

LEAVES HOUSE TO HER PETS

Dead Woman's Dogs and Cats Occupy Home That Was Hers.

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ELIZABETH, N. J., March 22.—Occupying a house in Ashwood Avenue, East Summit, a company of dogs and cats, which were the pets of the late Mrs. Mary Romaine Wright, will be allowed to enjoy undisturbed their present abode until they voluntarily seek another home. Such request is contained in the will of Mrs. Wright, made known for the first time today. Mrs. Wright's daughter, Mrs. Frederick C. Kelley, is named to see that the strange request is carried out.

In accordance with the dead woman's desires, her late home is kept heated and the animals fed regularly. Mrs. Kelley said today she hoped the animals would become sufficiently attached to her to make their abode at her house, which is only a short distance from the Wright homestead. Mrs. Wright was well known in this vicinity as a friend of dumb animals. With her husband, the late Seaman L. Wright, she lived for more than forty years in the old homestead.

FRANK'S JUDGE DYING HERE.

L. S. Roan, Who Presided at Atlanta Trial, Suffering from Cancer.

Judge L. S. Roan, who presided at the trial of Leo M. Frank for the murder of Mary Phagan in Atlanta, is critically ill of cancer at the Polyclinic Hospital. The hospital authorities would not admit last night that Judge Roan was dying, but members of his family have been summoned by telegraph from Atlanta. Judge Roan went to the hospital a week ago, and his condition has grown worse from day to day.

Judge Roan presided at Frank's original trial, and on Aug. 27, 1913, sentenced him to die on Oct. 10, 1913. An appeal for a new trial automatically caused a stay of execution, and when Frank was arraigned for resentencing on March 7, 1914, Judge Benjamin H. Hill had succeeded Judge Roan in the case. But it was Judge Roan who presided throughout the trial when the demonstrations of persons who believed Frank guilty attracted such attention.

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