

Among the following named beneficiaries in the proportions indicated:

- My father J. S. Cottrill 20 per cent
- My brother W. C. Cottrill 15 per cent
- My nephew J. Allen Smith, Jr. 15 per cent
- My niece Grace Link 10 per cent
- My nephew J. S. Cottrill, Jr. 6 per cent
- My niece Marguerite Holstein 6 per cent
- My nephew S. P. Cottrill, Jr. 7 per cent
- My niece Emma Lowmyer 7 per cent
- My nephew Claude R. Cottrill 6 per cent
- My niece Bessie Hoffard 7 per cent
- My nephew John C. Cottrill 6 per cent

100

Item 6. In order to accomplish the foregoing distribution I hereby invest my brother W. C. Cottrill as trustee with the title to the property referred to in the preceding item, subject to the following duties and powers:

(a) As soon as convenient after my death, he shall cause an inventory and appraisement of said property to be made by three men of sound judgment to be appointed by the Probate Judge at the suggestion (excluding that referred to in Item 1) and furnish each beneficiary with a copy thereof, together with a statement of his actions under Item 2.

(b) He shall have the right to take any part of the property so appraised at the appraised value, accounting therefor.

(c) He shall have the power to transfer by deed or assignment any part of the property so appraised, at not less than the appraised value, to any of said beneficiaries who may desire to acquire it, he being the absolute arbiter of the expediency thereof.

(d) He shall have the power to dispose by deed or assignment any part of the property so appraised, either at public or private sale, upon such terms as he may determine, regardless of the appraised value.

(e) He shall apply whatever may be coming to my nephew J. Allen Smith, Jr., to the obligations which I hold against him which will be found in file 127 of my steel cabinet, a part of which is pledged as collateral to my note at First National Bank.

(f) He shall apply whatever may be coming to my nephew J. S. Cottrill and to my niece

Margaret Holstein, to the note and mortgage held by me against them, dated Sept. 28, 1925 for \$6,566.09 (J.C. #4,074.47), M7182, 491.62), and to any further indebtedness, which at the date of this will amounts to the following:

J. S. Cochran	\$829.62
M. C. Holstein	406.42

and upon which interest at 7% is to be charged from Jan. 1, 1926, and to the amount advanced by W. S. Cochran to J. S. Cochran for Westbrook Sanatorium \$327.75 with interest at 7% from September 1, 1925.

(g) I shall apply whatever may be coming to my nephew J. S. Cochran, Jr. to note of Jim Ellis Cochran dated Mch. 26, 1927 for \$1,032.25 upon which nothing has been paid, and to note \$600. dated December 23, 1930. See files 140 and 146. His other indebtedness to me amounting to several thousand dollars arising from over-payments to him as heir of the estate of his mother and the Cochran note, (judgment roll 9815, the judgment belongs to me), is hereby released, as I have been as much to blame in allowing the over-drafts as he. For the same reason I release my nephew Clark P. Cochran from liability for a similar over-draft of about \$500. He will be charged with notes in file 105.

(h) Before paying out anything to said beneficiaries, he shall exact from them a release of me and my estate from all liability to account for any matter connected with the estates of my father, my mother, my brother Wade and my sister Charlie, I have nothing to fear in these matters but I impose this condition for the relief of my brother from any possible annoyance.

Item 7. I appoint my brother W. C. Cochran executor of this will.

Item 8. I will and devise to my nephew J. Allen Smith Jr., and to my niece Grace Smith Link, of Abbeville, in said State, to each, and undivided one-half interest in all that certain piece, part or tract of lands known as the Cochran Home Place located in and near the City of Abbeville, in Abbeville County, in said State, more particularly described in deed of the same made by W. S. Cochran to me, which deed is recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court

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Levi Edward Gable, Sr.

Know all men by these presents that I, Levi Edward Gable, Sr., of Diamond Hill Township, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make and publish this to be my last Will and Testament, revoking any and all Wills made by me prior to this date.

It is my desire that first after my death that all of my just and proven debts be paid, and the Executors are hereby instructed to carry out this provision.

In case I shall precede my wife in death it is my will and desire, and I do hereby bequeath unto my beloved wife, Edwette Latham Gable, all my property both real and personal for the remainder of her life.

At the death of both my wife and myself it is my will and desire, and I do hereby bequeath unto my daughter, Ina Ruby Gable, all my property, both real and personal to have and to hold and enjoy the use of and to receive all proceeds from the estate so long as she shall live. Ina Ruby Gable is to keep the taxes paid and all property in as good condition as it was at the time she received it, or to the best of her physical ability. Lumber or timber may be cut or sold from the real estate to be used in the maintenance of the buildings or farm.

At the death of my daughter, Ina Ruby Gable, it is my will and desire that all my property, both real and personal, belonging to the estate be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, and the proceeds therefrom be equally divided among my children and their estates.

I do hereby nominate and appoint the following to execute this my last Will and Testament:
Levi Edward Gable, Jr. Executor
Floan Wilson Gable Executor
James Orr Gable Executor

PROOF OF WILL

File:
Box 394
Pack 9988

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Guy M. Murdock, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Levi Edward Gable, Sr. sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 21st day of September, A. D. 1946 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Levi Edward Gable, Sr. was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent) the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Guy M. Murdock together with Marcy C. Murdock and Earl Murdock at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 19th day of

July, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Guy C. Murdock
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Levi Edward Gable, Jr., Susan W. Gable + James Orr Gable it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Levi Edward Gable, Sr., deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 19th day of July, 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

We do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Levi Edward Gable, Sr. deceased, so far as we know or believe; and that we will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then the legacies contained in the said Will, as far as such goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge us, and that we will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 19th day of July, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

L. E. Gable, Jr.
Dobuch, S.C.
Susan Wilson Gable
Columbia, S.C.
James D. Gable
Anderson, S.C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

The above named executors are to
serve without bond.

Given under my hand and published
this 21st day of September, One Thousand
Nine Hundred and Forty Six.

Levi Edward Gable, Jr.
(L. S.)

We, the undersigned, at the request
of Levi Edward Gable, Jr., and in
his presence and in the presence
of each other, heard him declare
this instrument to be his Last
Will and Testament and saw
him sign his name thereto, and
we hereunto subscribe our names
as witnesses.

