

It nowt^h I do hereby appoint Genl. P. S. C. Bradley, John S. Reynolds
and Martin L. Bullock my Executors to carry out the foregoing
Will In testimony whereof I have this day affixed my hand
and seal in the presence of March 22nd 1873

Witnessed by } Larkin Reynolds 
 J. W. Reynolds }
 James S. Dandy }
 Jno T. H. Keller

The State of South Carolina }
 Abbeville County }

Present:- Honorable Chas. W. Gaffin Probate Judge
for the County of Abbeville.

I personally appeared Jno. T. H. Keller subscribing witness
to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of Larkin Reynolds late of Abbeville
County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith that he
was present, and did see the said instrument of writing duly
executed by the said Larkin Reynolds.

And deponent further saith that the said Larkin Reynolds
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the
best of deponents knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing
mind, memory and understanding; and that Jno. T. H. Keller
(the deponent) and J. W. Reynolds and James S. Dandy in the
presence of each other, and of the said Larkin Reynolds and
at his request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution
of the same.

J. T. H. Keller

Signed and Subscribed to before me, this Thirteenth day of
May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
seventy three.

J. C. Womansky
C. C. Pro. & C.

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament }
of Larkin Reynolds Decd.

Having examined Jno. T. H. Keller, one of the subscribing witness
to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will
and Testament of Larkin Reynolds late of Abbeville County deceased,

and being satisfied, that the same is the true last Will
of said Decedent, it is therefore Ordered: That it be
admitted to Probate in Common Form.

C. W. Giffin

J. P. H. C.

May 13th 1879.

We do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named Larkin Reynolds Decedent,
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 said Will, as far as his goods and
chattels will therunto 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.

Swear and Subscribed to before me,

the 13th day of May 1879.

D. C. W. H. C.

J. L. Reynolds
W. L. Bullock

C. C. P. H. C.

Last Will and Testament of David Lewis Wardlaw decd.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville District

The will of David Lewis Wardlaw, Judge.

I appoint my sons in law Samuel St. Gowan and William
Henry Parker to be my executors, and I authorize them, or
either of them, in the exercise of a sound discretion to sell or convey
any part of my property, real or personal.

I direct that what may remain of the little property
I shall leave, shall, after payment of my debts, be equally
Divided between my seven Daughters, without account
of advancements made in my lifetime. If either of my
daughters should die before my death, I direct that her
share shall be Distributed amongst her next of kin
according to the Statute of Distributions. -

Executed in the presence of us
who in the presence of the
said testator and of each
other, have severally sub-
scribed our names as at-
testing witnesses.

In witness whereof I, herein-
to subscribe my name in the
presence of attesting wit-
nesses. — April 6, 1807.—

D. L. Hardlaw

P. H. Bradley
Thos. C. Pennin
J. S. Cathran

The State of South Carolina,
Abbeville County

Present: — Honorable Eli W. Gaffey Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

I personally appeared Thomas C. Pennin subscribing
unto the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last
Will and Testament of David Lewis Hardlaw late of Abbeville
County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposes and saith that he
was present, and did see the said instrument of writing duly
executed by the said David Lewis Hardlaw.

Said deponent further saith that the said David Lewis Hardlaw
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, of sound and
disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that Thomas
C. Pennin (the deponent), and P. H. Bradley and J. S. Cathran
in the presence of each other, and of the said David Lewis Hardlaw,
and at his request, signed their names as witnesses to the due exe-
cution of the same.

Thomas C. Pennin

Swear and Subscribed to before me, this Twelfth day of
April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and seventy three.

J. C. Womack
C. C. Jas. D. C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of David Lewis Hardlaw Dec'd

I having examined Col. Thomas C. Pennin, one of the subscribing wit-
nesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the

Last Will and Testament of David Lewis Wardlaw Dec'd
late of Abbeville County, and being satisfied, that the same
is the true last Will of said Deceased, it is therefore
Ordered: That the same be admitted to Probation
Common Form.

L.S.

Chas W. Giffin
Judge Probate Abbeville County
June 12th 1173

We do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named David Lewis Wardlaw
Decreas'd, 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 said Will,
as far as his Goods and Chattels will thence be extended
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.

Sown and Subscribed to
before me, this 12th day
of June 1173

J.C. Wmman of
C. C. Esq. H. C.

S. M. Gowen
W. H. Barker.

Last Will and Testament
of
Sterling Gower Dec'd

South Carolina
County of Abbeville.

In the name of God Amen.

I Sterling Gower of the State and County aforesaid
being of sound mind and disposing Memory knowing
the uncertainty of Life, do make and publish this my
last Will and Testament, to wit,

1st. First I will that my Executors hereinafter mentioned
at my Death shall pay all my Lawful Debts and funeral
expenses out of any funds that may be had; if there
shall be no funds upon hand, to sell property enough
to pay the same.

2nd. I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mrs. Mary
G. Gower During her natural life all that tract of
Land upon which I now live in the County of Abbeville

adjoining lands of F. J. Heill G. W. Power & others -
containing ten hundred acres more or less, and at her death
then the said tract of Land shall go to, and I hereby give,
and bequeath the same to my son Bartholomew Power and
to my daughter Gustava Power while she remains single
but if she marries, then I will and bequeath the Land
entirely to my son Bartholomew in fee simple and for
ever.

3rd I will and bequeath unto my children Gustava, Bartholo-
mew, and Hibemia O. Power each one bed and clothing
and one Cow and Calf to each. The rest of my Household
and Kitchen Furniture to my wife her lifetime then to be di-
vided between my children Bartholomew, Gustava and
Hibemia.

4th It is my will that all supplies of corn wheat bacon
flour that may be found upon the place remain for the
use of my wife and single family.

5th I will that all the rest of my personal property except
the buggy to be sold by my Executors and the proceeds of
such sale to be equally divided between my six living
children viz H. Martha E. Crowther Samuel M. Power,
Gustava Power Bartholomew Power C. Elmira Power
and Hibemia O. Power, the child or children of either
of the above named to take the part its parent would be
entitled to if living.

6th I hereby appoint as Executor of this my last Will and
Testament my sons Samuel M. Power and Bartholomew
Power, as Wits up my Hand and seal.

Signed in presence of us who in the presence of
the Testator and of each
other sign our names as
Witnesses October 8th, 1872
Wesley A. Black
Robert T. Gordon
Henderson Prince Black

Sterling Power



The State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

Present: - Howard Chat. W. Gaffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville. -

Personally appeared Robert F. Gordon subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Sterling Brown late of Albermarle County Deceased, who being duly sworn, deposes and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing fully executed by the said Sterling Brown.

And DepONENT further saith that the said Sterling Brown at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of DepONENT knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that Robert F. Gordon (the DepONENT) and Wesley S. Black and Andrew Prince Black in the presence of each other, and of the said Sterling Brown and at his request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

Robert F. Gordon,

Swear and Subscribed to before me, this
Twelfth day of June in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and Forty three.

J.C. Wrenancky
C. C. Pro. A.C.

In the matter of the last Will and
Testament of Sterling Brown Dec'd.

Having examined Robert F. Gordon one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Sterling Brown Dec'd late of Albermarle County Deceased, and being satisfied, that the same is the true last Will of said Deceased, it is therefore Ordered: That the same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Chas H Gaffin
Judge Probate Albermarle County.
June 12th 1843.

We do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named Sterling Brown Deceased so far as we know or believe, and

that we will in all and truly execute the same by paying
first th debt and then the legacies contained in said Will,
as far as his goods and chattels will therunto extend and
th law charge us, and that we will make a true and
perfect Inventory of all such Goods and chattels so
help us God.

Swear and subscribed to
before me, the 12th
day of June 1873

J. H. Bowen.
J. P. Bowen

J. C. Womack
C. C. Pro. H.

Last Will and Testament of John Wardlaw Hearst

In the name of God Amen.

