

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: Horace H. McKee

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, Horace H. McKee, of the County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina, being of sound ~~mind~~ and disposing mind and memory, and acting ~~freely~~ without duress, menace, fraud or undue influence from any person or persons whomsoever, do hereby publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills and codcils by me at any time heretofore made.

ITEM ONE

I direct that all of my just debts, taxes and my funeral expenses be paid as soon as practicable after my death.

ITEM TWO

I give, bequaeth and devise unto my beloved wife, Mattie Sue McKee, all of my property, both real and personal that I may own or have interest in at the time of my death. This means that my wife, Mattie Sue McKee is to have full title and control to all of the real estate, money or personal property of any kind or amount, or wherersoever located, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM THREE

In the event that my wife, Mattie Sue McKee should Predecease me, I give, bequeath and devise all of my property, real and personal to my children, in equal shares, share and share alike. If any shild or children of mine should die within my lifetime, leaving a child or children surviving, I direct that such child or children surviving shall take the part his or her parent would have taken had such parent survived me.

ITEM FOUR

I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Mattie Sue McKee as executrix of this my last will and testament and direct that she not be required to post bond to act in this capacity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I sign, seal, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament in the presence of the persons witnessing it at my request this 6 day of February, 1964.

Horace H. McKee/s
Testator

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Horace H. McKee, the testator above named, to be his last will and testament, and we, at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses this 6 day of February, 1964.

WITNESSES:
Albert F. Thomas/s
Margaret M. Cack/s
Calvin L. Bufington/s

ADDRESSES:
Ware Shoals, S.C.
Ware Shoals, S.C.
Ware Shoals, S.C.

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: Hazel M. Temple

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, Hazel M. Temple of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament.

Item I. I commit my soul to the gracious God who gave it and direct that my body be decently interred according to the rites of my church, and that all expenses incurred therefore be paid out of my estate.

Item II. I will and direct that my executor hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into his hands as such.

Item III. I will, devise and bequeath all of my property to my four children, Frances Lee Noblin, Jones Butler Temple, III., Connie Temple, and Roland Eugene Temple, share and share alike, and to my husband, J.B. Temple, Jr., I leave nothing, we have been separated for 12 years. I wish the furniture to be divided four ways peaceably but if not, that it be sold at auction and the proceeds be divided among the four children, but I would like for Connie to have the piano if she wants it. The 1954 Chevrolet is in my name, but it belongs to Mama and Daddy.

Item IV. I nominate, constitute and appoint my brother, John M. McMahan, as executor of this will, giving him power to do the things necessary to carry out its terms without order of the Court.

Witness my hand and seal this day of September, 1967.

Hazel M. Temple/s

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Hazel M. Temple 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 subscribed our names as witnesses.

Daisy C. Manning/s ADDRESSES 406 Cherokee Street, Abbeville, S.C.

Ruby S. Campbell/s Rt. 1, Abbeville, S.C.

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: William Augustus Seawright

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, William Augustus Seawright, of the above State and County, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, and publish, 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.

ITEM I

I hereby direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon as may be convenient after my death.

~~ITEM I~~

ITEM II

I hereby give, bequeath, and devise all of my property of every kind or description, both real and personal, wherever the same may be situated, of which I may die seized and possessed, after the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses as hereinabove provided for, unto my beloved wife, Claudia Gambrell Seawright, to be hers absolutely, or, if she does not survive me, or if we both shall pass away at the same time, to my beloved son and daughter, Charles William Seawright and Verilea Jane Locke, to be theirs absolutely.

ITEM III

I hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint my beloved wife, Claudia Gambrell Seawright, as Executrix of this my last will and testament, without bond.

WITNESS my hand and seal this the 30th day of August, 1967.

William Augustus Seawright/s

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED, AND DECLARED by the said William Augustus Seawright as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who, at his request, and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses hereto.

James M. Smith/s

Dorothy S. Vaughn/s

Margaret S. Smith/s

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: JULIUS GLENN FLEMING

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, Julius Glenn Fleming, of the County of Abbeville, in the State aforesaid, being of sound ~~mind~~ ~~and~~ disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, to-wit:-

ITEM I:- I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable to pay all of my just debts.

ITEM II:- After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed unto me wife, Maude Davis Fleming and unto my daughter, Maude Crystalline Fleming, share and share alike, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Maude Crystalline Fleming, sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry this my Will into effect, and without giving bond as Executrix.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 8th day of July, A.D. 1963.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Julius Glenn Fleming, as and for his last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we in his presence, at his request, and each of us in the presence of the other two, have subscribed our names as attesting witnessess.

Bessie Lee Nance/s

Harry Nance/s

Marcella J. Troynneck/s

Julius Glenn Fleming/s

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 45-4

Pack 11-666

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Earle S. Nickles, Acting _____, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears James M. Smith _____, who being duly sworn, says that he saw William Augustus Seawright _____ sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 30th day of August _____, A. D. 1967 to be and contain his _____ Last Will and Testament; that the said William Augustus Seawright _____ 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 James M. Smith _____ together with Dorothy S. Vaughn _____ and X Margaret S. Smith _____ 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 6th day of October _____, Anno Domini 19 67

James M. Smith/s _____ (Deponent)

Earle S. Nickles, Acting/s _____
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 6th day of October _____, 19 67

Earle S. Nickles, Acting/s _____
Judge 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 William Augustus Seawright _____ 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 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;

So help me _____ God.

Sworn to before me, this 6th day of October _____, Anno Domini 19 67

Earle S. Nickles, Acting/s _____
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Claudia G. Seawright/s _____

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: Allen M. Wilson

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Allen M. Wilson, of the County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of all of my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills heretofore by me made.

ITEM 1:- I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable, to pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses, with the first money coming into her hands.