Earle Murdock
Macey C. Murdock
Guy R. Murdock

Rec. July 25, 1952.
Hallie B. Spake,
Judge of Probate.

for Abbeville County, upon the following conditions, to-wit:

First: My nephew J. Allen Smith, Jr. is to have possession of the entire property and is to use and occupy the same during the term of his natural life paying to my niece Grace Smith Pink in her being or assigns for the use of her one-half interest, annually during such time, a reasonable rental thereof and at the death of J. Allen Smith, Jr. the wife of the said J. Allen Smith, Jr. shall have the right to the possession, use and occupancy of the said premises during her life, upon the payment annually of a reasonable rental for the one-half undivided interest hereby willed and devised to my said niece.

Second: My nephew J. Allen Smith, Jr. shall immediately upon my death execute to W. C. Cathran, an executor of my will, his note for the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) payable on demand with interest from the date of my death at the rate of six per cent per annum, which note is to be secured by mortgage on the one-half undivided interest in the said property hereby willed and devised to the said J. Allen Smith, Jr. and which mortgage debt is to become and remain a lien upon the same said one-half interest after the death of J. Allen Smith, Jr., unless the debt be sooner paid. Upon the death of J. Allen Smith, Jr. the one-half interest devised to him hereby is to become the property of his wife Annie H. Smith, if living, otherwise of the children of J. Allen Smith, Jr., in fee, subject to the lien of the mortgage hereby directed to be made to my executor by the said J. Allen Smith, Jr. I do not impose this as a condition upon the interest of my brother W. C. Cathran, but request him to take up this note and mortgage and hold it for the protection of the said J. Allen Smith, Jr., knowing that he feels the same interest in J. Allen Smith, Jr. and his family I do, charging the same against himself in the distribution of my estate.

As a further condition upon the devise in favor of J. Allen Smith, Jr. I direct that immediately after my death he execute a note to my executor for the amount now due and owing to me by him for money heretofore borrowed. The said note to be payable one year after date with interest at six per cent per annum, secured by a chattel mortgage upon all crops made and to be made by him during the year 1933 upon the said property and upon the several tracts of land owned by him and heretofore mortgaged by him to me; and he shall annually thereafter on the 1st day of January of each succeeding year, in satisfaction of the note and chattel mortgage given the preceding year, execute to him a new note for the amount remaining due to him on account of said indebtedness and for other advances, if any. The said several notes each to be made due and payable January 1st following the making thereof, and each year's note to be secured by a chattel mortgage on the crops to be made in that year upon the Cuthbert place and upon the several tracts of land owned by him and heretofore mortgaged by him to me.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the undersigned as his last will and testament, this 27 day of April, 1933.

J. P. Cothran & Co

Signed, Sealed, Published and declared as and for his last will and testament by the above named testator, in our presence, who in his presence, at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

Margaret Beeks
Maryon W. Seaman
H. Brunner

Rec. July 31, 1952.

I attest a True Copy:
Rufus F. Littlejohn
Clerk of Probate
Court, Greenville Co., S.C.

Hollie B. Blake
Judge of Probate

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ANDERSON

The Last Will and Testament of:

Dr. James O. Sanders

In the name of God, Amen:
I, Dr. James O. Sanders, of the City of Anderson, County of Anderson, State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, mindful nevertheless of the uncertainty of life, and desiring to dispose of my earthly belongings, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills, Writings or Instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore, at any time by me made.

Imprimis: It is my will and I direct that all of my just debts, funeral expenses and all expenses connected with my last illness be paid by my Executors hereinafter named as soon after my death as practicable out of the funds remaining in the residue of my estate.

Item II. I will, devise and bequeath unto my dearly beloved son, James Rogers Sanders, for his use and benefit for the term of fifteen years from the date of my death three hundred acres of farm land and the houses situate thereon located on Highway 29, about 6 1/2 miles from Anderson, on the left hand side of the road as you go toward Williamston from Anderson, at the expiration of fifteen years from the date of my death, being three hundred acres of land I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my son, James Rogers Sanders, in fee simple, to him with as he sees fit; provided, however, that should my son, James Rogers Sanders predecease me or die before fifteen years after my death, then in that event I will, devise and bequeath to the heirs of the body of my son, James Rogers Sanders, predecease me or die before fifteen years after my death, then in that event I will, devise and bequeath to the heirs of the body of my son, James Rogers Sanders, the aforesaid three hundred acres of land, share and share alike in fee simple.

Item III. I hereby will, devise and

PROOF OF WILL

File: _____

Box: _____

Pack: _____

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By _____, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears _____, who being duly sworn, says that he saw _____ sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the _____ day of _____, A. D. _____ to be and contain _____ Last Will and Testament; that the said _____

_____ was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to _____ (Deponent) the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said _____

together with _____ and _____ at the request of the testat _____ in _____ presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____

_____, Anno Domini 19 _____

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of _____ it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil _____, of _____, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this _____ day of _____, 19 _____

Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

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

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____

_____, Anno Domini 19 _____

Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

bequeath to my said deacey beloved son, James Roger Saunders, Seventy acres, more or less, located on Highway 29, about $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Anderson and on the right hand side of the road as you proceed from Anderson to Williamston, and consisting of that section of land, a part of my farm, which is situated directly across the road from the land mentioned in Item II, with the northern boundary of said seventy acres being bound by the lands of Mrs. Nelson, Henkel and Campbell, and running along said Highway 29 toward Anderson to a ditch and natural drainage which starts from Highway 29 and goes down through my farm to a creek and from the creek to Broad way Creek, then back to the lands of Campbell, Mrs. Nelson, and Henkel, in fee simple, to do with as he see fit: Provided, However, that in the event my son, James Roger Saunders, dies prior to my death, it is my will that the heirs of the body of my son, James Roger Saunders, shall receive the seventy acres above mentioned share and share alike, in fee simple, to do with as they see fit.

Item IV: I hereby will, devise and bequeath to my said son, James Roger Saunders, all of the crops, stored or then standing on my entire farm consisting of five hundred forty acres, located on both sides of Highway 29, $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Anderson and you go toward Williamston, together with all stock, cattle, domestic animals of all kinds, farming implements, trucks, tractors, tools and any and all paraphernalia there located and used in connection with the operation of said farm; Provided, However, that should my son, James Roger Saunders, predecease me, then in that event I will, devise and bequeath to the heirs of the body of my son, James Roger Saunders, all of the crops, stored or then standing on my entire farm consisting of five hundred forty acres, located on

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

both sides of Highway 29, 6 1/2 miles from Anderson as you go toward Williamston, together with all stock, cattle, domestic animals of all kinds, farming implements, trunks, tractors, tools and any and all paraphernalia there located and used in connection with the operation of said farm, share and share alike.

