

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF - STEPHEN McQUEEN HUNTLEY, PAGE TWO (2)

SCHEDULE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND HEIRLOOMS OF

STEPHEN McQUEEN HUNTLEY

"These and other items I wish to hand down to Posterity".

1. My great-grandfather's - Robert Macfarlan's - Oil Painting.
2. The Etching of Robert Macfarlan - Lord Ormidale.
3. My grandmother's - Marjory Macfarlan McQueen's - Album.
4. My Aunt Marjory McQueen Roger's Painting.
5. The Two "Scotch Chairs"- brought from Scotland 1849.
6. My Great-grandmother's Four-poster - Janet Taylor Macfarlan - brought from Scotland 1849.
7. The "C.C." - Catherine Campbell - Spoon; given by my grandmother, Marjory Macfarlan to her nurse, upon leaving Scotland in 1849.
8. The "McQueen" Spoon -- owned by my great-grandmother - Mary Elerbe McQueen.
9. The 150 year old Chinese Sugar Bowl - from the Ellerbe-McQueen side of the family.
10. The Two Platters -- probably brought from Scotland in 1849.
11. The Portrait done in ivory of Anne Campbell - my great Aunt, Jane McQueen Campbell's adopted daughter.
12. The Two Da-guerre-o-types of my great Uncle, Donald McQueen, Presbyterian Minister, of Sumter, South Carolina, and of my Uncle John McQueen, Lawyer.
13. The Ellerbe Sofa.
14. The "Nest" Table - probably came from Scotland in 1849.
15. The Custard and Egg Cups - probably came from Scotland in 1849.
16. My Grandmother's - Marjory McQueen's - Dining Room Chairs.
17. My Uncle John McQueen's Office Chair.
18. The 1793 Bible - from the Macfarlan side of the family.
19. The Wall Bracket.
20. My Mother, Katherine McQueen Huntley's small Portrait.
21. The Ancient Spectators of my Grandfather, Major Alexander McQueen.
22. The "History Of The Old Cheraws".
23. The History of the Cheraw Presbyterian Church.

Page two (2) of the Last Will and Testament of - Stephen McQueen Huntley.

Abbeville County.

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

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

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

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

Sworn to before me, this _____ day of _____

_____, Anno Domini 19_____

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mary Peck Hay Huntley

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with copies~~ _____, of STEPHEN McQUEEN HUNTLEY, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of March, 19 69

/S/ 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 _____ Stephen McQueen HUNtley _____ 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 17th day of _____

March, Anno Domini 19 69

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

Mary Peck Hay Huntley /S/

Bue West, S. C.

SEE DEDIMUS ATTACHED!!

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By: Hon. Bessie Lee F. Nance, Judge of the Court of Probate.

To: Frances S. Moore C. C. Ordinary, County of Lumpkin, State of Georgia

I, reposing special trust and confidence in the integrity, care and circumspection of you, the said _____, have given and by these presents do give unto you full power and authority to examine Mrs. Nelle Craig Young one of the several witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Stephen McQueen Huntley, deceased, dated July 28, 1959 and upon her corporal oath to be taken on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God touching the due execution thereof, according to the form of the statute in that case made and provided; and a due return of your doings herein you are to make and give under your hand and seal for my approbation or disallowance.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this 11th day of March, 19 69

Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge, Court of Probate.
Abbeville County, State of South Carolina

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Lumpkin

By: Frances S. Moore C. C. Ordinary, or Commissioner Judge for the Court of Lumpkin County, State of Georgia

Personally appeared Nelle Craig Young who being duly sworn says: That she saw Stephen McQueen Huntley sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing bearing date July 28, 1959 to be and contain his last Will and Testament; that the said Stephen McQueen Huntley was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Nelle Craig Young together with Mary Quinn Harvey Otte and D. M. Flowden, at the request of the testator in his presence and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 19 69
Frances S. Moore C.C. (Seal)
Commissioner for the Judge of the Court of Probate
for Abbeville County,
State of S.C. South Carolina

Nelle Craig Young

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Lumpkin

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONER

I do hereby certify that by virtue of the annexed dedimus I did examine Nelle Craig Young one of the several witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Stephen McQueen Huntley deceased, according to law; and I herewith transmit said examination signed by the witness.

GIVEN under my hand and seal this 15th day of March, 19 69

So help me God.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of March, Anno Domini 19 69

Frances S. Moore C.C. (Seal)
Commissioner for Judge of the Court of Probate
for Abbeville County,
S.C. South Carolina Georgia

Bue West, S. C.

/S/ 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:

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

PAGE THREE (3)

OF

STEPHEN McQUEEN HUNTLEY

This, MY LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT consisting of the TWO (2) preceding Pages and this page (3) is Made and Executed this 28th day of July, in the Year of Our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Fifty Nine, at Dahlonega, Georgia.

Stephen McQueen Huntley L.S.
Stephen McQueen Huntley.

We, the undersigned do hereby certify and attest:

THAT - Each of us witnessed the signing and the witnessing of the Above WILL of STEPHEN McQUEEN HUNTLEY, in his presence - personally known to each of us - and, in the presence of each other.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED at Dahlonega, in the State of GEORGIA, This 28th day of July, in the year of OUR LORD Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Nine.

WITNESSES: Name: Address:

Mary Quinn Hawley Otte, Box 1, Dahlonega, Ga.
Nelle Craig Young, Box 155, Dahlonega, Ga.
L.M. Snowden, Gainesville, Ga.

Witness my hand and seal again at Abbeville S. C. on the day of September A. D. 1968.