ITEM 11:- After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed unto my wife, Mamie W. Wilson, for and during the term of her natural life and at the death of my said wife, Mamie W. Wilson, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property real, personal, and mixed unto my daughter, Gertrude Wilson, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM 111:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Gertrude Wilson, Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry this my Last Will into effect, and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal, this 21 day of October, 1965.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared

by Allen M. Wilson, as and for his Last

Will and Testament, in our presence, and we

in his presence at his request, and each of

us in the presence of the other two, have

hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

Allen M. Wilson/s

Joyce W. Couch/s

Bessie Lee Nance/s

J. D. Mars/s

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455
Pack 11-673

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County. }

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Earle S. Nickles, Acting, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Bessie Lee Nance, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Julius Glenn Fleming sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 8th day of July, A. D. 1967 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Julius Glenn Fleming 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 Bessie Lee Nance together with Harry Nance and Marcella J. Troynek at the request of the testat or in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of November, Anno Domini 19 67 }
Earle S. Nickles/s } Bessie Lee Nance/s (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 1st day of November, 19 67.
Earle S. Nickles, Acting/s
Judge 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 Julius Glenn Fleming 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 1st day of November, Anno Domini 19 67 }
Maude Crystalline Fleming/s }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: Theron S. Allen, Sr.

I, THERON S. ALLEN, SR., of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, do hereby make, publish, and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other Wills and Codicils heretofore by me made.

For information purposes, I certify that I am a widower, residing at R.F. D. # 1, Box 138, in Abbeville County, South Carolina; that I have three living children at the date hereof, namely: Joelle Allen Reinertsen, who is now stationed with the Armed Forces in Seoul, Korea; John Clayton Allen, of 204 Eugenia Drive, Ventura, California; and Preston Brooks Allen, who resides at Mine Hill, Dover, New Jersey; and that my son, Theron Saville Allen, Jr., is now deceased, leaving him surviving three children, Marion Marsico, Barbara Meys, and John T. Allen, who all reside in Lincoln Park, New Jersey.

1. I direct that all of my debts, funeral and testamentary expenses be paid as soon as conveniently may be done after my decease.

2. All the rest and residue of my Estate, both real and personal, shall be divided into such number of equal parts as shall provide one part for each of my children who survive me, and one part collectively for the issue surviving me of each of my children who have predeceased me leaving issue surviving me, and I will, give, devise and bequeath one of such parts to each of my children who survives me, and one of such parts, in equal shares per stirpes, of the issue surviving me of each child of mine who has predeceased me.

3. I appoint my daughter, JOELLE ALLEN REINERTSEN, and my son, JOHN CLAYTON ALLEN, CO-Executors of this my Last Will and Testament. If either of my said son or my said daughter shall fail to qualify or cease to act as such Executor, I appoint the other as sole surviving Executor.

4. I hereby authorize my Executors to sell any property, real or personal, publicly or privately, for cash or on time without an Order of the Court, upon such terms and conditions as to him or her shall seem best, without liability on the part of the purchaser to see to the application of the purchase money, and to make distribution of principal in cash or in kind or partly in cash and partly in kind, not necessarily rateably but on the basis of equal value according to his or her own judgement.

5. I request that no Executor hereunder be required to give any bond, unless specifically required by statute or law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed my name at the foot and end of this My Last Will and Testament, and affixed my seal this 3rd day of January, 1967.

Theron S. Allen, Sr./s

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two (2) typewritten pages, typewritten on only one side, was at the date thereof by the said Theron S. Allen, Sr., signed, sealed, published, and declared to be his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr./s of Abbeville, South Carolina Rosemary H. Copeland/s of Abbeville, S.C.
Nancy S. King/s of Abbeville, S.C.

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-675

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Earle S. Nickles, Acting, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Bessie Lee Nance, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Allen M. Wilson sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 21st day of October, A. D. 1965 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Allen M. 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 Bessie Lee Nance together with Joyce W. Couch and J. D. 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 3rd day of November, Anno Domini 19 67.

Bessie Lee Nance/s
(Deponent)

Earle S. Nickles /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Gertrude Wilson

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Allen M. Wilson, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 3rd day of November, 19 67

Earle S. Nickles/s
Judge 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 Allen M. 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of November, Anno Domini 19 67.

Gertrude Wilson/s

Earle S. Nickles /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: Francis M. Welsh, Jr.

I, Francis M. Welsh, Jr., being of sound mind, ~~and~~ memory and understanding, do hereby make this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any Will or instrument of a testamentary nature heretofore executed by me.

ITEM 1

I hereby direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, pay all my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last illness as soon as practicable after my death.

ITEM 2

I hereby will, devise and bequeath that the lot of land I own on Greenville Street, in the City of Abbeville, revert to the Estate of my Mother, Ruth Barksdale Welsh, and same is not to be sold for a period of ten(10) years after my death.

ITEM 3

I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my beloved Mother, Ruth Barksdale Welsh, any and all other real property owned by me, any and all other stocks, bonds or monies in any bank, savings, or loan associatioh not hereinafter disposed of by this my last Will and Testament.

ITEM 4

I hereby will, devise and bequeath certain items of personal property, a list attached heretp, owned by me to my Aunt, Mrs Lila Welsh Griffin, and I request she disburse the items to the persons I have heretofore and by this attached note, request they go to.

ITEM 5

I hereby will, devise and bequeath the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) to my mothers devoted friend, Mary Finley Douglas.

ITEM 6

I hereby nomihate, constitutw and appoint, the TrustOfficer of the South Carolina National Bank as Trustee of all life insurance made ~~ap~~ payable to my estate, to hold in trust for the following purposes, to wit:

(1) Pay monthly the sum of Three ~~Hundred~~ ~~Hundred~~ HUndred and fifty (\$350.00) dollars to my Mother, Ruth Barksdale Welsh for her upkeep and support, for as long as she may live or until this trust fund is exhausted.

(2) To pay to my son Francis M. Welsh, III, fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars per school year for the purpose of completing school, which shall be on or before, June, 1965. This portion of the trust fund to cease at that time. He shall also be given twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars per month incidental expenses money until June 1, 1965, same to terminate at that time. He shall be given a (\$1,000.00) Graduation Gift at his ~~xxxxx~~ Graduation.

