

In the matter of the Estate of James Buchanan, deceased.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Orphans Court for the County of Lancaster.

The petition of Edward Y. Buchanan and H. B. Swarr represents That under the will of the said James Buchanan, deceased, they are Trustees of Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, of the City of Baltimore Maryland - that that as such Trustees there has been awarded to them by the auditors, appointed by the Court to distribute the balance in the hands of the Executors of the Estate of said deceased.— the sum of Twenty nine thousand thirty six dollars and ten cents, the principal whereof is to remain in trust “That they shall pay to her, annually or semi annually the interest accruing thereupon for her sole and separate use during the life of her husband, her separate receipts for the same shall be sufficient acquaintance [sic], &c &c.”

Your petitioners would further present that of said sum so awarded to them, they have invested as follows. Ten thousand United States loan of 1881 at a cost of Twelve thousand one hundred & twenty seven dollars & twenty-five cents.

Ten thousand Philadelphia City except six per cent loan at a cost of Ten thousand three hundred and twelve dollars & fifty cents.

And Six thousand 10/13 & 14/25 year six per cent Loan of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at a cost of six thousand five hundred & eighty dollars & seventy five cents. These investments amounting in the aggregate to the sum of Twenty eight thousand nine hundred & forty eight dollars and fifty cents (\$28,948.50)

Your petitioners may pray that your Honors approve of said investments and they will every pray &.

Edward Y. Buchanan
H. B. Swarr
Trustees &c

City of Philadelphia fs:

Edward Y. Buchanan ~~and H. B. Swarr~~, one of the persons signing the above petition being duly sworn according to law, doth depose and say, that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition are just and true to the best of ~~their~~ his knowledge & belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me, an Alderman in and for said City, this second day of November A. S. 1869.

I M Thatcher
Ald

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City of Lancaster, fs:

H. B. Swarr one of the signers to the above petitions being duly affirmed & according to law deposed & says that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition are just & true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Affirmed & subscribed before me an alderman in the said City this thirtieth day of October A. D. 1869.

Jno. M. Amweg

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