

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF



LOUISIANA

Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans

I, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO HEREBY CERTIFY,

that the annexed copies of PETITION TO REVOKE WILL & FOR INVENTORY, AFFIDAVIT & ORDER, FILED IN THE GEOGRAPHIC POINT AND CIVIL DISTRICT OF ORLEANS are true and correct copies of the ORIGINAL on file, and of record, in the archives of my office, in the matter entitled THOMAS WATSON and ANAISE WATSON, divorced wife by first marriage of VICTOR LAWRENZ, and wife by second marriage of THOMAS WATSON, under number 314-081 of the docket of this honorable court.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, on this 10th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two and in the one hundred and seventy-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

Thomas S. Buckley Clerk.

I, Paul E. Chasaz, presiding Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THOMAS S. BUCKLEY is the Clerk of said Court, that the same is a Court of Record having probate jurisdiction, and that the signature, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk, to the foregoing certificate is in the proper handwriting of him, the said THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk; to his official act as such, full faith and credit are due; and owing; and I DO FURTHER CERTIFY that his attestation is in due form of law.

Given under my hand, at the City of New Orleans, on the 10th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred fifty-two

Paul E. Chasaz Presiding Judge.

I, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO hereby certify that Paul E. Chasaz, whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing certificate, is now, and was at the time of signing the same, presiding Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, duly appointed and commissioned and qualified as such, and that said attestation is in due form of law.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th, day of October, 1952

Thomas S. Buckley

EXA

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CIVIL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS, STATE OF LOUISIANA

NO. 314,681

DIVISION "F"

DOCKET 1

Succession

of

Thomas Warren
and

Anaise Murray, divorced wife by first marriage
of Victor Mackey, and wife by second marriage of
Thomas Warren

Filed June 11/1952
TO THE HONORABLE, THE CIVIL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS,
STATE OF LOUISIANA:

The petition of Edward Warren, Bernice Warren, wife of Jake Woodest, and Cereila Cooper, widow by first marriage of Joseph Jenkins, and widow by second marriage of Thomas Warren, all of the full age of majority and residents of the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana.

I

That Anaise Murray, divorced wife by first marriage of Victor Mackey, and wife by second marriage of Thomas Warren, departed this life in the City of New Orleans, wherein she was domiciled on the 5th day of October, in the year 1942, as will appear from the annexed affidavit.

II

That she died intestate, and that her sole heir is her natural son, Edward Warren, one of your petitioners herein.

III

That Thomas Warren departed this life in the City of New Orleans, wherein he had his domicile on the 5th day of May, in the year 1952, as will appear from the annexed affidavit.

IV

That he died testate, and that petitioners herewith file in this Court the olographic last will and testament of the deceased, executed on the 21st day of February, in the year 1947 for the purpose of having same probated, registered and ordered executed according to law.

V

That the estate of decedents exceed the sum of \$10,000.00, and that it will be necessary that an inventory be made, according to law.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray that the last will and testament of the deceased be admitted to probate, and registered and executed; and that an inventory of the property left by the deceased be taken by Peter G. Charbonnet, Jr., notary public for this parish, in accordance with law.

And for all general relief.

1/5 Peter G. Charbonnet Jr.
Attorneys for Petitioners

A. J. [Signature]
DEPUTY CLERK, CIVIL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF ORLEANS,
STATE OF LOUISIANA

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF OFLEANS

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared, Edward Warren, Bernice Warren, wife of Jake Woodest, and Gerelia Cooper, widow by first marriage of Joseph Jenkins, and widow by second marriage of Thomas Warren, who, being each duly sworn, did depose and say:

That they are the petitioners in the foregoing petition, and that all the allegations therein contained are true and correct.

(Sgd.) Edward Warren _____

(Sgd.) Bernice Woodest _____

(Sgd.) Gerelia Warren _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this 6 day of June, 1952.

(Sgd.) Peter G. Charbonnet, Jr. _____
NOTARY PUBLIC

ORDER

Let the last will and testament of the deceased, made in the olographic form, on the 21st day of February, in the year 1947, filed with the within petition, be proved before me forthwith; and let an inventory of the property left by the decedents be taken by Peter G. Charbonnet, Jr., notary public for this Parish, assisted by James V. Grisham and David C. Casey, appraisers, in accordance with law.

New Orleans, La., the 12th day of June, 1952.

/s/ A. E. Rainold
JUDGE



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CIVIL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF ORLEANS

STATE OF LOUISIANA

No. 314-681

DIVISION " "

DOCKET 1.

S U C C E S S I O N

O F

THOMAS WARREN

Ne Varietur
For identification with Judgment
of Probate signed this 12th day
of June in the year 1952
(Sgd.) A. E. Rainold, Judge

I make this my last will

I give and Bequeath all of my property at the time of my Death as
follows: one half to ~~go~~ to my wife Cerelia Cooper Warren, one
fourth to my son Edward Warren and one fourth to my adopted
daughter Bernice Warren

(Sgd.) Thomas Warren

New Orleans La

February 21-1947

Ne Varietur
For identification with Judgment
of Probate signed this 12th day
of June in the year 1952
(Sgd.) A. E. Rainold, Judge



STATE OF LOUISIANA
Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans

DIVISION

DOCKET 1

Be It Remembered, That on this _____ day of _____ in the
Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and _____ and the _____
OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Upon application of _____ and pursuant to my decree bearing

Before me _____ Judge of the CIVIL DISTRICT COURT
for the Parish of Orleans, personally came and appeared _____

_____ witnesses,
who being duly sworn, were by me presented with an instrument of writing, written on

beginning with the following words _____
and ending with the following _____

and purporting to be _____ **OLOGRAPHIC LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT**, which being by me
exhibited to the aforesaid witnesses, was by them acknowledged, recognized and declared to be entirely
written, dated and signed in the TESTAMENT _____ handwriting;

And I, the said Judge, certify that I interrogated the said witnesses under oath, touching their
knowledge of the TESTAMENT _____ handwriting and signature and satisfied myself that they
are familiar therewith;

I therefore make mention of the whole thereof in this my Proces Verbal.

And the said witnesses did hereunto set their signatures, before me, after due reading of the whole,
on the day, month and year first above written.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

_____ day of _____, 19 _____

Judge.

Whereupon I, the said Judge, do hereby declare the said Olographic **last will and testament** to be
truly proved, and having read the said WILL in a loud and distinct voice to the aforesaid witnesses,
and in the presence of Messrs. _____
all present in COURT, and after having signed the said **will NE VARIETUR** at the beginning and end
_____ do now order the same to be deposited and recorded in the
OFFICE OF THE CLERK of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, and that the execution
thereof take place according to law.

Done in the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, this _____ day
of _____, 19 _____

(Sgd.) David C. Casey

(Sgd.) James V. Gresham

A TRUE COPY
DEPUTY CLERK CIVIL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF ORLEANS
STATE OF LA.

(Sgd.) _____
Judge.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on the records of said Board of Supervisors, and was duly recorded on the 26 day of October, 1952, Book No. 111, Page 112 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 26 day of October, 1952.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By *Abner S. ...*, D. C.

BOOK 7 PAGE 106

LAST WILL OF SALLIE HENLEY

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I, Sallie Henley, being of sound mind and memory, and of legal age, hereby make, publish and declare this as my last will and testament, to-wit:

I, give, devise and bequeath all of my property, both real, personal and mixed, of every description and kind to Ruth Sanders, Louretta Syons, Sallie Henley, Johnnie Lee Henley and Eugene Henley, the children of Eben Henley, Jr., share and share alike.

Signed, published and declared by me as my last will and testament in the presence of these witnesses, who also signed same as witnesses in my presence, and in the presence of each other on this the 27th day of September, 1950.

Witnesses:

[Signature]
[Signature]

Sallie Henley
Sallie Henley

I, Sallie Henley, hereby execute this Codicil to the foregoing will, namely: I give to Ruth Sanders the house in which I now live, together with one acre of land surrounding same, as long as she lives, and, at her death, same to revert to the other grandchildren named above. This is in addition to the interest given Ruth Sanders in said original will.

Signed, published and declared by me in the presence of these witnesses, who also signed same in my presence and in the presence of each other on this September 26th, 1951.

WITNESSES:

[Signature]
[Signature]

Sallie Henley
Sallie Henley

FILED
Oct. 24. 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

[Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office, this 24 day of October, 1952, at 11 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 30 day of October, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 106 of my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 30 of October, 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By [Signature], D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

BOOK

7 PAGE 107

MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of

Sallie Henley, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned ~~Notary Public~~ ^{Notary Public} in and for said County and

State, Tip Ray and Imogene E. Levy, subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Sallie Henley

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Sallie Henley

signed, published and declared said instrument as her last will and testament on the

27th day of September, A.D. 1950, the day of the date of said instrument, in the

presence of ~~this~~ ^{these} deponents ~~and to the presence of~~

~~the other subscribing witnesses~~, and that said Testat.rix was then of sound and disposing mind and

memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in

said County and State, and ~~this~~ ^{these} deponents ~~and~~

~~and~~ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness ~~as~~

to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testat.rix, and in the presence of

the said Testat.rix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Ruth Sanders
Tip Ray
Imogene E. Levy

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 24th day of October, A. D. 1952.



FILED
Oct. 24-1952

~~Notary Public~~
A. C. Alsworth, Jr., Notary Public

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK
Abbie F. Manning D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 24 day of October, 1952, at 11:00 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 30 day of October, 1952 Book No. 7 on Page 107 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 30 of October, 1952
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Abbie F. Manning, D. C.

Page No. 1

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Will of Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

March 17th 1947

Desiring to dispose of my property, after my death, as seems best to me, I make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament.

1st I desire that my Executor, hereinafter named, shall pay out of my estate, all just debts that I owe.

2nd After my just debts shall have been paid, and marker for my grave,
I bequeath to my niece, Corinne Hatfield, the sum of \$2,800 (Twenty Eight Hundred Dollars) 17 (Seventeen) shares of Lamar Lumber Stock, which is a preferred bequest to be paid before all others. Also, all my table silver.
I bequeath to my nephew, Robt. M. Hatfield, the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars)
I bequeath to my nephew, John A. Hatfield, the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars)
I bequeath to my nephew, John Sam Mosby, the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars)
I bequeath to my niece, Lila Parker Greaves, the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars) and my lot of furniture and bedding now in her possession.

I bequeath to my nephew, Florence H. Parker, the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars) and the sum of \$700 (Seven Hundred Dollars) of Carter C. Bank Stock.