(3) To pay to my son, Benton Putnam Welsh's guardian, the sum of \$100.00 per month for his living expenses until he is 18 years old, that being September 6, 1965, then (\$1,500.00) annually for college, provided he satisfies this Trustee he can maintain a C or 80% average or better in an accredited four (4) year College. The Trustee shall also provide him with \$25.00 per month incidental expenses, for a period not to exceed 4 years. This is only to be paid to him while enrolled in the hertofore mentioned college. If he should Graduate from the aforesaid college he is to be given a \$1,000.00

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 450

Pack 11-179

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Earle S. Nickles, Acting, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Nancy S. King, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Theron S. Allen, Sr. sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1967 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Theron S. Allen, 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 Nancy S. King together with Rosemary H. Copeland and Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. 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 7th day of November, Anno Domini 19 67 }
Earle S. Nickles, Acting }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } Nancy S. King/s (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of John Clayton Allen

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Theron S. Allen, Sr., deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7th day of November, 19 67

Earle S. Nickles, Acting /s
Judge 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 Theron S. Allen, Sr. 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of November, Anno Domini 19 67 }
Earle S. Nickles, Acting }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } John Clayton Allen/s

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: Francis M. Welsh, Jr.

Graduation Gift. If my son Benton shall not commence with the above college requirements within 12 months after his 18th birthday, said bequeath shall be null and void and the trustee shall commence paying over to the Church Home for Children, at York, S.C., 25% of the income from said entire trust fund. The remaining 75% of the income from the Estate is to be paid over to the Trinity Episcopal Church of Abbeville, South Carolina, to be used for the preservation of the Church only, and be matched with \$1.00 by the communicants for each \$5.00 from the estate.

In the event my Mother should predecease me, or we should die in a common diaster, all fund payable to her shall go into a permanent trust fund, as heretofore provided for the Trinity Episcopal Church of Abbeville, S.C., and before any of these funds can be used, and are to be used only for the preservation of the Church, or disbursed, the communicants, The Bishop of Upper South Carolina Diocese and or Vestrymen of The Trinity Episcopal Church of Abbeville, S.C. shall match said funds withdrawn at the rate of \$1.00 for each \$5.00 from the Estate.

The trust officer of South Carolina National Bank is to invest this trusts in the common trust of the aforesaid mentioned Bank.

ITEM 7

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint, my Mother, Ruth Barksdale Welsh, as Executrix of this my las will and testament, and she is to serve without bond. I hereby appoint Attoorney Gerald R. Clay, as Attorney for my Executrix, if same is needed. In the event my Mother should predecease me, or for any reason be unable to serve, I hereby appoint and constitute, Gerald R. Clay, Attorney, as my Executor.

Witness my Hand and Seal this 25 day of January, 1964/

Francis M. Welsh, Jr./s

Signed, ~~signed~~ Sealed, published by Francis M. Welsh, Jr., as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, in his presence, and in the presence, and in the presence of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names, as witnesses.

- Paul K. ~~Born~~ Bowen/s
- Helen K. Cameron/s
- John W. Cameron/s

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of ~~XXXXX~~
Greenwood

The Last Will and Testament of: Bertha Bell Hagen

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I, BERTHA BELL HAGEN, of Due West, in the COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE, State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and memory, do make, publish, and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former testamentary documents by me at any time heretofore made.

ITEM I

I will and direct that all my just debts be paid, but that the Statute of Limitations be pleaded in all cases where applicable.

ITEM II

I give, bequeath, and devise all of my property of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate unto my dear husband, ERSKINE A. HAGEN, in fee simple forever, to do with as he sees fit.

ITEM III

Should my said dear husband, ERSKINE A. HAGEN, predecease me, or should we reach our deaths in the same common accident or calamity, causing doubt as to which one survived the other, then I give, bequeath, and devise my rproperty as follows: One-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of all my property of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate, be it real, personal, or mixed, unto Annie R. Bell in fee simple forever to do with as she sees fit; and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of all of my property of whatsoever nature and wheresoever situate, be it real, personal, or mixed, unto my heirs at law and distributees according to the laws of the State of South Carolina.

ITEM IV

I hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint my dear husband, Erskine A. Hagen, as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and direct that he shall serve without bond. Should my said dear husband predecease me, or should he for any reason be unable to serve or to complete the administration upon my estate, then I nominate, constitute, and appoint G. P. Callison, an attorney of the Greenwood Bar, as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and direct that he shall serve without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day of February, 1963.

Bertha Bell Hagen /S (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published, and Declared by the testatrix as and for her Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses:

Watson L. Dow /S
Judy Rush /S
Evelyn P. Whitmire /S

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-690

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By EARLE S. NICKLES, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears John W. Cameron, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Francis M. Welsh, Jr. sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 25th day of January, A. D. 1961 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Francis M. Welsh, Jr. 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 John W. Cameron together with Helen K. Cameron and Paul K. Bowen 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 20th day of November, Anno Domini 1967 }
Earle S. Nickles /s } John W. Cameron (Deponent)
acting, Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of RUTH BARKSDALE WELSH

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~will~~ of FRANCIS M. WELSH, JR., deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 20th day of November, 1967

Earle S. Nickles /s
acting Judge 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 FRANCIS M. WELSH, JR. 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 20th day of November, Anno Domini 1967 }
Earle S. Nickles /s } Ruth Barksdale Welsh /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: JANIE RAPLEY

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, Janie Rapley, of the County of Abbeville, in the State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of all my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to-wit:-

ITEM I:- I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable, pay all of my just debts.

ITEM II:- After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed, to my granddaughter, Mamie N. Lomax, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my granddaughter, Mamie N. Lomax, sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry, this my Will into effect, and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 7th day of September, A.D. 1960.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Janie Rapley, as and for her last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we, in her presence, at her request, and each of us in the presence of the other two, have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

Joyce W. Couch /S

John L. Perrin /S

Bessie Lee Nance /S

Janie Rapley ES

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Austin R. McElhaneey, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears WATSON L. DORN, who being duly sworn, says that he saw BERTHA BELL HAGEN sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 20th day of February, A. D. 1967 to be and contain Her Last Will and Testament; that the said BERTHA BELL HAGEN 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 Watson L. Dorn together with Judy Rush and Evelyn P. Witmire 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 _____ day of _____ November _____, Anno Domini 19 67. }
Earle S. Nickles /S } Watson L. Dorn /S (Deponent)
Acting Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 3 day of November, 19 67.