I John Wardlaw Hearst of the County of
Abbeville in the State of South Carolina calling to mind the
uncertainty of life, do make and ordain this Instrument as
my last Will and Testament - to wit.

1st I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann Shipton Hearst
after my lawful debts are paid, All my property both Real
and Personal for her interest comfort and convenience
During her natural life. -

2nd It is my Will, that my beloved wife Ann Shipton Hearst
Shall have the privilege of disposing by Will or otherwise
of one third of my Estate left at her Death, the remaining
two thirds of my estate I direct my Surviving Executor to
pay to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of Erskine
College (located at Due West Abbeville County South Carolina)
for the Endowment of said College.

3rd I further direct that the summae on the life of Peter
Gummaw in favor of John W Hearst amounting to four thousand
dollars \$4,000 (at the death of Peter Gummaw) shall be paid
by my Executor and Executor to the Treasurer of the Board of
Trustees of Erskine College for the Endowment of said College
and that the premiums on said Policy shall be paid annually
out of my Estate During the natural life of Peter Gummaw

4th

I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife
Suz Chiles Heart Excoator and Dr Jas D Steel
Excoator of this my last Will and Testament, hereby
revoking and annulling all other Wills.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my Seal this the second day of January
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty three (1843)

Signed sealed and acknowledged as
and for his last Will and Testament

in presence of

Jas E Chiles

W H Glumker

F H Dandy

L W Heart 

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present:- Honorable Chas W Giffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared W H Glumker subscriber
witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting
to be the last Will and Testament of John W Heart
late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn
deposeth and saith that he was present, and did see the
said instrument of writing duly executed by the said
John W Heart.

Said deponent further saith that the said John
W Heart at the time of executing the said instrument
of writing was to the best of Deponents knowledge and belief
of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding,
and that W H Glumker, the deponent and James
E Chiles and F H Dandy in the presence of each
other and of the said John W Heart and at his
request signed their names as witnesses, to the due
execution of the same.

W H Glumker

Seen and Subscribed to before me this Fourtey fourth
day of Janur in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and forty three. D C Newman
C C Pro J C

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of John W. Hearst Dec 5th 1878

Hearing examined H. G. Flanniken, one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John W. Hearst late of Abbeville County Deceased, and being satisfied that the same is the true last Will of said Deceased it is therefore ordered; That the same be admitted to Probate in common form.

Chas. W. Griffen
Judge Probate J.C.

June 24th 1878

do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named John W. Hearst Deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that will and I will truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereto extend and the law charges, and that will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels. Ichisp. T. D.
Iswar and subscribed to
before me this 24th day
of June 1878 }
D. C. Norman & Co }
C. C. Pro. J.C. }
J. D. Neel
Ann C. Hearst

Mrs Ann C. Hearst qualified as Executrix on the 24th of September
1878.

Chas. W. Griffen
Judge Probate Abbeville County.

Last Will and Testament
of
Samuel Gilmer deceased

South Carolina }
Abbeville District }

I knew all men by these
presents that I Samuel

Gilmer of the District and State aforesaid, being of sound
Mind - but knowing the uncertainty of life and anxious to
dispense of my worldly Estate, do make and constitute this my
last Will and Testament in manner and form following viz

1st It is my will that all my just Debts be paid.

2nd I give to my beloved wife Elizabeth Davis all of my Estate
both Real and personal During her lifetime, and should she
find to interest of herself and Children to dispose at any time
over

of the Land it is my wish that she have so if not at her Death, it is my wish that it should stand be Divided amongst whatever of our children may then be alive to wit Mary Elizabeth Frazer, James Samuel, Sarah Edeline and should there be any others that the share and share alike. I do hereby appoint my wife Elizabeth Davis sole Executor of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have this day and seal this 14 day of October 1858.

3rd,

Signed sealed and Delivered in presence of
Witness

Jas. W. Fowler
Wm. T. Penney
J. F. Jordan

S. Gilmer 

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: Honorable Cha. W. Gaffin Polak
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared W. T. Penney subscribing
witness to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to
be the last Will and Testament of Samuel Gilmer late
of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn, de-
poses and saith that he was present, and did see the
said instrument of writing duly executed by the said
Samuel Gilmer.

And doth further saith that the said Samuel
Gilmer at the time of executing the said instrument
of writing was to the best of Depenents knowledge and
belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and un-
derstanding, and that Wm. T. Penney (the Depenent)
and James W. Fowler and J. F. Jordan in the presence
of each other, and of the said Samuel Gilmer and at
his request, signed their names as witnesses to the due
execution of the same.

Wm. T. Penney.

I now and then subscribe before me, this twenty eight
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy three.

J. E. Warmanby
C. C. G. H. H.

In the matter of the last Will and
Testament of Samuel Gilmer deceased,

Having examined W. T. Penny, one of the subscribing
witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting
to be the last Will and Testament of Samuel Gilmer late
of Abbeville County deceased, and being satisfied, that the
same is the true last Will of said Deceased, it is therefore
ordered; That the same be admitted to Probate in
accordance herewith.

Chas. H. Guffin,
Judge Probate J.C.
June 28th 1779

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last
Will of the within named Samuel 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 con-
tained in said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will
therunto extend and the law requires, and that I will
make a true and perfect Inventory of all such goods and chattels.
So help me God.

Swear and Subscribed before me
the 28th day of June 1779 } E. D. Gilmer
Chas. H. Guffin }
J. J. Jas. A.C. }

Last Will & Testament
of
Robert F. Smith dec'd.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County
I Robert F. Smith
being weak and in
my bed of a sound
mind and Disposing memory do make this my last Will and
Testament (Revoking all former Wills.) In the name of
God Amen.

- 1st. I will that all my just debts be paid by my executors
hereafter to be named.
- 2nd. That he collect any debts that may be owing me.
- 3rd. I will that my Executors sell all my Estate, real and personal
that I may be in possession of at my Death and Divide
the same equally between Mr. A. Smith, Mary C. M.
Rohan, Easter Martin, Margaret Smith and Sarah Kay
except six hundred Dollars that I will to Mary Rohan

Powell and Stonewall Jackson Powell share and share alike.

- 4th I constitute and appoint my Brother W. H. Smith my Executor and allow him to carry this my last will into effect independent of Law or court of Equity and to sell at private or public sale as to him may seem best for the interest of my Estate and to make good losses to the cause or any part thereof.
- 5th I constitute and appoint my Brother William H. Smith Guardian for Mary Francis Powell and Stonewall Jackson Powell and allow him to pay them as they may need it till they become of age.
- 6th and lastly in the event my Brother William H. Smith should die before my Will is carried into effect or during Mary Francis Powell and Stonewall Jackson Powell's minority then and in that case I will that Mueller Bell have power to carry my Will into effect and act as Guardian for Mary F. Powell and Stonewall Jackson Powell just as my Brother W. H. Smith was to do.

This the year of Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy one.

May 19th 1871.
Signed in presence of }
R. D. Hay }
D. V. Schrader }
P. H. Smith

R. D. Smith



The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: - Honorable Chas. W. Gaffey Probat
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared R. Gustav Smith subscriber
witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to
be the last Will and Testament of Robert D. Smith late
of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposed
and saith that he was present and did see the said in-
strument of writing duly executed by the said Robert
D. Smith.

Said deponent further saith that the said Robert
D. Smith at the time of executing the said instrument of
writing,
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writing was to the best of his power known to him and belief of said and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that G. Constan Smith (the Signer) and J. D. Schreiber and J. D. Hayes in the presence of each other, and of the said Robert D Smith and at his request signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

J. H. Smith.

Swear and Subscribed to before me, this Third day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty three.

J. C. Homansky
Clark C. Pro. St. C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament }
of Robert D Smith Dec 2 }

Having examined G. Constan Smith, one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of Robert D Smith late of Illinois County deceased, and being satisfied, that the same is the true last Will of said deceased, it is therefore ordered;

That it be admitted to Probate in common form.