Test of Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

March 17th 1947

Sum (16) shares of Lumber Lumber Stock
 bequeathed to my niece Leticia Ann Parker
 Sept 1931 (63) shares of Lumber Lumber Stock
 bequeathed to my nephew Percy W. Parker Sr.
 June 19 20) shares of Lumber Lumber Stock
 bequeathed to Grace Eusebia Parker
 Nov (9) shares of Lumber Lumber Stock
 bequeathed to my daughter Leticia Ann Parker
 the sum of \$500 (Five Hundred Dollars)
 bequeathed to my daughter Leticia Ann Parker
 One Hundred and no (100).

I hereby direct that my executor and direct that he shall
 receive of my estate the sum of \$500
 bequeathed to my daughter Leticia Ann Parker

Corinne Mosby Parker Leticia Ann Parker
 Leticia Ann Parker Percy W. Parker Sr.
 Leticia Ann Parker Grace Eusebia Parker
 Leticia Ann Parker Grace Eusebia Parker

I further direct that in the event of the death
 of any of my beneficiaries before my death
 my legacy bequeathed to him or her shall
 to my estate & become a part of my estate.

I nominate my nephew Percy W. Parker Sr.
 as my Executor and direct that no bond
 be required of him as such executor and
 he be required to report to no court.

Witness C. S. Bell signed Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker
 Witness Ange Lelle Kimmur March 17th 1947

Codicil BOOK 7 PAGE 110

Codicil to Will of Mrs. Corinne Mosby Sawyer

Dated Nov. 17th 1947

The legacy, Sixty Three (63) Shares of Bauson & Co. Inc. Stock bequeathed to my niece Leticia Hill Sawyer who died June 4th 1947 would revert to my estate and become a part thereof.

I now bequeath Forty Three (43) Shares of said legacy to my nephew Horace H. Sawyer and Twenty (20) Shares to my niece Corinne Hatfield Sawyer.

Signed

Mrs. Corinne Mosby Sawyer
July 14th 1947

Wit C. S. Bell
Angie Belle Rimmer

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A. C. ALSWORTH

CHANCERY CLERK

Asst. Attorney General

BOOK 7 2111

CODICIL TO MY WILL

I wish to change my will in the following respect and in the following respect only:

After all debts and bequests are paid I desire the residue of my estate to go to my nephew, F. H. Parker, In the event of the death of F. H. Parker before my death said residue shall revert to my estate and become a part thereof.

In all other respects I reaffirm my will as heretofore written.

This the 5 day of ~~September~~ ^{October}, 1949.

Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker
Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

Witnesses:

Ann Edwirth
Angie Belle Limes

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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY Assie F. Dunning, Jr.

As Kate Cage and Otho Hayes are no longer in my employ, I hereby cancel the bequests made them under my will dated July 14, 1947. Signed this the 26th day of October, 1950.

Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

WITNESSES:

Mrs. W. S. Bates
Angie Belle Limes

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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY Assie F. Dunning, Jr.

County of Madison:

Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed on the 5 day of November, 1952, at 2 o'clock M., on the 6 day of November, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 108

Assie F. Dunning, Jr., D. C.



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

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CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of
Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and
State, Angie Belle Rimmer, subscribing witness to a certain
instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker
who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker
signed, published and declared said instrument as her last will and testament on the
17th day of March, A. D., 1947, the day of the date of said instrument, in the
presence of this deponent, and in the presence of C. G. Bell, now deceased,
the other subscribing witness, and that said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and
memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in
said County and State, and this deponent and C. G. Bell
and subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses
to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testatrix, and in the presence of
the said Testatrix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Angie Belle Rimmer
Angie Belle Rimmer

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 15th day of November, A. D., 1952.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Chancery Clerk

Addie Fulmer, D. C.

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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Addie Fulmer a/c

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed
for record in my office this 5 day of November, 1952 at 11 o'clock AM.
and was duly recorded on the 6 day of Nov, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 112
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of November, 1952
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By Addie Fulmer, D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State, Angie Belle Rimmer, subscribing witness ^{to a certain} instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker signed, published and declared said instrument as ^{a codicil to her} last will and testament on the

14th day of July, A. D., 1947, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent, and in the presence of C. G. Bell, now deceased,

the other subscribing witness, and that said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in

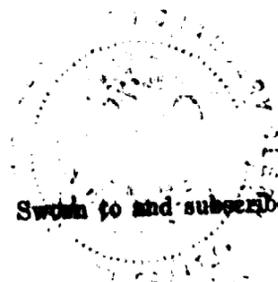
said County and State, and this deponent and C. G. Bell

both subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses

to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testatrix, and in the presence of

the said Testatrix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Angie Belle Rimmer
Angie Bell Rimmer



Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 15th day of November, A. D., 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH, Chancery Clerk

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Asie Fanning, D. C.

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Asie Fanning

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 5 day of November, 1952 at five o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of November 1952. Book No. 7 on Page 113 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of November, 1952.
A. G. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Asie Fanning, D. C.



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of
Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State, Angie Belle Rimmer ~~xxx~~, subscribing witness ~~xxx~~ to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. Corinne Kosby Parker signed, published and declared said instrument as ^{a codicil to her} last will and testament on the 5th day of October, A. D., 1949, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent, and in the presence of Mrs. E. A. Smith, whereabouts unknown, the other subscribing witness, and that said Testat rix was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in said County and State, and this deponent and Mrs. E. A. Smith ~~xxx~~ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness ~~es~~ to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testat rix, and in the presence of the said Testat rix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Angie Belle Rimmer
Angie Belle Rimmer



Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 5th day of November, A. D., 1952.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Chancery Clerk

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Adair F. Dunning, D. C.

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Adair F. Dunning

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed in my office this 5 day of November, 1952 at 7 o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of November, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 114 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of November, 1952

Adair F. Dunning, D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of
Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and
State, Angie Belle Rimmer, subscribing witness ~~to~~ to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be ^{a codicil to} the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. Corinne Mosby Parker

signed, published and declared said instrument as ^{a codicil to her} last will and testament on the

26th day of October, A. D., 1950, the day of the date of said instrument, in the

presence of this deponent, and in the presence of Mrs. W. S. Bates

the other subscribing witness, and that said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and

memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in

said County and State, and this deponent and Mrs. W. S. Bates

~~and~~ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testatrix, and in the presence of

the said Testatrix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Angie Belle Rimmer
Angie Belle Rimmer

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 5th day of November, A. D., 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH, Chancery Clerk

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Assie F. Dunning, D. C.

Nov. 5 - 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Assie F. Dunning D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed
for record in my office this 5 day of November, 1952, at 11:00 o'clock AM,
and was duly recorded on the 6 day of Nov, 1952, Book No. 116 on Page 116
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of November, 1952.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By Assie F. Dunning, D. C.

HAL T. JONES
PLANTER, CATTLE AND GINNER
PHONE 8181
FLORA, MISSISSIPPI

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT

I devise everything I own to my wife Carolyn DeNoir Jones and appoint her executrix without bond, dated this the 3th day of November 1952. I also request that this will be carried out without accounting to any court.

Hal Jones

WITNESS: W. B. Jones

B. M. Messing

+ 14.751

Nov 28-1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY... Addie Fulmering

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 28 day of November, 1952, at 11 o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 1st day of Dec, 1952 Book No. 116 on Page 116 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1st of December, 1952
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By Addie Fulmering, D. C.

BOOK 7 118

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COAHOMA COUNTY

THIS DAY personally appeared before me the undersigned Notary Public in and for the above County and State, B. M. MASSEY, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Hal T. Jones, deceased, late of the County of Madison, State of Mississippi, who, having first been by me duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Hal T. Jones, signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on the 8th day of November, 1952, in the presence of this deponent and of W. B. Jones, the other subscribing witness to said instrument; that said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age; that deponent and the said W. B. Jones subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance and request, and in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each other, upon said November 8, 1952.

B. M. Massey
B. M. Massey

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this, the 25 day of November,



R. M. Lewis
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

My Commission Expires Aug. 31, 1953

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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Adelle F. Dunning, D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed in my office this 28 day of November, 1952, at — o'clock M. on the 15 day of December, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 118.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 15 day of December, 1952.

A. G. ALSWORTH, Clerk

Adelle F. Dunning, D.C.

BOOK 7 PAGE 11

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

SS:

THIS DAY personally appeared before me the undersigned Notary Public in and for the above County and State, W. B. JONES, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Hal T. Jones, deceased, late of the County of Madison, State of Mississippi, who, having first been by me duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Hal T. Jones, signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on the 8th day of November, 1952, in the presence of this deponent and of B. M. Massey, the other subscribing witness to said instrument; that said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age; that deponent and the said B. M. Massey subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance and request, and in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each other, upon said November 8, 1952.

W. B. Jones
W. B. Jones

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this, the 28 day of November, 1952.



My Commission Expires:
My Commission Expires Sept. 18, 1958

W. B. Jones
Notary Public

FILED
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A. G. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Assie F. ...

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. G. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 28 day of November, 1952 at two o'clock P.M., and was duly recorded on the 1st day of December, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 11.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1st day of December, 1952.
A. G. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By *Assie F. ...*, D. C.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

14.753

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL
AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. ROSE
GARBARINO SAUCIER

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF FOREIGN WILL

TO THE CHANCERY COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

Come Mayme Garbarino Lockett and John William Garbarino, both residents of Madison County, Mississippi, and respectfully show unto the court as follows:

That Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier died on or about the 25th day of June, 1952, a resident of the Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, and left a last will and testament which has been duly and regularly admitted to probate and record in the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, a duly authenticated copy of said will and the order admitting same to probate and record being filed herewith as "Exhibit A" thereto, and that no caveat against said will has been filed in said court, and that petitioners are the duly qualified and acting executors of said will, letters testamentary having been duly issued to them as such by said court;

Petitioners would further show that said Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier died seized and possessed of interests in real estate in Madison County, Mississippi, consisting of tenant houses in Canton, Mississippi, and other realty, and that said property is affected and disposed of by said will, and it is desirable that said will be admitted to probate and record in said county as a muniment of title of the devisees who take said property under said will.

WHEREFORE, THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, petitioners pray that the copy of said will filed herewith as "Exhibit A" hereto be adjudged to be a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of said Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier, deceased, and that same be admitted to probate and record in this

Honorable Court as such and petitioners pray for general relief.

Mayme Garbarino Lockett
Mayme Garbarino Lockett

John William Garbarino
John William Garbarino

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 27th day of November, 1952.

Notary Public for Madison County, Mississippi

Sworn to and subscribed before me as to John William Garbarino, this the 3rd day of December, 1952.