Earle S. Nickles /S
Acting Judge 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 Bertha Bell Hagen 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 her 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 3 day of _____ November _____, Anno Domini 19 67. }
Earle S. Nickles /S } Erskine A. Hagen
Acting Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: JOHN BERTRAND BRANYON

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT I, John Bertrand Branyon, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or the undue influence of any person whatsoever, legally domiciled in York County, South Carolina, and yet realizing the uncertainty of this earthly existence, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, intending hereby to revoke any and all testamentary dispositions heretofore by me made.

ITEM I.

I direct that all of my just debts, including the expenses of my last illness and funeral and the expenses of the administration of my estate be paid by my Executor hereinafter named, as soon after my demise as lawfully and conveniently may be done, and expressly direct that any and all estate, succession, inheritance, transfer, and all other taxes and levies be paid by my Executor out of and chargeable to my said estate.

ITEM II.

I hereby give and bequeath any and all personal property which I may own or to which I may be entitled in law or equity unto my beloved wife, Allie Clamp Branyon.

ITEM III.

I hereby give, will and devise any and all real estate which I own or to which I may be entitled in law or equity unto my beloved, wife Allie Clamp Branyon, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM IV.

All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real personal and mixed, whatsoever, and wheresoever same may be situate, to which I may be entitled in law or equity, I hereby give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Allie Clamp Branyon, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM V.

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife Allie Clamp Branyon to act in the copacity of Executor and request that he not be required to furnish bond for the performance of his duties as such Executor.

ITEM VI.

In the event my wife should predecease me, or we should perish in a common disaster, I hereby will, devise and bequeath all of my estate in trust to my daughter, Barbara Branyon Johnson to carry out the following specific purposes. It is my will that my said Trustee have full authority and control to sell, exchange, mortgage or in any way handle my property, real or personal, same as I could have done during my lifetime and using my said property to the best of her ability for the educational, medical and general up-keep of my other children: Rosemary Branyon, John Bertrand Branyon, Jr. and Charlie Ellis Branyon, II, until each child shall have had an opportunity to get a four-year college education. She is authorized, if

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears JOYCE W. COUCH, who being duly sworn, says that she saw JANIE RAPLEY sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 7th day of September, A. D. 1967 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said JANIE RAPLEY 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 JOYCE W. COUCH together with JOHN L. PERRIN, JR. and BESSIE LEE NANCE at the request of the testatrix in presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 27th day of November, Anno Domini 1967 }
Bessie Lee F. Nance/S } Joyce W. Couch /S (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 27th day of November, 1967
Bessie Lee F. Nance/s
Judge 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 JANIE RAPLEY 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 her 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 27th day of November, Anno Domini 1967 }
Bessie Lee F. Nance/s } Mamie N. Lomax/s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: JOHN BERTRAND BRANYON

she so desires, to dispose of real or personal property, converting same to cash for the purpose of carrying out the intent of this trust. Upon my youngest child reaching the age of Twenty-one (21) years the entire remainder of my estate shall be distributed among all of my children equally per stirpes. While any child remains under the age of Twenty-One (21) years my Trustee shall not be required to make a distribution to a child over the age of Twenty-One (21) years except for educational purposes. It is my expressed purpose and desire that my Trustee make an equal distribution so nearly as same may be practical to each of my children for educational purposes, but, should the occasion arise, when in her unfettered discretion it shall be wise to divert more funds to a particular child, she is authorized to do so. Upon final distributions she shall attempt to equalize all distributions among all children, including herself. My said Trustee is appointed as the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament to serve without bond should the provisions of this paragraph become effective.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 6 day of September, 1966.

John Bertrand Branyon/S
John Bertrand Branyon

Signed, sealed, published and declared by John Bertrand Branyon, 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.

Peggy Sweath Address Rock Hill, S. C.

Robert W. Hayes Address Rock Hill, S. C.

J. P. Campbell Address Rock Hill, S. C.

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I certify that the above is a true and exact Copy of Document as on file and of record in the Probate Court, York County, S. C.

Charles F. Nunn

Witness My Hand Date: 12/7/67

SEAL

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: PIERCE G. COOLEY

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

1:- I, Pierce G. Cooley, 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 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 or mixed, unto my beloved wife, Pearl R. Cooley, in fee simple absolute.

4:- I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Pearl R. Cooley, Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 30th day of July, 1959, A. D.

Pierce G. Cooley (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Pierce G. Cooley, 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 and witnessses.

Earle S. Nickles /s

Abbeville, S. C.

Charlie C. Murdock /s

Abbeville, S. C.

Janet Calvert /s

Abbeville, S. C.

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: ROBERT E. HALL

I, Robert E. Hall of the County of Abbeville, State of 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 will and direct that my executor hereinafter named shall pay all my just debts with the first money coming to his hands, it being my will and desire that my cash money and income from my farm be first used for the payment of such debts, if any, so that my farm, all farm equipment, work stock, etc., may remain as nearly intact and complete as possible, and my executor is directed to make every effort to pay off such debts without the sale of any farm equipment or farm, if possible.

Item II. I will, devise and bequeath all of my property both real and personal of every kind, and wheresoever situate, to my Executor hereinafter named, in trust for and during the natural life or widowhood of my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, for the following uses and purposes, to wit:

In trust to hold the same, operate or manage the farm or farms, collect the income and profits therefrom, pay all taxes on said premises, keep the dwelling house and all out buildings in repair, giving to my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, the use and occupancy of the dwelling house with all furniture and personal property contained therein during her life or widowhood, the net profits and income from the said property, for the support of herself and my minor children; with full power and authority in my executor to sell or exchange personal property, but not real estate, and to reinvest the proceeds of the sale or exchange of personal property, subject to the terms and limitations of this trust, in personal property needed in the operation of said farm, in such manner as he shall deem best for the interest of my estate and for the interest of my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, who is to receive the net profits and income from such property for the support of herself and my minor children during her life or widowhood. And at the death or remarriage of my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, the said real and personal property is to be disposed of as provided in Item III as follows to wit:

Item III. It is my will that at the death or remarriage of my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, the said real and personal property under the terms of Item II shall go to my seven sons, Cecil M. Hall, Robert E. Hall, Jr., James H. Hall, David C. Hall, C. Windell Hall, Leland Gaines Hall, and Donald Nelson Hall, share and share alike, in fee simple; the share of a son or sons deceased at the time of the death or remarriage of my wife to go to and be divided among the remaining living sons.