Chas. W. Griffis.
Judge Probate St. C.
July 1st 1873.

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

R. H. Smith.

Swear and Subscribed to
before me, this Third day
of July 1873. }

J. C. Homansky
Clark C. Pro. St. C.

Last Will and Testament
of
Mr. Eliza Newell,

State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

In the Name of God, amen.

I Eliza Newell, of the State and

County aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, and
concerning the uncertainty of this frail and transitory
life, do make, publish, and declare this Document to be
my last Will and Testament. To wit -

Item 1st. It is my will, that all my property, both
Real and Personal shall be sold at public outcry by my
Executor and my legal indebtedness liquidated from the
proceeds of said sale.

Item 2nd. I will and bequeath my beloved daughter
Mary Jane Newell the sum of fifteen Dollars as a
special bequest of kindness and attention to me in my season
of ill health.

Item 3rd. I will and bequeath my beloved daughter
Mary Jane New Palmer the sum of five Dollars

Item 4th. I will and bequeath my beloved Grand

Daughter Constance Palmer the sum of twenty five Dollars
and 50 Cents, being one fifth part of my estate.

Item 5th. I will and bequeath my beloved Grand Children
Frances Elizabeth Newell and Caroline Eliza Newell
the sum of ten Dollars each.

Item 6th. It is my Will, that after the above Special be-
quests shall have been paid, the remainder of my Estate shall
be equally divided between my beloved sons Franklin

New, Joseph New, Daniel New, and Samuel New and

my beloved Daughters Jane Eliza New Williams and

Caroline New Oliver. That is to say, to Franklin New
one sixth of the residue of my Estate to Joseph New
one sixth to Daniel New and one sixt^h to Samuel New

one sixt^h to Jane Eliza New Williams one sixt^h and to

Caroline New Oliver one sixt^h of the residue of my Estate.

Item 7th. I do hereby constitute and appoint my be-
loved son Franklin New Executor of this my last Will
and Testament.

In witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed my seal this the fifth day of June in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy three.

Signed and Sealed this }
the 5th day of June 1873 }
in the presence of }
George S. Patterson }
John F. Edmunds }
Thomas J. Lyon }
Eliza New ^{her mark} L. N.
L. N.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County,

Present: - Honorable Chas. W. Giffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared John F. Edmunds subscribing
his name to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be
the last Will and Testament of Eliza New late of Abbeville
County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith
that he was present, and did see the said instrument of writing
Duly executed by the said Eliza New.

And DepONENT further saith that the said Eliza New
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to
the best of DepONENTS knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing
mind, memory and understanding, and that John F. Edmunds
(the deponent), and Thomas J. Lyon and George S. Patterson
in the presence of each other, and of the said Eliza New and
at her request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due
execution of the same.

John F. Edmunds.

Swear and Subscribed to before me, this Seventeenth
day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy three.

J. C. Hammondy
C. C. Pro. A. C.

In the matter of the last Will & Testament }
 of Eliza New Deacon }

Having examined John F. Edmunds, one of the
 subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument purporting
 to be the last Will and Testament of Eliza
 New late of Abbeville County Deacon, and being
 satisfied, that the same is the true last Will of
 said Deacon, it is therefore ordered, That the
 same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

P. W. Gaffin.
 Judge Prob. J.C.
 July 17th 1773

Seal

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
 true last Will of the within named Eliza New de-
 ceased, so far as I know or believe and that I will well
 and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then
 the legacies contained in said Will, so far as I ought,
 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. To help Mr. God.

Signed and Subscribed to before me,
 this 17th day of July 1773 } F. New.
 P. C. Marmansky }
 C. C. Pro. J. C.

Last Will & Testament of H. J. Arnold dec'd	The State of South Carolina Abbeville District
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I Hest I. Arnold of the District and State aforesaid
 being old and infirm but of sound disposing mind and
 memory and understanding and calling to mind the un-
 certainty of life and the certainty of death do make
 and ordain this my last will and Testament hereof re-
 voking all other wills by me made. —

I command my soul to God who gave it - trusting

First.

in the means of our Lord and Savior. —

Second. I desire all my just debts paid out of the means with which a Good Providence has blessed me. —

Third I give grant and devise my plantation or farm lying and being in Abbeville District on the Waters of Conneca Creek containing about five hundred and fifty acres and upon which I now reside, and also all my other property real and personal of every nature and kind Whatever to the children of my son William Arnold, viz Mary Ann Arnold, Rebecca Jane Arnold, Sarah Lee Arnold and John Louis Arnold their heirs and assigns forever. This provision is made for my grandchildren, the children of my son William J. Arnold as a step, and if William J. Arnold has other children here to time in lawful wedlock I wish the children so to be born to have an equal share of this provision. — If any of my said grandchildren or those which may yet be born should die without leaving child or children living at their death then the share of such child to go to his brothers & sisters. — I further direct that my place and farm should be kept up and not divided, but carried on under the direction of the Executor herein after named until my said Executor William J. Arnold if that should occur before his youngest child comes of age: and if not the property land and personalty to be kept together until the youngest child of William J. Arnold comes of age, when I direct the property to be divided and each to have their share. And I admonish and charge my said grandchildren that this gift is made in the best and upon the trust that they will provide for their parents during their lives.

Fourth. I nominate constitute and appoint my beloved and dutiful son William J. Arnold, Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament — I appoint him also testamentary Guardsman of the provision herein made for his children my grand children. — I leave it all under his care and control until his youngest child comes of age, or as long as he may live, believing that he will do his Duty to his children and preserve this property for them. —

I witness whereof I have hereunto signed my name and affixed my seal this Twenty third day of

day of March 1808. —
 Signed sealed & executed }
 in presence of }
 J. S. Dike }
 W. S. Hunday }
 James W. Logan } C. P. Arnold *Esq.*

The State of South Carolina }
 Abbeville County }

Present: — Honorable Chas. W. Giffen Probate
 Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared W. S. Hunday, subscriber
 unto the annexed instrument of writing, purporting
 to be the last Will and Testament of H. P. Arnold
 late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly
 sworn, deposes and saith that he was present, and
 did see the said instrument of writing duly executed
 by the said H. P. Arnold.

And deponent further saith that the said H.
 P. Arnold at the time of executing the said instrument
 of writing was to the best of deponents knowledge and
 belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and
 understanding, and that W. S. Hunday (the
 deponent), and J. W. Logan and J. S. Dike
 in the presence of each other, and of the said H. P.
 Arnold, and at his request, signed their names
 as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

W. S. Hunday

Signed and Subscribed to before me, the 20th day
 of August in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and seventy three

Chas. W. Giffen
 P. Prob. A. C.

In the matter of the last Will & Testament }
 of H. P. Arnold Dec'd }

Having examined W. S. Hunday one of the sub-
 scribers witness to the annexed Instrument of writing
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purporting to be the last Will and Testament of H. P.
Smeld, late of Abbeville County deceased, and being satisfied,
that the same is the true last Will of said Deceased, it is
ordered: That it be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Seal

Chas. W. Griffin
Judge Probate A.C.
August 20th 1873

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

Swear and Subscribed to before me,
this 20th day of August 1873 } H. P. Smeld.
C. W. Griffin }
J. Pro. A.C.

Last Will and Testament of Melinda Poyer dec^d

South Carolina }
Abbeville District }
In the name of God amen:
I Melinda Poyer of the State
and District aforesaid being of

sound and disposing mind and memory blessed be God for the
same I am calling to mind the uncertainty of this mortal life
and being desirous of disposing of all such worldly goods
as God has blessed me with to make this my last Will
and Testament that is to say I direct that my body
be decently buried and after the payment of all my just
debts & the balance of my Estate I dispose of in the
following manner I direct that it be divided between
my three children James W. Tiff Joseph and Poyer
and Harris Poyer in the following manner I give to my
son James W. Tiff Two hundred Dollars over and
above the shares of Joseph and Harris Poyer.
In witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this

the Tenth day of December 1862. Signed, sealed
published and declared by the
abovesigned Melinda Poyer
to be her last Will and Testa- Melinda ^{by} Poyer ^{mark}
ment in the presence of us
who have hereunto subscribed
our names as witnesses in the pre-
sence of the Testator.