(SEAL)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Stephen McQueen Huntley as and for his last will and testament subject to a codicil this day made, in the presnace of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

____ Address _____
____ " _____
____ " _____

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

CODICIL

Whereas I am now a resident of Due West, Abbeville County, State of South Carolina, and I wish to make this Codicil to my Last Will and Testament dated July 28, A. D. 1959 and made at Dahlonega, Lumpkin County, State of Georgia.

First. I wish to confirm said Last Will and Testament in all respects except as to my residence.

Witness my hand and seal this 30th. day of September A. D. 1968.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Stephen McQueen Huntley, as and for a Codicil to his last will and testament of July 28 A. D. 1959, in the presence of us, who in his presence, and of each other, at his request, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

Dr. Stephen M. Huntley (SEAL)

<u>Lairy Hagen</u>	Address	<u>Abbeville S.C.</u>
<u>James R. Hill</u>	"	<u>Abbeville S.C.</u>
<u>S. H. Gorton</u>	"	<u>Abbeville S.C.</u>

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }

County of Abbeville.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

The Last Will and Testament of:

LILA B. WILSON

I, Mrs. Lila B. Wilson of Calhoun Falls, 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 and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

Item I.- I direct my executor and my executrix 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, to my two children, Harold S. Wilson and Mary Caroline W. Young, share and share alike in fee simple absolute.

Should either one of my two children, above named, be dead at the time of my death, leaving child or children, the share herein provided for such child of mine who may predecease me, is to go to his or her child or children.

Item III.- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son, Harold S. Wilson, and my daughter, Mary Caroline W. Young, as Executor and Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of

June 1957.

Lila B. Wilson (SEAL)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Mrs. Lila B. Wilson, 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.

Mrs. Dargant E. Lusk Calhoun Falls, S. C.

Justice P. Nelson Calhoun Falls, S. C.

J. H. Fisher Calhoun Falls, S. C.

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville. }

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That I, Roxie A. Stuart, make this my last will and testament, revoking all previous wills.

Item No. 1: I will and bequeath that my just debts and funeral expenses be paid.

Item No. 2: I will and bequeath to my daughter and son in law, Myrtle Stuart Simpson and William Harmon Simpson, share and share alike, the residue or remainder of all of the property of which I may die possessed, real or personal, or of any kind or character, with the understanding that I am to make my home with them, and be taken care of by the said Myrtle Stuart Simpson and William Harmon Simpson, until my death.

Item No. 3: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter and son in law, Myrtle Stuart Simpson and William Harmon Simpson, Executrix and Executor, of this my last will and testament.

Roxie A. Stuart (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared as the last will and testament of Roxie A. Stuart, in her presence, at her request, and in the presence of those signing their names hereto as witnesses, this 4th day of May, 1961.

Arthur D. Chukoscale

Harvey R. Dickson

Virginia H. Berg

Recorded: March 27, 1969

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 J. H. FISHER, who being duly sworn, says that he saw LILA B. WILSON sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 27th day of June, A. D. 1957' to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

LILA B. WILSON was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to (Deponent)

the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said J. H. FISHER together with MRS. MARGARET E. LINK and JUSTICE P. NELSON at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of March, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance } /S/ J. H. Fisher (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Harold S. Wilson and Caroline W. Young it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with said~~ of LILA B. WILSON, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7th day of March, 19 69.
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

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

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of March, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance } Harold S. Wilson /S/
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } Caroline W. Young /S/

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

OLIVIA I. HARRISON

I, Olivia I. Harrison of Abbeville County, State of South Carolina,

[REDACTED]

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.

1. I direct my executor hereinafter named to pay all of my just debts.

2. I will and devise my lot of land known as 202 Church Street, and fronting on Church Street and Green Street in the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, together with all improvements thereon, and all easements appurtenant thereto, including but not limited to, my dwelling house, the rental cottage facing Green Street and located on the South corner of said lot, to my daughter, Jane E. Harrison, in fee simple.

3. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Jane E. Harrison, my rings, cooking utensils, and household appliances.

4. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Margaret H. Witter, my one-half interest in the commercial building located on the west side of the public square of Abbeville, South Carolina.

5. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Margaret H. Witter, my large hooked rug.

6. All the rest of my household furniture, not previously given to my children, after an appraisal thereof has been made in accord with the requirements of the Probate Court for Abbeville County, South Carolina, I give and bequeath to my surviving children and step-son, on a share-and-share-alike basis. After each item has been appraised in accord with the provisions of this paragraph of my will, and separately valued, my surviving children and my step-son, Frank E. Harrison, should he survive me, shall select the same by lot, eldest child or step-child to first select one item and each other child and my step-child shall successively make a selection and continuing in this manner until each child and my step-child has selected one-fifth (1/5) of the total appraised value of the items disposed of in this paragraph of my will, or approximately thereto as can be done without injury to any of the legatees provided for in this paragraph. Should any of my children or my step-son not survive me, the division referred to in this paragraph is to be made in the same manner except on a share-and-share-alike basis among my surviving children and step-son.