Item IV. The provision hereinabove made for my wife, Ernestine N. Hall, is in lieu of all claim of dower or other interest in or to all real estate which I shall die seized and possessed of.

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Earle S. Nickles, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Pierce G. Cooley sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 30th day of JULY, A. D. 1959 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Pierce G. Cooley 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 Earle S. Nickles together with Charlie C. Murdock and Janet Calvert 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 December, Anno Domini 19 67
Bessie Lee F. Nance /s Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } Earle S. Nickles /s (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Pearl R. Cooley 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 19th day of December, 19 67
Bessie Lee F. Nance /s Judge 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 Pierce G. deceased, so far as 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 19th day of December, Anno Domini 19 67
Bessie Lee F. Nance Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } Pearl R. Cooley /s Route #2- Iva, S. C.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: ROBERT E. HALL

Item V. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Charles Windell Hall, as my Executor of this my last will and testament; and if said Charles Windell Hall shall for any cause not qualify as such, then I nominate, constitute and appoint my son, David C. Hall as Executor of this my last will and testament. And if both Charles Windell Hall and David C. Hall shall for any cause not qualify as such, then I nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Leland Gaines Hall as executor of this my last will and testament and I hereby give unto such Executor who qualifies as above stated, full power and authority to do any and every act necessary to carry this will and trust provided herein into full force and effect.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 1st day of March, 1949.

Robert E. Hall, Sr. /s(Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Robert E. Hall 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.

James R. Hill /s Abbeville, S. C.

Wilbur J. Blake /s Abbeville, S. C.

Elizabeth F. Robison /s Abbeville, S. C.

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

GEORGIA
 THE STATE OF ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~
 GEORGIA
 County of ~~XXXXXX~~ FULTON }

The Last Will and Testament of: Jesse Lucien Schroeder

I, JESSE LUCIEN SCHROEDER, of said State and County, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and annulling 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 in the Upper Long Cane Cemetery in Abbeville, South Carolina.

Item 2.

It is my will and desire that my just debts be paid as soon as practical after my death.

Item 3.

I will, bequeath and devise all of my property, both real and personal, of every kind and wherever situated, to my surviving wife, MARGARET BLACK SCHROEDER, to be hers absolutely and in fee simple forever.

Item 4.

In the event my said wife, MARGARET BLACK SCHROEDER, should predecease me, or if she should die under circumstances which make it impractical to ascertain which of us died first, then and in that event I will, bequeath and devise all of my property, both real and personal, of every kind and wherever situated, to my two daughters, SARAH MARGARET SCHROEDER and Mrs. FRANCES SCHROEDER VEAL, in equal shares, share and share alike, in fee simple forever.

Item 5.

I hereby name and appoint my surviving wife, MARGARET BLACK SCHROEDER, as the sole executrix of this my last will and testament, and I hereby expressly relieve her of making any inventory or appraisalment of my estate, or from giving any bond or making any returns to any court, and all that is required of her under this will is to probate the same, and then enter upon and take charge of my entire estate, as provided in Item 3 hereof.

Item 6.

In the event my said wife, MARGARET BLACK SCHROEDER, should predecease me or should die under circumstances which make it impractical to ascertain which of us died first, then and in that event I name and appoint my two said daughters, SARAH MARGARET SCHROEDER AND MRS. FRANCES SCHROEDER VEAL, as the joint executrices of this my last will and testament, and I hereby expressly relieve them from making any inventory or appraisalment of my estate, or from giving any bond or making any returns to any court, and all that is required of them under this will is to probate the same, and then enter upon and take charge of my entire estate, as provided in Item 4 hereof.

Jesse Lucien Schroeder (seal)

Signed, sealed, declared and published by JESSE LUCIEN SCHROEDER as his last will and testament, in the presence of the undersigned as witnesses thereto, being called individually and specially by JESSE LUCIEN SCHROEDER as witnesses to this will, he first signing the same

PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears James R. Hill, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Robert E. Hall, Sr. sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 1st day of March, A. D. 1949 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Robert E. Hall, 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 James R. Hill together with Wilbur J. Blake and Elizabeth F. Robison 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 28th day of December, Anno Domini 1967 }
Bessie Lee F. Nance /s (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Charles Wendell Hall

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with codicil~~ of Robert E. Hall, Sr., deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 28th day of December, 1967.
Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge 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 Robert E. Hall, Sr. 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 28th day of December, Anno Domini 1967 }
Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. Charles Wendell Hall /s

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: JESSE LUCIEN SCHROEDER

in our presence, and we then signing as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other. This the ___ day of July, 1961.

J.A. John W. Deal, Jr.
M.B.B. E. G. Beavers
M.B.B. Mrs. E. G. Beavers

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: A. H. KEATON

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:-

1:- I, A. H. Keaton, 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 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 property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto my wife, Mable S. Keaton, for and during the term of her natural life, and at the death of my said wife, Mable S. Keaton, then I will, devise and bequeath all of my property, both real and personal, to my daughter, Gwendolyn Lou Keaton and to my son, Stanley H. Keaton, the division between them to be share and share alike, in fee simple absolute.

4:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Mable S. Keaton, Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of December, A. D. 1947.

A. H. Keaton /s (LS).

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared
by A. H. Keaton, 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.

Frances N. Free /s
J. D. Mars /s
J. Moore Mars /s

Filed and Recorded 1/8/68
File Number 455-11-704

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: WISTER C. HADDON

I, Wister C. Haddon, of the County of Abbeville, State of 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, devise and bequeath all of my property of every kind, both real and personal and wheresoever situate, unto my son, Carroll J. Haddon, in trust and as trustee for the following uses and purposes, to-wit:

In trust to hold and manage my entire estate for the benefit and ample support of my wife, Ada F. Haddon, for and during her natural life, with full power and authority, in his discretion, to sell and convey real estate at private or public sale and to execute valid deed or deeds of general warranty in fee simple to convey title to the same, as well as authority to sell and convey personal property, and to use the proceeds of the sale thereof for the support of my wife, Ada F. Haddon, or to invest and reinvest such funds, or, in his discretion, to retain intact all or any portion of my real estate or personal property for the occupancy or use of my wife, Ada F. Haddon. Full power and authority is granted to said trustee, Carroll J. Haddon, to use not only the income but the corpus of my estate, both real and personal property, for the ample support of my wife, Ada F. Haddon, and/or to pay to her from time to time such amounts thereof for her support as he may deem advisable within his discretion, so long as she shall live.