Item V. To my beloved daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, who has so faithfully lived in my home and cared for me so long, I give, devise and bequeath the house and lot at #635 N. North Avenue, Anderson, S.C. which is my home place, together with all furnishings of whatever kind located in my said home, in fee simple, to do with as she sees fit. Provided, however, that should my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, predecease me, then in that event I will, devise and bequeath to the heirs of the body of my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, the house and lot at #635 N. North Avenue, Anderson, S.C. together with all furnishings of whatever kind located in my said home, share and share alike, in fee simple, to do with as they see fit; and, to my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, may I express my sincerest appreciation for her many kindnesses to me, including the loan by her to me of Five Thousand Dollars, which money I used in paying off the mortgage on the house, herein bequeathed to her, and for which I owe Thousand Dollars she holds she holds my promissory note, and I sincerely trust that the bequest to her of the said house and lot will be satisfactory to her and she will make no further claim against my estate for payment of said note.

Item VI. To my beloved daughter, Ellen Sanders Kolb, I give, devise and bequeath Government Bonds which have a maturity value of Eight Thousand

Dollars, and which are located in my Safety Deposit Box at the Carolina National Bank, Anderson, S.C., said Bonds I purchased with some of her funds and some of mine and had said Bonds made to myself and to her and have been keeping said Bonds made to myself and to her and have been keeping said Bonds to deliver to her at such time as she saw fit to purchase or build a home, and it is my wish and suggestion that she take said Bonds for that purpose. Provided, however, that should my daughter, Ellen Sanders Kolb, predecease me, it is my will that the heirs of the body of my daughter, Ellen Sanders Kolb, take the part which their mother would have taken under this Will in the same manner provided for in this Will, share and share alike.

Item VII. I hereby will, devise and bequeath to my two daughters, Sarah Sanders Harris and Ellen Sanders Kolb, the remaining lands of my farm of Highway 29, approximately 6 1/2 miles from Anderson, going toward Williamston, which has not been heretofore bequeathed in Item II. and Item III, consisting of approximately one hundred seventy acres, on the right hand side of said Highway 29, going toward Williamston, being all of my land left on said right hand side after taking off the twenty acres heretofore bequeathed to James Rogers Sanders, and I give, devise and bequeath said one hundred seventy acres to my two daughters, Sarah Sanders Harris and Ellen Sanders Kolb, share and share alike, in fee simple to do with as they see fit provided, however, and it is my will that in the event either of my daughters, Sarah Sanders Harris or Ellen Sanders Kolb, die prior to my death, that the heirs of their body shall take the share their mother would have taken under this Will in the same manner provided in this Will, share and share alike.

Item VIII. I hereby will, devise and bequeath to my three devoted children,

James Rogers Sanders, Sarah Sanders Harris, and Ellen Sanders Kalk, all that tract of land owned by me in Abbeville County, S.C., which consists of approximately one hundred sixty acres, near the City limits of Abbeville, S.C., together with all wife standing or stores thereon, and all farm machinery, Cattle, domestic animals of all kinds, and stock, share and share alike, in fee simple, to do with as they see fit; Provided, However, that in the event either of my children predecease me, it is my will that the heirs of their body shall take what the brother or father, as the case may be, would have taken under this Will in the same manner provided for in this Will, share and share alike.

Item II. It is my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, I hereby will, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, of which I may die seized and possessed, in fee simple, to do with as she sees fit; Provided, However, and it is my will, that in the event my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris, would have taken under this Will in the same manner provided for in this Will, share and share alike.

Item III. It is my will that each of my children realize that my love for each of you is great and that you have been a joy to me and that with the influence benefits which each of you will receive, I have tried to be fair to you all and I want to suggest to you that in carrying out the terms and conditions of this my Last Will and Testament you seek the advice and counsel of our good friend, Gene Haley, who has been a friend of our family and to each of you for such a long time and who, I am sure will sincerely and honestly help you to your best interest.

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

Item VI: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, James Rogers Sanders, my daughter, Sarah Sanders Harris and my daughter, Ellen Sanders Kolb, as and for Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I direct that they be required to furnish no bond in this or any such jurisdiction.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 9-20-47 day of September, 1947 at Anderson, County of Anderson, State of South Carolina.

James J. Sanders (R.S.)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, and each of us, who, at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of all of us, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Lillie Beard Address Huger, S.C.
G. A. Hutchingson Address Huger, S.C.
Martha W. Schaffey Address Huger, S.C.

Rec. August 19th, 1952.

Hattie B. Blake
Judge of Probate.

R. R. E. Simpson

I, R. R. E. Simpson, of the County of Anderson, South Carolina, do hereby make, publish, explain and declare this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore made by me.

1. I will and direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon as practicable after my decease.

2. I will, devise, and bequeath unto my son, David Simpson, all of the property, real, personal, mixed, tangible, intangible, of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate of which I may die seized and possessed or to which I may be entitled at my death.

3. I nominate, constitute and appoint my said son, David Simpson, as Executor of this my last will and testament and direct that he be not required to give bond for the faithful performance of his duties as such Executor. The said Executor shall have full power to settle and compromise claims for and against my estate, and shall have full power to sell any part or all of my estate at public or private sale in such manner and upon such terms as he deems advisable.

Witness my hand and seal this 19th day of April, 1952.

R. R. E. Simpson (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by R. R. E. Simpson as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

H. J. Simpson Address Iva, S.C.
W. E. Byrress Address Iva, S.C.
W. S. Simpson, Jr. Address Iva, S.C.

A True & Correct Copy:
Ralph J. King
Judge of Probate,
Anderson County, S.C.