Imogene E. Levy
Notary Public in and for Madison County, Mississippi

My Commission Expires Jan. 30, 1956

FILED

Dec. 5, 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCELLER CLERK

BY Adair F. Cunningham

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

Decree

This cause coming on this day to be heard on the petition of Mayme Garbarino Lockett and John William Garbarino for the admission to probate and record of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier, deceased, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier died on or about the 25th day of June, 1952, a resident of Orleans Parish, State of Louisiana, and that the original of said instrument of writing has been duly established and admitted to probate and record in Civil District Court of said Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, as the true and original last will and testament of the said Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier, deceased;

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that said instrument of writing be and it is hereby established as a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier, deceased, and that it be and hereby is admitted to probate and record as such.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED this the 7th day of December, 1952.

FILED

Dec. 5, 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERKA. C. Alsworth
Chancery Clerk
By: A. C. Alsworth
A. C. AlsworthA. C. Alsworth
Chancery Clerk
By: A. C. Alsworth

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF



LOUISIANA

14.753

Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans

I, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, That the annexed document contains a true and correct Copy of the Original Last Will and Testament and codicil on file and of record among the archives of my Office in the matter entitled "Succession of Mrs. Rose Garbarino, widow of Arthur Sauzier, under Number 315,049 of the Docket of this Honorable Court.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, on this 16th, day October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fifty two, and in the one hundred and seventy-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

Thomas S. Buckley Clerk.

I, Paul E. Chases, presiding Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THOMAS S. BUCKLEY is the Clerk of said Court, that the same is a Court of Record having probate jurisdiction, and that the signature, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk, to the foregoing certificate is in the proper handwriting of him, the said THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk; to his official act as such, full faith and credit are due; and owing; and I DO FURTHER CERTIFY that his attestation is in due form of law.

Given under my hand, at the City of New Orleans, on the 16th, day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two

Paul E. Chases Presiding Judge.

I, THOMAS S. BUCKLEY, Clerk of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, DO hereby certify that Paul E. Chases whose genuine signature appears to the foregoing certificate, is now, and was at the time of signing the same, presiding Judge of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, duly appointed and commissioned and qualified as such, and that said attestation is in due form of law.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Court, this 16th, day of October, 1922.

Thomas S. Buckley Clerk.

Ex A

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STATE OF LOUISIANA
Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans

DIVISION

DOCKET 1

Be It Remembered, That on this 30th day of June in the
Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-two and the 176th
OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Upon application of Mrs. Carrie Mai Garbarino, wid.
of John E. Griffin and pursuant to my decree bearing
even date herewith

Before me Louis H. Yarrut Judge of the CIVIL DISTRICT COURT
for the Parish of Orleans, personally came and appeared Mrs. Carrie Mai Griffin
and Mrs. Elizabeth Pigford witnesses,

who being duly sworn, were by me presented with an instrument of writing/written on one side
each of Four sheets of yellow rule paper contained in one large white
envelope of the Whitney National Bank with the following superscription:

~~"My last will Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier"~~
beginning with the following words ~~Codicil: New Orleans Louisiana June 8, 1951 This is"~~
and ending with the following ~~Will: New Orleans La on August 26th, 1948"~~
~~Codicil "where I desired to be buried".~~
Both signed: Mrs. Rose Garbarino Saucier

and purporting to be an OLOGRAPHIC LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT/which being by me
exhibited to the aforesaid witnesses, was by them acknowledged, recognized and declared to be entirely
written, dated and signed in the TESTAT rix's handwriting;

And I, the said Judge, certify that I interrogated the said witnesses under oath, touching their
knowledge of the TESTAT rix's handwriting and signature and satisfied myself that they
are familiar therewith;

I therefore make mention of the whole thereof in this my Proces Verbal.

And the said witnesses did hereunto set their signatures, before me, after due reading of the whole,
on the day, month and year first above written.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

30th day of June, 19 52

(SGND) L.H. YARRUT

Judge.

(SGND) MRS. CARRIE MAI GRIFFIN

" MRS. ELIZABETH PIGFORD

Whereupon I, the said Judge, do hereby declare the said Olographic last will and testament/^{and codicil} to be
truly proved, and having read the said WILL/^{and codicil} in a loud and distinct voice to the aforesaid witnesses,
and in the presence of Messrs. R.A. Ainsworth Sr. and Ethel S. Unger
all present in COURT, and after having signed the said will/^{and codicil} NE VARIETUR at the beginning and end
of each page thereof do now order the same to be deposited and recorded in the
OFFICE OF THE CLERK of the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, and that the execution
thereof take place according to law.

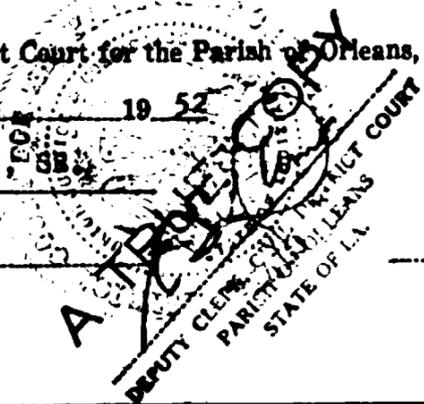
Done in the Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, this 30th day
of June 19 52

(SGND) R.A. AINSWORTH, SE

" ETHEL S. UNGER

(SGND) L.H. YARRUT

Judge.



New Orleans, Louisiana
August 26th, 1948.

This is my last will and testament. I revoke all other wills. I have been married but once and then to Arthur Saucier, who is now deceased. I have no children, nor have I adopted any, and my parents are dead. At my death I desire that my executors to be in after mentioned, purchase a tomb in Hope Mausoleum and also perpetual care thereof. I desire to be buried therein and I request that my executors have my husband's body removed from its present location and buried in the above tomb. I also instruct my executors to have masses said in Canton, Mississippi, for the benefit of Arthur Saucier and Rose Saucier, and I hereby provide \$100.00 for that purpose.

To my sister, Mayme Garbarino Lockett, I will and bequeath the following real estate, situated in the City of Canton, Mississippi:

Lot 6 with house Block 4 Caithen Addition;
Lot 36 and house First Ave. Firebaugh Addition;
N 1/2 of Lot 29 and house West Fulton Street;
Lot below Dinkens Street on the East side also
house on same lot on South Liberty St;
Lot below Dinkins St. on East side, South
Libert Street less lot sold Eddie Harris and
five houses on South Liberty St.
Lot 50x500 feet) Southeast corner, Lot 34
Northside, and house E. North Street;
s 1/2 s 1/2 of Lot 24 and house on Frost Street.

It is my purpose to give all my real estate in Canton, Mississippi to Mayme Garbarino Lockett with the exception of part of lot 1 at Academy Street and part of Lot 16 South Union Street and the residence West Academy Street. All of the latter I bequeath to Angelo Bradford Lockett Sr.

I further give to my sister, Mayme G. Lockett, my watch necklace with cameo pendent, gold Thimble, fur coat and crochet table cloth.

I will and bequeath to Mrs. Carrie Mae Griffin one Canton Sewerage and Refunding Bond of Canton, Mississippi, in the amount of \$500.00 also my automobile in case the bond has been paid before my death then in that event, I desire that amount of the proceeds thereof to be given to the said Carrie Mae Griffin.

I will and bequeath to Mike Jane Lockett, Angelo Bradford Lockett, Rosemary Lockett three (3) shares of the stock First National Bank of Canton, Mississippi and also Thirty Eight (38) shares of the stock of the Canton Exchange Bank of Canton Mississippi and also the notes I hold for the sale of Big Black Plantation, situated Route 1 West of Canton, Mississippi and also all the mineral rights on Big Black Plantation. If the purchasers thereof fail to carry out their contract and the Plantation returned to me, then I will to Rosemary Lockett, Micharell Jane Lockett, Angelo Bradford Lockett, Jr., the said plantation, together with all the mineral rights thereon. I also give to them mineral rights on Madison Station Plantation.

I will and bequeath to Angelo Bradford Lockett, Sr., and Myrtle Monice Lockett one \$1000.00 Bond of town of Isola.

I will and bequeath to DeVito Milton my diamond bracelet.

I will and bequeath to Angelo Bradford Lockett, Sr., my largest diamond stone ring.

I will and bequeath to Carrie Mae Griffin two stones in the ring of three diamonds. The other diamond I give to Charlene Griffin.

I will and bequeath to Florence Garbarino Milton, Carrie Mae Garbarino Griffin, Angelo Garbarino, John Garbarino, Mayme Garbarino Lockett, DeVito Milton, Jimmie Garbarino, John Louis

Griffin, Sr., the notes of \$1600.00 or any balance thereof and which was made to John W. Garbarino, Louis Garbarino and Angela Garbarino and which is secured by deed of trust on the Blackman Land.

Any balance of my estate I give to Rosemary Lockett.

I appoint and name as my executors without bond Mayme Garbarino Lockett and John William Garbarino without the necessity of their making any accounting.

Should any of the legatees named contest this will, it is my desire that the legacy of said legatee be then forfeited.

I name Charles J. McCabe, Attorney at Law of New Orleans, Louisiana, as attorney to settle my estate.

Thus done and written by me in the City of New Orleans, La., on August 26, 1948.

s/ MRS. ROSE GARBARINO SAUCIER

A T E S COPY
DEPUTY CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF ORLEANS
STATE OF LA.

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CHARLES J. MCCABE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
327 WHITNEY BUILDING
NEW ORLEANS 12

New Orleans, La.
June 8, 1951.

This is a codicil to my will dated August 26, 1948. I desire that said will be fully carried out except as follows,

I desire my diamond bracelet shall go to Rose Mary Lockett because I want it to remain in the family hereafter when she is deceased.

I have now purchased a tomb in Hope Mausoleum where I desired to be buried.

Handwritten: COPY
DEPUTY CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF ORLEANS
STATE OF LA.

of Mrs. ROSE BARBARINE SAGGIER

FILED

Dec. 5, 1952

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

By *Addie F. Humming*

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 5 day of December, 1952 at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 8 day of December, 1952, Book No. 7 on Page 117 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 8 of December, 1952
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By *Addie F. Humming*, D. C.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MAMIE McClure.

I. Mamie McClure, a resident of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, above the age of Twenty One years, and of sound and disposing mind and memory, make and declare this to be my last will and testament, revoking and making null and void any will or wills that I have heretofore made.

Item NO. 1:

I hereby bequeath to Charles Barksdale Mercier, my foster grand son, the sum of \$2000.00 in Trust to be used for his college education only, and if he should fail or neglect to take a college education by the time he is Twenty Two years of age or should die, then in either event said \$2000.00 shall revert to my heirs at law.

Item No. 2:

I bequeath to my foster granddaughter, Mary Claire Mercier, the sum of \$500.00 to be used to take a college education, and if she fails to take said college by the time she is 21 years of age, it is my desire, and I so will that said \$500.00 shall be paid over to her by the trustee herein named.

Item No. 3:

I bequeath all of my household personal property to my foster daughters, Alvie Mercier, and Hazel Goolsby, share and share alike, except my refrigerator, which I bequeath to my sister, Mrs. Camillia Turner, of Dallas, Texas.

