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Last Will and Testament
of William S. Baskin
Deceased

The last Will and Testament of me William S. Baskin Sr. of Secondeville, County of Asheville and State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

I do give bequeath and dispose of my estate as follows: To my sons John S. William S. Thomas J. and James H. the old homestead place, upon which my son James H. now resides, and bounded on the East by Price & Burdett Mill track, on the South by Rocky River and Wilson's Creek, on the West by Wilson creek and on the North by Jno Evans, containing Two Hundred and Eighty acres, more or less, also my home place near Secondeville, upon which I now reside and bounded on the East by W. S. Kennedy, South by J. B. Mosley & J. J. Mosley, West by the White place and North by lands of the estate of Joe Baker, containing Six hundred acres, more or less, share and share alike in both places.

II. I will and bequeath to my daughter Virginia C. Sherard, all my interest in my father's place.

III. I will and bequeath to my sons William S. and Thomas J. each a feather bed with bed clothes for same.

IV. I will and bequeath to my daughter Ann E. Cunningham Ten dollars in cash.


V. I will and direct, all the balance of my personal property be sold as soon after my death as my executor may deem best and that the proceeds of same, with any money on hands if any be applied in payment of my just and lawful debts, and the balance if any, be equally divided between my sons John S. William S. Thomas J. and James H.

and my daughter Virginia C. Sherard.

VI. I will and direct in the event that there should not be a sufficient amount of money from the sale of personal property, and from money on hands to pay my just and lawful debts, that my sons John S. Williams, Thomas J. and James H. and my daughter Virginia C. Sherard pay the balance, each paying an equal share.

VII. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Thomas A. Sherard my son in law to be my Executor of this my last Will and Testament, but if he should fail to serve as such from any cause whatever, then I make constitute and appoint my son John S. as my Executor.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal in the presence of these witnesses, this the seventeenth day of Nov in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three.

W. S. Bastin 

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said William S. Bastin Sr. in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us, and he at the same time declared the above instrument so subscribed to be his last Will and Testament, and we at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses hereto, and written opposite our names our respective place of residence, the day and year above written.

J. B. Mosby Lumberville SC
 J. Johnson " " "
 W. B. Johnson " " "

State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present Hon J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared J B Moseley subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of W S Baskin late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposes saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said W S Baskin, and deponent further saith that the said W S Baskin at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponents knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that J B Moseley the deponent and J D Johnson and W G Johnson in the presence of each other and of the said W S Baskin and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 16. day of Jan'y one thousand eight hundred & eighty four
J Fuller Lyon
Judge Pro. Court

J B Moseley

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of W S Baskin Dec'd

Upon due examination of J B Moseley one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of W S Baskin late of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last Will of said deceased. It is therefore ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate in common form and that letters testamentary be granted to John S Baskin one of the named executors.
J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court

The State of South Carolina In the
County of Abbeville Probate Court.

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
the true last Will and Testament of W. S.

Bastin so far as I know or believe, and that
I will well and truly execute the same by pay-
ing first the debts and then the legacies con-
tained in said Will as far as his goods and
chattels will therunto extend and the law charge
me, and that I will make a true and per-
fect inventory of all such goods, real chattle
rights and credits. So help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 16.
day of January 1884.
Huller Spoy
Judge Probate Court

John T. Bastin.

Last Will and Testament
of Jacob Dilleshaw Dec 4

In the name of God, Amen!

I Jacob Dilleshaw of the County of Abbeville
in the State of South Carolina being of sound
and disposing mind and memory. Consid-
ering the frailty of human life and desiring
to make an equitable distribution of all
the worlds goods and effects, with which
it has pleased God to endow me, do make
publish and declare this to be my last
will and testament hereby revoking all
former last wills and testaments by me
previously made.

Item. It is my will that at my decease my
mortals remains be consigned to mother
earth with little ostentation and parades by
my executors hereinafter named.

Item. It is my will that all my just debts and

Funeral expenses be paid by my executors immediately after my decease, out of proceeds of my estate.

Item. It is my will that all the residue of my estate both real and personal be used and appropriated for the support of my family until the majority of my youngest child. Then, and at that time it shall be the duty of my said executor to make sale and distribution of the proceeds, all the residue of my estate both real and personal among my heirs living at that time as provided by law.

Item. It is my will that if my wife should marry before the majority of my said youngest child then she shall only share as one of the children.

Item. It is my will that J. T. Edmunds, Sr. and I do hereby appoint them to be the Executor of this my last will and testament.

Given under my hand and seal this the 8 day of March 1882.

Jacob Dilleshaw
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This is to certify that we the subscribers at the request of the testator the within named Jacob Dilleshaw have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses to the within written instrument of one sheet which was declared by the said testator Jacob Dilleshaw to be his last will and testament and who in our presence offered his signature thereto.

W. P. Dilleshaw
 Thomas Dilleshaw
 Abraham + Price.

State of South Carolina
 Abbeville County Probate Court

Present Hon. J. Fuller Lyon Judge Probate Court for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Thomas Dilleshaw a subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing

purporting to be the last Will and Testament
of Jacob Dilleshaw late of Abbeville County
deceased who being duly sworn saith that he
was present and did see the said instrument
of writing duly executed by the said Jacob
Dilleshaw and deponent further saith that
the said Jacob Dilleshaw at the time of executing
the said instrument of writing was to the best
of deponents knowledge and belief of sound and
disposing mind memory and understanding
and that Thomas Dilleshaw (the deponent) and
W. P. Dilleshaw and Abraham Price in the
presence of each other and of the said Jacob
Dilleshaw and at his request signed their names
to the due execution of the same.
Sworn and subscribed before me
this 28th day of January one thousand
and eight hundred and eighty four.
J Fuller Sporn
Judge Probate Court

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of Jacob Dilleshaw
Dec^d.

Upon due examination of Thomas Dilleshaw
one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed
instrument of writing purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of Jacob Dilleshaw late of
Abbeville County deceased. It appears to my sat-
isfaction that the same is the true last Will of
said deceased. It is therefore ordered and decreed
that it be admitted to probate in common form
and that Letters Testamentary be granted to
J. F. Edmunds
J Fuller Sporn
Judge Probate Court.

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The State of South Carolina In the
County of Abbeville } Probate Court

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
the true last Will of the within named deceased so
far as I know or believe, and that I will well and
truly execute the same by paying first the debts and
then the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his
goods and chattels will therunto extend and the law
charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect
Inventory of all such goods and chattels, rights
and credits. So help me God.

Sworn and subscribed before me

This 28 day of January 1884.

J. Fuller Syon } J. F. Edmunds.
Judge Probate Court

Last Will and Testament }
of William Duncan Dec'd. }

South Carolina
Abbeville County

In the name of God. Amen!

