Mary E. Cowan

(- 26 Oct 1913)

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Will of Mrs. Cowan

Bulk of Property Goes to the Testatrix's Nieces

By the terms of the will of Mrs. Mary E. Cowan, dated June 13, 1911, and filed for probate, diamonds, books and personal effects are left to her niece, M. Pauline Archer, and to Allison M. Archer of Port au Prince, Haiti. A collection of books is given to Ronne C. Shelse and certain jewelry to Charles F. Shelse of Philadelphia.

The Washington Loan and Trust Company is directed to hold thirteen shares of the capital stock of the Girard Trust Company of Philadelphia for the life benefit of the testarix's sister, Georgeana Shelse, of this city. At the death of the sister, the stock is to be sold and \$4,000 paid to the niece living in Haiti and \$300 to each of her grandchildren living in Philadelphia.

The residue of the estate goes to her nieces. The Washington Loan and Trust Company is named executor.