Item No. 4. I hereby appoint my friend, Jack M. Greaves, Trustee and Executor of this my last will and testament without bond, and without reporting to any Court in the premises.

Witness my signature this the 6th day of November, 1952.

Mamie McClure
Mamie McClure.

Witnesses:

J. M. Greaves
Mrs John Meadows

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Jan 3. 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Abbie F. Downing, Jr

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 3 day of January, 1953, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was duly recorded on the 8 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 127.



By *Abbie F. Downing, Jr*
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of
Mrs. Mamie McClure, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and
State, J. M. Greaves, ~~and one of the~~, subscribing witnesses to a certain
instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Mamie McClure
who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. Mamie McClure
signed, published and declared said instrument as her last will and testament on the
6th day of November, A. D., 1952, the day of the date of said instrument, in the
presence of this deponent, and in the presence of Mrs. John Meadows
the other subscribing witness, and that said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and
memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having Canton usual place of abode in
said County and State, and this deponent and Mrs. John Meadows
and subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses
to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testatrix, and in the presence of
the said Testatrix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

J. M. Greaves

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 3rd day of January, A. D., 1953.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Chancery Clerk

Mrs. N. R. Snyder, D. C.

FILED

Jan. 3. 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CLERK

Asaie Fulmer, D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed
for record in my office this 3 day of January, 1953, at with o'clock - M.,
and was duly recorded on the 8 day of January 1953 Book No. 7 on Page 128
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 3 of January, 1953
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By Asaie Fulmer, D. C.

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I, Mrs. L.P.Hayes, a resident citizen of Madison County, Mississippi, and over the age of twenty one years, and being of sound disposing mind, memory and understanding, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made:

1. I will and bequeath unto my daughter Bertha B. West all personal property of every nature and kind which I may own or possess at my death, and wheresoever the same may be located or situated.

2. I own in said County 80 acres of land, or what is commonly termed an eighty; tho it may be eighty acres, more or less. This comprises my homestead; and on which is my residence where I now live. Out of this eighty acres I will and bequeath to my said daughter Bertha B. West my said residence and ten acres of land on which same is situated and immediately surrounding or adjacent to the residence; and which this bequest to her authorizes her to select by metes and bounds as may seem best to, and as desired by, her, such ten acres as she deems suitable.

3. After the said Bertha B. West has definitely selected and staked off her said ten acres, then the remainder of the said eighty acres, or eighth of land, is hereby willed and bequeathed to my children, and who are, and share and share alike, namely: Wirt Billingslea; Oliver Billingslea; Walter Billingslea and David Billingslea; and Louise Knight; Mary Andrews and Jessie Miller.

4. All other property of every nature and kind, whether real or personal, and which I may hereafter acquire, I will and bequeath to Bertha B. West. I also nominate her as my executrix and without bond; and it is my express desire that she shall not be required to make any report of any of her actions as such to any Court.

Made, published and declared by me to be my last will and testament on this the 18 May, Anno Domini, 1949.

W. Fred Bryant
Witness To Will

Emmie B. Bryant
Witness To Will

L. P. Hayes
Testatrix

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Jan. 12. 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Adair F. Dunning

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 12 day of January, 1953, at 12 o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 14 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 129 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 14 of January, 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Adair F. Dunning D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

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CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of

Mrs. L. P. Hayes, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned ^{Notary Public} ~~Clerk of the Chancery Court~~ in and for ^{Attala} ~~Madison~~ County and State, W. Fred Comfort and Emice P. Comfort, subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Mrs. L. P. Hayes

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mrs. L. P. Hayes

signed, published and declared said instrument as her last will and testament on the

18th day of May, A. D., 1949, the day of the date of said instrument, in the

presence of ~~the~~ ^{these} deponents and in the presence of each other

~~the other subscribing witnesses~~, and that said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and

memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having her usual place of abode in

said County and State, and this deponent and W. Fred Comfort

and Emice P. Comfort subscribed and attested said instrument as witness ~~of~~

to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testatrix, and in the presence of

the said Testatrix and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

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W. Fred Comfort
W. Fred Comfort

Emice P. Comfort
Emice P. Comfort

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Emice P. Comfort subscribed before me this the 12 day of January, A. D., 1953

~~Emice P. Comfort~~ Chancery Clerk

E. N. Winter, ~~Notary~~

Notary Public in and for Attala County, Miss.

Emice P. Comfort

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 12 day of January, 1953, at 1 o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 14 day of Jan, 1953 Book No. 7 on Page 130 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 14 of January, 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By Emice P. Comfort, D. C.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND
TESTAMENT OF ROBERT YORK, DECEASED

No. 14-769

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF FOREIGN WILL

TO THE CHANCERY COURT OF SAID COUNTY:

Come Jerome B. York, a resident of the State of Virginia, and Rosemary York Cupp, a resident of the State of North Carolina, and respectfully show unto the court the following facts, to-wit:

That Robert York died on or about October 18, 1948, a resident of Shelby County, Tennessee, and left a last will and testament which has been duly and regularly admitted to probate and record in the Probate Court of said county and state, a duly authenticated copy of said will and of the order admitting the same to probate and record being filed herewith as Exhibit "A" hereto, and that no caveat against said will has been filed in said court, and that petitioners are the duly qualified and acting executors of said will, letters testamentary having been duly issued to them as such by said court;

Petitioners would further show that the said Robert York died seized and possessed of interests in real estate in Madison County, Mississippi, consisting chiefly of an undivided interest in non-producing oil, gas and mineral rights in said county, and that said property is affected and disposed of by said will, and it is desirable that said will be admitted to probate and record in said county as a muniment of title of the devisees who take said property under said will.

WHEREFORE, THE PREMISES CONSIDERED, petitioners pray that the copy of said will filed herewith as Exhibit "A" hereto be adjudged to be a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of the said Robert York,

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deceased, and that the same be admitted to probate and record in this Honorable Court as such. And petitioners pray for general relief.

Jerome B. York
Jerome B. York

Rosemary York Cupp
Rosemary York Cupp

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 8th day of December, 1952, by Jerome B. York.

My Commission expires March 13th, 1953

Mary E. Zulwiler
Notary Public in and for

County of Arlington

State of Virginia

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 18th day of December, 1952, by Rosemary York Cupp.



My Commission Expires: 42, 1953.

Mary Will Mitchell
Notary Public in and for

County of Jackson

State of North Carolina

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Jan 15 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY Assie L. Lunning

EXHIBIT "A" 7-133

EXHIBIT "A"

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF NO. 59545
ROBERT YORK, Deceased

P E T I T I O N

TO THE HON. JAMES W. WATSON, Judge of said Court:

Come your petitioners, Jerome B. York and Rosemary York Cupp, and show to the Court as follows:

Petitioners' father, Robert York, a resident of Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee, departed this life in said County on October 18, 1948, leaving a Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, written entirely in the handwriting of the said Robert York, which instruments were found by your petitioners among his valuable papers in his room at the Tennessee Hotel, in Memphis, Tennessee, which said instrument names your petitioners, Jerome B. York and Rosemary York Cupp (formerly Rosemary York) as executors without bond, which said instrument is here presented to the Court as being the true Last Will and Testament of the said Robert York, deceased.

Your petitioners say that the said Robert York died seized and possessed of certain property in Shelby County, Tennessee, and it is necessary that said Will be established as the true Last Will and Testament of the said Robert York, and admitted to probate in this court, as required by law.

Your petitioners say that said Will is dated September 7, 1944, and there are four Codicils to said Will, the first of which is dated March 10, 1945, the second dated September 17, 1947; the third is dated November 7, 1947, and the last Codicil is dated January 8, 1948. The second and third Codicils to said Will are marked "Cancelled" on their faces, which notation of cancellation is in the handwriting of the said Robert York. The first and third codicils are not cancelled and revoked and are

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part of the Will of the said Robert York, and by their terms make certain changes in the original will.

Your petitioners say that at the time of the execution of said will and the several Codicils thereto the said Robert York was of sound mind and memory, over the age of twenty-one Years, and fully competent to make a Will,

WHEREFORE, your petitioners pray that proof may be heard by this Court concerning the due and lawful execution of said Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, by the said Robert York, now deceased, and that said written instruments which are offered as the Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, and now shown to the Court, may be established and declared to be the true Last Will and Testament of said Robert York, deceased, and that as such the same may be admitted to probate and ordered to be recorded in the record of Wills of Shelby County, Tennessee, and that Letters Testamentary be issued to your petitioners as executors, without bond, of said Last Will and Testament of Robert York, deceased, as provided by the terms and provisions thereof.

Jerome B. York

Rosemart York Cupp
PETITIONERS

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
County of Shelby)

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned Clerk of the Probate Court of said County and State, duly appointed, qualified and commissioned, JEROME B. YORK and ROSEMARY YORK CUP, petitioners in the foregoing petition, who make oath that the matters and things set forth in same are true and correct as therein stated.

Jerome B. York

Rosemary York Cupp

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this 22nd day of October, 1948.

G.A. Decker
D.Clerk of the Probate Court

Jas. R. McNeill

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Probate Court of Shelby County.