I William Duncan being advanced in life and
calling to mind the certainty of death and the
uncertainty of life, being desirous to make a
disposition of my entire estate do make
ordain and publish this my last Will and
testament.

1st I will that all my just debts and funeral
expenses be paid.

2nd I will and bequeath a life interest
in my sewing machine and Rocking-chair
to my beloved wife Saphronia C. Duncan,
and also an interest in the following named
property during her widow hood. One bedstead,
bed and furniture, one Slab with drawers
one chest, two small trunks, one spinning
wheel and reel, one clothes press, four
choice chairs, one table, one set plates

one set Spines and forks, one set Teas
all the glass ware, one white bowl and pitcher
one stone with as many of the cooking utensils
as she may want, one year's provisions,
and one tract of land containing fifty two
Acres lying between three roads bounded
on the South by J. L. Robinson, West by J. H. Sam-
iotes North by R. C. Bronson, East by the Darby
boys. She is to have all the profits arising
from the rent of said Land

3rd I will see the use of the black mule Reck
Buggy and harness.

4th all my wife Sophronia C. Duncan brought
to my house namely one bedstead bed and
furniture and one chest is here in fee simple
is my will.

5th I will and bequeath Jasper A. Darby one
bedstead bed and furniture.

6th I will and bequeath unto William A.
Darby one bedstead bed and furniture
together with all the rest of my personal
property not willed of whatever kind or
value, Also ten acres of land bought of
George W. Skowron in care the William A.
Darby ^{deceased} without children my will is that the
property revert back to my estate and be
divided between Jasper A. and James R.
Darby or their children.

7th I will in case of the marriage of my
beloved wife that all personal property willed
to her revert back to my estate and be given
to William A. Darby, or in case of his
death without children to be equally divided
between Jasper A. Darby and James R. Darby
or their children, except the sewing machine
and Rocking chair which is also to revert back
to my estate at her death and be disposed
of in the same manner, as above, also in
case of the death of William A. Darby without
children all property willed to William A.
Darby by me it is my will that it revert
back to my estate and be equally divided
between Jasper A. and James R. Darby or
their children.

8th I will that the Tract of Land that now lies upon
be sold by hereinafter named Executor in the month
Nov Dec. Jan. or Feb next after my decease on three
installments one third Cash, the remaining two thirds
on one and two years credit equally divided with
interest from day of sale. the purchase to give
mortgage of the premises to secure the purchase
money

9th I will and bequeath to Jacob P. Duncan
two hundred dollars out of the first money
raised after the debts and expenses are paid.

10th I will that all the remainder of the sale
of the land be left as a trust fund in the hand
of my executor for the use of my wife. the
interest to be paid to her annually. in case the
interest on the trust fund and the rent of the
fifty two acres be insufficient for her support
it is my will that enough of the principal of the
trust fund be used for her support.

11. I will that the amount of money left of the
trust fund after the death or marriage of my
wife to be equally divided between my grandsons
Jacob P. Duncan, William H. Jasper, H. and
James P. Darby in the case of the death of
William H. Darby without children it is my
will that his distributive share be equally divided
between Jasper H. and James P. Darby or their children.

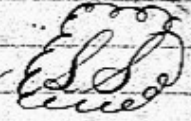
12. I will and bequeath unto Susan C. Banister
one Farm and fixtures and one bed she has
in her possession.

13. I will and bequeath the fifty-two acres of
land willed to my wife during her widowhood
unto Jasper H. Darby, William H. Darby, James
P. Darby, James R. Darby to have twenty
acres or two hundred dollars in money from
Jasper H. Darby, William H. Darby to have
two acres or one hundred dollars from
Jasper H. Darby and Jasper H. Darby the
remainder of the said fifty two acres of land

14. I do hereby nominate and appoint W.
Robinson and Thomas J. Bowen my
Executors to carry out ^{the} my last will and
testament in witness thereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal

this 22nd day of December one year of our Lord
one thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty three
Signed sealed in the presence of
the undersigned witnesses who saw
him sign his own name to this his
last will and testament.

J. M. Caswell.
J. S. Wilson.
Eve Low.

Wm. Duncan 

The State of South Carolina In the
County of Abbeville Probate Court.

Present: Hon. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared J. S. Wilson subscribing
witness to the annexed instrument of writing pur-
porting to be the last Will and testament of William
Duncan late of Abbeville County deceased who
being duly sworn, deposed and said that he
was present and did see the said instrument of
writing duly executed by the said William Duncan,
and deponent further saith that the said William
Duncan at the time of executing the said instru-
ment of writing was to the best of deponents
knowledge and belief of sound and disposing
mind, memory and understanding and that
he J. S. Wilson the deponent and J. M. Caswell
and Eve Low in the presence of each other
and of the said William Duncan and at his
request signed their names as witnesses to the
due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed before me
this 22nd day of March one
thousand eight hundred and
eighty four.

Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

J. S. Wilson

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of William Duncan
Dec'd.

Upon due examination of J. S. Wilson, one of the
subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of
writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament
of William Duncan late of Abbeville County deceased,
it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the
true last Will of said deceased; it is therefore
ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate
in common form and that Letters Testamentary be
granted to P. J. Bowen as Executor.

Seal
ccc

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court,

The State of South Carolina } In the
County of Abbeville } Probate Court.

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
true last Will of the within named deceased, so far
as I know or believe and that I will well and
truly execute the same by paying first the debts
and then the legacies contained in said Will, as far
as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend
and the law charge me and that I will make a true
and perfect Inventory of all such goods and
chattels, rights and credits, So help me God.
Sworn and subscribed before me
this 22nd day of March 1884

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court

P. J. Bowen

Last Will and Testament
 of Savannah P. Ellis
 Deceased

South Carolina }
 Abbeville County }


I Savannah P. Ellis of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of life do therefore make ordain and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

First. I desire that my mother Mrs Elizabeth Ellis may not be called upon to pay the note due me from her of June 1st 1882, for Two Thousand Four Hundred and fifty & 50^{cts} Dollars, there being thereon a cr of Forty Dollars on December 1st 1882, but that she be allowed the use of the money during the term of her life, and that she be allowed the use of the money due me from my brother John E. Ellis as shown by note dated March 13th 1872, for Forty-two & 15^{cts} Dollars, with two small credits thereon during her life and I further more will that whatever my estate may realize from the estate of my deceased brother S. G. Ellis, be paid to Mrs Elizabeth Ellis to and for her use during life - at her decease I desire that the note due me from her referred to above, be collected and paid over to my sister Elizabeth M. Ellis and also that the money derived from the note of John E. Ellis, and whatever may have been derived from my deceased brother Luther G. Ellis estate be paid to Elizabeth M. Ellis all of which; the two notes and and my share of my brother's estate may be used by her during the term of her life, at her decease I desire that the whole amount be equally divided among my brothers and sisters, and the heirs of such of them as are dead. I give and bequeath to my sister Elizabeth M. Ellis all my other personal property consisting of Buggy & Harness

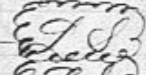
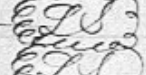
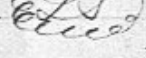
Watch and household furniture during the term of her life. Should she die before my mother Mrs Elizabeth Ellis then I desire that she may use the same during the term of her life, at her death to be equally divided among my heirs.