And, whatever of my property, real and personal, as shall remain undisposed of at the death of my wife, Ada F. Haddon, is to go to and vest in my son, Carroll J. Haddon, at the death of my wife, in fee simple absolute, and free and discharged of any further trust.

Should my son, Carroll J. Haddon, predecease my wife, Ada F. Haddon, then and in that event, I appoint my daughter-in-law, Julia W. Haddon, as substitute trustee, giving to her all the rights, duties and authority as set out above. And, in such event, at the death of my wife, Ada F. Haddon, the remainder of my estate undisposed of at that time, is to go to and vest in the children of Carroll J. Haddon, living at the time of the death of my wife, said children of Carroll J. Haddon to take share and share alike, in fee simple.

Item III.- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Carroll J. Haddon, as Executor of this my last will and testament, and as Trustee as above stated, to serve without bond. Should my son, Carroll J. Haddon, predecease me, or should he survive me and predecease my wife, then and in either event, I appoint my daughter-in-law, Julia W. Haddon, as substitute Executrix and Trustee, as above stated.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of March, 1962.

Wister C. Haddon /s (Seal)

PROOF OF WILL

File:

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he

saw A. H. KEATON sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 12th day of December-, A. D. 1947 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

A. H. KEATON 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 J. MOORE MARS and FRANCES N. FREE 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 2nd day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

J. D. Mars /s/

(Deponent)

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s/
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mabel S. Keaton

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

of A. H. KEATON, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 2nd day of January, 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s/
Judge 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

A. H. KEATON 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 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;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Mabel S. Keaton /s/

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s/
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Route # 2 - Iva, South Carolina 29655

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: WISTER C. HADDON

Signed, sealed, published and declared by
Wister C. Haddon 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 wit-
nesses.

Joseph M. Creswell /s

Richard Edwards /s

Joyce W. Couch /s

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
 = County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: E. BENNETT HALL

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, E. Bennett Hall, of the County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina; being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of all of my property in case of death do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to-wit:-

ITEM 1:- I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable to pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into her hands.

ITEM 11:- After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed to my wife, Margaret C. Hall, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM 111:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Margaret C. Hall, sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to here to do any and every act necessary to carry this my Will into effect, and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 11th day of July, A. D. 1964.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by E. Bennett Hall, as and for his Last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we, in his presence, at his request, and each of us in the presence of the other two have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Bessie Lee Nance /s

J. D. Mars /s

J. Moore Mars /s

E. Bennett Hall /s LS

Filed and Recorded 1/11/68
 File Number 455-11-709

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-706

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Joseph M. Creswell, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Wister C. Haddon sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 16th day of March, A. D. 1962 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Wister C. Haddon 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 Joseph M. Creswell together with Richard Edwards and Joyce W. Couch 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 January, Anno Domini 19 68

Joseph M. Creswell
(Deponent)

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Joseph M. Creswell

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, with codicil of Wister C. Haddon, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 3rd day of January, 19 68

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge 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 Wister C. Haddon 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of January, Anno Domini 19 68

Carroll J. Hadden Jr

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: RAY T. COUCH

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, RAY T. COUCH, of Abbeville County, South Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke any and all former wills and codicils by me made.

FIRST: I hereby direct my executrix hereinafter named to pay all my debts and funeral expenses as soon after my demise as can be lawfully done.

SECOND: All property, both real, personal, and mixed which I shall own at my death and all property over which I shall then have any power of appointment, I give, will, devise, and bequeath to my beloved wife, Joyce W. Couch, absolutely and in fee simple forever.

THIRD: I appoint my wife, Joyce W. Couch, to be the executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, and request that she not be required to give any bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed my name at the foot and end of this my Last Will and Testament and affixed my seal this 4th day of June, 1960.

his mark
Ray T. (X) Couch

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one typewritten page, typewritten on only one side, was at the date thereof by the said RAY T. COUCH signed, sealed, published, and declared to be his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

M. P. Blanchett /s of Abbeville, South Carolina
James W. Knox, Jr. /s of Abbeville, South Carolina
Alice W. Knox /s of Abbeville, South Carolina

Filed and Recorded 1/15/68
File Number 455-11-710

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-709

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he

saw E. Bennett Hall sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 11th day of July, A. D. 1964 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

E. Bennett Hall 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 Bessie Lee Nance and J. Moore 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 8th day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

J. D. Mars /s

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Margaret C. Hall

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

of E. Bennett Hall, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 8th day of January, 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge 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

E. Bennett Hall 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 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;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 8th day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Margaret C. Hall /s

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: JOHN B. WAKEFIELD

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, John B. Wakefield, of the County of Abbeville, in the State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of all of my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, to-wit:

ITEM I. I direct that my Executrix, hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable, pay all of my just debts.

ITEM II. After the payment of my debts, I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed, to my wife, Winton C. Wakefield, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Winton C. Wakefield, sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry this my Will into effect, and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 26th day of March, A. D. 1964.

John B. Wakefield /s (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by John B. Wakefield as and for his last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we in his presence, at his request, and each of us in the presence of the other two, have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses.

Bessie Lee Nance /s

J. D. Mars /s

J. Moore Mars /s

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 File Number 455-11-711

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-710

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Alice W. Knox, who being duly sworn, says that s/he

saw RAY T. COUCH sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 4th day of June, A. D. 1960 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

RAY T. COUCH 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 Alice W. Knox

together with M. P. Blanchett and James W. Knox, Jr. 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

January, Anno Domini 1968

BESSIE LEE F. NANCE JS
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Alice W. Knox /s
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of JOYCE W. COUCH

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

of RAY T. COUCH, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 11th day of January, 1968

BESSIE LEE F. NANCE /s
Judge 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

RAY T. COUCH 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 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;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 11th day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

BESSIE LEE F. NANCE /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Joyce W. Couch /s

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: GLADYS B. EDWARDS

I, GLADYS B. EDWARDS, of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish, and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other Wills and Codicils heretofore by me made.