State of Tennessee
SHELBY COUNTY

Pleas before the Honorable James W. Watson

Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, held in the City of Memphis and State and County aforesaid:

**Be it remembered, that on the 22nd day of October 1948
it being one of the days of the October 1948 Term of aforesaid Court,
the following appears of record in the words and figures, viz:**

IN RE: ESTATE
OF NO. 59545
ROBERT YORK, DECEASED

Be it remembered that on this day there came on to be heard the petition of Jerome B. York and Rosemary York Cupp, who presented to this Court a certain written instrument dated September 7, 1944, captioned "Will of Robert York", and four instruments of writing dated, respectively, March 10, 1945, September 17, 1947, November 7, 1947, and January 3, 1948, all captioned Codicils to the Will of September 7, 1944, and all of said instruments including said Will and four Codicils being entirely in the handwriting of said Robert York, and signed by him as his Will, and Codicils thereto, and offered with said Petition as the true Last Will and Testament and Codicils thereto, of the said Robert York, and shown to the Court, which petition prayed that proof may be taken and heard concerning the due and lawful execution of said instruments by the said Robert York, in which said instruments the petitioners were named as executors, without bond;

And, thereupon there appeared in open court as witnesses, Mrs. Ruth A. Williams, Clifford H. McClanahan and James R. McDowell, who were duly sworn according to law and testified in open court that they had examined said written instruments offered for probate, and being entirely in the handwriting of the said Robert York, deceased, and stated further that the handwriting of the said Robert York was generally known by his acquaintances, and that they, the said witnesses, were each and all well acquainted with his handwriting, and that the instruments presented to the Court with said petition as being the Last Will and Testament, and Codicils there-

to, executed by the said Robert York on their respective dates were entirely in the handwriting of the said Robert York;

And it further appearing to the Court that said instruments captioned Will of Robert York and four Codicils thereto, dated as aforesaid, were found among the testator's valuable papers in his room at the Tennessee Hotel in Memphis, Tennessee;

And it further appearing that the said Robert York was a resident of Shelby County, Tennessee, and over the age of twenty-one years, departed this life in Shelby County, on October 18, 1948, and that said Robert York, was, at the time of the execution of said instruments, which are referred to as his Will and four Codicils thereto, over the age of twenty-one years, of sound mind and memory and competent to make a Will;

And it appearing further to the satisfaction of the Court upon the proof offered in open Court, that the instruments offered as the Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, of the said Robert York, deceased, are entirely in the handwriting of the said Robert York and were found among his valuable papers, and are, in truth and in fact, the true Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, of the said Robert York, and are entitled to be admitted to probate in this court;

And it appearing further that the petitioners, Jerome B. York and Rosemary York Cupp, named in said instruments as executors, without bond, are suitable persons to be named as such executors, and are ready and willing to act;

It is, therefore, accordingly, ordered and adjudged by the Court that the written instrument captioned Will of Robert York, and dated September 7, 1944, and Two Codicils thereto, dated respectively, March 10, 1945, and January 8, 1949, and signed by the said Robert York be, and they are hereby established and declared to be the true Last Will and Testament, and Codicils thereto, of the said Robert York, deceased, and are hereby admitted to probate in this court and ordered recorded in the Record of Wills of Shelby County, Tennessee, and that Letters Testamentary shall issue to the said Jerome B. York and

Rosemary York Cupp, without bond, to the end that said Will may be executed as required by law, upon the taking of the oath prescribed by law by said named executors.

ORDERED this 22 day of October, 1948

BOOK 7 #137

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ROBERT YORK, DECEASED

FILED OCTOBER 22, 1941

WILL OF ROBERT YORK

I, Robert York being of sound mind and disposing memory make this my last will and testament, revoking all former wills and codicils to same made by me.

First I wish to thank my Heavenly Father for His divine guidance on my life's journey. I have always looked to Him for guidance, and have tried to follow the teachings of His Son our Lord. I trust that my beneficiaries will do likewise. I desire that my Mississippi and Alabama property- be held in trust and operated for a period of at least two years in accordance with contracts I have and understanding with my partners and associates, A.C. Massengill and C.I. Shade, the same as I would do if living. My Louisiana property I desire be kept in tact and handled for a reforestation project and cattle or stock raising proposition. This however to be decided by my executors and A.C. Massengill, both as to operating and liqui-

Page 2 - Will of Robert York

dation. This for protection to my associates as well as the benefit to my Estate.

I direct that my just and legal debts be paid, and funds necessary to carry out my wishes as hereinbefore expressed advanced. After a period of two years my beneficiaries can decide if they wish to liquidate or operate, in the meantime nominal distribution can be made if my Executors have sufficient funds without impairing operations. In the final or partial distribution my estate is to be divided into eight equal parts, one part to each of my four children, namely Rosemary T. York, Philip K. York, Jerome B. York and Robert York, Jr. any advances or loans I have made are to be considered gifts and not charged against their share, One part to my Grand-son, Jerome B. York, Jr.

Cancelled(
see
Codicil ()
Jan , 1944)

One part to my good friend Mrs. Irene L. Joiner, during her life time, any distribution during her life time, to be the same as others previously mentioned- if anything left at her death to be returned to corpus of the estate,

Page 3. Will of Robert York

"The income only from one part to be used at the discretion of my son Jerome B. York for help or assistance of my sister Mary Y. Trigg, and my former wife Rosa K. York" the remainder of this fund to be returned to the corpus of my estate,

One part to be used as a fund to pay for the expenses of handling my estate to carry out the intent and desire of this my last Will and Testament, the remainder, if any to be returned to the corpus of my estate. If not sooner advisable- at the end of five years, the corpus of the estate and accruals, if any to be distributed equally, and I hereby will and bequeath to each of my four children, towit: Rosemary T. York, Philip K. York, Jerome B. York and Robert York, Jr. and to my grandson Jerome B. York Jr. my son Jerome B. York to be his guardian until he is of age, and Mrs. Nan D. Hampton for and during her life, an equal (1/6) one-sixth interest each, in kind, of the corpus of my estate Ten per cent or one-tenth of the cash on hand or in banks at the time of my death is first willed and bequeathed to St. Johns Episcopal Church of Buntyn, Tennessee. The intent and construction of this will to be determined by my executors. I hereby appoint my son Jerome B. York, and my associate Charles I. Shade, executors of this my last will and testament without bond, also as Trustees. If either is absent from this country the other to act alone until his return. This the 7th of September, 1944
Robert York

BOOK 7 #139

CODICIL TO MY WILL

dated 10th SEPTEMBER 1945

I hereby revoke the appointment of Charles I, Shade as Co-Executor and Trustee of my Will- and I hereby appoint my daughter Rosemary York as Co-Executor, without bond and also as Trustee, to act in the place of Charles I Shade.

This the 10th day of March 1945.

Robert York

CODICIL TO MY WILL

Jan. 8th 1946

The last six lines of page 2 of my will the first line reading

"One part to my good friend Mrs. Irene I." is hereby cancelled and annulled - and the following substituted in lieu thereof

"One part to my fiance Mrs. Nan Davis Hampton, during her life time, any distribution during her life time to be the same as others previously mentioned, if anything left at her death to be returned to the corpus of the Estate"

The codicil to my will dated September 1th 1945 is hereby cancelled and annulled.

This the 8th day of January 1946.

Robert York

Admitted to Probate and ordered recorded October 22, 1946

James W. Watson, Judge

Recorded October 22, 1946

John W. McGoldrick, Clerk

By: Katherine S. Braxton, D.C.

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Letters Testamentary

State of Tennessee, }
SHELBY COUNTY } ss.

TO Joseph B. Webb and Rosemary Webb Guen

It appearing to the Probate Court now in session, that

Robert Webb

has died, leaving a WILL, and the Court being satisfied as to your claim to administration, and you having given bond and qualified as directed by law, and the Court having ordered that Letters Testamentary be issued you of the said Webb.

These Are, Therefore, to authorize and empower you to take into your possession and control all the goods, chattels, claims and papers of said testate, and return a true and perfect inventory thereof to our next Probate Court; to collect and pay all debts, and to do and transact all the duties in relation to said estate which lawfully devolve on you as Execut OR, and after having settled up said estate, to deliver the residue thereof to those who are by law entitled.

WITNESS JOHN W. McGOLDRICK, Clerk of Said Court, at office, this _____ day of _____

_____ 194 _____

JOHN W. McGOLDRICK, Clerk.

By H. Gerald Webb D. C.

State of Tennessee,
SHELBY COUNTY

BOOK 7 PAGE 14

I, JOHN W. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk of the County and Probate Courts of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing _____ pages contain a full, true and exact copy of the

as the same appears of record or on file in _____ of this office.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at office, in the City of Memphis, this

day of _____ 195

John W. McGoldrick
Clerk.

State of Tennessee,
SHELBY COUNTY

PROBATE COURT ROOM
Memphis, Tennessee

I, SYLVANUS POLK, sole and presiding Judge of the Probate Court of said County, certify that JOHN W. MCGOLDRICK, who gave the foregoing Certificate, is now, and was at the time of signing the same, Clerk of Said Court, and that said Court is a Court of Record, and that his attestation is in due form, and his official acts, as such, are entitled to full faith and credit.

Witness my hand, this _____ day of _____ 195

Sylvanus Polk
Judge.

State of Tennessee,
SHELBY COUNTY

I, John W. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk of the Probate Court of said County, certify that HON. SYLVANUS POLK whose genuine official signature appears to the above and hereto annexed Certificate, is and was at the time of signing the same, sole, and presiding Judge of the Probate Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commission and qualified, and that all his official acts, as such, are entitled to full faith and credit.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at office, in the City of Memphis, this

_____ day of _____ 195
John W. McGoldrick
Clerk.

Jan - 15 - 1953
MEMPHIS
Debbie Fulmer

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ROBERT YORK, DECEASED

No. 14-267

DECREE ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE AND RECORD

This cause coming on this day to be heard on the petition of Jerome B. York and Honorary York Cupp for the admission to probate and record of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of Robert York, deceased, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said Robert York died on or about October 18, 1948, a resident of Shelby County, Tennessee, and that the original of said instrument of writing has been duly established and admitted to probate and record of the probate court of said county and state as the true and original last will and testament of the said Robert York, deceased;

IT IS THEREUPON ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that said instrument of writing be and it hereby is established as a duly authenticated copy of the last will and testament of the said Robert York, deceased, and that it be and hereby is admitted to probate and record as such.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, this the 15 day of November, 1952.

A. C. Alsworth
Chancery Clerk
By *Assie F. Humming* d c

FILED

Jan 15 - 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Assie F. Humming d c

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 5 day of January, 1953, at 11:00 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 15 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 131 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 15 of January, 1953.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By *Assie F. Humming*, D. C.



LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
L. S. MILLS

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I, L. S. MILLS of Canton, Mississippi, being above the age of twenty-one years and of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do hereby make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all former wills and bequests of every kind and nature whatsoever, particularly revoking the Last Will and Testament executed by me on January 23, 1950.

1. I hereby nominate as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament Dr. Robin Harris of Jackson, Mississippi. If for any reason he fails and refuses to act as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, then I name Frank Allen of Canton, Mississippi, as Executor of my Last Will and Testament. I specifically provide that the Executor's fee shall be set at three per cent of my gross estate.

2. It is my will that all of my last debts and probated debts be paid.

3. It is further my will that a marker be erected at my grave, another marker to be erected at the grave of each of my three brothers, each of said markers to cost approximately \$150.00, for a total of \$600.00 for the four markers, said markers to be similar and suitable.

4. I will, devise and bequeath the \$7,000.00 in War Bonds, or Series "E" bonds (it is my intention to will, devise and bequeath all War Bonds or Series "E" bonds owned by me, whether correctly described herein or not) to my first cousin, Minnie Kate Pearce.

5. At my death, I will that all municipal bonds and all deeds of trusts and notes owned by me be sold and converted into cash, the said cash to be disposed of as hereinafter specifically stated.

6. I will, devise and bequeath unto the Madison County March of Dimes Polio Drive the sum of \$200.00 in cash, and unto the Madison County Tuberculosis Association the sum of \$200.00 in cash.