The State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

Present: Honorable Chas. W. Giffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Jacob Rykard subscribing
unto me to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting
to be the last Will and Testament of Melinda Poyer,
late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly
sworn, deposes and saith that he was present, and
did see the said instrument of writing duly executed
by the said Melinda Poyer.

Said Deponent further saith that the said Melinda Poyer at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of Deponent's
knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind,
memory and understanding; and that Jacob Rykard
(the deponent) and Sarah C. Rykard and Martha
E. Bottles in the presence of each other, and of the
said Melinda Poyer and at her request, signed
their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the
same.

Jacob Rykard

Seen and Subscribed before me, this Twenty
fifth day of September in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and sixty three.

J. C. Penman of
Clark Court Probate H.C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament }
of Melinda Poyer Decd. }
Having examined Jacob Rykard one of the
witnesses,

subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument purporting
purporting to be the last Will and Testament of
Melinda Prior late of Abbeville County deceased,
and being satisfied that the same is the true last Will
of said Deceased it is therefore ordered, That the same
be admitted to Probate in common form.

(Seal)

Chas. W. Griffin
Judge Probate Abbeville County
September 25th 1873

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named Melinda Prior
Deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well
and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then
the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his goods
and chattels will thereminto 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.

I have and Subscribed to
before me, this 11th day
of October 1873

J. C. Womansky
Notary Public in South Carolina

J. W. G.

Last Will and Testament
of
Rachel Calhoun McCaslandee

South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

In the name of God Amen
I Rachel Calhoun McCaslan

having been brought near unto Death by an All Wise Creator, and
In View of a speedy dissolution of my Body. I commit my Spirit
to God who gave it, and my Body to Mother Earth a yet being of a
sound & disposing Mind. I make this my last Will & Testament:
and first I will after my Decease that all of my just Debts
be promptly paid by my Executors herein after mentioned. I will
and bequeath to my Daughter Margaret ^{executrix} McCaslan and Louisa
Catharine McCaslan and also to my son James David McCaslan
and Patrick Henry McCaslan each a Head and to my son William
Edward McCaslan the worth of a head out of the Value of
the cens and Secondly I will that the balance of my Personal

Property to be sold to pay all of my just Debts and, Thirdly,
 I will and bequeath that my interest in the Land when
 Sold be equally Divided between my Daughters Ma-
 garet Lucretia and Louisa Catharina McCaslan above
 mentioned and Lastly I do constitute and appoint David
 McCaslan and Jas J. Shanks my Executors to this my
 last Will and Testament. Signed Sealed and Delivered
 this the twenty ninth day of October one thousand
 eight hundred and seventy three in the presence of
 Test

M. O. McCaslan	}	Rachel C. ^{bis} McCaslan ^{her} mark
Robt. Alexander McCaslan		
Samuel E. Brown		

The State of South Carolina
 Abbeville County }

Present: - Honorable Chas H. Gaffin Probate
 Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared M. O. McCaslan subscribing
 witness to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to
 be the last Will and Testament of Rachel C. McCaslan
 late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn de-
 peth and saith that he was present and did see the said
 instrument of writing duly executed by the said Rachel
 C. McCaslan.

And Depoent further saith that the said Rachel C.
 McCaslan at the time of executing the said instrument of
 writing was to the best of Depoent's knowledge and belief,
 of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding,
 and that M. O. McCaslan (the Depoent), and Robt.
 Alexander McCaslan and Samuel E. Brown, in the
 presence of each other, and of the said Rachel C.
 McCaslan and at her request, signed their names as
 witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

M. O. McCaslan
 Searched and Subscribed to before me, this Thirtenth
 day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and seventy three. J. C. Womack
 Notary Public
 East Court House Abbeville County.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament }
of Mrs. Rachel C. McCaslan dec'd }

Having examined H. C. McCaslan, one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mrs. Rachel C. McCaslan late of Abbeville County deceased, and being satisfied, that the same is the true and last Will of said deceased, it is therefore ordered and decreed, that the same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Chas. W. Gaffin

Judge of Probate for Abbeville County
Nov. 13th 1873

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

Swear and Subscribed to before me,
this 13th day of November 1873

David McCandl.

J. C. Womansky
Clark Court Probate Abbeville County

Last Will and Testament
of
Samuel Robinson dec'd.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville District

In the name of God. Amen.

I Samuel Robinson of
the State and District aforesaid, knowing that life is un-
certain at all times, and more especially under the circumstances
in which I am at present placed - being a soldier in the service
of the Confederate States of America, have thought it proper
to make some disposition of the worldly property which
God in his Providence hath given to me, and I now declare

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the following as my last Will and testament.

1st I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid -

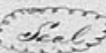
2^d The balance of my property of every Description real and personal I give and bequeath to my sister Eliza the wife of Jesse Carlisle to be enjoyed by her during her life, and at her death to her children who may be living at the time of my said sister's Death, and to be Divided amongst them in equal shares.

3rd Should my sister Jane (the wife of William D. Hayes) become a widow - and should her circumstances require it, I direct that she shall receive from the income of my property such support as she may require, either in the lifetime of my sister Eliza, or in that of her children to whom I have given my whole estate after their mother's Death.

I nominate constitute and appoint James Carlisle the executor of this my last Will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this twenty second day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty five.

Signed, sealed published and declared by Samuel Robinson as his last Will and testament in our presence and we at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Samuel Robinson 

L. W. Cochran
W. L. Robertson
William Hill

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: - Honorable Chas. H. Gaffin
Probate Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared William Hill subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Samuel Robinson late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly

sworn, deposes and saith that he was present, and doth see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Samuel Robinson.

I, the defendant further saith that the said Samuel Robinson at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of defendant's knowledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that William Hall (the defendant) and W. L. Robertson and L. M. Cochran in the presence of each other, and of the said Samuel Robinson and at his request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

William Hall

I swear and subscribe to before me, this Twenty Eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy three.

J. C. Wessmanby
Clark Court Probate Abbeville County

In the matter of the last Will and
Testament of Samuel Robinson Dec'd }

Hearing examined William Hall Esq; one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Samuel Robinson late of Abbeville County deceased, and being satisfied, that the same is the last Will of said deceased, it is therefore Ordered and Decreed; That the same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Charles H. Griffin
Judge of Probate Abbeville County.
November 28th 1873

Seal

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

I swear and subscribe to before me,
this 28th day of November 1873. } James Carlisle.
J. C. Wessmanby
Clark Court Probate Abbeville County

Last Will and Testament
of
David Hannah

The State of N. C.
Abbeville County

August 15 59
In the name of God, Amen.

I David Hannah of the State and County aforesaid being in general health of body, mind and memory and Desiring of disposing of my worldly property which God in his goodness hath bestowed upon me, to take effect at my Death do now declare the following as my last Will and Testament -

- 1st I wish all my just debt and funeral expenses paid as soon after my Death as practicable - and should it be necessary for that purpose to sell off my property I authorize my executor hereinafter appointed to sell such property as can be best spared.
- 2^d I have caused my lands to be surveyed recently, and have had plats of two parcels made, one of which parcels contain 7 acres 1 Rod & 21 perches - the other contains One hundred and forty seven acres two rods and twenty seven perches - Now I desire that my son Daniel B. Hannah shall get the former tract, viz 7 acres more or less, and also 15 or 16 acres off the other tract - the slice from the "other tract" to be taken from the side adjoining John McFay's land - I give the land to my son Daniel during his natural life and at his Death to his surviving children - share and share alike.
- 3rd The balance of my land I give to my wife During her natural life - and at her Death, to my daughter Mary Ann - the wife of William Eatins - but the same is not to be subject to the debts of her present or any future husband, and at her Death I wish and Direct that the said land shall go to my children that she may leave living at her Death.
- 4th The land which I have willed in the 2^d clause of this my will to my son David B. Hannah - to him During his life and at his Death to his surviving children and is not to be subject to any debt or contract that he may make - but to go unsanctified to his surviving children at his Death.
- 5th The balance of my estate after equalizing the advances already made to my son and making my Daughters equal

I give to my wife during her natural life, and at her death whatever may be remaining I wish to be equally divided between my son and daughter - or if any of them or both, be dead to their legal representatives - share and share alike.