Received:
August 29, 1952
Hollis B. Blake
Judge of Probate

File: _____

PROOF OF WILL

Box _____

Pack _____

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By _____, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears _____, who being duly sworn, says that he saw _____ sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the _____ day of _____, A. D. _____ to be and contain _____ Last Will and Testament; that the said _____

_____ was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to _____ (Deponent) the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said _____

together with _____ and _____ at the request of the testat _____ in _____ presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ Anno Domini 19 _____ }
_____ (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of _____ it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil _____, of _____, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this _____ day of _____, 19 _____
_____ Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

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

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____ Anno Domini 19 _____ }
_____ Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

Lawrence F. Wilson

1:- In the name of God, Amen:-
I, Lawrence F. Wilson of the
County and State aforesaid, do make,
ordain, publish and declare this as
my last Will and Testament, hereby
repealing all wills and instruments
of a testamentary nature heretofore by me
made.

2:- I will and direct that my
Executing hereinafter named shall pay
all of my just debts with the
first money coming into her hands.

3:- I will, devise and bequeath
all of my property of whatsoever kind
and wheresoever situate, real and
personal, unto my wife, Lula F. Wilson,
in fee simple absolute.

4:- I hereby nominate, constitute
and appoint my wife, Lula F. Wilson,
Executor of this my last Will and
Testament, without bond.

In Witness Whereof, I
have hereunto set my hand and seal
this 19th day of March, 1937.

signed, sealed and
published and declared
by Lawrence F. Wilson,
as and for his last Will and Testament, in
the presence of us, who
in his presence and of
each other, at his request,
have subscribed our names
as witnesses.

Lawrence F. Wilson
L.F.W.

Jucie Mahay
D. J. Mc Allister
J. Moore Mear

Rec. Sept. 16 1952
Fellie B. Bledg
Judge of Probate

PROOF OF WILL

File: _____
Box 394
Pack 10,000

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. Marse Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Lawrence J. Wilson sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 19th day of March, A. D. 1937 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Lawrence J. Wilson was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)
the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. Marse Mars together with Susie Mahoy and D. J. McAllister at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 15th day of September, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

J. Marse Mars
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mrs. Lula C. Wilson it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Lawrence J. Wilson, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 15th day of September 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Mrs. Lula C. Wilson 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 15th day of September, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

Lula C. Wilson
Abbeville, S. C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

Joe L. Maxwell

I, Joe L. Maxwell, of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, South Carolina, being of a disposing mind, memory and understanding, and desiring to make disposition of my property in case of my death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to wit: Item I. I direct my executor, hereinafter named, to pay all my just debts.

Item II. I will and devise all of my real estate to my wife, Lula P. Maxwell, for and during her natural life or widowhood, and at the death or remarriage of my wife, Lula P. Maxwell, all of my said real estate is to go to my daughter, Evelyn Lucile M. Billeland, and my step-son, Richard Edwards, in fee simple, as follows to wit:

To my daughter, Evelyn Lucile M. Billeland, I will and devise at the death or remarriage of my wife, Lula P. Maxwell, that lot or parcel of land adjoining lands of the J. L. Dancy estate on Beesville Street in the City of Abbeville, containing twelve acres, more or less, with improvements thereon, consisting of two four-room dwelling houses; also, that lot of land with three room dwelling house thereon located in what is known as East Pichens in the City of Abbeville, S.C.

To my step-son, Richard Edwards, I will and devise at the death or remarriage of my wife, Lula P. Maxwell, that lot of land near Long Cove Cemetery containing one acre, more or less, with improvements thereon consisting of a four room dwelling; also, all that parcel of land fronting on Haigler Street in the City of Abbeville, S.C., known as pasture lands, containing one and one-half acres, more or less.

All the rest and residue of my real estate of which I may die seized and possessed, I will and devise at the death or remarriage of my wife, Lula P. Maxwell, to my daughter, Evelyn Lucile M. Billeland, and my step-son, Richard

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Carolyn J. Shampton, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Joe L. Maxwell sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 18th day of November, A. D. 1952 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Joe L. Maxwell was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Carolyn J. Shampton together with Lettye B. Carroll and R. J. Siffon at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of September, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Carolyn J. Shampton
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Evelyn M. Gilleland it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Joe L. Maxwell, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 16th day of September, 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Joe L. Maxwell 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of September, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

Evelyn M. Gilleland
Greenwood, S. C.

Edwards, share and share alike.

Item III. I will and bequeath to my daughter, Evelyn Lucille M. Gilleland, the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars.

Item IV. I will and bequeath to my step-son, Richard Edwards, the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Item V. I will and bequeath to my grand-son, Ray James Gilleland III, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, and also my finger ring.

Item VI. I will and bequeath to my grand-son, Richard Marshall Gilleland, the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

Item VII. I will and bequeath to my step-grand-daughter, Maryjane Ann Edwards, the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Item VIII. I will and bequeath to my step-grand-daughter Richard Ann Edwards, the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars.

Item IX. I will and bequeath to my step-daughter, Evelyn Brien Edwards, the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.

Item X. I will and bequeath to Demascus Church in the County of Greenwood, the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, to be paid to said Church, \$10.00 a year for ten years, or in one lump sum, within the discretion of my Executor.

Item XI. All the rest and residue of my property of every kind, I will, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Evelyn Lucille M. Gilleland, and my step-son, Richard Edwards, share and share alike.

Item XII. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter Evelyn Lucille M. Gilleland, as Executor of this my last will and testament, to serve without bond.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 18 day of December, 1949.

Joe L. Maxwell (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, Published and declared by Joe L. Maxwell as and for his last (see next page)

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

The Last Will and Testament of:

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

will and testament in the presence
of us, who in his presence, and of
each other, at his request, have
subscribed our names as witnesses.

Petty B. Coggles

Abbeville, S.C.

Carolyn F. Shopton

Abbeville, S.C.

R. J. Dyfan

Abbeville, S.C.

Rec. September 16th, 1952.

Hellie B. Blake,
Judge of Probate.

Georgia
 Lincoln County

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

The Last Will and Testament of:

James H. Boykin

I, James H. Boykin, of said State and County, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking any and all others by me heretofore made.

Item 1. I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian-like manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition in life, in the family square in Willowbrook Cemetery, Edgefield, S.C. I also direct that my Executors have a modest marker or memorial placed at or over my grave with appropriate inscriptions.

Item 2. I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid, with out unnecessary delay, by my executors hereinafter named and appointed.

Item 3. I give, bequeath and devise to my brother, John A. Boykin, the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) and ten (10) shares of stock of the American Telegraph & Telephone Company.

Item 4. I give, bequeath and devise to my sister-in-law, Mrs. John A. Boykin, the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Item 5. To the four children of my brother, John A. Boykin, namely, John A. Boykin, Jr., Julian Boykin, Isabel Boykin, Hamilton and Albert Perdue Boykin, I give and bequeath the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each.