FIRST: All property, both real, personal, and mixed, which I shall own at my death, and all property over which I shall then have any power of appointment, I give, will, devise, and bequeath to my husband, J. Gibson Edwards, in fee simple, if he shall survive me. If my said husband shall predecease me, all proerty, both real, personal, and mixed, which I shall own at my death, and all property over which I shall then have any power of appointment, I give, will, devise, and bequeath to my daughter, Elizabeth E. Gilliam, absolutely and in fee simpl@; but in case my daughter, Elizabeth E. Gilliam, shall have died in my lifetime leaving children living at my death, such children shall take by representation between them, in equal shares, the property which my said daughter would have taken had she survived me.

SECOND: I appoint my husband, J. Gibson Edwards, to be the executor of this my Last Will and Testament. If he should fail to qualify or cease to act as such executor, I appoint my daughter, Elizabeth E. Gilliam, executrix in his place.

THIRD: Without undertaking to distinguish between the duties and powers of my executor or executrix, and by way of illustration and not of limitation of his or her powers, I hereby authorize my executrix or executor as follows:

(1) To sell any property, real or personal, publicly or privately, for cash or on time, without an Order of Court, upon such terms and conditions as ot him or her shall seem best, without liability on the part of the purchaser to see to the application of the purchase money.

FOURTH: I request that no executor or executrix be required to give any bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed my name at the foot and end of this my Last Will and Testament and affixed my seal this 24th day April, 1963.

Gladys B. Edwards /s (LS)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two (2) typewritten pages, typewritten on only one side, was at the date thereof by the said Gladys B. Edwards signed, sealed, published, and declared to be her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. /s of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Rose Marie E. Williams /s of Abbeville, South Carolina

Nancy S. King /s of Abbeville, South Carolina.

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-711

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he saw JOHN B. WAKEFIELD sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 26th day of March, A. D. 1964 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said JOHN B. WAKEFIELD 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 Bessie Lee Nance and J. Moore 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 18th day of January, Anno Domini 19 68

J. D. Mars /s (Deponent)

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Winton C. Wakefield

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~XXXXXX~~ of John B. Wakefield, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 18th day of January, 19 68.

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge 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 JOHN B. WAKEFIELD 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 18th day of January, Anno Domini 19 68

Winton C. Wakefield /s

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of: EUPHA S. HARRIS

I, Eupha S. Harris, of Abbeville, County of Abbeville, State of 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, hereby revoking all wills heretofore by me made.

Item I.- I direct my executrix, hereinafter named, to pay all my just debts.

Item II.- I will and bequeath my old eight day clock unto James Newell, the husband of a great-niece of mine.

Item III.- All the rest and residue of my property of every kind, both real and personal and wheresoever situate, I will, devise and bequeath unto my niece, Mrs. Vera G. Lusk, in fee simple absolute.

Item IV.- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint, my niece, Mrs. Vera G. Lusk, as executrix of this my last will and testament, to serve without bond.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of August, 1963.

Eupha S. Harris /s

Signed, sealed, published and declared by EUPHA S. HARRIS 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 subscribed our names as witnesses.

Nancy S. King /s

Richard Edwards /s

Joe M. Creswell /s

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 File Number 455-11-714

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-712

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Nancy S. King, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Gladys B. Edwards sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 24th day of April, A. D. 1963 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Gladys B. Edwards 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 Nancy S. King together with Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. and Rose Marie E. Williams 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 19th day of

January, Anno Domini 19 68.

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Nancy S. King /s
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of J. Gibson Edwards

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~was~~ of Gladys B. Edwards, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 19th day of January, 1968.

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge 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 Gladys B. Edwards 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 her 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 19th day of

January, Anno Domini 19 68.

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

J. Gibson Edwards /s

Rte. #4-Abbeville, South Carolina

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: G. F. SMITH

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, G. F. SMITH, of the County of Abbeville, in the State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and desiring to make disposition of all of my property in case of death, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills heretofore by me made.

ITEM I:- I direct that my Executrix hereinafter named, as soon after my death as practicable to pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses with the first money coming into her hands.

ITEM II:- After the payment of my debts I will, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my property real personal and mixed unto my wife, Lena T. Smith, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Lena T. Smith, Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to her to do any and every act necessary to carry this my last Will and Testament into effect and without giving bond as such Executrix.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 27th day of December, A. D. 1967.

Signed, Sealed, Published and
Declared by, G. F. SMITH, as
and for his last Will and Tes-
tament, in our presence and we,
in his presence at his request,
and each of us in the presence
of the other two, have subscribed
our names as attesting witnesses.

Mark M. Hagan, Jr. /s

Peggy S. Hagan /s

Gertrude C. Hagan /s

G. F. Smith /s (LF):

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-714

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Nancy S. King, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Eupha S. Harris sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 23rd day of August, A. D. 1963 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Eupha S. Harris 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 Nancy S. King together with Richard Edwards and Joe M. Creswell 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 22nd day of

January, Anno Domini 19 68

Nancy S. King /s

(Deponent)

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Vera G. Lusk

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~XXXXXX~~ of Eupha S. Harris, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 22nd day of January, 19 68

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s

Judge 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 Eupha S. Harris 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 her 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 22nd day of

January, Anno Domini 19 68

Mrs. Vera G. Lusk /s

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Route 1, Box 222, Eastover, South Carolina.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Abbeville
GREENWOOD

The Last Will and Testament of: WILLIAM H. VERMILLION

I, William H. Vermillion of Donalds, Abbeville County South Carolina do make publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills of atestamentary nature heretofore by me made.

ITEM I. I will, devise and bequeath all my property, both real and personal to my beloved wife, Ruby Lee, which I may possess at my death.

ITEM II. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Ruby Lee, as executrix without bond of this my last will.

In Witnesse whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 19th day of April, 1938.

William H. Vermillion: /s

Signed, sealed, published and declared by William H. Vermillion 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.