I hereby nominate as the Executors of this my Will my Friends William Dunn and Robert E. Hill - that is to say if William Dunn should not survive me, I wish my Friend R.E. Hill, to execute this will.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by David Hannah, as his last Will & Testament in our presence and we at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

David Hannah *[Signature]*

Henry S. Casen
D. S. McCord
Robert Jones

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: - Honorable Chas W. Gaffin Probate Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Robert Jones subscribing and suspe^ting to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of David Hannah late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said David Hannah.

And deponent further saith that the said David Hannah at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of deponents knowledge and belief of sound mind, disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that Robert Jones (the Deponent) and D. S. McCord and Henry S. Casen in the presence of each other, and of the said David Hannah and at his request, signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Robert Jones

Sown and Subscribed before me, the Fifteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy three.

J. C. Wrennatty
Probate Court Abbeville County

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of David Hamah Dec'd.

Having examined Robert Jones one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed Instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of David Hamah late of Abbeville County deceased, and being satisfied, that the same is the last Will of said deceased, it is therefore Ordained and Decreed, That the same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Chas W. Guffin

Seal

Judge of Probate Abbeville County
December 15th 1870

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

Swear and Subscribed to before me
this 15th day of December 1870 } Wm Dunn.
D. C. Norman et al }
Clerk Court Probate J.C.

Last Will and Testament of John E might dec'd	The State of South Carolina Abbeville County In the name of God. Amen.
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I John E might of the County of State aforesaid being in a low State of health, but possessed of my ordinary strength of mind, memory and understanding, and being desirous of making Disposition of whatever worldly property a kind Providence hath blessed me with, I declare the following to be my last will and testament. Viz -

My desire is, and I direct all my just debt to be paid. All the property that came into my possession by my present wife Mary D. I have always considered as her own,

over

and that she is entitled to receive the same back again.

3rd Item I have been for sometime in Partnership with Mr. David Smith, and after the debt of said Partnership is paid off - the share coming to me, I direct to be paid to my executors hereinafter named. Of course Mr. Smith as surviving partner has the legal right to settle up said partnership.

4th Item I will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary D for the term of her natural life, my homestead and lot in the Town of Abbeville, including the lot on which my Gun factory establishment stood - this property is to be a home to my said wife, and my children, and her children during her life, and at her death, said property I direct I devise and bequeath to my three children, Mary D., John R. and Thomas G.

5th Item The remainder of my estate, I direct to be sold by my executors at such time, and on such terms, as they may in their judgment think best: and the proceeds after liquidating my debts (if any assets should remain) I wish to be divided equally to my dear wife and my three children, Mary D., John R. and Thomas G.

6th Item The property given to my wife by this will, is to be taken by her as my law and law of all her debts in my estate.

7th Item I appoint my Friends William P. Cull and Robert Jones as the Executors of this my will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 31st day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy two (1872)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged
by John Enright, as his last Will
and testament, in our presence, and
in our presence in his presence,
and in the presence of each other
have signed our names as Witnesses,
the 31st day of December 1872.
Robert F. Humphill.
Edward Westfield
Jas. A. Reid.

John Enright Seal

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: - Honorable Chas H. Griffis Probate Judge for the
County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Robert F. Humphill subscribing
to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to

the last Will and Testament of John Enright late of
Herkville County deceased, who being duly sworn, Deposeth
and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument
of writing, Duly executed by the said John Enright.
Said DepONENT further saith that the said John Enright
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing
was to the best of DepONENTS knowledge and belief, of
sound and disposing mind, maner and understandyng;
and that R. R. Hemphill (the deponent), and Edward
Westfield and Jas. A. Fred in the presence of each other
and of the said John Enright and at his request signed
their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Polet R. Hemphill

I zoom and Subscribed to before me this Twenty fourth
day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy three

J.C. Womack
Clerk Court Probate A.C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of John Enright Dec'd

Having examined R.R. Hemphill concerning the instrument
of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John Enright
late of Herkville County deceased, and being satisfied
that the same is the true last Will of said deceased, it
is therefore ordered and Decreed; That the same be ad-
mitted to Probate in Common Form.

Chas H. Gaffey

Judge of Probate Herkville County
Decr 24th 1873

I do solemnly swear that the writing contains the true last Will
of the within named John Enright deceased so far as I
know or believe and that I will well and truly execute the same
by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said
Will, as far as my goods and chattels will goe to extend and the
law charges me, and that I will make a true and perfect In-
ventory of all such goods and chattels. So help me God.

I zoom and subscribed to before me,
this 24th day of December 1873. } S. D. Bowes.
J.C. Womack
C.C. Pr. A.C. }

Last Will and Testament
of John R. Ellis Dec'd

In the Name of God Amen.
I John R. Ellis of Abbeville
District State of South Caro-
olina, Considering the un-

certainty of the Mortal Life Hoped be Almighty God for the
same do make & publish this my last Will & Testament In
Manner and Form as follows. Viz. I leave and bequeath unto
my beloved Wife Margaret F. Ellis Two tracts of Land one
lying on the Waters of Little River Known as the Pratt place
containing One hundred & Six acres More or less the Other
containing Forty-one Acres Known as the Hill tract One
Negro Girl Felitha & her child Harriet One Mule Saddle
y bridled One bay Mare called Mary Duggy & Harness One
Waggon & Harness One box Tools Sewing Machine three
Rail Head Copper Bars Worth Five Hundred Dollars
Each Two beds bedsteads & furniture I want my Father
to have the use of the Hill During his lifetime I also
appoint My Friend William E. Barnard & my Wife
Margaret F. ~~Ellis~~ Executors of this My last will &
Testament renouncing all other wills bequeathed or Executors
by me in any wise by me in any wise before named written
or bequeathed ratifying and confirming this no other to
be My last will & Testament In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & Seal this Twenty fifth day of De-
cember In the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight
hundred and Sixty One Signed sealed & delivered Pres-
sured of us

Joseph Ellis
William Ellis
John L. Ellis

John R. Ellis 

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: - Honorable Chas W. Gaffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Joseph Ellis subscribing with-
out to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to
be the last Will and Testament of John R. Ellis late
of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn de-
poseth and saith that he was present and did see the said
instrument of writing duly executed by the said John R.
Ellis,

Ellis.

Said DepONENT further saith that the said John J. Ellis at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of DepONENT's knowledge, belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that Joseph Ellis (the defendant) and William Ellis and John S. Ellis in the presence of each other, and of the said John J. Ellis and at his request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

Joseph Ellis

Swear and Subscribed to before me, the Eighth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventy Four.

J. C. Wosmaneky
Cork Court of Probate A.C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of John J. Ellis Dec'd.

Having examined Joseph Ellis one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of John J. Ellis late of Allegheny County deceased, and being satisfied that the same is the true last Will of said deceased, it is therefore Ordered and Decreed, That the same be admitted to Probate in Common Pleas.

Chas. W. Gaffin
Judge of Probate A.C.
January 8th 1874

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

Swear and Subscribed to } W. E. Farmer
before me this 8th day of }
January 1874. J. C. Wosmaneky
Cork Court of Probate A.C.