Likewise I make constitute and appoint J. N. Young to be Executor of my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this the 24th day of March in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Three

Savannah P. Ellis 

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Savannah P. Ellis in our presence and acknowledged by her to each of us to be her last Will and Testament, and we at the testator's request and in her presence have signed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. L. Presley 
 J. P. McElroy 
 Henry M. Young 

The State of South Carolina In the
 County of Abbeville Probate Court
 Present Hon. Miller Lyon Probate Judge
 for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared W. L. Presley subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Savannah P. Ellis late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deponeth and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Savannah P. Ellis and deponeth further saith that the said Savannah P. Ellis at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing

mind memory and understanding; and that
 he W. L. Pressley (the deponent) and J. P. M. Ely
 and Henry M. Young in the presence of each
 other and of the said Savannah P. Ellis and
 at her request signed their names as witnesses
 to the due execution of the same
 Sworn and subscribed to
 before me this 16th day of July 1883. } W. L. Pressley.
 J. Fuller Lyon }
 J. P. M. Ely }

In the matter of the }
 Last Will and Testament }
 of Savannah P. Ellis }
 Deceased }

Upon due examination of W. L. Pressley one of
 the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrumen-
 t of writing purporting to be the last Will
 and Testament of Savannah P. Ellis late of Abbeville
 County deceased; it appears to my satisfaction that
 the same is the true last Will of said deceased.
 It is therefore ordered and decreed that it
 be admitted to probate in Commission form
 July 16, 1883. J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina } In Probate Court
 County of Abbeville }

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
 the true last Will of the within named deceased so far
 as I know or believe and that I will well and truly
 execute the same by paying first the debts and then
 the legacies contained in said Will so far as the goods
 and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge
 me; that I will make a true and perfect inventory
 of all such goods and chattels rights and credits
 or help one God.

Sworn and subscribed to
 before me July 16, 1883 } J. M. Young
 J. Fuller Lyon }
 J. P. M. Ely }

Last Will and Testament
 of J Baylis Dorr
 Deceased }
 State of South Carolina }
 Abbeville County }

I J Baylis Dorr of said State and County being of sound mind and disposing memory but of feeble health do make this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following viz:

I devise that all my just Debts and Funeral Expenses be paid by my Executor out of any portion of my estate that he may think best.

Item 2nd I will and devise to my beloved wife Elizabeth Dorr for and during her natural life my entire Estate both Real and Personal after my just Debts and funeral Expenses are Paid She to have the control of the same during her natural Life and at her Death the Entire Estate to be Equally Divided between my Children Mary L. Dorr, Henry W. Dorr, and Julian M. Dorr, or their Legal Representatives, Share and Share alike either by sale or otherwise if in his judgment the said Property cannot be Divided he shall have the Right to sell the Property at such time as he may think best, and Divide the Proceeds share and share alike between my Children before named or their Legal Representatives.

Lastly. I appoint my friend G. B. Reid Executor of this my Last will and Testament hereby Revoking all other wills by me made In witness whereof I have signed my name and affixed my seal the 18th day of July one thousand Eight hundred and Eighty one.

Signed, Read and declared and Published as the Last will of J B Dorr, in his presence and the presence of each other

J. S. Vermillion
 J. H. Vermillion
 G. M. Mattison

J Baylis Dorr
 His mark

State of South Carolina Probate Court.
Abbeville County

Present Honorable J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court

Personally appeared G. M. Mattison, subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. Baylis Dorr, late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposes and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said J. Baylis Dorr, and deponent further saith that the said J. Baylis Dorr at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that G. M. Mattison the deponent and J. D. Vermillion and L. W. Ver-
million in the presence of each other and of the said J. Baylis Dorr and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 22nd day of
April one thousand eight
hundred and eighty four
J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

G. M. Mattison

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of J. Baylis Dorr, Dec'd.

Upon due examination of G. M. Mattison one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. Baylis Dorr late of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last Will of the said deceased. It is therefore

ordered and decreed, that it be admitted to probate
in Common Form and that Letters of Administration
cum Testamento annexo be granted to Elizabeth Cross,
J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina, In the Probate Court
County of Abbeville 3

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
true last Will and testament of the within named
deceased as far as I know or believe, and that
I will well and truly execute the same by paying
first the debts and then the legacies contained
in said will as far as his goods and chattels
will therewith extend and the law charge me, &
that I will make a true and perfect Inventory
of all such goods and chattels, rights and
credits so help me God,
Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 22nd day of } Elizabeth Cross,
April 1854 }
J Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct.

Last Will and Testament of Michael M^c Gee Deceased

State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville

In the name of God; Amen!
I, Michael M^c Gee of the State and County
aforesaid being of sound and disposing
mind, and memory, knowing the uncertainty
of life, and the certainty of death, have thought
and esteemed it proper to make this my last
will and testament in manner and form
as follows (I hereby revoking any and all
former wills.

I. I give and bequeath my soul to God who gave
it, and my body to the dust in the blessed
hope of a glorious resurrection.

II. It is my will that as soon after my decease
as the law directs that my heirs or appointed
Executors out of the proceeds of my estate pay
all of my just debts and funeral expenses.

III. After the payment of all my just debts and funeral
expenses I will and bequeath to my beloved
wife Sophronia Ann M^c Gee all of the balance
of my estate including every thing with which I
am now or may hereafter be ^{in possession of} possessed for her
support and maintenance during her life and if
any thing that I thus will and bequeath to her
be left on hand at her death I will that it be
divided among my heirs so that they may each
be equal shares of my estate.

IV. I have given off to my three sons viz: James
M. M^c Gee Benjamin M. M^c Gee and Henry P. M^c Gee
one hundred dollars each. I have given to my
daughter Ann E. Bell Two Hundred and seventy-five
dollars and I will that the same be taken into
account in the final settlement of my Estate
as hereinafter appears.