7. If I have not prior to my death sold my home and the lot on which it is situated in Canton, Mississippi, it is my will that

said home and the lot on which it is situated be sold to the best advantage and converted into cash. It is my opinion that said property should bring not less than \$15,000.00 and possibly as much as \$18,000.00.

8. I will, devise and bequeath to the persons hereinafter named the amounts of cash set opposite their names, to-wit:

Minnie Kate Pearce (my first cousin)	\$3,000.00 cash
Elizabeth Pearce Gaines Memphis, Tennessee (my second cousin)	2,000.00 cash
Mrs. Terrell Wales (my third cousin)	1,000.00 cash
Katherine McIntosh (my third cousin)	500.00 cash
William Lavender Canton, Mississippi	2,000.00 cash
Edwin Hill (my servant and driver)	1,000.00 cash
Mrs. Robin Harris Jackson, Mississippi	1,000.00 cash
Austin Gaines	1,000.00 cash
The younger brother of Austin Gaines	1,000.00 cash
Mrs. Pearl L. Turner	1,000.00 cash

If, after paying all the expenses of the administration of my estate and all legacies prior to those contained in this section of the will, there is insufficient money on hand to pay these legacies in full, it is my will that each and every one of them be cut proportionately, so that each of the above legatees named in this section shall share proportionately in the cash in my estate.

9. It is my will that at my death the automobile owned by me be sold for cash.

10. I especially caution my cousin, Minnie Kate Pearce, and my servant, Edwin Hill, not to use the money devised to them with which to buy automobiles, as automobiles are a source of constant expense, and if they buy automobiles, they will soon run through the money which I have left them.

11. I will, devise and bequeath to Dr. Robin Harris of Jackson, Mississippi, all beagle hounds owned by me.

12. I will, devise and bequeath unto my cousin, Mrs. Terrell Wales, all jewelry of every kind and nature owned by me.

13. I will, devise and bequeath unto Mrs. Pearl L. Turner the small child's single bed owned by me.

14. I will, devise and bequeath unto Minnie Kate Pearce, my first cousin, all the other furniture, fixtures and equipment, including, but not limited to, all rugs, pictures, paintings and all personalty, of every kind or nature owned by me and located in my house at Canton, Mississippi.

15. In case any one of the devisees hereinabove named should predecease me, it is my will that the part of my estate willed to them shall remain in said estate and shall descend as hereinafter set forth.

16. All cattle of every kind and nature owned by me at the time of my death, I will, devise and bequeath unto Mrs. Virginia Cameron Taylor of Paducah, Kentucky.

17. I will, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate not hereinabove otherwise disposed of to the following parties in the following proportions:

Minnie Kate Pearce	twenty (20) per cent
Elizabeth Pearce Gaines	ten (10) per cent
Terrell Wales	ten (10) per cent
Katherine McIntosh	ten (10) per cent
William Lavender	ten (10) per cent
Mrs. Robin Harris	ten (10) per cent
Mrs. Pearl L. Turner	ten (10) per cent
Austin Gaines	ten (10) per cent
Austin Gaines' younger brother	ten (10) per cent

In case any one of the nine last above mentioned devisees shall die before I die, it is my will that the share of my estate willed to him hereunder shall descend to the other surviving devisees, share and share alike.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, published and declared

this to be my Last Will and Testament at Jackson, Hinds County, Mississippi, on this the 18th day of August, 1952.

L. S. Mills
L. S. MILLS

The foregoing instrument was signed, sealed, published and declared by L. S. MILLS, the Testator, as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us and each of us, and we, at the same time, at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, and believing him to be of sound mind, have hereunto subscribed our names as attesting witnesses, this 18th day of August, 1952, all at the City of Jackson, Hinds County, Mississippi.

Annette Forder, R.N. 1721 Lyncrest Ave, Jackson, Miss.
L. Muree Tucker, R.N. 1912 Winfield Circle, Jackson, Miss.
Charles W. Busby, Jackson, Miss.

I, L. S. Mills of Canton, Mississippi being above the age of twenty-one years, and of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding, do hereby make and publish this Codicil to my last will and Testament at Jackson, Hinds County Mississippi, on this the 18th day of August, 1952

1. It is my will that Virginia Taylor Taylor have, and I hereby bequeath the air conditioning unit in my home at Canton, Mississippi to her

L. S. Mills

FILED

Jan. 26. 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Witnessed

L. Muree Tucker, R.N.
Annette Forder, R.N.
Charles W. Busby

Archie F. Drumming, D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office, this 26 day of January, 1953, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded on the 27 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 142



Witnessed at hand and seal of office, this the 27 of January, 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Archie F. Drumming, D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HINDS.....

AFFIDAVIT OF SUBSCRIBING WITNESS

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, the undersigned authority in and for said county and state, Charles W. Busby, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of L. S. Mills, deceased, late of the County of Madison, Mississippi, who, having first been duly sworn, makes oath that the said L. S. Mills signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament, on the 18th day of August, 1952, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this affiant, and Annelle Ponder, R.N. and LMiree Tucker, R.N., the other subscribing witnesses to said instrument; that said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and twenty-one years and upwards of age; and he, the said affiant, Charles W. Busby, Annelle Ponder, R. N. and LMiree Tucker, R. N., subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance and request, and in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each other.

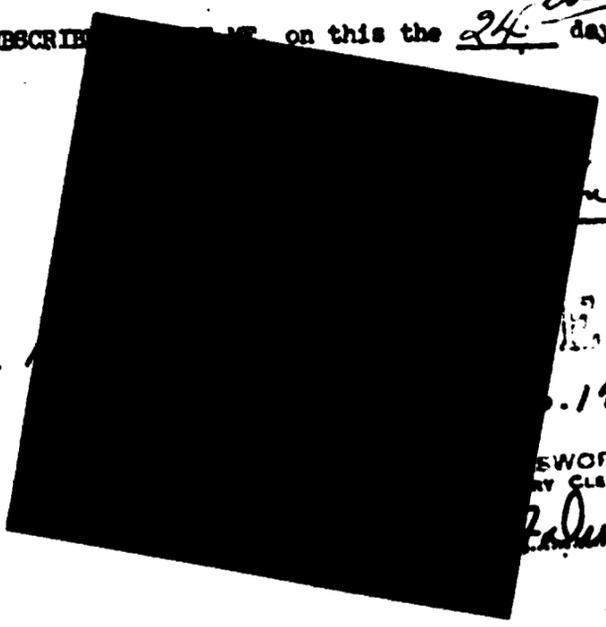
Charles W. Busby
CHARLES W. BUSBY

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED to before me on this the 24th day of January, 1953.



My Commission Expires:

Aug.



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1953

ALSWORTH
CLERK

Edmund J. Alcorn

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 26 day of January, 1953, at 4:30 o'clock P.M., and was duly recorded on the 27 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 147 in my office.



Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 27 day of January, 1953
A. C. Alsworth, Clerk.
Edmund J. Alcorn, D. C.

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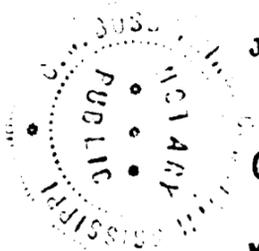
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HINDS.....

AFFIDAVIT OF SUBSCRIBING WITNESS

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, LMree Tucker, R.N., one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of L. S. Mills, deceased, late of the County of Madison, Mississippi, who, having first been duly sworn, makes oath that the said L. S. Mills signed, published and declared said instrument as his last Will and Testament, on the 18th day of August, 1952, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this affiant, and Annelle Pender, R.N. and Charles W. Busby, the other subscribing witnesses to said instrument; that said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and twenty-one years and upwards of age; and she, the said affiant, LMree Tucker, R.N., Annelle Pender, R.N., and Charles W. Busby subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance and request, and in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each other.

L. Mree Tucker, R.N.
LMree Tucker, R.N.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, on this the 24th day of January, 1953.



(SEAL)

Charles W. Busby
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:
May 14, 1955

Jan. 26. 1953
Adelle F. Dunning

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 26 day of January, 1953, at 4:30 o'clock P M., and was duly recorded on the 27 day of January, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 148 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 27 of January, 1953
A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Adelle F. Dunning, D. C.



IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

In the Matter of
Last Will and Testament

Of

No. 14-771

Edward F. Voss,

Non-resident

To the Chancery Court of Madison County, Mississippi:

Now comes Mrs. Trula L. Voss and shows to the Court that Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, a resident of Scott County, Iowa, departed this life in Davenport, Iowa, upon the 31st day of July, 1952, leaving a Last Will and Testament dated March 14, 1947, with two codicils dated January 19, 1948, and June 14, 1949, respectively, which will, with its codicils, was duly admitted to probate in the District Court of Scott County, Iowa, on August 8, 1952.

Petitioner shows that while said testator was a resident of the State of Iowa, he owned at the time of his death certain interests in real property in the State of Mississippi, and in the County of Madison, therein.

Petitioner files herewith copies of said Last Will and Testament and codicils thereto, with the proceedings to probate, including testimony of subscribing witnesses and Decree of Probate, to the end that same be admitted to probate in this Court, County and State. She shows that, as the widow of said decedent and one of the devisees named in said will she is entitled to submit said will and codicils for probate in this jurisdiction.

Premises considered, petitioner prays that this Court will upon the aforesaid record filed with this petition admit said will and codicils thereto to probate and record as the true and original Last Will and

Testament and First and Second codicils of Edward F. (or E. F. or Edward Frits) Voss, as provided by the Statutes in such cases made and provided.

And Petitioner prays for general relief.

Mrs Trula L. Voss - ✓
Mrs. Trula L. Voss

Marion Dean
Solicitors

STATE OF IOWA |
COUNTY OF SCOTT | SS:

THIS DAY personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, MRS. TRULA L. VOSS, personally known to me, who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did say that the allegations of the foregoing petition are true and correct as therein set forth.

Mrs Trula L. Voss - ✓
Mrs. Trula L. Voss

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this, December 31, 1952.



Edward F. Dillingham

My Commission Expires:

July 4, 1954

FILED

Jan. 19-1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Asse F. Dillingham
DC

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
EDWARD F. VOSS

I, EDWARD F. VOSS (sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss) a resident of Scott County, Iowa, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare the following presents to be my Last will and Testament and do hereby revoke all wills and codicils thereto hereto or made by me.

PARAGRAPH FIRST

I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid by my executor as soon after my decease as may be practicable.

PARAGRAPH SECOND

Section 1. I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my property of every kind and nature and wheresoever situated to my wife, Irula G. Voss and to my daughter, Patricia Jane Morris, and to my daughter, Carolyn Ann Voss, in equal shares.

Section 2. In the event my said wife does not survive me I give, devise and bequeath the share otherwise devised and bequeathed to her to my said daughters in equal shares.