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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 RUTH D. CLINKSCALES, who being duly sworn, says that she saw ROXIE A. STUART sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 4th day of May, A. D. 1961 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said ROXIE A. STUART was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Ruth D. Clinkscales together with Harvey R. Dickson and Virginia H. Berg 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 17th day of March, Anno Domini 1969. /S/ Ruth D. Clinkscales (Deponent)
/S/ BESSIE LEE F. NANCE Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Myrtle Stuart Simpson and William Harmon Simpson it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with codicils~~ of ROXIE A. STUART, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of March, 1969. /S/ BESSIE LEE F. NANCE Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

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

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of March, Anno Domini 1969. /S/ Myrtle Stuart Simpson /S/ William Harmon Simpson /S/ 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:

Olivia I. Harrison

7. All the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate, of whatsoever kind and nature, and wheresoever situate, of which I may be seized or possessed or to which I may be entitled at the time of my death, not hereby otherwise effectually disposed of, I will, devise and bequeath to my children, MARGARET H. WITTER, JOHN R. HARRISON, JANE E. HARRISON, LEWIS C. HARRISON, and my step-son, FRANK E. HARRISON, in equal shares, that is to say one-fifth (1/5) thereof to each, in fee simple. Should any of my children or my step-son not survive me, the division referred to in this paragraph is to be made in the same manner except on a share-and-share-alike basis among my surviving children and step-son.

8. I appoint my son, LEWIS C. HARRISON, to be the Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.

9. I request that my Executor hereunder not be required to give any bond.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, I have signed my name at the foot and end of this my Last Will and Testament and affixed my seal this 16th day of December, 1968.

Olivia I. Harrison (L.S.)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two (2) typewritten pages, typewritten on only one side, was at the date thereof by the said OLIVIA I. HARRISON, 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.

W. D. Hall of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Francis P. Trice of Abbeville, South Carolina.

Norman W. Hawthorne of Abbeville, South Carolina.

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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 Frances N. Free, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Olivia I. Harrison sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 16th day of December, A. D. 1968 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Olivia I. Harrison 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 Frances N. Free together with William G. Hall and Nona W. Hawthorne 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 2nd day of

April, Anno Domini 1969

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

/S/ Frances N. Free (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Lewis C. Harrison

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Olivia I. Harrison, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 2nd day of April, 1969

/S/ 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

OLIVIA I. HARRISON 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 2nd day of

April, Anno Domini 1969

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

Lewis C. Harrison /S/

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.)

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
FRANK HILL

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

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-- The Last Will and Testament of:

I, Frank Hill, 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, Mary S. Hill, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Mary S. Hill, 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 4 day of December A. D. 1964.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Frank Hill, 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.

Lewis L. Morse

J. A. Moss

J. M. ...

Frank Hill

IS

Recorded: April 17, 1969

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

Last Will and Testament

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

} The Last Will and Testament of:
OF

LEWIS HENRY RIDGE

I, LEWIS HENRY RIDGE, of Honea Path, AbbevilleCounty, South Carolina,
to hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament and
hereby revoke any and all other wills and codicils heretofore made by me.

ARTICLE I

I direct my Executrix to pay, out of my estate, all of my just debts,
including the expenses of my last illness, and funeral expenses.

ARTICLE II

All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal and
mixed, of every kind and nature and wherever situate, of which I may die seized
or possessed, I give, devise and bequeath to my wife, ISA MAE GAMBRELL RIDGE,
as her own absolutely, provided she survives me; but in the event that my said
wife does not so survive me, then said property instead shall go to such of my
children as shall survive me in equal parts, share and share alike, or all to the
survivor if only one of them shall survive me; provided, however, that if any
of my children shall predecease me leaving issue me surviving, such issue shall
take, in equal shares, per stirpes, the part which the child who predeceased me
would have taken if such child had survived me.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20th day
of September, 1962, to this my Last Will and Testament.

Lewis H. Ridge (SEAL)
LEWIS HENRY RIDGE

Signed, sealed, acknowledged, published and declared by the said
LEWIS HENRY RIDGE as and for his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us,
three competent witnesses, present at the same time, who at his request, in his
presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as
witnesses this 20th day of September, 1962.

Witness

Address

Kathryn J. Watson

Honea Path, South Carolina

Gladys M. Carter

Honea Path, South Carolina

P. M. Washington

Honea Path, South Carolina

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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 Frank Hill sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 4th day of December, A. D. 1964 to be

and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

FRANK HILL 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 16th day of

April, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ J.D.Mars (Deponent)

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

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mary S. Hill

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

of FRANK HILL, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 16th day of April, 19 69

/S/ 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

Frank Hill 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 16th day of

April, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ Mary S. Hill

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

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE
County of Abbeville.

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

In the name of God, amen:

I, Sam W. Gilmer of Abbeville, 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 a suitable monument be erected to mark my grave, and that all expense incurred therefor be paid out of my estate.

Item II. I will and direct that my executrix hereinafter named pay all of my just debts with the first money coming in to her hands.

Item III. I will, devise and bequeath all of my property to my wife, Mabel E. Gilmer, in fee simple.

Item IV. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my wife, Mabel E. Gilmer, as executrix of this my last will and testament.

Item V. In the event that my wife should predecease me I will and direct that my property be divided among our children, Robert E. Gilmer, Reba G. Hester, and Elaine Gilmer, share and share alike, and that my daughter, Elaine Gilmer, act as executrix.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
4th. day of February A. D. 1966.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Sam W. Gilmer 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.

