend, CECILE LINSKY, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

24. To my friend, CARRIE POST (MRS. WILLIAM POST), of Chicago, Illinois, or, in the event she should predecease me, then to her daughter, FLORENCE, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

25. To my friend, GRACE FOSTER, of Kingsville, Maryland, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

26. To my niece, FERN WINTERS (MRS. BEN WINTERS), of Youngstown, Ohio, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

27. To my friend, ALMA LAMB (MRS. CARL LAMB), of Ft. Thomas, Kentucky, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

28. To my friend, MARGARET DAVIS (MRS. JACK DAVIS), of Dolton, Illinois, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

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29. To my friend, KATHRYN LINSKY, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

30. To my friend, MARIAN QUINN (MRS. WALTER QUINN), of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED ($500.00) DOLLARS.

31. To BOREA COLLEGE, of Borea, Kentucky, the sum of THREE THOUSAND ($3,000.00) DOLLARS.

32. To CONCORDIA TEACHERS COLLEGE, of River Forest, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

33. To JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of ONE THOUSAND ($1,000.00) DOLLARS.

ARTICLE THREE

I give, devise, and bequeath all the rest, residue, and remainder of my property, real, personal, and mixed, wheresoever situated, including any property to which I may have any right, title, or interest at the time of my death, and any property over which I may have the power of disposition, including any lapsed legacy or legacies hereunder, to the beneficiaries named in paragraphs 1 to 30, both inclusive, of Article Two hereof, or, except where otherwise indicated, to the survivors of them in substantially equal shares.

ARTICLE FOUR

1. I hereby nominate and appoint my friend, BLANCH A. RICE, as executor of this, my last will, and direct that she shall be required to give only her personal bond without surety or other security for the faithful performance by her of her duties as such executor.

a. I hereby give and grant to my executor full power and authority to sell, lease, mortgage, pledge, invest, reinvest, exchange, manage,

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and control, and to make such provisions for deterioration and obso-
lescence with respect thereto as in her judgment may be wise, and in
any way to use and deal with any and all property of my estate, includ-
ing the power to sell real estate and to convey good title thereto, without
application to any court, or judge thereof, for leave or confirmation; and
my executor shall be required to furnish only her personal bond without
surety or other security for the proceeds that may come into her hands
as a result of any such sale of my real estate.

b. I direct that my executor may retain any investment which
may be held by me at my death so long as, in her judgment, it is advisable
so to do; and further direct that my executor shall not be held personally
liable for any loss which may occur by reason of her holding such invest-
ments unsold subsequent to my death.

c. I hereby authorize and empower my executor to divide in specie,
or in kind, any shares of stock, bonds, scrip, or other securities which I
may own at the time of my death; and to sell such of my securities as, in
her absolute discretion, may be necessary, or advisable, to distribute the
assets of my estate in accordance with the provisions set forth in this, my
last will.

d. No person dealing with my executor shall be obligated to see
to the application of any moneys, securities, or other property paid or
delivered to my executor, or to inquire into the expediency or propriety of
any transaction, or the authority of my executor to enter into and consummate
the same upon such terms as my executor may deem advisable.

2. In the event that my friend, BLANCH A. RICE, should predecease
me, or if for any reason she should be unable or refuse to qualify and
act as my executor, or in the event she should be appointed and subsequently
resign as my executor, then I hereby nominate and appoint my attorney,
MARION A. HOY, to act in her place and stead, with all the power and authority given to my friend, BLANCH A. RICE, as executor; and I direct that the said MARION A. HOY shall be required to give only his personal bond without surety or other security as to any personal property which he may handle, and as to the proceeds that may come into his hands as a result of any sale of any real estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, MARY K. SHOTWELL, have executed this, my last will, contained on this and the five preceding pages, each of which is identified by my signature and the date of signing at the bottom thereof, at the City of Chicago, Illinois, on this 5th day of June, 1963.

(SEAL)

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing instrument was, on the day on which it bears date, signed, sealed, published, and declared by MARY K. SHOTWELL, as and for her last will in the presence of us, who, at her request, and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto affixed our names as witnesses, we, and each of us, believing the said testator at the time of the execution of said will to be of sound mind, memory, and under no constraint.

NAME:        ADDRESS:

MARY K. SHOTWELL         7427 Sherman Ave. Chicago 49, Ill.

ELAINE H. HOY              243 Ashland Ave., River Forest, Ill.

MARION A. HOY              243 Ashland Ave., River Forest, Ill.