Last Will and Testament
of Mary Wilson dec'd.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

In the name of God. Amen.

I Mary Wilson of State and County aforesaid being in feeble health, but of sound mind, memory and understanding, declare the following as my last Will and Testament.

- Item 1. I direct that my funeral expenses, and all my just debts be paid as soon as practicable after my decease.
- Item 2. I will and bequeath to my son Matthew Edwin Wilson One thousand Dollars.
- Item 3. I will and bequeath to my son Hugh Reid Wilson, and my Daughter Eliza Jane Wilson my tract of Land, on which I now live containing Four hundred & fifty acres more or less, also all my stock of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs, &c also my plantation utensils of all kinds, Household and Kitchen furniture, and all and every thing pertaining to said plantation and buildings.
- Item 4. I will and bequeath to my son Hugh R. and my Daughter Eliza Jane Wilson, my life Policy of Insurance, which calls for Five thousand Dollars, said Policy is in Judgment of Springfield Company - but of this Policy of insurance, I give and bequeath to my son Matthew Edwin Five Hundred dollars and the balance to Hugh R. & Eliza Jane equally.
- Item 5. The land and all the other property given and bequeathed to my said son Hugh R. and my Daughter Eliza Jane, by the third Item of this my Will, and also the life insurance policy bequeathed them in the fourth Item, is to be Divided equally in value between them. It will perhaps be proper to leave said Division to be made by those Disinterested parties, provided they cannot agree between themselves.
- Item 6. My Daughter Eliza Jane is yet in her minority, and consequently I hereby appoint Jas. D Cunningham to act as her guardian, and take care of her interest until she arrive at the age of twenty one years, and he is not required to enter into a bond as such guardian.
- Item 7. My Executors herein after appointed are not required to make annual returns of Receipt and Expenditure to any Court whatever. The only matter to be recorded in the Probate Office, is simply this my last Will and the Inventory and appraisement of my Estate. over.

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Decr 8

I now make constitute and appoint my son
Hugh R Wilson and _____ as
Executors of this my last Will and Testament.
I witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed my seal this the 4th day of
May 1872.

Mary Wilson 

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Mary
Wilson as her last Will and Testament in our pre-
sence and ours, at her request and in the presence of
each other, and in the presence of the Testatrix signed
our names as witnesses the day and year last aforesaid

After reflection I have concluded to strike out all the
latter part of the clause contained in the 4th Item
of the foregoing after the words. Be it enacted by
Springton Company.

Mary Wilson
Witnesses

Jas T Liddell

Jane C King

Martha H Ellis

The State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

Present: - Honorable Chas W Gaffin Pro-
tective Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Jane C King subscribing
witness to the annexed instrument of writing purport-
ing to be the last Will and Testament of Mary Wilson
late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly
sworn, Deposeth and saith, that she was present and
did see the said instrument of writing duly executed
by the said Mary Wilson.

Sub Dependent further saith that the said Mary
Wilson at the time of executing the said instrument
of writing was to the best of Dependent knowledge and
belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and un-
derstanding; and that Jane C King (the deposent)

and James F. Laddell and Martha A. Ellis,
in the presence of each other, and of the said Mary
Wilson and at her request, signed their names as wit-
nesses, to the due execution of the same.

Mrs. Jane C. King

I now and I subscribe to before me, this Thirtieth first
day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy three. J.C. Rosmanwy
C.C. Prob. Ct. C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of Mrs. Mary Wilson Dec'd }

I having examined for Mrs. Jane C. King, one of the sub-
scribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing
purporting to be the last Will and Testament of
Mary Wilson late of Hobartville County Dec'd, and
being satisfied, that the same is the last Will of
said Deced, it is therefore Ordered and Decreed;
That the same be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Chas. W. Giffen
Judge of Probate A.C.
Decr 31st 1873

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

I now and I subscribe to
before me, the 9th day of
January 1874

J.C. Rosmanwy
Clark Court Probate A.C.

H. R. Wilson

Last Will and Testament
of Deborah Hamlin
dec'd.

The State of South Carolina,
Iberville County
In the name of God Amen.

I Deborah Hamlin of the State and County aforesaid being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding but in feeble Health de make and ordain this my last will & Testament hereby revoking all wills by me heretofore made -

- 1st It is my will and Desire that my Executor herein after named shall as soon as possible after my death pay all my just debts -
- 2^d I hereby Devise my plantation or tract of land upon which I live together with all and singular the rights, members, appendants and appertinances to the same belonging to the children of my brother Joseph Hugley, son and Eliza alike to be divided between them in any manner that they may determine -
- 3^r I give to my friend Andrew Wilson the bed and bedding in the room occupied by him and the sum of one hundred Dollars in money, in consideration of the kind care and attention that he has bestowed upon me
- 4th It is my will and Desire that my nephew George Hugley should take the colored boy Elijah who was born a slave to me and whom as an Orphan I have raised and that the said George Hugley shall keep him until he is twenty one years of age providing him with food and comfortable clothing and that he pay to said Elijah the sum of twenty Dollars per year for his services until he is twenty one years of age and that he the said George Hugley shall teach a cause to be taught the said Elijah to read and write and for the purpose of educating the said Elijah I hereby appropriate from my Estate the sum of one hundred Dollars to be expended as the same may be necessary to accomplish the purpose -
- 5th The twenty Dollars per annum required by George Hugley to be paid to Elijah is to be paid to the said Elijah on his attaining the age of twenty one years.
- 6th All the rest and residue of my property of whatsoever nature and kind the same way by I hereby direct my Executor to sell at such times and upon such terms as

as he may think best and from the proceeds of such sale to pay my just Debts, & the bequests above mentioned and if there should be any surplus then the same to be equally divided amongst the children of my said Brother Joseph, as in the matter of the Devise of the land above mentioned.

5th I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my nephew George Higley the Executor of this my last will and testament and I especially charge him with the faithful execution of my will in that part of it which refers to the kind and just treatment of the boy Elijah in favor of the said George forfeiting his own interest under this will as one of the children of my brother Joseph, as aforesaid.

Signed and sealed and acknowledged by the Testatrix in our presence as her last Will and Testament when her presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution of the same, this Fourteenth Day of January A.D. Eighteen hundred and twenty four.

J. L. Coltrane
Henry Hesley }
Edwin Parker }

Deborah Hamblin S.S.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: Honorable Chas W. Gaffin Probate Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Edwin Parker subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Deborah Hamblin late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he was present and did see the said Instrument of writing duly executed by the said Deborah Hamblin.

Our Deponent further saith that the said Deborah Hamblin at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of DepONENTS knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that Edwin Parker (the DepONENT), and Henry Hesley and J. L. Coltrane in the presence of each other, and of the said Deborah Hamblin and at her request, signed their names as witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

Edwin Parker

Swear and Subscribed to before me this Twenty Six day of

of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and seventy four. J.C. Homanusky
Court Clerk of Probate
Abbeville County

On hearing the petition of G.O. Hughey and upon due
examination of Dr. Edwin Parker, one of the subscribing
witnesses to the annexed Instrument of writing, purporting
to be the last Will and Testament of Deborah Hamblin,
late of Abbeville County deceased, it appearing to my
satisfaction, that the same is the true last Will of
said deceased - It is therefore Ordered - That it be
admitted to Probate in Common Form, and that
Letters Testamentary be granted to the Petitioner.

Seal

Chas W. Griffin
Judge of Probate A.C.
April 2^d 1874

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

So Help Me God.

Suron and Subscribed
to before me, this 2^d day
of April 1874

J.C. Homanusky
Court Clerk of Probate A.C.