Sam W. Gilmer (SEAL)

<u>Samuel H. Hester</u>	Address	<u>Abbeville, S.C.</u>
<u>Sarah C. Hester</u>	"	<u>Abbeville, S.C.</u>
<u>Quintin Hester</u>	"	<u>Abbeville, S.C.</u>

Recorded: April 17 1969

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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 P. M. Washington, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Lewis H. Ridge sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 20th day of September, A. D. 1962 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Lewis H. Ridge 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 P. M. Washington together with Kathryn J. Watson and Gladys W. Bates at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 16th day of

April, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

/S/ P. M. Washington

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Isa Mae Gambrell Ridge

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with probate~~ of LEWIS H. RIDGE, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 16th day of April, 1969

/S/ 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

Lewis H. Ridge 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 16th day of

April, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

/S/ Ida Mae Gambrell Ridge

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of: CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA) LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE) CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL

I, Claude C. Campbell, of the City of Abbeville, County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind, memory and understanding, but mindful of the uncertainty of life, 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 pay all of my just debts as soon after my death as possible.

ITEM II: I will, devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Lillie P. Campbell, of of my estate, consisting of real estate, personal property, and every other description of property of which I may die seized and possessed, provided however, that in the event the said Lillie P. Campbell should predecease me, then my entire estate as above described, shall go to my daughter, Charlett C. Scoggins.

ITEM III: I hereby nominate and appoint Lillie P. Campbell as Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, she to serve without bond.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Claude C. Campbell as and for his Last Will and Testament, this 12th day of April, 1962.

Claude C. Campbell (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Claude C. Campbell as and for his Last Will and Testament, in our presence and we in his presence and in the presence of each other, and at his request, have hereunto signed our names as attesting witnesses:

Corine B Powell
George C. Mann
W. Green Jr

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

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

Personally appears Sarah C. Hill, who being duly sworn, says that ^s he saw SAM W. GILMER sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 4th day of February, A. D. 1966 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

SAM W. GILMER 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 SARAH C. HILL together with SAMUEL G. GILLIAM and DeWITT McNEILL 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 10th day of April, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance /S/ Sarah C. Hill (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mabel E. Gilmer it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of SAM W. GILMER, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 10th day of April, 1969
/S/ 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 SAM W. GILMER 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 10th day of April, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance /S/ Mabel E. Gilmer
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE

DANIEL DAVIS

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Abbeville. IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN. The Last Will and Testament of:

I, Daniel Davis, of the City of Abbeville, county and state aforesaid, being of sound mind, memory and understanding, but mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish, and declare the following as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore made by me.

ITEM I: I direct that my Executrix herein after named pay all of my just debts as soon after my demise as possible.

ITEM II: I will, devise, and bequeath unto my son, Andrew Davis the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar.

ITEM III: I will, devise and bequeath unto my son Will Davis the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar.

ITEM IV: I will, devise, and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Jeanette Woods of Newark, New Jersey, all the rest and residue of my estate consisting of real estate, personal property, mixed property and every other property of which I may die seized and possessed.

ITEM V: I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter, Jeanette Woods as Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, she to serve without bond.

Signed, Sealed, Published, and Declared by Daniel Davis as and for his Last Will and Testament this 7th day of March, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Nine and in the One Hundred Ninety-Fourth year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America.

Daniel Davis (LS)

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Daneil Davis as and for his Last Will and Testament in our presence and we in his and in the presence each of the others and at his request have signed our names as attesting witnesses:

Sue Carter
W. G. Williams
W. G. Anderson

Recorded May 15, 1969

Daniel Davis

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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 ~~CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL~~ William P. Greene, Jr., who being duly sworn, says that ~~she~~
saw CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument
of writing, bearing date the 12th day of April, A. D. 1962 to be
and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL 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 ~~CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL~~ William P. Greene, Jr.
together with George C. Mann and ~~William P. Greene, Jr.~~ Corine B. Powell 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
May, Anno Domini 19 69 } /S/ ~~CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL~~ William P. Greene, Jr.
/S/ 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 Lillie P. Campbell
it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with codicil~~
CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL, deceased, be entered of Probate in
Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7TH day of May, 19 69.

/S/ 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
CLAUDE C. CAMPBELL 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
May, Anno Domini 19 69 } Lillie P. Campbell /S/
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

Recorded this 8th day of May, 1969.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

CARA HADDON (MRS. J. N.) GORDON

I Mrs J. N. Gordon being of sound mind and disposing memory not acting under fear, duress or undue influence of any one, hereby publish and execute the following as my last will and Testament

I appoint Euphemia Gordon young and Dr. M. M. Young as executors of this will, and request and direct that they be exempted from furnishing bond or security. I direct that my executors pay all my just debts without unnecessary delay and I hereby give them authority to settle my claims the same as I would have done if alive. I will devise and bequeath my portion in the real estate and personal property of the estate of J. N. Gordon to the executors.

I will devise and bequeath the cash assets of the J. N. Gordon Estate to the executors.

In witness whereof I herewith set my hand and seal this 6 day of April 1937 Mrs J. N. Gordon Signed sealed published and declared by as 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.

C. P. Williams, Due West, S. C.

Carmen P. Williams Due West S. C.

Lucy H. Keith Due West, S. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

By Bessie Lee J. Nance, Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears William P. Greene, Jr., who being duly sworn, says that he saw Daniel Davis sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument

of writing, bearing date the 7th day of March, A. D. 1969 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

Daniel Davis 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 William P. Greene, Jr. together with Sue Porter and O.M. Williams at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 15th day of

May, Anno Domini 1969 } William P. Greene, Jr. (Deponent)
Bessie Lee J. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Jeannette Woods

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Daniel Davis, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 15th day of May, 1969

Bessie Lee J. 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 Daniel Davis 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 15th day of May, Anno Domini 1969

Bessie Lee J. Nance } Jeannette Woods
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:
James E. Clarke

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,)
:)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.)

