

following trusts and purposes, and for and upon no other use, trust, or purpose whatsoever—that is to say :—

In trust, after paying, providing for, and complying with all legacies, annuities, gifts, bequests, and devises, declarations, and intentions which may be contained and expressed in any codicil or codicils to this, my last will and testament, which I may hereafter make (to be signed by me at the end thereof), whether the same be formally drawn or not; to have and to hold the whole residue and remainder of my estate, real and personal, whatsoever and wheresoever the same may be, for the following uses and purposes, viz :—

In trust, to select and purchase a lot of ground not less than one hundred and fifty feet square, situate between Fourth and Fifteenth and Spruce and Race Streets, in the city of Philadelphia, and thereon to erect a fire-proof building sufficiently large to accommodate and contain all the books of the Library Company of Philadelphia (whose library is now at the corner of Fifth and Library Street), and to provide for its future extension according to plans, directions, and specifications which I shall hereafter make or give; but if I should not make or leave any such plans, directions or specifications, then to erect the same according to his best judgment and to the views which I have expressed to him. It is my wish that this building should be exceedingly substantial, completely fire-proof, without any large, lofty or merely ornamental halls or lecture-rooms; the whole interior to be divided in such a way as to contain the greatest number of books, to be well lighted, and so arranged as to be of easy and convenient access.

AND UPON THIS FURTHER TRUST, so soon as this building is completed and ready for occupation, then in trust to convey the same, with the lot of ground whereon it is erected, unto "The Library Company of Philadelphia" aforesaid, and their successors, for the uses and purposes of their library, and for no other use or purpose whatever.

*Provided*, however, that before any such conveyance shall be