G.O. Hughey

Last Will & Testament R. N. Groves, dec'd.	In the name of God, Amen!
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I, Rudolph N. Groves, of the
County of Abbeville and the

State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing
mind memory and understanding, do hereby make

publish, Declare, and ordain this to be my Last Will and Testament, in manner and form following:

- First It is my will and I hereby Direct that all my just debts my funeral expenses and the expenses of executing this my Last Will and Testament be first paid.
- Second It is my will and I hereby Direct that all my Estate both real and personal, be sold upon such terms as to my Executor hereafter named, shall seem best.
- Third I give and bequeath to each of my three Daughters, Sarah Allston, the wife of Massalon Bell - Louisa Catherine the wife of Dr Thompson, - and Emily Caroline Groes the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500⁰⁰)
- Fourth I give and bequeath to grand-daughters Mollie Thompson, the daughter of my deceased daughter Martha, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300⁰⁰) It is my intention and I hereby Direct that this bequest to my said grand daughter Mollie, shall be in full of her undivided share of my estate, and shall be considered a full and entire release and Discharge of my estate of all her share or part therin.
- Fifth It is my will and I hereby Direct that all the remainder of my estate, after the payment of the special bequests mentioned in the preceding sections of my will, be distributed equally, share and share alike, among my heirs at law, except my grand daughter Mollie, mentioned above, and my Daughter Elizabeth Y. Lockhart mentioned in the next section of my Will.
- Sixth In the distribution of the remainder of my estate, as set forth above, I direct that the share of my Daughter Elizabeth Y. Lockhart be less, by the sum of Three Hundred Dollars from than the shares of my other residuary legatees, on account of advancements of that amount already made to her.
- Seventh I hereby nominate constitute and appoint my son-in-law Massalon Bell, sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty fifth Day of September, June Domini
and Thousand, Eight Hundred and twenty three.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged
before me in presence of

Wm S. Giles	{
Robt. S. Peckham	
J. J. Speer	

R. H. Groes L.S.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County }

Present - Honorable Chas. W. Gaffin Probate
Judge.

Personally appeared Robert S. Beckham sub-
scribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing pur-
porting to be the last Will and Testament of R. H. Graves
late of Abbeville County Deceased, who being duly sworn
deposeth and saith that he was present, and did see
the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said
R. H. Graves.

And deponent further saith that the said R. H.
Graves at the time of executing the said instrument of
writing was to the best of deponent's knowledge and
belief of sound and disposing mind, memory and under-
standing; and that Robert S. Beckham (the deponent),
and Wm. F. Giles and J. J. Speer in the presence of
each other, and of the said R. H. Graves, and at his re-
quest signed their names as witness to the due execution
of the same.

Robt. S. Beckham.

Swear and Subscribed to before me this Twenty-fifth
Day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and seventy four.

J. C. Homansky
Circuit Court of Probate A.C.
Ex Parte } Petition to prove Will &
Masselin Bell }
Seal

On reading the petition and having examined
R. S. Beckham one of the subscribing witnesses to the an-
nexed instrument of writing purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of R. H. Graves late of
Abbeville County Deceased, and being satisfied that
the same is the true last Will of said Deceased
Ordered - That the same be admitted to Probate
in Common Form.

Chas. W. Gaffin
Judge of Probate A.C.
May 25th 1874

Seal

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

Signed and Subscribed to before me,
this 25th day of May 1874 } Notarized Dell
J. C. Hesman Atty } Clerk Court of Dr. H.
C. S. State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

Last Will and Testament of William D. Partlow, dec'd.	State of South Carolina Abbeville County In the name of God, amen
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I William D. Partlow of the County of Saluda named being of sound mind and disposing memory but calling to mind the uncertainties of life do make this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form as follows, viz: First I direct all my just debts to be paid after which I give devise and bequeath all the residue of my property both real and personal to my son in law Dr. Thomas J. Hester to have and to hold in trust for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of my daughter Emily T. Hester and her family. - I desire that my son in law Dr. Thomas Hester should give my four grand children the children of my two sons John T. Partlow and James T. Partlow a horse worth two and cloths and give them a plain English education until they arrived at the age of twenty one and I then enclose it upon him to give them a horse saddle and bridle each and anything more he may deem his ability to do.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of March June Domini Eighteen hundred and seventy eight
 Wtwp: A. H. Partlow
 R. M. Da Rose
 J. H. Hester

Wm. D. Partlow L.S.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County }

Present: - General Chas W Gaffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Robert M. Du Rose sub-
scribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing
purporting to be the last Will and Testament of
William D. Partlow late of Abbeville County de-
ceased, who being duly sworn, Deposeth and saith, that
he was present and Did see the said instrument of
writing duly executed by the said William D. Part-
low. And Deposet further saith that the said
William D. Partlow at the time of executing the said
instrument of writing was to the best of Deposets know-
ledge and belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory
and understanding, and that Robert M. Du Rose
(the Deponent), and S. H. McAllister and J. H. Rector
in the presence of each other, and of the said William
D. Partlow and at his request, signed their names as
witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

R. M. Du Rose

I am and Subscribed before me this 29th day
of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and seventy four.

Chas. W. Gaffin
I Pro. St. C.

In the matter of the last Will of }
William D. Partlow Dec'd }

Having examined R. M. Du Rose one of the subscribing
witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to
be the last Will and Testament of William D. Partlow
deceased, and it appearing to my satisfaction that the same
is the true last Will of said deceased. Ordered that it
be admitted to Probate in Common Form.

Seal

Chas. W. Gaffin
Judge of Probate St. C.
Ms. 29th 1874

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named William D. Baillou
Decased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well
and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then
the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his goods and
chattels will therunto extend and the law charge me, and
that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all
such goods and chattels right & credits. To help me God,
I swear and subscribe to this 29th day of May 1874.

Thos. J. Hester

Chas W. Griffin
I. D. & A. C.

Last Will and Testament
of
D. W. Griffin, dec'd.

In the Name of God, Amen.

D. W. Griffin of the
County of Abbeville State
of South Carolina being

of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty
of this life do this life do therefore make, ordain, publish and
declare this to be my last Will and Testament. First of all
my beloved wife is to have one hundred acres of land and
appurtenances thereto, the land to be located whence she pre-
fers, she is also to have my buggy and Rock House. My
three sisters are to have my maid (Lucy) The balance of
my estate real and personal must be sold, and out of
the proceeds all my lawful debt must be paid, the re-
mainer must be equally divided between my wife, my
three sisters, and John Allen

I likewise make, constitute and appoint John Allen to
be Executor of this my last will and testament, hereby re-
voking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my name and affixed my seal, the twenty third day
of July in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy
four.

D. W. Griffin, D.S.

The above instrument was subscribed by the said
D. W. Griffin in our presence and acknowledged by him

to each of us, and he at the same time published, and
Decreed the above instrument so subscribed to be his
last Will and Testament, and we at the testator's re-
quest, and in his presence had signed our names as
witnesses hereto and written opposite our names our
respective places of residence.

J. H. Foggatt Abbeville County, S.C.
J. Johnson Abbeville County, S.C.
Thomas S. Daniel Abbeville County, S.C.

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County }

Present: - Honorable Chas W. Gifford Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared Thomas S. Daniel sub-
scribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing,
purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J.
W. Gifford late of Abbeville County deceased, into
being duly sworn, deposed and sworn that he was pre-
sent, and did see the said instrument of writing duly
executed by the said J. W. Gifford.

Said Defendant further saith that the said J. W.
Gifford at the time of executing the said instrument
of writing was to the best of Defendant's knowledge
and belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory
and understanding, and that Thomas S. Daniel
(the defendant), and J. Johnson and J. H. Foggatt
in the presence of each other, and of the said J. W.
Gifford and at his request, signed their names as
witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

Thomas S. Daniel.

Sown and Subscribed to before me, this Ele-
venth day of August in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and forty four.

J. H. Beacomby
Probate Court of S.C.

Ex Parte } John Allen } Petition to probate W. W. Gifford, etc.