Section 3. In the event a daughter does not survive me and is survived by a child, or children, who does survive me, I give, devise and bequeath the share otherwise devised and bequeathed to said daughter, to said child, or children, of said daughter in equal shares, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that in the event a child of said daughter is

End of Page One of Will of Edward F. Voss

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then not twenty-one (21) years of age, the share of said child shall be held by its father in trust, as Trustee without bond, however, for the suitable support, maintenance and education of such child until it does become twenty-one (21) years of age, at

Edward F. Voss

which time the corpus and undistributed income of said trust shall be payable to said child; during the pendency of such trust said Trustee may use such portions of the income and/or corpus as he may deem necessary for the purposes of this trust and may make payments directly to said child, or to someone for the account of said child.

Section 4. In the event a daughter does not survive me and is not survived by a child who does survive me, I give, devise and bequeath the share otherwise devised and bequeathed to said daughter, to the daughter who does survive me, or the child, or children, of said other daughter, as the case may be, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that in the event said child, or children, of said other daughter is not then twenty-one (21) years of age, said share shall be held by the Trustee as provided for in Section 3 of this PARAGRAPH SECOND and PROVIDED FURTHER that in the event said predeceased daughter is not survived by a child, or children, or by her sister, or the child, or children, of said sister, I give, devise and bequeath said share otherwise devised and bequeathed to said daughter to the husband of said daughter in the event he survives, or in the event he does not survive to the husband of said other daughter.

Edward F. Voss

End of Page Two of Will of Edward F. Voss

Beginning of Page Three of Will of Edward F. Voss

PARAGRAPH THIRD

The bequest and devise to my wife, Trula L. Voss, made in Paragraph Second hereof is in lieu of dower, homestead and distributive share in my estate.

PARAGRAPH FOURTH

In the event the father of a child is not alive to act as Trustee under Section 3 of Paragraph Second hereof, or resigns or becomes incapable of acting, my other said daughter shall act as Trustee, or her husband in the event said other daughter does not survive.

PARAGRAPH FIFTH

I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Trula L. Voss, Executrix of this, my Last Will and Testament, and request that she not be required to furnish bond for the faithful performance

Edward F. Voss

of her duties as such. In the event my said wife does not survive me, or resigns or becomes incapable of acting, I nominate and appoint my daughters, Patricia Jane Morris and Carolyn Ann Voss, or the survivor of them, executrices of this, my Last Will and Testament, and request that they not be required to furnish bond for the faithful performance of their duties as such.

PARAGRAPH SIXTH

I hereby authorize and empower my Executrix and Trustees to grant, bargain, sell, convey and transfer any or all of my property of any kind or nature, or any interest therein, at such time or times, for such price or prices, and on such terms and conditions as said Executrix and Trustees, in their discretion may deem

End of Page Three of Will of Edward F. Voss

Beginning of Page Four of Will of Edward F. Voss

proper and to exchange and transfer any stocks or bonds or other evidences of ownership and other entities owned by me in the event of any reorganization or change of capital structure, and to participate in and vote in any proceeding involving such reorganization or change, all in their discretion; and the deeds, conveyances, transfers or exchanges of my Executrix shall convey to the purchaser, or purchasers, or recipients of such property so sold or exchanges, or any part thereof, good and indefeasible titles according to the terms of such deeds, conveyances, transfers or exchanges, without any obligation on the part of the purchaser or purchasers or recipients to look to the application of the purchase money or consideration.

I have granted my said Executrix and Trustees full authority to be exercised in their unfettered discretion. However, I do recommend to said Executrix and Trustees that they consult with my brother, Walter K. Voss, in connection with any important matters or transactions and in the event said Walter K. Voss does not survive me, I recommend that they consult in similar fashion with other members of my family in connection with any transactions involving matters in which said members of my

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FIRST CODICIL
TO
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
EDWARD F. VOSS

I, EDWARD F. VOSS, (sometimes known as E. F. VOSS and sometimes also known as EDWARD FRITZ VOSS) a resident of Scott County, Iowa, being of full age and of sound and disposing mind and memory do hereby make, publish and declare the following presents to be the FIRST CODICIL to my Last Will and Testament executed by me March 14, 1947.

PARAGRAPH FIRST OF FIRST CODICIL

In the event any legacy, bequest, devise or succession depends upon a person surviving me or some other person then I provide that said person must survive for at least six (6) months for said legacy, bequest, devise or succession to be effective and operative and to vest.

PARAGRAPH SECOND OF FIRST CODICIL

Except as herein modified and changed, I hereby republish my Last Will and Testament executed by me March 17, 1947.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19 day of January, 1948.

EDWARD F. VOSS, (SEAL)

End of Page One of First Codicil to Will of Edward F. Voss

The foregoing instrument, consisting of two (2) pages, including this page and the preceding page, was on the date thereof, to-wit, the 19th day of January, 1948, signed, sealed and declared as and for the First Codicil to his Last Will and Testament by the said Edward F. Voss, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, did sign our names as witnesses thereto.

Bernard F. Balluff, residing at Davenport, Iowa

Ruth French residing at Davenport, Iowa

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End of Page Two of First Codicil to Will of Edward F. Voss

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SECOND CODICIL
TO
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
EDWARD F. VOSS

I, EDWARD F. VOSS, (sometimes known as E.F. VOSS and sometimes also known as EDWARD FRITZ VOSS) a resident of Scott County, Iowa, being of full age and of sound and disposing mind and memory do hereby make, publish and declare the following presents to be the SECOND CODICIL to my Last Will and Testament executed by me March 14, 1947.

PARAGRAPH FIRST OF SECOND CODICIL

In the event that Mr. & Mrs. James M. Morris Jr. have not paid the amount due me for advances made to them amounting to \$527.80, this amount should be deducted from the amount due Mrs. Pattye Jane Morris under the terms of my will.

PARAGRAPH SECOND OF SECOND CODICIL

The one share of stock that I gave to Mr. J.M. Morris Jr. of the Blackhawk Foundry & Machine Company to permit him to become a director, shall be deducted from the amount due Mrs. Pattye Jane Morris Jr. at the time of my death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of June, 1949.

E F VOSS (SEAL)

The foregoing instrument, consisting of this page, was on the date thereof, to-wit, the 14th day of June, 1949, signed, sealed and declared as and for the Second Codicil to his Last Will and Testament by the said Edward F. Voss, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, did sign our names as witnesses thereto.

Bernadine C. Westendorf residing at Davenport, Iowa.

Ella Sommer residing at Davenport, Iowa.

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ELMER JENS
Clerk District Court
Scott County, Iowa

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF IOWA IN AND FOR SCOTT COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE WILL OF)

Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, Deceased) ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE

On the 8th day of August, 1952 this matter comes on for hearing and proving the instrument bearing date the 14th day of March, 1947, and two codicils thereto bearing dates the 19th day of January 1948 and the 14th day of June, 1949, respectively, which instrument was heretofore filed and publicly read by the Clerk of this Court, and purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, deceased. The Court finds that said Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, departed this life at Davenport, Iowa on the 31st day of July, 1952 being at the time of death a resident of Scott County, Iowa, and that this Court has jurisdiction of this matter.

The Court further finds that due notice of the time set for hearing this matter has been duly given by personal service on the spouse and heirs at law as required by law and the previous order of this Court.

Trial is thereupon had to the Court. Cook, Blair & Balluff appearing for the probate of said instrument, and no one appearing to contest the same, and the Court having heard the proofs and evidences adduced, and being fully advised in the premises, finds, that said instrument is in due form of law and executed according to law, that said Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, at the time of executing the same was of sound mind, full age, and competent to dispose of his property by will, and that it is the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, deceased.

It is thereupon ordered by the Court that said instrument be and the same is hereby admitted to probate as a good and valid will, and as the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, deceased, and that it be recorded as such, which is accordingly done, in Will Record No. 31 page 576 of the Probate Records of this Court.

It is further ordered by the Court that Trula L. Voss named in said will as Executrix thereof, and exempted from giving any bonds as such, be and she is hereby appointed such Executrix, and that upon her qualifying by taking the oath required by law, Letters Testamentary with a certified copy of said will annexed issue to her.

Said Executrix is directed to give notice of her appointment by posting a notice thereof at three public places in Scott County, Iowa, one of which shall be at the Court House.

ELMER JENS Clerk of District Court, Scott County, Iowa

No. 24586 IN PROBATE Matter of the Will of Edward F. Voss, etc. Deceased Order of Probate FILED Aug 8 1952 Clerk District Court Scott County, Iowa

In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Scott County

STATE OF IOWA, Scott County, ss.

I, Elmer Jens, Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, compared and perfect transcript of Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, Deceased; and Order Admitting Will to Probate, - - all in the matter of the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, Deceased - being in Probate Cause No. 24586, as fully as the same remains of record and on file in my office. I further certify that the Last Will and Testament of the said Edward F. Voss, sometimes known as E. F. Voss and sometimes known as Edward Fritz Voss, Deceased, was duly ~~filed in my office~~ proved, allowed and admitted to probate according to the laws and usages of the State of Iowa. **IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the**

seal of said Court at my office in Davenport, in said County, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1952

Elmer Jens
Clerk District Court

STATE OF IOWA, Scott County, ss.

I, Glenn D. Kelly, one of the Judges of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for the Seventh Judicial District of said State, composed of the Counties of Scott, Clinton, Muscatine and Jackson, do hereby certify that Elmer Jens who has given the preceding certificate, was, at the time of so doing, the Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for Scott County, in said District, duly qualified as such, that he is the proper custodian of the records of said Court, and the proper officer to give such certificate, and that the same is in due form of law.

Witness my hand at Davenport, Iowa, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1952.

Glenn D. Kelly
Judge District Court, Seventh Judicial District

STATE OF IOWA, Scott County, ss.

I, Elmer Jens, Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the Honorable Glenn D. Kelly, who has given the preceding certificate, was, at the time of so doing, one of the Judges of the District Court of the Seventh Judicial District of the State of Iowa, duly commissioned and sworn, to all whose acts as such, full faith and credit are and ought to be given.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Davenport, in said County, this 17th day of December, A. D. 1952.

Elmer Jens
Clerk District Court

CERTIFICATE

I, Elmer Jens, the duly elected, qualified and acting Clerk of the District Court of the State of Iowa in and for Scott County, do hereby certify that on August 9, 1952, there appeared before me Bernard F. Balluff, Bernadine C. Westendorf and Ella Somner, who, being first duly sworn by me as by law provided, did on oath depose and state as follows: Said Bernard F. Balluff did state that an instrument dated March 24, 1947, signed by Edward F. Voss and purported to be his Last Will and Testament and an instrument dated January 19, 1948, signed by Edward F. Voss and purporting to be the First Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss were in truth and fact, signed, published and declared by said Edward F. Voss as his Last Will and Testament and as the First Codicil thereto on said dates in the presence of said Bernard F. Balluff and of Charles Blair (as respects said will) and Ruth French (as respects said codicil), said Charles Blair and Ruth French being the other subscribing witnesses to said will and codicil; said Bernadine C. Westendorf and Ella Somners did state that said instrument dated June 14, 1949, signed by Edward F. Voss and purporting to be the Second Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of Edward F. Voss was in truth and fact signed, published and declared by him as the Second Codicil to his said Last Will and Testament, in the presence of said Bernadine C.