V. I will and bequeath to my daughter Ann E.
Bell during her lifetime that certain pieces or

tract of land situate, and lying in the Dixie West Township County, and state, aforesaid, and containing one hundred, and fifty acres and known as the William M. Adams tract to be accounted for by her in the settlement of my Estate at one Thousand Dollars, and I hereby appoint my sons Benjamin M. M^cSee, and Henry P. M^cSee faithful trustees of my daughter Ann E. Bell to take charge of the said tract of land and manage the same as they may think best for the interest of my said daughter Ann E. Bell during her lifetime, and at the death of my daughter Ann E. Bell I will that the trustees hereinbefore appointed sell the said tract of land before mentioned, and left in trust, and divide the proceeds equally between the bodily heirs of said daughter Ann E. Bell. The said Trustees to pay to each of the heirs only the interest on their distributive share during their minority (should any of them be of non-age at the ^{time of} sale of said tract of land) and the full amount of their share when they become twenty-one years of age I further will that the Trustees sell said tract of land at such time place and manner as they may think best for the interest of the heirs thereof.

VII. It is my will and desire that out of my estate which may be left on hand, at the death of my wife Sophiam Ann M^cSee, my three sons (viz) James M. M^cSee, Benjamin M. M^cSee, and Henry P. M^cSee be made equal with my daughter Ann E. Bell, that is to say that each one of my sons receive besides what I have already given them Eleven hundred and seventy five dollars so that all may share and share alike.

VIII. It is my will that the balance of my estate if any be equally divided between all my heirs, and that the share going to my daughter Ann E. Bell be kept by the said Benjamin M. M^cSee, and Henry P. M^cSee Trustees for the said Ann E. Bell during her lifetime, and that they pay her annually the interest of the same, and at her death the principal to be divided among her heirs equally as before and hereinafter provided for.

IX. It is my will that my daughter Ann E. Bell shall have the use and benefit of the bequest herein made to her in trust during her lifetime.

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and at her death to be equally divided between her bodily heirs as they may thereafter each become twenty one years of age. Provided that if any of the bodily heirs of my said daughter shall have become Intemperate and dissipated I will that the share or shares of such be equally divided between her remaining bodily heirs.

IX

I do hereby appoint my three sons viz: James M. M^cSee Benjamin M. M^cSee and Henry P. M^cSee my lawful Executors to carry into effect this my last will and testament, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to make all bills of sale deeds of conveyance and do all other things that may be necessary to carry into effect the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the thirteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty four
The words: "Except the tract of land hereinafter mentioned in item V"
intentioned before signing.

Signed, sealed and published

in the presence of

Wm J. Milford

W E Milford

W E Walters

M. M^cSee 

The State of South Carolina Probate Court.
County of Abbeville

Present Hon. J. Miller, Esq.
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared W E Milford subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and testament of M. M^cSee late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposed and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said M. M^cSee. And deponent further saith that the said M. M^cSee at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was

to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he W. E. Milford (the deponent) and W. J. Milford, and W. E. Hatters in the presence of each other and of the said M. M. Lee, and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same

Sworn and subscribed before me this 28th day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty four

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct.

W. E. Milford.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Michael M. Lee.

Upon due examination of W. E. Milford one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of M. M. Lee late of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last Will of said deceased; It is therefore ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate in common form and that Letters Testamentary be granted to the Executors named therein.

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J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina } Probate Court.
County of Abbeville }

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named deceased, so far as I know and believe and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts then the legacies contained in said Will as far as his goods and chattels will thereto extend and the law charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels right and credits so help me God.

Sworn before me
July 8th 1884
J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct.

Henry P. M. Lee

The State of South Carolina Probate Court
County of Abbeville

In the matter of the }
Last Will & Testament } Admorsus to
Michael McGee } Qualify Executors,
Deceased

By J. Fuller Lyon, Judge of the Probate Court
for the County of Abbeville.

To Hon. S. J. Donahut, Judge of the Probate
Court for Greenville County.

I reposing special trust and confidence in
the integrity, care and circumspection of you
the said S. J. Donahut as Judge of said Court
have given, and by these presents do give unto
you full power and authority to administer
the usual oath to James M. McGee and
Benj. M. McGee two of the named Executors
of the Last Will and Testament of Michael
McGee deceased.

Given under my hand
and seal of the Court this the 4th day of August
A.D. 1884.

~~Seal~~
Seal

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina Probate Court
County of Greenville

We do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named deceased so far as we know
or believe, and that we will well and truly execute the
same by paying first the debts then the legacies con-
tained in said Will as far as his goods and chattels
will therewith extend and the law charge us, and
that we will make a true and perfect Inventory
of all such goods and chattels, rights and credits
so help me God.

Subscribed before me this 29th } B. M. McGee
August 1884. S. J. Donahut } J. M. McGee
P. J. G. C.

Last Will and Testament
of Elizabeth Tolbert
Deceased

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville


I, Elizabeth Tolbert of the aforesaid County of Abbeville and State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and memory and being desirous of making a final disposition of all my real and personal property, in view of the uncertainty of life do make public and declare the following disposition of my property as my last will and testament to wit:

- 1 It is my will that all my just debts be paid by my Executor hereinafter appointed.
- 2 After the payment of all my just debts I give and devise all the residue of my property, both real and personal to my son Elias T. Tolbert and to my daughter Nancy Ann Tolbert share and share alike in equal portions.

That the said property shall remain undivided if in the opinion of my said son Elias and my daughter Nancy it is best for it so to remain, otherwise it is to be divided either by actual division of the property itself, or by sale and a division of the proceeds of such sale, which ever method they may deem the most desirable.

- 3 For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this my last will and testament, I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Elias T. Tolbert my Executor, hereby revoking all other wills and Testaments heretofore made by me.

In testimony whereof I have hereto affixed my hand and seal this the 2nd day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventy nine, and in the hundred and fourth year of the independence of the United States of America.

Elizabeth Tolbert 

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Elizabeth Tolbert in our presence, and acknowledged by her to each of us and she at the same time published and declared the above instrument so subscribed to be her last will and Testament, and we at the Testatrix request, and in her presence have signed our names thereto as witnesses.

J. D. Whippley.
Edmund Walker.
A. B. Whippley.

State of South Carolina }
Atteville County } Probate Court.

Present: Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared Edmund Walker subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Elizabeth Tolbert late of Atteville County deceased who being duly sworn, deposes and saith that he was present, and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Elizabeth Tolbert. And deponent further saith that the said Elizabeth Tolbert at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound mind, memory and understanding; and that he Edmund Walker (the deponent), and J. D. Whippley and A. B. Whippley in the presence of each other and of the said Elizabeth Tolbert, and at her request, signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to before
me this 27th day of August
one thousand eight hundred
and eighty four.

Edmund Walker

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. C.

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of Elizabeth Tolbert
Deceased

Upon due examination of Edmund Walker
one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforesaid
instrument of writing purporting to be the last
Will and testament of Elizabeth Tolbert late of
Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfac-
tion, that the same is the true last Will of said
deceased: it is therefore ordered and decreed that
it be admitted to probate in common form and
that Letters Testamentary be granted to Elias
L. Tolbert.