Item 6. To my sister, Mrs. Marie Boykin Lawton, I give and bequeath my Farmers State Bank stock of Lincoln, Ga., consisting of twenty four (24) shares of the par value of \$100.00 each. I also give, bequeath and devise to my sister, Mrs. Marie Boykin Lawton, my house and lot in the town of "Lansaluton, Georgia known as the "Boyer Place" containing 1 acre, more or less, with dwelling thereon and also the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) in cash.

Item 7. I give, bequeath and devise to the three children of my

Georgia, Fulton County

I do solemnly swear that the within writing contains the true last will and testament of James H. Boykin, deceased, of said County, and State, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this state. So help me God.

John A. Boykin

John A. Boykin, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of August, 1946.

Claude E. Mason

Clerk Court Ordinary

Fulton Co., Georgia

Recorded September 6, 1946.

State of Georgia

Executors' Oath

Fulton County

We do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last will and Cedicil of the within named James H. Boykin, deceased so far as we know, or believe, And that we will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the law of this State. So help me God. This qualification oath is being taken in connection with the probate in solemn form of the will of James H. Boykin, deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 23rd day of October 1946.

John A. Boykin

S. J. Jackson
C.C. Ordinary

John A. Boykin, Jr.

TESTAMENT

QUALIFICATION EXECUTOR

Recorded October 24, 1946.

Georgia, Lincoln County - In Court of Ordinary

I, Homer Legg, Ordinary of said County, and ex-officio Clerk Court of Ordinary, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing six pages of typewritten matter contain a full, true and correct copy of the last Will and Testament of James H. Boykin, late of said County, deceased, and also of the cedicil of said

So help.....God.

Sworn to before me, this.....day of

.....Anno Domini 19.....

.....
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

Vertical handwritten notes on the right margin, including names and dates.

sister, Mrs. Marie Baylin Lawton, namely: Gladys Baylin Lawton, Juan Lawton Cowan and Mary Lawton Carroll the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each.

Item 8. To the four children of my deceased sister, Mrs. Matilda Baylin Leake, by her first husband, M. B. Paschal, namely: Camille Paschal Jackson, Baylin Paschal, Marguerite Paschal, Howard and Victoria Paschal Proterfield, I give and bequeath the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each.

Item 9. To the daughter of my deceased sister, Mrs. Matilda Baylin Leake, by her last husband, John W. Leake, namely: Patricia Leake Hewitt, I give, bequeath and devise my stock in the Lee Dee Manufacturing Company consisting of nine (9) shares of the par value of \$100.00 per share. This stock was originally owned by my brother-in-law, John W. Leake, to whom my sister was very happily married. It gives me pleasure to return it to his daughter and my niece, the said Patricia Leake Hewitt.

Item 10. To the daughters of my deceased sister, Mrs. Carrie Watts Farrent, I give and bequeath the following: (a) to Gladys Farrent Browdy, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00); (b) to Belle Farrent Scott the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00); (c) to Pickens Farrent Black the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).

Item 11. To the two sons of my deceased sister, Mrs. Carrie Watts Farrent, namely: Baber Farrent and Gerard Farrent, I give and bequeath the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each.

Item 12. I give and bequeath to my brother, John A. Baylin, all my household furniture and furnishings, including the books of my library, my watch and all my jewelry, my automobile, pictures, wearing apparel and other personal effects of like kind.

Item 13. To my faithful friend Judge Homer Legg, I give and bequeath the sum of Two Hundred

(\$200.00).

Item 14. To my friend, Miss Kathleen Brown, who has been so kind, considerate and thoughtful of my comfort during my ill health I give and bequeath the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

Item 15. To my namesake, James Boykin Holloway, I give and bequeath the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) and my blessings for a useful career.

Item 16. It is my desire that my Executors, hereinafter named, will pay to the Episcopal Church at Edgefield, S.C. the sum of Two Hundred and fifty Dollars (\$250.00). My annual contribution to this Church has been \$50.00 and I desire this be considered as paying my annual contribution for five years after my death.

Item 17. Should any legatee or devisee of this Will die before it becomes operative then whatever devise or legacy he or she was to receive by the terms of this Will shall go to the next of kin of such legatee or devisee according to the Rules of Descent and Inheritance of the State of Georgia.

Item 18. My Executors, hereinafter named and appointed are directed to sell my real estate within one year to three years after my death, at their discretion; also stocks, bonds and other securities ~~not~~ herein specifically devised and bequeathed. They are also authorized and directed to collect on all notes, mortgages, and all other outstanding obligations due me within as reasonable a time as is fair and just to the debtor and consistent with sound business practices.

Item 19. After the sale of my property, including real and personal, tangible and intangible, the collection of notes, accounts etc. whatever sum of money remains after the specific bequests and devises have been complied with in accordance

with the provision of this Will, hereinbefore stated, and the payment of all just debts, shall be divided as follows: (a) One-half thereof to my brother, John A. Baykin; (b) One-fourth thereof to my sister, Mrs. Marie Baykin Lawton and (c) One-fourth thereof to the children of my deceased sister, Mrs. Matilda Baykin Beebe, namely: Camille Paschal Jackson, Baykin, Beebe, Marguerite Paschal Howard, Victoria Paschal Pastarfield and Patricia Leede Howard, the same to be equally divided among them, share and share alike.

Item 20. I hereby name and appoint my brother, John A. Baykin and my nephew, John A. Baykin, Jr. Executors of this Will and I expressly confer upon them full power to carry out its provisions without the necessity of making bond or making any returns to the Ordinary or Court; they the said Executors, are hereby authorized to sell any part or all of my estate, not hereinbefore specifically devised, at public or private sale, with or without notice, as they may deem best, and without any order of Court, making good and sufficient conveyance to the purchaser and holding the proceeds of said sale or sales, to the same uses and purposes as hereinbefore provided in the several paragraphs of this my last Will and Testament.

Should either of my executors be unable to serve by reason of death or otherwise they the other, or remaining executor shall have as full and complete power to act as is conferred by the provisions of this Will upon them two.

Witness my hand and seal this 24th day of August 1945.