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
JAMES E. CLARKE

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

- 1:- I, James E. Clarke, of the County and State aforesaid, do make, ordain, publish and declare this as my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills and instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.
- 2:- I will and direct that my Executor hereinafter named shall pay all of my just debts with the first money coming into his hands.
- 3:- I will, devise and bequeath all of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, real and personal, unto my brother, Wallace T. Clarke, in fee simple absolute.
- 4:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my brother, Wallace T. Clarke, Executor of this my last Will and Testament, without bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10 day of November, A.D., 1953.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by James E. Clarke, 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.

Margaret M. Marion
Bessie L. Vance
J. A. Mar

James E. Clarke IS

Recorded: June 19, 1969

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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 ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Lucy H. Leith, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Cara Haddon (Mrs. J. N.) Gordon sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 6th day of April, A. D. 1957 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Cara Haddon (MRS. J. N.) Gordon 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 Lucy H. Leith together with C. B. Williams and Carmen P. 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 4th day of June, Anno Domini 1969
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } /S/ Lucy H. Leith (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Euphemia Gordon Young and M. M. Young it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Cara Haddon (Mrs. J. N.) Gordon, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 4th day of June, 1969
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County. }

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

Sworn to before me, this 4th day of June, Anno Domini 1969
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } /S/ Euphemia Gordon Young
/S/ M. M. Young

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:
Addie C. Wilson

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE)
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF ADDIE C. WILSON

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Addie C. Wilson, of Abbeville County, South Carolina, 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.

Item 1. I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by my Executrix as soon as possible after my death.

Item 2. I will, devise and bequeath all my estate, real, personal, or mixed, of every nature and description, into the following parts: One-half (1/2) to Bernice W. McAdams, my beloved daughter, who has faithfully and loyally cared for and comforted me and my late husband throughout our life-times, and for this reason it is my wish and desire and my will to provide for the said Bernice W. McAdams in this manner. I further will, devise and specifically bequeath the sum of One Thousand and No/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars to Neuffer C. Wilson to be his alone only in the event that after the carrying out of Item 1 and after the division of one-half (1/2) of my entire estate to Bernice W. McAdams is made. Following this distribution of One Thousand and No/100 (\$1,000.00) Dollars, I will, devise and bequeath the remainder of the one-half of my estate in the following manner: One-third (1/3) to Neuffer C. Wilson; one-third (1/3) to Joseph W. Wilson, and the remaining one-third (1/3) of this half to be divided equally between Samuel W. Wilson and Patsy W. Wiles; all parts to the above named in fee simple and forever.

Item 3. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my daughter, Bernice W. McAdams, as Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and vest her with all the powers necessary to carry out the provisions of this Will. It is my desire that the Executrix be allowed to sell my estate, either real or personal, by a private or public sale. It is also my desire that the Executrix, Bernice W. McAdams, be allowed to serve as such without giving Bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 23rd day of October, A. D., 1968.

Addie C. Wilson (SEAL)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the testatrix, Addie C. Wilson, to be and contain her last Will and Testament, in our presence at her request, and in the presence of each other, we have hereunto set our hands and seals as witnesses thereto this 23rd day of October, A. D., 1968.

Barbara Jean Ellis

Robert C. Duke

Benson L. Ray

Recorded: June 19, 1969

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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 J. D. Mars, who being duly sworn, says that he saw James E. Clarke sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 10th day of November, A. D. 1953 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said James E. Clarke 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 Margaret M. Marion and Bessie Lee F. Nance at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 17th day of

June, Anno Domini 19 69

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

/S/ ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ J. D. Mars
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Wallace T. Clarke

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

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of June, 19 69

/S/ 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 James E. Clarke 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 17th day of

June, Anno Domini 19 69

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

/S/ Wallace T. Clarke

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE)

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
WILLIAM JAMES HILL

I, William James Hill, being of sound mind and disposing memory, but realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills heretofore by me made.

ITEM I. I direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon as practicable after my death.

ITEM II. All the rest and residue of my property whether real, personal, or mixed, and wheresoever situate, I direct to be divided into five equal shares, and one share thereof (one fifth thereof) given to the following five persons:

- 1/5 to my daughter, Mary Odessa H. Burton;
- 1/5 to my daughter, Nellie H. Loftis;
- 1/5 to my daughter, Willie H. Dean;
- 1/5 to my daughter, Lizzie H. Bonds;
- 1/5 to my daughter-in-law, Maybelle W. Hill, to them, their heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM III. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my grandson, Marion Bonds, as the sole executor of this my last will and testament, and request that he be allowed to serve without the necessity of bond if such be required by law at the time of my death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal to this my Last Will and Testament, consisting of two typewritten pages, this 27 day of March, 1969.

William James Hill (L. S.)

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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 Barbara Jean Ellis, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Addie C. Wilson sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1968 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Addie C. 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 Barbara Jean Ellis together with Robert O. DuPree and Benson L. Page 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 18th day of

June, Anno Domini 1969

/S/ Barbara Jean Ellis

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

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Bernice W. McAdams

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

of Addie C. Wilson, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 18th day of June, 1969

/S/ 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

Addie C. Wilson deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then the legacies contained in

the said Will, as far as 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 18th day of

June, Anno Domini 1969

Bernice W. McAdams /S/

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

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.
CLERK OF SOUTH CAROLINA

The Last Will and Testament of:
William James Hill

Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the said
WILLIAM JAMES HILL as and for his Last Will and Testament,
in our presence, and in the presence of each other, and we
at his request and in his presence, and in his presence, and
in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our
names in our own handwriting as witnesses this 27 day of
March, 1969.