J Fuller Lyons
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina } In Probate Court.
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
true last Will of the within named deceased so far
as I know or believe, and that I will well and
truly execute the same by paying first the debts and
then the legacies contained in said Will, as far as
her goods and chattels will thereto extend and the
law charge me, and that I will make a true and
perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels
rights and credits. So help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me, this 27th day of
August 1852.

J Fuller Lyons
J.P.C.

E. L. Tolbert.

Last Will and Testament of George Nickles Deceased

I George Nickles of Abbeville County and State of South Carolina being anxious to make a disposition of my property whilst sound in mind and memory do make and constitute this my last Will and Testament.

First. I direct my just debts to be paid by my Executor hereinafter named out of such of my estate as may not be specifically bequeathed by me.

Second. I wish and direct that the place on which I now live known as the Dixon place containing about three hundred and forty acres more or less and bounded by lands of St. P. McSwaine, J. H. Nickles, George Nickles, and others shall go to my son L. Benton Nickles on the condition that he shall pay one hundred dollars each to his sisters Rebecca Hannah, Susan Calvert, and Quintine McSwaine, and one hundred dollars to be divided equally between the children of Sarah W. Munday, to wit:

John Thomas Munday, Mary P. Munday, and Wm. O. Munday. Said money to be paid as soon as it can be conveniently done after my death.

Third. I will the house and lot at Hodges now occupied by Thomas D. Anderson as a bar room and billiard saloon to my daughter Susan Calvert on condition that she pay to the two sons of John C. Nickles to wit, William Nickles and Robert Nickles one hundred dollars each.

Fourth. I wish and direct that a half interest which I have in the Dix house and lot at Hodges now occupied by C. H. Cobb as a bar room and billiard saloon and bounded by land of S. M. Hodges, W. H. Lenoxx and others, be equally divided between my daughter Martha A. Negan and the children of Evelyn E. Eakin.

Fifth. Henry B. Nickles, William C. Nickles
George Nickles James H. Nickles and Maza-
ret J. B. Irvine having been already provided for,
I desire to make no further provision for them in
this will.

Sixth. I nominate and appoint Jas. H. Nickles &
John Hagen the Executors of this my last
Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this the eleventh day
of July one thousand eight hundred and Eighty four
In presence of
J. M. Cochran } George Nickles
J. A. McLeod }
Matthew Owens }

State of South Carolina In Probate Court.
Abbeville County

Present Hon: J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared J. A. McLeod subscribing
witness to the aforesaid instrument of writing,
purporting to be the last Will and Testament
of George Nickles late of Abbeville County
deceased who being duly sworn, deposed and
saith he was present and did see the said
instrument of writing duly executed by the
said George Nickles. And deponent further
saith that the said George Nickles at the
time of executing the said instrument of
writing was to the best of deponents knowledge
and belief of sound mind memory and under-
standing and that J. A. McLeod (the deponent),
and J. M. Cochran and M. Owens in the
presence of each other and of the said George
Nickles and at his request signed their names
as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 2nd day of
August 1884
J. Fuller Lyon } J. A. McLeod.
J. P. Ct.

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of George Nickles
Deceased

Upon due examination of J. H. McGord
one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed
instrument of writing purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of George Nickles
late of Abbeville County deceased. It appears
to my satisfaction that the same is the true
last Will of said deceased. It is therefore ordered
and decreed that it be admitted to probate in
Common form and that Letters of Administration
pro curatore testamento annexo be granted to
A. F. Calvert.

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina Probate Court
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that this writing con-
tains the true last Will of the within named
deceased, so far as I know or believe, and
that I will well and truly execute the same
by paying first the debts and then the legacies
contained in said Will, as far as his goods
and chattels will thereunto extend and the law
charge me, and that I will make a true and
perfect Inventory of all such goods and
chattels, rights and credits as help me
God

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this the 2nd
day of August 1884

A. F. Calvert

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct.

Last Will and Testament
 of William J. Butler
 Colored. Deceased

In the name of God. Amen!

I, William Spacey Butler of Abbeville County South Carolina in perfect memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say

I do commend my soul unto the hands of my Creator to be made partaker of life everlasting and my body to the earth.

Item. After my just debts are liquidated I give and bequeath unto my affectionate Wife Ruth Butler all of my property personal and real during her natural life.

Item. After the death of my Wife, I give and bequeath unto my nephew Henry Jones fifty dollars. (\$50.00).

Item. I then give and bequeath unto my children Robert Marion, William and William an equal share of the balance of my property, and if either or all of them should fail to survive my Wife, then it is my will that the property be equally divided among their children, and each child's share to be equally divided among his own children.

Item. I appoint Dr. H. J. Jones my lawful Executor and will that he be paid for his trouble in winding up my estate.

Item. I revoke all former wills and publish this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand this 12th April 1884.

Attest
 H. J. Jones
 J. M. Williamson
 Henry Jones

William Spacey Butler
 His mark

State of South Carolina's Probate Court.
 Abbeville County
 Present. Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared Henry Jones one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Wm. W. Butler colored, late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposed and said that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Wm. W. Butler, and deposed further with that the said Wm. W. Butler at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of his own knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that he Henry Jones (the deponent), and W. J. Jones and J. M. Williamson in the presence of each other and of the said Wm. W. Butler and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this fifth day of September } Henry Jones
 One thousand eight hundred and }
 eighty four. } J. P. C.

In the matter of the }
 Last Will and Testament }
 of Wm. W. Butler. Decd }

Upon due examination of Henry Jones one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last will of Wm. W. Butler late of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last will of said deceased; it is therefore ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate in common form and that Letters Testamentary

be granted to W. D. Jones the named Executor
J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina In Probate Court
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that the writing contains the true last Will of the within named deceased so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said Will as far as his goods and chattels will thereto stand and the law charge me and that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels, rights and credits So help me God

Sworn and subscribed before me
this first day of August
1884. J Fuller Lyon } W. D. Jones
J. P. Ct.

Last Will and Testament of R. R. Riley Dec.

State of So. Car
Abbeville Dec

In the name of God Amen!
I Robert R. Riley being in my proper mind but feeling that life is uncertain do make declare and publish this to be my last Will and Testament to wit:

After the payment of my just debts I will devise and bequeath my entire property both real and personal (the same being a one half interest with my sister Mary E Riley) to my sister Martha J. Harkness and her daughter Mary Wayne Harkness to be equally divided between them.

And I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my sisters Mary Q. Riley and Martha H. Cartmoss as Executors of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name and set my seal, this 26th day of May, 1854.