R. F. Vermillion /s

Luther Burdette /s

T. Frank McCord /s

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-721

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Gertrude C. Hagan, who being duly sworn, says that she saw G. F. SMITH sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 27th day of December, A. D. 1967 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said G. F. SMITH 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 Gertrude C. Hagan together with Mark M. Hagan, Jr. and Peggy S. Hagan 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 23rd day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Gertrude C. Hagan (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of LENA T. SMITH

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~XXXXXXX~~ of G. F. SMITH, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 23rd day of January, 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge 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 G. F. SMITH 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 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; So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 23rd day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Lena T. Smith /s

Route #3, Abbeville, S. C.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: LE ROY WILSON

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, LE ROY WILSON, Of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke any and all former Wills and Codicils by me made.

FIRST: I hereby direct my executor hereinafter named to pay all my debts and funeral expenses as soon after my demise as can be lawfully done.

SECOND: All property, both real, personal, and mixed which I shall own at my death and all property over which I shall then have any power of appointment, I give, will, devise, and bequeath to RALPH HENRY WILSON, of Anderson, South Carolina, the husband of my step-daughter, Frances Wilson, absolutely and in fee simple forever.

THIRD: I appoint RALPH HENRY WILSON, to be the executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and request that he not be required to give any bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed my name at the foot and end of this my Last Will and Testament and affixed my seal this 8th day of February, 1960.

his
Le Roy X Wilson (L. S.)
mark

The foregoing instrument, consisting of one typewritten page typewritten on only one side, was at the date thereof by the said LE ROY WILSON signed, sealed, published, and declared to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have, subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

<u>Jesse T. Stevenson /s</u>	of Abbeville, South Carolina
<u>Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. /s</u>	of Abbeville, South Carolina
<u>Nancy S. King /s</u>	of Abbeville, South Carolina

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By EARLE S. NICKLES, acting, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Luther Burdette *(non compos mentis)*, who being duly sworn, says that he

saw WILLIAM H. VERMILLION sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 19th day of April, A. D. 1938 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said _____

WILLIAM H. VERMILLION 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 Luther Burdette

together with R. F. Vermillion *(Predeceased)* and T. Frank McCord *(Predeceased, testator)* 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 _____ 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 RUBY D. VERMILLION

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

of WILLIAM H. VERMILLION, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 22nd day of June, 19 67

Judge 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 _____

WILLIAM H. 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 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;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 22nd day of _____

June, Anno Domini 19 67

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the Petition of Ruby D. Vermillion, and having ascertained that R. F. Vermillion and T. Frank McCord, two of the subscribing witnesses to the Last Will of William H. Vermillion, hereto attached, dated April 19, 1938, predeceased William H. Vermillion, and that the third witness to said Will, who was Luther Burdette, was on the date of death of William H. Vermillion a person non compos mentis, and having taken proof of the handwriting of the testator from Eleanor Pruitt, and having taken proof of the handwriting of Luther Burdette, one of the subscribing witnesses to the Last Will of William H. Vermillion dated April 19, 1938, from the sister of Luther Burdette, Mrs. Belle Burdette Finley, and under authority of South Carolina Code of Laws (1962) Section 19-253.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, adjudged and decreed, that the Petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament of WILLIAM H. VERMILLION, deceased, be entered of probate in common form.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate this 22nd day of June, 1967.

Earle S. Nickles
 Earle S. Nickles, Acting Judge of
 Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

QUALIFICATION OF FIDUCIARY

I, Ruby D. Vermillion, do solemnly swear, that the attached writing dated April 19, 1938, contains the true Last Will of the within named William H. Vermillion, deceased, so far as I know or believe; and I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then legacies contained in the said Will, so 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.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day
 of June, 1967

Ruby D. Vermillion
 Ruby D. Vermillion

Earle S. Nickles
 Earle S. Nickles, Acting Judge of
 Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

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I have examined the signature of William H. Vermillion, as it appears on his personal will dated April 19, 1938, and find the signature to his Last Will to be his signature.

We have examined the signature of William H. Vermillion found on his checks which we are holding in our files and find the signature on his last will and testament to be his.

Belle A. Devore
Eleanor Pruitt

Sworn to before me the 23rd day of Aug, A.D. 1967

Earle S. Nickles
Notary Public for South Carolina

I have examined the Last Will and Testament of the late William H. Vermillion. The only living witness, Luther Burdette, is ill at this time, and unable to identify his signature. I know that this is the signature of my brother.

(Mrs.) Belle Burdette Finley

State of South Carolina,
County of Abbeville

Personally appeared before me Nancy Marie Vermillion and made oath that she saw the within named (Mrs.) Belle Burdette Finley sign the above statement.

Nancy Marie Vermillion

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of August 1967

Belle A. Devore
Notary Public for South Carolina

Earle S. Nickles
Earle S. Nickles, Acting Judge of
Probate, Abbeville County, S. C.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
 County of ~~ROCK~~
 ORANGEBURG

The Last Will and Testament of: MARY JANE WIGGINS

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Mary Jane Wiggins, of Orangeburg, Orangeburg County, South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, but realizing the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other wills by me heretofore made.

FIRST: I direct my Executor, hereinafter named, to first pay all of my lawful and just debts.

SECOND: I will, devise and bequeath unto my husband, D. Ray Wiggins, all of my property, both real and personal, and wheresoever situate to him absolutely and without reservation of any kind.

THIRD: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my husband, D. Ray Wiggins, as Executor, of this my last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 20th day of August, 1957.

 Mary Jane Wiggins /s (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Mary Jane Wiggins, as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in her presence, and in the presence of each other, at her request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

 Julian S. Wolfe /s ADDRESS Orangeburg, S. C.

 Elizabeth E. Limahouse /s ADDRESS Orangeburg, S. C.

 Reba B. Fairly /s ADDRESS Orangeburg, S. C.

Filed and Recorded; February 1, 1968
 File Number 455-11-724

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 455

Pack 11-723

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By BESSIE LEE F. NANCE, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Nancy S. King, who being duly sworn, says that she

saw LE ROY WILSON sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 8th day of February, A. D. 1960 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

LE ROY 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 Nancy S. King

together with Jesse T. Stevenson and Robert L. Hawthorne, Jr. 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 29th day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Nancy S. King /s
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of RALPH HENRY WILSON

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

of LE ROY WILSON, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 29th day of January, 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge 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

LE ROY 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 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;

So help ME God.

Sworn to before me, this 29th day of

January, Anno Domini 1968

Bessie Lee F. Nance /s
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Ralph H. Wilson /s