L W Bauman OF _____
Willie S Payne OF _____
John T. ... OF _____

Recorded: June 23, 1969
File No. : 456-71-910

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PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 456

Pack 11-910

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Abbeville County.

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE

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

Personally appears John T. Yeargin, who being duly sworn, says that he saw William James Hill sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 27th day of March, A. D. 1969 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said William James Hill 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 T. Yeargin together with L. W. Bowman and Willie S. Payne 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

June, Anno Domini 1969

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

/S/ John T. Yeargin

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Marion Bonds

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

of William James Hill, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 20th day of June, 1969

/S/ 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

William James Hill 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

June, Anno Domini 1969

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

/S/ Marion Bonds

Original will in Chester County

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHESTER
County of Abbeville.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
The Last Will and Testament of:

I, Janie V. Betts, of the County of Chester, State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other wills, codicils or writings of a testamentary nature heretofore made by me.

I.

I will and direct that all my just debts be paid.

II.

I will and devise my one-half interest in my Abbeville home property unto my brother, William G. Bowie.

III.

I will and bequeath unto my nephew, George Flynn Bowie, my shares of stock in The State Real Estate Investment Trust of Greenwood, South Carolina, and the Palmetto Pulp and Paper Company.

IV.

I will and bequeath unto my nephew, William G. Bowie, Jr., my shares of stock in the Reynolds Tobacco Company.

V.

I will and bequeath the sum of \$500.00 cash to my employee, Nella Goods Gill.

VI.

I will, devise and bequeath the rest and remainder of my property of any and every kind and description unto my husband, Robert W. Betts.

VII.

I hereby nominate and appoint my said husband, Robert W. Betts, as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and seal unto this my Last Will and Testament this 21 day of October, 1968.

Janie V. Betts
Janie V. Betts

Subscribed, sealed, published, acknowledged and declared

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

by the testatrix, Janie V. Betts, as, for and to be her Last Will and Testament, in our sight and presence and in the sight and presence of each other, whereupon, at her request and in her sight and presence and in the presence of each other, we and each of us do sign our names as attesting witnesses the day and year last above written in the County and State aforesaid.

WITNESSES

ADDRESSES

Edith S. Hamilton
Cassie Minnie Purvis Latham
Oilsen J. Craig

132 West End, Chester, S.C.
134 West End, Chester, S.C.
156 Walnut St., Chester, S.C.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL FILED IN OUR FILES.

Nancy R. Williams

Certified to be a true and correct copy of the Last Will and Testament of Janie V. Betts, as taken from the original on file in office of Judge of Probate for Chester County, South Carolina, in Apt. No. 357- Pkg. No. 3, recorded in Will Book I at page 450.

Nathaniel H. Hadden
 Judge of Probate

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE)

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
HENRY MORGAN HODGES, JR.

I, Henry Morgan Hodges, Jr., being of sound mind and memory but mindful of the uncertainty of life, do hereby make, publish and declare the following as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking any and all wills and testaments by me heretofore made:

ITEM I. I direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon as possible after my death.

ITEM II. I give and bequeath to my wife, Martha K. Hodges, all of the personal property that I now own and all that I may later acquire, of every kind and nature, wheresoever situate.

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H.M.A.

ITEM III. I give, bequeath, and devise to my wife, Martha K. Hodges, all of the real property that I now own, and all that I may later acquire, wheresoever situate, to her, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM IV. All the rest and residue of my property of every kind and nature, wheresoever situate, real, personal, or mixed, whether now owned or later acquired, I give, bequeath, and devise to my wife, Martha K. Hodges, her heirs and assigns forever.

ITEM V. I hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint my wife, Martha K. Hodges, as the sole executrix of this my last will and testament, she to serve without the necessity of bond if such be required by law at the time of my death.

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal to this my last will and testament, this 17th day of May, 1968.

Henry Morgan Hodges, Jr. (L.S.)

#2

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by the said Henry Morgan Hodges, Jr. as and for his last will and testament, in our presence, and in the presence of each other, and we at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names in our own handwriting as witnesses this 17th day of May, 1968.

Mrs. Anne L. Harrison of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

J.B. McCaskey of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

Jamie S. Givens of Calhoun Falls, S.C.

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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 ~~ZM&F&N&X&E&Z&N&M&G&E&X~~ James W. Guest, who being duly sworn, says that he saw HENRY MORGAN HODGES, JR. sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 17th day of May, A. D. 1968 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Henry Morgan Hodges, 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 James W. Guest together with Mrs. Annie T. Harrison and F. B. McCaslan 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 26th day of

June, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ James W. Guest

(Deponent)

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

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Martha K. Hodges

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~was~~ of Henry Morgan Hodges, Jr., deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 26th day of June, 1969

/S/ 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 HENRY MORGAN HODGES, 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 26th day of

June, Anno Domini 19 69

/S/ Martha K. Hodges

/S/ 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:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
H. M. FELL

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, H. M. Fell, 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 III:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, C. M. (Kem) Lewis the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

ITEM IV:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, David Lewis, the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

ITEM V:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, John Marvin McPhail, the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

ITEM VI:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, Charlie Newton, the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars .

ITEM VII:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, Daniel Reighley, the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

ITEM IX:- I will, devise and bequeath to my, Great Nephew, John Fell, the sum of Five Hundred and NO/100 (\$500.00) Dollars.