In presence of
 W. C. Paggait,
 J. W. Smith,
 Thos. Riley

R. R. Riley

State of South Carolina Probate Court
 Abbeville County

Respectfully
 J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared Thomas Riley, subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of R. R. Riley, late of Abbeville County, deceased, who being duly sworn deposed and said that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said R. R. Riley, and deponent further says that the said R. R. Riley at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that he Thos. Riley the deponent, and W. C. Paggait and J. W. Smith in the presence of each other and of the said R. R. Riley and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to
 before me this 5th day of
 September 1854

Thos. Riley

J. Fuller Lyon
 J. P. Ct.

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of P. R. Riley, Dec'd

Upon due examination of Mrs. Riley one of
the subscribing witnesses to the aforesaid instrument
of writing purporting to be the last Will and
testament of P. R. Riley late of Abbeville County
deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the
same is the true last Will of said deceased.
it is therefore ordered and decreed that the
same be admitted to probate in common
form and that Letters Testamentary be granted
to the Executrices named.

Deals
in

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville Probate Court.

I do solemnly swear that the writing contains
the true last Will of the within named deceased
so far as I know or believe, and that I will
well and truly execute the same by paying
first the debts and then the legacies contained
in said Will as far as his goods and
chattels will therewith extend and the law charge
me and that I will make a true and
perfect Inventory of all such goods and
chattels rights and credits so help me
God.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 5th day of
September 1884

J. Fuller Lyon
P. Ct.

Mrs. J. Hasbancs.
Mary E. Riley.

Last Will and Testament
of Sarah M. Long
Deceased

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County.

I Sarah M. Long of said State and County being of sound mind and disposing memory do make this my last will and Testament in form and manner following: viz:

I desire that all my just Debts and Funeral Expenses be paid by my Executor from any part of my Estate she may think best.

And availing myself of the Power given me by the Trust Deed made by Reuben Long & Wife Long, Trustees of a certain Tract of Land situated in the County of Abbeville containing Ninety Two Acres more or less Bounded by lands of G. S. Stone Estate of Wm. D. Stone and others I hereby give and bequeath said Tract of Land with all my Personal Property ^{Estates} not otherwise disposed of and to pay just Debts and Funeral Expenses to my Daughter Julianna P. Long and my Grand Daughter Martha A. M. Allison under the restrictions hereafter mentioned.

I desire that the said Julianna P. Long and Martha A. M. Allison shall have said named Real and Personal Property for and during the natural life of either of them and at their death to go to the Heirs of their Bodies, and should they both die leaving no child or children then the Entire Estate to go to Alice A. P. Sample, and her child or children. I further desire that of my Personal Property Alice A. P. Sample shall have one Bedstead and furniture at my Death for her sole and separate use during her natural life and then to her child or children. And I further desire that Sarah Dellinger Anna O. Long or any other of my Grand-children shall have no claim but those before named viz Julianna P. Long and

Martha A. M. Mattison and Alice A. P.
 Temple as Before Provided for.
 Lastly I appoint Julianne P. Long Executrix
 of this my Last will and Testament.
 Witness my hand and seal the sixth day
 of February one Thousand Eight hundred and Eighty
 Signed sealed declared and
 Published as the Last will
 and Testament of Sarah M. Long
 in her Presence and Presence } Sarah M. ^{per} Long
 of each other. } _{month}

W. A. Latimer
 W. S. Latimer
 G. M. Mattison

State of South Carolina Probate Court
 Abbeville County

Present Here: J. Fuller Snow
 Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared G. M. Mattison subscribing
 witness to the annexed instrument of writing
 purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of
 Sarah M. Long late of Abbeville County deceased,
 who being duly sworn deponent and saith that he
 was present and did see the said instrument of
 writing duly executed by the said Sarah M. Long.
 And deponent further saith that the said Sarah
 M. Long at the time of executing the said instrument
 of writing was to the best of deponents knowledge
 and belief of sound mind, memory and understanding
 and that G. M. Mattison (the deponent), and W. A.
 Latimer, and W. S. Latimer in the presence of each
 other and the said Sarah M. Long and at her
 request signed their names as witnesses to the
 due execution of the same
 Sworn and subscribed before
 me this 25th day of September
 one thousand eight hundred
 and eighty-four. } G. M. Mattison

J. Fuller Snow
 Judge Probate Court.

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of Sarah M. Long.

Upon due examination of J. M. Mattison
one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed
instrument of writing purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of Sarah M. Long, late
of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my sat-
isfaction that the same is the true last Will of
said deceased, it is therefore ordered and decreed
that it be admitted to probate in Common form
and that Letters Testamentary be granted to the
Executrix named.

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina } Probate Court.
County of Abbeville }

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
the true last Will of the within named deceased
so far as I know or believe, and that I will well
and truly execute the same by paying first the
debts and then the legacies contained in said
will as far as her goods and chattels will
extend and the law charge me, and that I will
make a true and perfect Inventory of all such
goods and chattels, rights and credits. So
I help me God.

Sworn and subscribed
before me this 25th
day of Sept 1884
J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct

Juliana P. Long


Last Will and Testament
of Susanna L. Bell
Deceased

State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville.

I Susanna L. Bell of
the aforesaid County and State, do make public
and declare this my last Will and Testament to wit,
1st It is my will that at my death all my
property both real and personal be given to my children
share and share alike, and that each one of my said
children receive his or her share as nearly as
practicable upon his or her arrival at the age
of maturity, or upon the event of their marrying
2nd I do hereby make constitute and appoint my
husband William S. Bell my sole Executor of
this my last Will and Testament.

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the said
Susanna L. Bell as and for her last Will and
Testament in the presence of us, who at the request
of the said Susanna L. Bell and in her presence
and the presence of each other, have hereunto subscri-
bed our names as witnesses, this eighth day
of November A.D. 1878.

L. Sheppard
T. M. Dandy
W. K. Blake

S. L. Bell 

The State of South Carolina In Probate Court.
Abbeville County

Present: Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared L. Sheppard, subscribing witness
to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to
be the last Will and Testament of Susanna L.
Bell late of Abbeville County, deceased, who being
duly sworn deponent and said he was present
and did see the said instrument of writing

duly executed by the said Susannah L. Bell.
 And deponent further saith that the said Susan-
 nah L. Bell, at the time of executing the said in-
 strument of writing was to the best of deponent's
 knowledge and belief, of sound mind, memory
 and understanding; and that he L. Sheppard, the
 deponent, and M. M. Dundy and W. K. Blake
 in the presence of each other, and of the said
 Susannah L. Bell and at her request signed their
 names as witnesses to the execution of the same.

Sworn, and subscribed to
 before me this 11th day of
 November one thousand
 eight hundred and eighty-four
 J. Fuller Lyon
 J. Pro. Ct.

