

and ask to see this will,  
which was probated in the  
May term of Court 1831,  
and examine all the papers  
connected with it, to find  
some favorable mention of  
Virginia? (and a particular  
place in Virginia?) In some  
I don't think of this will  
I was there. I was almost  
tempted to return immediately  
but could not spare the time.  
Again thanking you for  
making my trip so  
pleasant, and bid my  
best wishes -  
Sincerely  
K. E. Mahin

Dear Mrs. LeMaster:-

The enclosed mimeographed letter  
was principally written for the members  
of my family who were interested  
in my trip to Kentucky - and also  
the cousin in Maine + Miss Osbourn,  
my friend in Missouri, but I  
thought you might be interested  
in reading it.

I am also enclosing copies of

the "appraisal" as I promised.

On Sunday night in Indianapolis, I happened to think of something which might have brought results. In my <sup>great</sup> grandfather's will, recorded in Henry Co. Court House, he mentioned "debts due ~~ing~~ in the State of Virginia" and it has occurred to me that if I had asked to see the original will, and the papers connected with the settlement of his estate, I might have found papers showing some account of this Virginia transaction which would indicate where he had lived in Virginia.

I know that the original of the will and such papers as show the settlement are kept in the box files - and can be produced upon request. (I saw the original will of my grandfather, Hugh L. Martin, in Fulton County, Ill., and the detailed report of his Executor.)

Would it be possible for your daughter, if she is still there, to go over to the Court House