ITEM X:- I will, devise and bequeath to my sister, One-Half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of my property consisting of real, personal and mixed

H. M. Fell no 1

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PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

after the payment of the above bequests, Leonyte F. Wetsell, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM XI:- All the rest, residue and remainder of my property both real, personal and mixed, I will, devise and bequeath to my nephews and nieces, equal, share and share alike, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM XII:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my sister, Leonyte F. Wetsell, 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 _____ day of July, 1967.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by, H. M. Fell, 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 signed our names as witnesses.

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Joyce W. Louch
Bessie Lee Nance
J D Mars

H M Fell (LS)

Recorded: June 30, 1969

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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 JOYCE W. COUCH, who being duly sworn, says that she saw H. M. FELL

of writing, bearing date the _____ day of July, A. D. 1969 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said

H. M. Fell 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 Bessie LEE Nance 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 28th day of June, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } Joyce W. Couch (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of ~~Leonyte F. Whetseil~~ Leonyte F. Whetseil

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with xxxxxxx~~ of H. M. FELL, deceased, be entered of Probate in

Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 28th day of June, 1969

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

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

I H. M. Fell do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named H. M. Fell 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 June, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. }

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.
County of Abbeville.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF*****MAY BLACKWELL.
The Last Will and Testament of:

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, May Blackwell, 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 sister, Bessie B. Clarke, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my sister, Bessie B. Clarke, 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 15th day of February, A. D. 1962.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by, May Blackwell, 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 subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

James W. Bush
Bessie B. Clarke
J. D. [unclear]

May Blackwell (LS)

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
 COUNTY OF ANDERSON)
 THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 County of Abbeville.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

The Last Will and Testament of:

I, ROBERT E. GAMBRELL, of the County of Anderson, State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, mindful nevertheless of the uncertainties of life, and desiring to dispose of my earthly estate, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all Wills, Writings or Documents of a Testamentary nature heretofore at any time made by me.

ITEM I. It is my Will that all of my just debts, including my funeral expenses and expenses of my last illness, be paid by my Executrixes hereinafter named as soon after my death as is practicable.

ITEM II. It is my Will and I hereby bequeath to my wife, Ruth Y. Gambrell, the house and lot where we live for and during the term of her natural life or until she marries for her use and benefit; Provided, that after her death the said house and lot is hereby willed, devised and bequeathed to my two daughters, Mary G. Ferguson and Dorothy G. Ricketts, share and share alike in Fee Simple to do with as they see fit.

ITEM III. I hereby will, devise and bequeath all monies that I have in the Building and Loan or in Banks to my Executrix hereinafter named in Trust to be used to pay to my wife if she be living at my death, the sum of Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) from such fund, each and every month for her support and maintenance; so long as said fund shall last or until she reaches the age of 62 years when she would be eligible for Social Security, which ever comes first. Provided that when my wife reaches the age of 62 years or should she die prior to that time, such remaining monies to be divided equally between my two daughters: Dorothy G. Ricketts and Mary G. Ferguson, share and share alike in Fee Simple to do with as they see fit.

ITEM IV. All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, I hereby will, devise and bequeath to my two daughters, Dorothy G. Ricketts and Mary G. Ferguson, share and share alike in Fee Simple to do with as they see fit.

ITEM V. I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as and for Executrixes and Trustees of this my Last Will and Testament, my two daughters; Dorothy G. Ricketts and Mary G. Ferguson, and I hereby empower them to sign such papers, collect such monies or do all things necessary to carry out the terms of this my Last Will and Testament, and I direct that they be required to furnish no bond in this or any other like Jurisdiction.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 19th day of June, 1965, at Anderson, County of Anderson, State of South Carolina.

Robert E. Gambrell (L. S.)

SIGNED, SEALED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by the above named Testator as and for his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us and each of us, who, at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names.

Miss Patricia Anne Harris ADDRESS 501 N. Market St. Anderson, S. Car.
Mrs. Mary Lou Little ADDRESS 570 Forest Lane, Belton, S. C.
J. B. Martin, Jr. MD ADDRESS 1231 N. Fant. Anderson, S. C.

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 Joyce W. Couch, who being duly sworn, says that ^s he saw May Blackwell sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 15th day of February, A. D. ¹⁹⁶² to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said May Blackwell 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 Bessie Lee Nance and J. D. Mars 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 2nd day of July, Anno Domini 1969 } /S/ Joyce W. Couch (Deponent)
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Bessie B. Clarke it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ MAY BLACKWELL, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 2nd day of July, 19 69.
/S/ 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 May Blackwell 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 2nd day of July, Anno Domini 19 69 } Bessie B. Clarke /S/
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,)
 County of Abbeville)
 STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
 COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE)

The Last Will and Testament of:
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
RUBY H. BAGWELL

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, Ruby H. Bagwell, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and realizing the uncertainties of death, do hereby make, ordain, publish and declare this as and for my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all other instruments of a testamentary nature heretofore by me made.

ITEM I: I will and direct my Executor, hereinafter named, to pay all of my just debts, including my funeral expenses and the erection of an appropriate marker, to my last resting place with the first monies coming into his hands.

ITEM II: I will, devise and bequeath unto my beloved son, William Lewis Bagwell and my beloved daughter, Joann B. Summer, all of my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate, both real and personal, share and share alike, in fee simple absolute.

ITEM III: I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my beloved son, William Lewis Bagwell, to serve as Executor of this my last Will and Testament; said service to be without being required to furnish any corporate surety bond.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this 15th day of November, 1963.

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Ruby H. Bagwell 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 subscribed our names as attesting witnesses.