L. Sheppard,

In the matter of the
 Last Will and Testament
 of Susannah L. Bell
 Deceased

Upon due examination of L. Sheppard, one of the
 subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument
 of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament
 of Susannah L. Bell late of Atterville County
 deceased, it appears to my satisfaction, that the same
 is the true last Will of said deceased.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that it be admitted
 to probate in common form, and that Letters
 Testamentary be granted to Wm. S. Bell

J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court

The State of South Carolina In Probate Court.
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that the writing contains the true last Will and Testament of the within named deceased, so far as I know, or believe, and that I will truly execute the same by paying first the debts, and then the legacies contained in said will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereto extend and the law charge me and that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels, rights and credits, so help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 11th day of
November, 1854.

J. Fuller Lyon
J.P. Ct.

W. S. Bell.

Last Will and Testament
of M. M. Thomson
Deceased

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville

In the name of God: Amen!

I Margaret M. Thomson, widow of Thomas Thomson, being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and being desirous of disposing of my estate, do make this my last Will and Testament in manner following:

I will and direct that the entire estate of every description and kind of which I may die seized and possessed, or in any manner be entitled to, except my gold watch, be sold by my Executors, as soon after my death and on such terms as they shall deem advisable.

I will, and bequeath to my three children Samuel Lovell Thomson James William Thomson and Leora Thomson each a legacy of five hundred dollars

After payment of my debts and funeral expenses the expenses of such a monument as my Executors shall think appropriate to my memory, and the pecuniary legacies given to each of my children Samuel Br. d. James William and Elvora, it is my will that the residue of my estate be divided into six equal shares, one of which shares I will and bequeath to each of my five children Margaret Cornelia Brewster Thomas J. Thomson, Samuel Br. d. Thomson James William Thomson and Elvora Thomson.

It is my will that the sixth share of the residue of my estate be held in trust by my Executors until a trustee shall have been appointed by a Court of competent jurisdiction for the support and maintenance of my son Mansfield C. Hollingsworth and his wife and children during his life, and at his death that the same be delivered free from all trusts to his surviving children.

It is my will and express direction that the legacy given for the support and maintenance of my son Mansfield C. Hollingsworth and his wife and children shall not in any event pass under his control, or into his possession, and that only the interest and profits thereof be applied to and for the purposes herein above expressed and declared.

I will and bequeath my gold watch in trust for my son Mansfield C. Hollingsworth during his life, and at his death to his son Thomas Thomson Hollingsworth. It is my will that my son Mansfield have the personal possession and use during his life of the said gold watch on his decease by a bond with sufficient surety the delivery of the said gold watch at his death to his said son Thomas Thomson Hollingsworth.

It is my will and express direction that my Executors shall not be charged with nor responsible for the execution of the trusts herein declared in relation to the gold watch, or the share of the residue of my estate herein intended for the support and maintenance of my son Mansfield and his wife and children nor any duty

connected therewith. Nor shall they be responsible for or chargeable with interest, or other duty, or demand on account of the same, but shall be the mere depositaries until a trustee shall have been appointed by a Court of competent jurisdiction and being legally authorized shall have demanded the said gold watch and trust fund of them. It is my will that if the said Thomas Thomson Keellingsworth should die in the lifetime of his father, then that the said gold watch shall go to his sister Margaret, and if she and her brother Thomas Thomson should both die leaving my son Mansfield then surviving, then in that event the said gold watch shall go to the eldest child of the said Mansfield.

It is my will that if either one or more of my children Thomas P. Samuel Goode James William and Rebecca should depart this life leaving me surviving, the legacies herein given to them shall not lapse, but be taken by their next of kin as provided by the Statutes of distribution. I hereby nominate my sons Thomas P. Thomson and Samuel Goode Thomson, Executors of this my last will.

In testimony whereof I have hereto subscribed my name, and published this as my last will, the first day of February Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two Signed and published as and for her last Will by the testatrix in presence of us who in her presence and presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

J. H. Perrin
M. P. Quarles
J. P. Quarles

M. M. Thomson 

State of South Carolina Probate Court.
Abbeville County

Present, Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared J. St. Perrine subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of M. M. Thomson, late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposed and said that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said M. M. Thomson, and deponent further said that the said M. M. Thomson at the time of executing the said instrument of writing, was to the best of his knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he J. St. Perrine the deponent and W. D. Quarles and J. P. Quarles in presence of each other and of the said M. M. Thomson, and at her request signed their names to the same witnesses to the due execution of the same. Sworn and subscribed to before me this fifth day of December one thousand eight hundred and eighty four.

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ck.

J. St. Perrine

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of M. M. Thomson. Sec^y } Upon due
examination of J. St. Perrine one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of M. M. Thomson late of Abbeville County deceased, it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last Will of said deceased. It is therefore ordered and decreed, that it be admitted to probate in common form and that Letters Testamentary be granted to Thomas P. Thomson and S. B. Thomson.

J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina In Probate Court.
County of Abbeville

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I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said Will as far as her goods and chattels will thereto extend and the law charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels rights and credits. So help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 5th day of
December 1854.

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Ct.

S. G. Thomson.

Thos. P. Thomson.

Last Will and Testament
of Mortimer Sanders
deceased

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville

D. Mortimer Sanders
being of sound and disposing mind, do make
this my last Will & Testament, in manner &
form following.

First. It is my will that my Executor
whom I shall hereafter name shall pay all
of my just debts.

Second. It is my will and I give and
bequeath unto my wife Lucy Sanders all of
the Personal Property of which she was seized
& possessed when I married her, together with
my feather bed.


Third. I will bequeath devise and give
unto my sons Charles Sanders William P.
Sanders, and my four grand children.

namely Adolphus Cunningham, Charles Cunningham, Sallie Cunningham + Lilla Cunningham the residue and balance of my estate both real + Personal - Charles Sanders to have one third Interest, William P. Sanders one third Interest and my four Grand Children above named one third Interest, upon the following conditions, namely that they pay to my wife Lucy Sanders the sum of fifty Dollars. If they should refuse or fail to pay the fifty dollars. It is my will that my Executor sell the whole of my property both Real + Personal, pay my debts and divide the remainder share and share alike between my sons Charles Sanders, William P. Sanders, and my grand children named above and my wife Lucy Sanders, dividing it into four equal parts.

Fourth. It is my will that my Executor whom I shall hereafter name shall not give any bond, that he shall sell and make good + sufficient titles to any of my property sold and on such terms as he may think best for my estate.

Fifth. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint G. Henry Moore, Executor of this my last Will + Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed and sealed this instrument, and published and declared the same as and for my last Will at Abbeville Co. S. C. South Carolina - on this the thirteenth day of February, 1884,

Mortimer ^{his} Sanders 
mark

On this the 13th day of February 1884, the above named Mortimer Sanders signed and sealed this instrument and published and declared the same as and for his last Will + Testament, and we in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

E. W. Williams
E. W. Chure Williams
L. P. Pichey + G. W. Pichey

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The State of South Carolina, In Probate Court.
County of Abbeville

Present Hon J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared L. P. Richey subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and testament of Mortimer Sanders late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposes and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Mortimer Sanders, and deponent further saith that the said Mortimer Sanders at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponents knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that he L. P. Richey the deponent, and E. W. Williams and B. W. Richey in the presence of each other and of the said Mortimer Sanders and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 24th day of
October one thousand
eight hundred and eighty four.