James H. Baykin (Test)

Signed, Sealed, Declared and Published by James H. Baykin as his last Will and Testament, in the presence of the undersigned as

witnesses thereto, being called individually and specially by James H. Boykin as witnesses to this Will, he first signing the same in our presence, and we then signing as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other. This 24th day of August 1945.

Geo. C. Leverette, Jr. Lincoln Co.
John P. Drinkard Lincoln Co.
H. W. Mass Lincoln Co.

Georgia, Lincoln County
Whereas I, James H. Boykin, did on the 24th day of August, 1945, sign, seal, declare and publish my last will and testament in the presence of George C. Leverette, Jr., John P. Drinkard and H. W. Mass, who signed the will and testament as witnesses; and

Whereas, I am desirous of making one change, and adding additional bequests and devises in the said will.

I therefore make and publish this codicil to the said will and testament:

Item 1. In Item 9 of my said Will I gave and requested to my niece, Mrs. Patricia Leake Hewitt, nine shares of Bee Dee Manufacturing Company stock. As the value of this stock varies from time to time, I think it best to set up a definite amount, as was done in the cases of my other nieces and nephews. I declare these false, and do hereby cancel Item 9 of said Will and in lieu of the Bee Dee stock I give, bequest and devise to the said Patricia Leake Hewitt the sum of \$2000.00.

Item 2. I hereby give, bequest and devise to my faithful friend and long time associate, Mr. H. B. Pitt, the sum of \$200.00.

Item 3. I give, bequest and devise to my faithful friend, Mr. John S. Drinkard, who had his first newspaper experience with me the sum of \$100.00.

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

Item 4. I give, bequest and devise to my friends, Miss Bob Smith, Miss Virginia Wiles and Miss Maggie Zolpue, the sum of \$100.00 each. Likewise to my friend, Mrs. Jannie Lou Wright, the sum of \$100.00.

Item 5. I give, bequest and devise to the Lincolnton Methodist, Lincolnton Baptist, and the Lincolnton Presbyterian Churches, all white, the sum of \$100.00 each.

Item 6. I give, bequest and devise to the Edgefield, South Carolina, Public Library, and to the Mary Willis Library at Washington, Georgia, the sum of \$100.00 each.

Item 7. I give, bequest and devise to the Lincolnton Masonic Lodge, Lincolnton, Georgia, the sum of \$100.00.

Item 8. I give, bequest and devise to my esteemed cousin, Miss Hortense Woodson, of Edgefield, S.C. the sum of \$100.00.

This June 5, 1946.

James H. Boykin (Seal)

Signed, sealed, declared and published by James H. Boykin as a codicil to his Will heretofore made, in the presence of the undersigned as witnesses, he first signing said codicil in the presence of the undersigned, and then, we, at his special instance and request, signing the same as witnesses thereto, in his presence, and in the presence of each other.

This June 5, 1946.

Robert H. Kelley
W. C. Leverette
Geo. C. Leverette, Jr.

Rec. Oct. 16, 1952.

Hellie B. Blake
Judge of Probate

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

Leland L. Vermillion

In the name of God, Amen.

I, Leland L. Vermillion of Abbeville, County and State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and desiring to make such disposition of my worldly estate as I deem best, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all former Wills and Codicils by me made.

First: I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my estate as soon after my decease as conveniently may be and to that end charge my whole estate, real and personal, with the same.

Second: I give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife, (Mrs.) Annie Stone Vermillion, all of my property of whatsoever nature and kind and wherever situated, both real and personal, to be hers in fee simple absolute.

Third: I nominate and appoint my beloved wife, (Mrs.) Annie Stone Vermillion, to be the executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, hereby giving her full power and authority to do any and everything necessary to carry into full force and effect this my Last Will and Testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal to this my Last Will and Testament at Abbeville, South Carolina, this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Five.

Leland L. Vermillion (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Leland L. Vermillion, as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in his presence, at his request and in the presence of one another, all present together, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

Lyth Murray
Ray Beards
D. H. Mann

Rec. Oct. 21st, 1958.
Hollie B. Spaff
Judge of Probate

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Beale, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Ruth Mundy Strawhorn, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Leland L. Vermillion sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 14th day of October, A. D. 1952 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Leland L. Vermillion was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Ruth Mundy Strawhorn (Deponent) together with Ray Burt and P. H. Mason at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of October, Anno Domini 1952

Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Ruth Mundy Strawhorn
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mrs. Annie Stone Vermillion it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Leland L. Vermillion, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of October, 1952

Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Leland L. Vermillion 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of October, Anno Domini 1952

Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

Annie Stone Vermillion
Dovelle, S.C.

Bertie Prudence Graham

Be it remembered, that I, Bertie Prudence Graham of Dumfries, County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and memory: do make this my last will and testament, in the manner following. That is to say:-

First: I order and request that all my just debts be paid with convenient speed.

Second: I give, devise and bequeath my house and lot in the Town of Dumfries, State and County aforesaid, to my three children, viz, Jimmie Sarah Graham Kettle, one third undivided interest; Jimmie Graham one third undivided interest and to their children or heirs at law as their interest doth appear. I further direct that no mortgage shall be placed on the above house and lot for any cause. In case of emergency, I will that one of the children can sell his interest in said house and lot, provided however that the sale shall be made to one or both of the other children, or provided that two of the children shall deem it expedient to dispose of their part, they shall sell only to the remaining child. I will and desire that the house and lot remain in the Graham family for three generations, after that disposition may be made as the owner or owners see fit.

Third: I will that my household and personal effects, except as specifically directed, shall be equally divided between my children, such things that cannot be divided to be sold and equal division made between the three children.

Fourth: I desire that the sum of one hundred dollars or any amount thereabouts, be used from my life insurance, to be expended as my funeral expenses for myself, left from insurance, purchase suitable markers for my late husband J. V. Graham, and William Graham's grave, any remaining funds from the insurance to be used to repair the house.

Fifth: I will my Masonic ring to

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears L. J. Davis, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Mrs. Bertie Pendersee Graham sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 14th day of April, A. D. 1942 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Mrs. Bertie Pendersee Graham was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said L. J. Davis together with E. A. Huscuck and H. P. Deale at the request of the testatorit in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 15th day of Oct., Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

L. J. Davis
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Jimmie Graham it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil, of Mrs. Bertie Pendersee Graham, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 15th day of October, 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Mrs. Bertie Pendersee Graham 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 15th day of October, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

James S. Graham
Belton, S.C.

my son Jimmie Graham, and my
widdow going to my eldest granddaughter
Betty Ann Skiffles.