Ruby H. Bagwell

Mildred Ruby McCown

Henry B. Essin

Linda L. Wait

PROOF OF WILL

File:

Box 456

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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. B. Martin, Jr. MD, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Robert E. Gambrell sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 19th day of June 1965, A. D. to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Robert E. Gambrell 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. B. Martin, Jr. MD together with Patricia Anne Harris and Mary Lou Little 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 July, Anno Domini 1969

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

/S/ ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ J. B. Martin, Jr. MD
(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Mary G. Ferguson and Dorothy G. Ricketts it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with which~~ of Robert E. Gambrell, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 2nd day of July, 1969

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

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
Abbeville County.

We do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true Last Will of the within named ROBERT E. GAMBRELL deceased, so far as WE know or believe;

and that WE will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then the legacies contained in the said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge us, and that we will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels; So help us God.

Sworn to before me, this 2nd day of July, Anno Domini 1969

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

/S/ Mary G. Ferguson
/S/ Dorothy G. Ricketts

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,)

 COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE,)

IN the name of God, Amen:-

1:- I, Lewis R. Williams, 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, devise and bequeath all my property of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situated, real and personal, unto ~~my wife~~ unto ^{Husband} Luther L. Williams, in fee simple absolute.

3:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my ~~wife~~ ^{Husband} Luther L. Williams, Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, and without bond.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal
This 12th day of October, 1957.

Signed: Lewis R. Williams

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared
by Lewis R. Williams, 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.

1. J. W. Moore

2. J. B. Mahoy

3. Frances D. Hector

4. _____

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 Linda C. Waits, who being duly sworn, says that she saw Ruby H. Bagwell sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 15th day of November, A. D. 1953 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said

Ruby H. Bagwell 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 Linda C. Waits together with Henry B. Erwin and Mildred Onley McCown at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of

July, Anno Domini 1969

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

/S/ Linda C. Waits

(Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of William L. Bagwell

it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Ruby H. Bagwell, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7th day of July, 1969

/S/ 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

Ruby H. Bagwell 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 7th day of

July, Anno Domini 1969

/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance

Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

William L. Bagwell /S/

P. O. Box 386 - Ware Shoals, S. C.

PROBATE OF WILL BOOK No. 8

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
RICHARD N. TIDDY.

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:-

I, Richard N. Tiddy, 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, 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 to my sister, Sarah T. Moffat, in fee simple absolute.

Item III:- I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my sister, Sarah T. Moffat, 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 15 day of May, A. D. 1958

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by Richard N. Tiddy, 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.

Richard N. Tiddy
Sarah T. Moffat
[Signature]

Richard N. Tiddy (TS)

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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 Joel Morse, who being duly sworn, says that he saw IRENE R. WILLIAMS sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 12th day of October, A. D. 1957 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; that the said Irene R. Williams 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 Joel Morse together with Julia B. Mabry and Frances D. Horton at the request of the testatrix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 7th day of July, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } /S/ Joel Morse (Deponent)

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Luther L. Williams it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Irene R. Williams, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 7th day of July, 1969
/S/ 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 Irene R. Williams 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 7th day of July, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance }
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car. } /S/ Luther L. Williams
115 Hunter ST. - Abbeville S. C.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
County of Abbeville.

The Last Will and Testament of:

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
SARAH LAVINIA MCCUEN

I, SARAH LAVINIA MCCUEN, of the City and County of Abbeville, State of South Carolina, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be my Last Will.

1. I hereby revoke all wills and codicils which I have heretofore made.

2. I devise and bequeath my residence lot, together with all improvements thereon and all appurtenances thereto, at 107 Ellis Avenue, in the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, to my mother, OLLIE W. MCCUEN, in fee simple, if she shall survive me. If my mother, OLLIE W. MCCUEN, does not survive me, I will and devise my residence lot at 107 Ellis Avenue, in the City and County of Abbeville, South Carolina, together with all improvements thereon and all appurtenances thereto to my brother, SAMUEL EDWIN MCCUEN, and my sister, OLIVIA MCCUEN HAMMOND, in fee simple, in equal shares.

3. I give and bequeath all of my personal effects, jewelry, silver, books, and pictures, and articles of personal use or ornament, to my sister, OLIVIA MCCUEN HAMMOND.

4. All the rest, residue and remainder of the property which I shall own at my death, or over which I shall have any power of disposition by will, including any lapsed legacy or devise, is hereinafter called and referred to as my residuary estate.

(a) I direct that all of my debts and funeral expenses and all the administration expenses of my estate shall be paid by my Executor's as soon as practicable after my death from my residuary estate.

(b) I give and bequeath one-third of the remainder of my residuary estate, after the payment of my debts and funeral expenses and administration expenses of my estate, to my sister, OLIVIA MCCUEN HAMMOND. Although no trust is intended or shall be imposed in law or in equity, I express the hope and desire that my sister, OLIVIA MCCUEN HAMMOND, will reserve and use this bequest

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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 Carolyn F. Sharpton, who being duly sworn, says that he saw Richard N. Tiddy sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 15th day of May, A. D. 1958 to be and contain his Last Will and Testament; that the said Richard N. Tiddy 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 Carolyn F. Sharpton together with J. D. Mars 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 17th day of July, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Carolyn F. Sharpton (Deponent)
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM

On hearing the above petition of Sarah T. Moffatt it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with~~ of Richard N. Tiddy, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of Probate, this 17th day of July, 1969
/S/ 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 Richard N. Tiddy 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 17th day of July, Anno Domini 1969 }
/S/ Sarah T. Moffatt
/S/ Bessie Lee F. Nance
Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, So. Car.