Upon due examination of Thomas S. Daniels

one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of J. W. Griffin late of Abbeville County deceased. It appears to the satisfaction of the Court that the same is the true last Will of said deceased. It is therefore Ordered and Decreed - That it be admitted to Probate in Common Form, and that Letters Testamentary be granted to the Petitioners.

Seal

Chas. W. Griffin
Judge of Probate A.C.
August 13th 1774

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named J. W. Griffin deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereto 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.

J. P. Allens

I have also Subscribed to before me,
this 13th day of August 1774 }
J. C. Horneau by }
Clerk Court of Probate A.C.

<p>Last Will and Testament of Vincent Radcliffe dec'd.</p>
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I Vincent Radcliffe
being of sound mind and
memory do make the follow-
ing as my last will and
Testament.

Item 1. It is my will and desire that my Executor herein-after named, as soon after my Death as practicable, shall sell all my property and that after the payment of my funeral Expenses and all my just debts the proceeds arising from said Sale, shall be disposed of as follows:-
Item 2^d I give and bequeath to my Daughter Evelina Burton, the sum of Seven Hundred and eighty Dollars.
Item 3^d I give and bequeath to my Daughter Catharine

I Hatchinson, the sum of Seven hundred and eighty Dollars.

Item 4 I give and bequeath one fourth part of the residue of the proceeds of said Sale, remaining after the payment of the aforesaid legacies, to my Daughter Emily Foster.

Item 5 I give and bequeath one fourth part of the residue of the proceeds of said Sale, remaining after the payment of the two legacies first above mentioned, to my daughter Catherine D Hatchinson.

Item 6 I give and bequeath one fourth part of the residue of the proceeds of said Sale, remaining after the payment of the two legacies first above mentioned to my Daughter Anna Lewis Simpson.

Item 7 I give and bequeath to my daughter Agence Talbot Radcliffe in like manner one fourth part of the residue of the proceeds of said Sale remaining after the payment of the legacies first aforementioned, also a Cow and calf, one sow, and Peacock and Pheasant and also the sum of ten Dollars.

Item 8 I have given and bequeathed to each of my two Daughters Emily and Catherine respectively the sum of Seven hundred and Eighty Dollars, over and above my other Daughters, because I had already conveyed to the latter an interest in my tract of land, and I have made provisions in this will for my grandson William Franklin Radcliffe because of having given property to his father who is now dead.

Item 9 Lastly I hereby nominate and appoint Robert Hatchinson Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

Witness my hand and seal the the sixth day of September S. D. 1862.

Vincent Radcliffe *LS*

Signed in the presence
of each other, and in
the presence of the
Testator, witness each other
as sign

J. F. C. O. D.
J. F. LaSalle
H. H. Loudon
Wm. F. Giles

The State of South Carolina }
Abbeville County }

Present: - Honorable Chas D Gaffin Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared J. F. C. Da. Dixi, subscriber
to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be
the last Will and Testament of Vincent Radcliffe late of
Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn deposeth and
saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of
writing fully executed by the said Vincent Radcliffe.

Said DepONENT further saith that the said Vincent Rad-
cliffe at the time of Executing the said instrument of
writing was to the best of DepONENTS knowledge and belief
of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding,
and that J. F. C. Da. Dixi (the defendant), and H. H. Sanday
and Wm. J. Giles in the presence of each other, and of the said
Vincent Radcliffe and at his request, signed their names as
witnesses, to the due execution of the same.

J. F. C. Da. Dixi

I swear and Subscribed to before me this Seventeenth day
of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and Seventy four.

J. C. Hesmanby
C. of C. of Prob. A.C.

Petition of Plaintiff

Margaret Peltia Radcliffe
executed in her own name
of Vincent Radcliffe deceased

Petition to prove W.W. for account
of Estate and payment of Legacy

On due examination of J. F. C. Da. Dixi aforesaid
subscriber witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the
last Will and Testament of Vincent Radcliffe late of Abbeville County deceased,
it appears to the satisfaction of this Court, that the same is the true
last Will of said deceased. On Motion by Mr. George Parker Atty
for Plaintiff it is Ordered and Desired that it be admitted
to Probate in Common Form.

Chas D. Gaffin

Judge of Probate A.C.

August 17th 1774

Seal

Last Will and Testament
of
Moses Williams dec'd

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

In the Name of God Amen.

I Moses Williams of the State and County aforesaid -
being of sound mind and disposing memory - do make
and ordain this my last Will and Testament

I do first I will that my just debts be paid by my Executor
hereinafter named.

I do second I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elsa Williams
for the use of herself and the support of her minor
children, viz Ezekiel Williams, Lark Williams and
Richard Williams All my real and personal Estate, and
in case of the decease of my said beloved wife Elsa
Williams, I will and bequeath what remains of my
whole Estate both real and personal, to be equally
divided between my said three children viz Ezekiel
Williams, Lark Williams and Richard Williams.

I do third I will bequeath my whole real & personal Property
to my beloved wife Elsa Williams to be used by her as a
Homestead during her natural life and at her death to
be equally divided betwixt the written named children
viz Ezekiel Williams, Lark Williams and Richard
Williams, to be theirs forever.

And I do hereby nominate and appoint my
beloved wife Elsa Williams my Testatrix -
in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
this Twenty seventh day of May in the year of our
Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and forty four.

Signed & Sealed
in presence of
J J Heart
J O Turner
Samuel D McClinton

Moses Williams D.C.
Wm. Williams

The State of South Carolina
Abbeville County

Present: Honourable Cha W. Safford Probate
Judge for the County of Abbeville.

Personally appeared J. O. Turner subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Moses Williams late of Abbeville County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith that he was present and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Moses Williams.

And defendant further saith that the said Moses Williams at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of defendant's knowledge of belief, of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that J. O. Turner (the defendant) and James P. Mc Clinton and T. J. Hearst in the presence of each other, and of the said Moses Williams and at his request, signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

J. O. Turner
Sworn and Subscribed to before me, the Twenty-Eight day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four.

J. C. Wisenbushy
C. C. Pro. A. C.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament
of Moses Williams deceased

Upon examination of J. O. Turner, one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Moses Williams late of Abbeville County deceased - it appears to the satisfaction of this Court that the same is the last Will of said deceased. It is therefore Ordered and Decreed That it be admitted to Probate in Common Form.



Chas. W. Gaffin
J. Pro. A. C.
November 28th 1874

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named Moses Williams deceased so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts, together the legacies contained in said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will warrant, after all the law charge and, and

that I will make a full and perfect Inventory
of all such goods and chattels. To Help me God.
Signed and Subscribed before
me this 25th day of November
18th J.C. Hosmer
C.C. Pro. A.C.

John Williams
Not

Last Will and Testament
of
Louisa Magee deceased

State of South Carolina,
Abbeville County,

I Louisa Magee of said
State and County being of sound mind and disposing
memory do make this my Last Will and Testament in
form and manner following viz I desire that all my
just debts and funeral Expenses be paid from the
Proceeds of the sale of my Stock of Cattle Horses &c

I will and bequeath to my son John D Magee
one Bed Bedstead and necessary covering.

Item 3rd I will and Bequeath to my Daughter
Mary Ann D Sharp my interest in the Mill and
Lands belonging thereto one Bedstead and necessary
covering with my Rocking Chair.

Item 4th I will and bequeath to my son John D
Magee my Tract of Land wherein I reside containing
Two Hundred acres more or less bounded by Lands
of J C Magee, A H Magee, D J Rector, J W Rector
the Mill Tract and J F Magee Lands with the
Balances of my Household and Kitchen furniture
not otherwise disposed of.

Item 5th I give to my Son J. C. Magee and
Purson.

Item 6th I direct that my Executors hereafter
named shall sell whatever Stock or other Property that
I may own at my Death and not disposed of on such
terms and at such times as they may think best and
pay all just debts and Funeral Expenses and if
there should be any left after said payments I
desire that John D Magee shall have the same
And lastly I appoint my Son John D Magee