Fifth: I hereby appoint my son
Jimmie Graham as executor of this
my last will and testament. Should
he fail to qualify, then I appoint
my daughters Mrs. Jimmie Sarah
Graham Little and Mrs. Mary Elizabeth
Graham Lindly, as joint executrix
of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I hereunto
affix my hand and seal, at Doxson,
abovesaid, this fourteenth day of
April, nineteen hundred forty two.

Signed and sealed by Bertie
Spudene Graham, who at the same
time published and declared the same
as and for her last will and
testament in the presence of us
who, in her presence, and in the
presence of each other, and at
her request, have hereto subscribed
our names as witnesses.

L. J. Davis Doxson, S.C.
B. D. Hancock Doxson, S.C.
H. P. Drake Doxson, S.C.

Recorded: October 30th, 1952.

Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

J. Rayford Power

In the name of God, Amen:

1. I, J. Rayford Power, M.D. of the County and State aforesaid, do make, publish, and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

2. I will and direct that my Executrix hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into her hands.

3. I will, devise and bequeath all of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal unto my wife, Florence B. Power, in fee simple, absolute.

4. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Florence B. Power, Executrix of this my last will and Testament without bond.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 6th day of September, 1935.

J. Rayford Power M.D. *(initials)*

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by J. Rayford Power, M.D. as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Luzia Mabey
J. D. Mars
J. Moore Mars

Rec. Nov. 24th, 1935.
Hallie B. Blake,
Judge of Probate.

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he saw J. Rayford Power sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 6th day of September, A. D. 1935 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said J. Rayford Power was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to (Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. D. Mars together with Susie Mabey and J. Mace Mars at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of November, Anno Domini 1935
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

J. D. Mars (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mrs. Florence B. Power it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of J. Rayford Power, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 22nd day of November, 1935
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named J. Rayford Power 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 the said Will, as far as such goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge, and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of November Anno Domini 1935
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

Mrs. Florence B. Power
Abbeville, S. C.

Charlie DuBose

In the name of God, Amen:

- 1: I, Charley DuBose of the County and State aforesaid, do make, publish and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.
- 2: I will and direct that my executor hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into his hands.
- 3: I will, devise and bequeath all my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto the boy I raised, Willie Holland now known as Willie DuBose when he reached the age of 25.
- 4: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Mr. H. F. Sheard Executor of this my last Will and Testament without Bond.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of March, 1952.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Charley DuBose as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who in his presence and in each other's at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Charlie ^{his} DuBose
mark

Josa B. Beypow
J. B. Lyon
B. L. Patterson

Rec. Dec. 1st, 1952.

PROOF OF WILL

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Pack 10,017

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Beale, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Anna B. Bryan, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Charlie DuBose sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 14th day of March, A. D. 1952 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Charlie DuBose was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Anna B. Bryan

together with J. B. Lynn and B. L. Pittman at the request

of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Anna B. Bryan
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of A. J. Shure

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil

of Charlie DuBose, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 3rd day of December, 1952

Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Charlie DuBose 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 the said Will, as far as such goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge

that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Beale
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

A. J. Shure
Abbeville, S. C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

C. O. Bowie

I, C. O. Bowie, of Aconia, in said State and County, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of the property of which I die, signed and possessed by me, do hereby make, publish, and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to-wit:

Item I. I direct my executor hereinafter named as soon as convenient after my death to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses.

Item II. After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the real, residue and remainder of my property of every kind, real, personal and mixed, to my wife, Laura Jackson Bowie.

Item III. I hereby constitute and appoint Mrs. Laura Jackson Bowie, Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby giving her full power and authority to do and, and every act necessary to carry this Will into full force and effect.

In Witness Whereof, I, the said C. O. Bowie, have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 24th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty eight, and in the one hundred and eighty second year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America.

C. O. Bowie L.S.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by C. O. Bowie, of Aconia, South Carolina as and for the Last Will and Testament in our presence, and we in his presence, at his request, and each in the presence of the other two have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

J. R. Dunn - Aug. 24, 1948.

B. P. Stone - Aug. 24, 1948.

Jack Davis - Aug. 24, 1948.

Rec. Dec. 13th, 1952.
Hollie B. Blake,
Judge of Probate.

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. R. Dunn, who being duly sworn, says that he saw C. O. Bowie sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 24th day of August, A. D. 1948 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

C. O. Bowie was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to (Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. R. Dunn together with G. F. Stone and Jack Davis at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake } J. R. Dunn (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Laura Jackson Bowie it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil, of C. O. Bowie, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 11th day of December 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named C. O. Bowie 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake } Laura J. Bowie
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C. } Dunn, S.C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

Emma Lou S. Bowie

I Emma Lou Sallee Bowie do will and give to my daughter Mrs. Lillie Mae Bowie Denny or to her children if she is not living all of my personal property real estate and other savings deposited in the Post Office at Greenwood, S.C. Here and everything else now or hereafter that I have or come to me are to be hers. She not to give bond or make any statement to courts as the above is to be hers forever, to do as she pleases.

Signed: Emma Lou Sallee Bowie

Witnesses:
James M. Jallas
Mrs. J. M. Jallas
Mrs. J. I. Garland

July 6, 1939.

Rec. Dec. 4, 1952.

Hessie B. Blake,
Judge of Probate.

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Harris B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Mrs. J. M. Dallas, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Mrs. Emma S. Bowie sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 6th day of July, A. D. 1939 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

Mrs. Emma S. Bowie then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Mrs. J. M. Dallas together with James M. Dallas and Mrs. J. I. Bullock at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 21st day of

November, Anno Domini 1939

B. H. ... Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Mrs. J. M. Dallas
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of _____ it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil _____ of _____, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this _____ day of _____, 19_____

Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

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

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of

Anno Domini 19_____

Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

In the name of God, Amen.

1:- I, J. R. Moore, of the County and State aforesaid do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

2:- I direct that my body shall be decently buried and that a suitable monument be erected to mark my grave and that all expenses incurred be paid out of my estate.

3:- I will and direct that my executors hereinafter named shall pay all of my debts with the first money coming into their hands.

4:- I will, devise and bequest to my beloved wife, Rosa A. Moore for life all my property both real and personal and at the death of my said wife then all my property to go to my brother, J. Charlie Moore to be his in fee simple.