J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court

L. P. Richey

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of Mortimer Sanders Decd.

Upon due examination of L. P. Richey one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mortimer Sanders late of Abbeville County deceased: it appears to my satisfaction that the same is the true last Will of said deceased: It is therefore ordered and decreed, that it be admitted to probate in common form.

and that Letters Testamentary be granted
to S. Henry Moore.

J. Fuller Lyon,
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
the true last Will of the within named deceased
so far as I know or believe, and that I will
well and truly execute the same by paying
first the debts and then the legacies contained
in said Will, so far as his goods and chattels
rights and credits will therewith extend and
the law charge me, and that I will make a
true and perfect Inventory of all such goods
and chattels rights and credits. So help me God.
Sworn and subscribed to
before me this 24th day of
October 1894.

J. Fuller Lyon,
J. P. Ct.

S. H. Moore.

Last Will and Testament
of Jane Bowie, Dec^d.

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Abbeville County, South Carolina
September 16th 1852.

In the name of God, Amen!

I Jane Bowie being of sound mind memory
& understanding, and taking into consideration
the uncertainty of life, and desiring to make a dispo-
sition of my property, do hereby make this my
last will and testament as follows -

I desire that all of my just debts be paid
(if any)

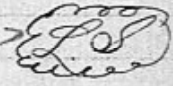
I will and bequeath to William Franklin
Radcliff the son of my niece Mrs Mary L. Rad-
cliff wife of William R. Radcliff Dec^d, all
my property to wit: - Beds and bed clothing
Table, Trunk & contents whatever the contents
may be and every thing else of my effects,
Together with money on hand at my death -
and all that is or may be in the hands
of others at my death, with the understand-
ing that I shall be taken care of and
supported by my Relative William F. Radcliff,
during my lifetime.

I hereby nominate constitute and appoint
my Relative William Franklin Radcliff and
my friend M. G. Gingles as Executors of this
my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my seal this 16th Day of
September A.D. 1852,

Test

L. R. Penney.
W. B. Bowie.
Narcissa Pursley.

Jane Bowie 

The State of South Carolina In Probate
 County of Abbeville } Court.
 Present Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared Narcissa Purley subscribing
 witness to the annexed instrument of writing purport-
 ing to be the last Will and testament of Jane Bowie
 late of Abbeville County deceased who being duly
 sworn deposes and saith that she was present
 and did see the said instrument of writing duly
 executed by the said Jane Bowie: And deponent further
 saith that the said Jane Bowie at the time of writing
 the said instrument of writing was to the best of dep-
 onent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing
 mind, memory and understanding; and that she
 Narcissa Purley, and W. P. Penney and W. B.
 Bowie in the presence of each other and of the
 said Jane Bowie and at her request signed their
 names ^{as witnesses} to the said execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to before
 me this 20th day of November
 one thousand eight hundred
 and eighty four

Narcissa Purley

In the matter of the
 Last Will and Testament
 of Jane Bowie, Dec^d

Upon due examination of Narcissa Purley one
 of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument
 of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testa-
 ment of Jane Bowie late of Abbeville County deceased.
 It appears to my satisfaction that the same is the
 true last Will of said deceased: It is therefore
 ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate
 in Commission form and that Letters Testamentary
 be granted to W. P. Radcliffe

J. Fuller Lyon
 Judge Probate Court.

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The State of South Carolina In Probate Court
County of Abbeville

I do solemnly swear that the writing contains the true last Will of the within named deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said Will as far as her goods and chattels will therewith stand and the law charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels, rights and credits. So help me God.

Seen and subscribed to before me this 20th day of Nov. 1884.

J. Fuller Lyon
J. P. Cl.

W. A. Radcliff

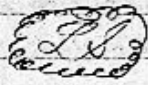
Last Will and Testament
of Clayton Jones.
Deceased

In the name of God, Amen!
I, Clayton Jones, being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following:
First, I give, bequeath, and devise unto my beloved wife Sarah Jones, the following property to wit: All of my real estate for her sustenance during her life and seventy five dollars in money to be used for her sustenance for one year after my decease.

I will that all of my personal property be sold at Public Sale and the net proceeds be equally divided between my two children Elizabeth J. Clement and Thos. P. Jones.
I will and appoint Wm. P. Milford to be agent for my wife during her life and to be paid out of my estate a fair compensation for his services. After the death of my wife Sarah Jones I will and devise the rest of my estate to be sold and divided so as to render my bequeathments equal among my above named children,
(over,

I appoint Wm. P. Milford executor of this my last will.

In witness whereof I have signed and sealed and published and declared this instrument as my last will, this 23rd day of October A.D. 1882.

R. Jones 

The said Clayton Jones on said 23rd day of Oct. 1882, signed and sealed this instrument and published and declared the same as and for his last will. And we at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have herewith written your names as subscribing witnesses,

R. O. McAdams
D. M. Milford
H. M. Steifer.

The State of South Carolina
County of Abbeville

Present Hon. J. Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

Personally appeared R. O. McAdams subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Clayton Jones late of Abbeville County, deceased, who being duly sworn deponeth and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Clayton Jones. And deponent further saith that the said Clayton Jones at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he R. O. McAdams, and D. M. Milford, and H. M. Steifer in the presence of each other and of the said Clayton Jones, and at his request signed their names to the due execution of the same.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 19th day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighty five

J. Fuller Lyon
J. Pro. Ct.

R. O. McAdams

In the matter of the
Last Will and Testament
of Clayton Jones. Dec'd

Upon due examination of R. C. Adams, one of
the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument
of writing purporting to be the last Will and testa-
ment of Clayton Jones late of Abbeville County
deceased it appears to my satisfaction that the same
is the true last Will of said deceased; It is therefore
ordered and decreed that it be admitted to probate
in Common form and that Letters Testamentary be
granted to W. J. Milford, Executor.

J Fuller Lyon
Judge Probate Court.

The State of South Carolina } In Probate Court.
County of Abbeville }

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
true last Will of the within named deceased, so far as
I know or believe and that I will well and
truly execute the same by first paying the debts and
then the legacies contained in said Will, as far as
his good and chattels will amounts extend and the
law charge me, and that I will make a true and
perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels
rights and credits so help me God.

Sworn and subscribed to before
me this 15th day of July 1885.

J Fuller Lyon } W. J. Milford
Judge Probate Court }