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Rosa A. Moore and my brother, J. Charlie Moore, as executors of this my last will and testament.

In witness, I hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of March, 1918.
In

J. R. Moore (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by J. R. Moore as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request have subscribed our names as witnesses.

J. L. Ferrin, Jr.
Sam Adams
J. Moore Mars

Rec. Dec. 18, 1952.
Hallie B. Blake,
Judge of Probate

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. Moore Moore, who being duly sworn, says that he saw S. R. Moore sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1918 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said S. R. Moore was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. Moore Moore together with J. L. Ferrin, Jr. and Sam Adams at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 18th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

J. Moore Moore
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of J. Charlie Moore it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of S. R. Moore, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 18th day of December 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named J. Charlie Moore 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 18th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

J. C. Moore
Daniel, A. C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

Charles Ernest Burton

In the name of God, Amen:

I, Charles Ernest Burton, known as C. E. Burton, of Abbeville County, Honea Tatch, S.C., Route # 2, do make, arrange, publish and declare this as and for my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature, if any, heretofore by me made.

Item 1. I hereby will and direct that my Executor, hereinafter named, shall pay all of my just debts, including my funeral expenses, with the first money coming into his hands.

Item 2. I will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Blanche Robinson Burton, for and during the term of her natural life, all of my estate, real and personal and mixed, of which I may die seized and possessed; and at the death of my said wife, Blanche Robinson Burton, I will, devise and bequeath all of such property, real, personal and mixed, of which I may die seized and possessed; and at the death of my said wife, Blanche Robinson Burton, I will, devise and bequeath all of such property, real, personal and mixed, to my five children, namely, Euline Burton Curtis, Lillie Burton Murdock, Arthur Burton, Neva Burton, and Mae Burton, share and share alike, in fee simple.

Item 3. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Arthur Burton, as Executor of this my last Will and Testament, my said Executor to act as such without being required to give bond.

Item 4. In case any one or more of my said children should die before I die, then the share of that child or children to go to his, her or their bodily heirs.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Charles Ernest Burton as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

This 16th day of January A.D. 1950.

Clyde C. Lyber
John L. Ferrin Jr.
Mary Ferrin Morse

C. E. Burton

Rec. Jan. 13, 1953.
Marion J. Egan,
Judge & Probate.

PROOF OF WILL

File: _____

Box 395

Pack 10,022

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Hallie B. Blake, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Clyde C. Suber, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Charles Ernest Burton sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 16th day of January, A. D. 1950 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Charles Ernest Burton then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to

(Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Clyde C. Suber

together with John L. Perrin, Jr. and Mary Perrin Warrick at the request

of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 30th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Clyde C. Suber
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Arthur Burton

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil,

of Charles Ernest Burton, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 30th day of December, 1952

Hallie B. Burton
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named

Charles Ernest Burton 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

the said Will, as far as such 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;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 30th day of December, Anno Domini 1952
Hallie B. Blake
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C.

James A. Burton
Rt. 2, Honesock, S.C.

Barbara M. Willson

In the name of God, Amen:

- 1:- I, Barbara M. Willson, of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.
- 2: I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named, shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into his hands.
- 3: I will, devise and bequeath to my nephew, J. Hoyt Thom, my Frigidaire Electric Refrigerator, my Frigidaire Electric Stove and my Duo-Therm oil heater.
- 4: All the rest of my household furniture and kitchen equipment and all monies that I may die seized and possessed of I will, devise and bequeath to my niece, Blanche M. Bayne; to my nephew, William MacTulay; to my niece, Loretta M. Griffith; to my niece, Agnes M. McEvean; to my niece, Vida M. Tucker and to my niece, Rachel M. McEvean, the division amongst them to be share and share alike.
- 5:- I will, devise and bequeath to my nephew, J. Hoyt Thom, my house and lot where I now reside at 44 Secession Street, hereinafter described, in fee simple absolute.

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, situate lying and being in the City of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, and being bounded on the North by Secession Avenue; bounded on the South by Alleyway, and bounded on the west by lands of the estate of J. M. Martin, and being a part of the lands willed to me by my late husband, John P. Willson, and together with a one story, frame dwelling, known as my home place.

- 6: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my nephew, J. Hoyt Thom, Executor of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of July, 1952.

(see next page)

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }
IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Marion J. Erwin, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Barbara M. Willson sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 14th day of July, A. D. 1952 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

Barbara M. Willson was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to (Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. D. Mars together with Katherine B. Hester and Bessie Lee Nease at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of January, Anno Domini 1953 }
Marion J. Erwin } J. D. Mars (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of J. Hoyt Nelson it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Barbara M. Willson, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7th day of January, 1953
Marion J. Erwin
Judge of Court of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
ABBEVILLE COUNTY. }

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named Barbara M. Willson 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 the said Will, as far as such 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of January, Anno Domini 1953 }
Marion J. Erwin } J. Hoyt Nelson
Judge of Probate, Abbeville Co., S. C. } Abbeville, S.C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

signed, sealed, published and Declared
by Barbara M. Willson, as and for
her last Will and Testament, in the
presence of us, who in her presence, and
of each other at her request have sub-
scribed our names as witnesses.

Katherine B. Hester
Bessie Lee Hance
J. D. Mims

Barbara M. Willson P.S.

Recorded Will Book 2,
Pages 237 and 249
this 13th day of January,
1953.

Marion J. Grewins
Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

F. L. Pordue

I, F. L. Pordue, being of sound mind, memory and understanding but mindful of the uncertainty of life do hereby make public and declare the following as and for my last will and testament and do hereby revoke and annul any and all former wills made by me.

1. I do hereby direct that my executrix hereinafter named do pay all my just debts.
2. I do will, devise and bequeath all my property, real, personal or mixed, monies, stocks and bonds unto my beloved wife, Sarah F. Pordue.
3. I hereby appoint Sarah F. Pordue as executrix of this my last will and testament, she to serve without bond.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by F. L. Pordue, as and for his last will and testament this 21st day of November, 1952.

F. L. Pordue

Signed, sealed, published and declared by F. L. Pordue as and for his last will and testament in our presence and we in his presence and in the presence of each ^{of the} others signed our names as witnesses:

John L. Strickland
Emma M. Strickland
John Gibson

Rec. Jan. 20th, 1953.
Marion J. Lewis,
Judge of Probate