Westendorf and Ella Sommers; said Bernard F. Balluff, Bernadine C. Westendorf and Ella Sommers did further state that on the foregoing respective dates, said Edward F. Voss was of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one (21) years of age; that they and the said Charles Blair and Ruth French subscribed and attested to said respective instruments as witnesses to the signature and the publication thereof at the special instance and request and in the presence of said testator and in the presence of each other, respectively, on said respective dates.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my said office this 6th day of January, 1953, at Davenport, Iowa.

ELMER JENS, Clerk of the District Court of Iowa in and for Scott County.

BY Elmer Jens
~~Deputy~~



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Jan. 19. 1953

A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

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Judge's and Clerk's Certificate

STATE OF IOWA, }
Scott County, } ss.

In the District Court of Iowa,
in and for Scott County.

I, W. A. Newport, one of the judges of the

Seventh Judicial District of Iowa, within which is included Scott County, do hereby certify that
ELMER JENS, whose genuine signature is attached to the foregoing and attached certificate
was at the date thereof, to-wit: 6th January, 19 53, the Clerk of the District Court
in and for Scott County, duly elected, qualified and acting, and the person having by law the custody
of the seal of said court, and that said certificate... is in due form.

WITNESS my hand hereto this 6th day of January, A. D. 19 53.

W. A. Newport
Judge Seventh Judicial District.

STATE OF IOWA, }
Scott County, } ss.

I, ELMER JENS, Clerk of the District Court within and for Scott County, do hereby certify
that Hon. W. A. Newport, whose genuine signature is
affixed to the foregoing certificate, was at the date thereof, to-wit: January 6, A. D. 19 53.
one of the Judges of the District Court of said Judicial District, duly elected, qualified and acting.

WITNESS, my hand and the seal of the court hereto affixed, at my office in Daven-
port, in said County, this 6th day of January 19 53.



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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY *Asst. J. Dunning*

Elmer Jens
Clerk of said Court.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

In the Matter of
Last Will and Testament

Of

No. 14-771

Edward F. Voss,

Non-resident

DECREE
PROBATING FOREIGN WILL

This cause came on to be heard on petition of Mrs. Trula L. Voss, to have probated in this Court, in the cause above styled and numbered, the purported Last Will and Testament of her husband, Edward F. Voss, late a resident of Scott County, Iowa.

And with said petition there being filed a fully authenticated copy of said last will and testament, with two codicils thereto, proven according to the laws of the State of Iowa, and the Court being satisfied that said Mrs. Trula L. Voss is of right and in law entitled to submit said will for probate, upon said record that it disposes of property within the State of Mississippi, and the County of Madison, and that the record of said will and proof fully complies with the requirements of Section 510, Chapter 3, Title 5, Volume 1, of the Mississippi Code of 1942, does hereby find, order and adjudge that said instrument is fully and legally established as the true and original last will and testament, and codicils thereto of Edward F. Voss, deceased, and that the said Edward F. Voss was on the day of the date of said will, that is to say on the 14th day of March, 1947, and on the day of the date of the first codicil, that is to say, on the 19th day of January, 1948, and on the day of the date of the second codicil, that is to say on

the 14 day of June, 1949, of lawful age to devise and of sound disposing mind and memory and understanding;

duly authenticated copies of said
Said instruments in writing, being the last will and testament and codicils thereto of Edward F. Voss, are hereby admitted to probate in this Court and to record as the true ~~and~~ last will and testament and codicils thereto of the said Edward F. Voss, deceased.

ORDERED, ADJUDGED, and DECREED in Vacation, at Yazoo City, Mississippi, upon this, the 24th day of January, 1953.

C. T. Williams
Chancellor

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A. C. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

BY *Mrs. V. R. Snyder, Sec.*

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. C. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 19 day of January, 1953, at with o'clock M. and was duly recorded on the 29 day of Jan, 1953, Book No. 7 on Page 149 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 29 of January, 1953.

A. C. ALSWORTH, Clerk

By *Adelle F. Manning*, D. C.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

In the Matter of the Last
Will and Testament

of

No. 44-775

Harold J. Richardson,

Non-resident

To the Chancery Court of Madison County, Mississippi:

Now comes C. C. Cook, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, his residence and post office address being Manitou Island, White Bear Lake, Minnesota, and hereby shows to the Court and prays as follows:-

Upon March 4, 1952, Harold J. Richardson, whose fixed place of residence was Ramsey County, Minnesota, departed this life, leaving a Last Will and Testament which by decree of the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, was admitted to probate upon April 22, 1952.

Petitioner attaches hereto duly certified and authenticated copies of the following documents in and from the aforesaid Probate Court:

- (1) Petition to prove will;
- (2) 28 pages, constituting the original will and one codicil thereto of deceased;
- (3) Order of the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, dated April 22, 1952.

Petitioner shows that in the probating of a will in said Court and County, it is not the practice that the testimony of the subscribing witnesses be reduced to writing and filed with the record,

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but same is given viva voce and taken down by the Court Reporter without being transcribed as a part of the record.

Said Testator owns property within the State of Mississippi, and the County of Madison which is disposed of by said Will, and Petitioner, as one interested therein, submits said record of foreign probate for probate here, as provided by Section 510, Chapter 3, Title 5, Volume 1, of the Mississippi Code of 1942.

Premises considered, Petitioner prays that the Court will examine said record and will admit said Last Will and Testament, and codicil thereto, of Harold J. Richardson, deceased, to probate in this Court and County as the authentic Last Will and Testament of said Testator.

And Petitioner prays for general relief.

C. C. Cook
C. C. COOK

Henry D. Dean

Briggs, Gilbert, Morton,
Kyles & McConkey

Solicitors

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF RAMSEY

THIS DAY personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, C. C. COOK, personally known to me, who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did say that the allegations of the foregoing petition are true and correct as therein set forth.

C. C. Cook
C. C. COOK

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Jan. 28. 1953

A. G. ALSWORTH
CHANCERY CLERK

Addie F. Humming D. C.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this, January 24, 1953.

Wayne C. Gilbert

WAYNE C. GILBERT
Notary Public, Ramsey County Minn.
My Commission Expires Jan. 21, 1955.

My Commission Expires
Jan. 21, 1955.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, A. G. Alsworth, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for recording in my office this 28 day of January, 1953, at 11:00 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 5 day of February, 1953 Book No. 7 on Page 164.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the _____ of _____, 195____.
A. G. ALSWORTH, Clerk
By Addie F. Humming D. C.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF RAMSEY

PROBATE COURT

I, H. P. CURRER, Clerk of the Probate Court within and for said County of Ramsey, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the record of the - - - - -
Petition to Prove Will; Order Admitting Will and Codicil and
Appointing Representative; Will and Codicil and Certificate of
Probate of Will and Codicil in re Estate of HAROLD J. RICHARDSON,
D e c e d e n t,

with the original records thereof now remaining in this office and have found the same to be correct transcripts therefrom and of the whole of such original records.

And I further certify that said exemplification would be received in evidence in all the courts of the State of Minnesota.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Saint Paul, in said County, this 9th day of January A.D. 19 53.
H. P. Currer
Clerk of the Probate Court

I, EDWARD J. DEVITT, sole Judge of Probate Court within and for said County of Ramsey, do hereby certify that said Court is a Court of Record, and that H. P. CURRER, whose signature is affixed in the foregoing certificate, is the Clerk of the said Probate Court; that said certificate is attested in due form of law; that the aforesaid signature of said Clerk is genuine, and the seal thereto affixed is the seal of said Probate Court.

Witness my hand at Saint Paul, Ramsey County, Minnesota, this 9th day of January A.D. 1953 .
Edward J. Devitt
Probate Judge

I, H. P. CURRER, Clerk of the Probate Court within and for said County of Ramsey, do hereby certify that the HON. EDWARD J. DEVITT, whose name is subscribed to the preceding certificate, is the sole Judge of the Probate Court within and for the County of Ramsey aforesaid, duly elected, sworn and qualified, and that the signature of said Judge to said certificate is genuine.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 9th day of January A.D. 1953 .
H. P. Currer
Clerk of the Probate Court

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF RAMSEY

PROBATE COURT

File No. 98197

Re Estate of

Order Admitting Will and Codicil
Appointing Representative

Harold J. Richardson

Decedent.

A petition for the admission to probate of the last will, ^{and codicil} of said decedent, ^{made and} considered; said decedent having died testate on MARCH 4, ^{November 25, 1951} 1951 in Ramsey County, Minnesota, leaving an estate therein; the instrument dated Feb. 27, ¹⁹⁵¹ 1951 and codicil thereto offered for probate as the last will of said decedent, having been executed according to law; said decedent at the time of such execution having been a person of sound mind, not a minor, and under no restraint; and said instrument being valid and genuine;

IT IS ORDERED that said instrument, ^{is} hereby established and allowed as the last will, ^{of said} decedent, and that the same is hereby admitted to probate.

IT IS ORDERED FURTHER that upon the approval and filing of a bond in the amount of \$ 1000⁰⁰, and of an oath, ^{by} C. C. Cook and First Trust Company of St. Paul, be appointed executors ~~and administrators~~ and that letters issue.

Dated April 24, 1952.

(Court Seal)

[Handwritten Signature]
Probate Judge.

File No. 98197

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF RAMSEY
PROBATE COURT

Re Estate of

Harold J. Richardson
Decedent.

Order Admitting Will and Codicil
Appointing Representative

Bond \$ 1,000⁰⁰

Recorded in Book 480

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residing at _____ Street,
 St. Paul, Minnesota, to the best of his knowledge, information and
 belief, respectfully represents that he is named as _____ in the
 decedent's last will dated _____, which is filed herewith; that the
 decedent was born on _____, 19____, a resident of Ramsey
 and died testate at St. Paul, Minnesota, on _____ Street, St. Paul, Minnesota;
 County, Minnesota, residing at _____
 that the general character and probable value of the decedent's estate are: (a) homestead \$ _____;
 (b) other real estate in Minnesota \$ _____; (c) personal property \$ _____;
 that the probable amount of the decedent's debts is \$ _____; and that he was survived by the
 following named persons who are all of his heirs, executors, legatees, and devisees:
 (SEE NOTE ON BACK)

Name	Age	Relationship	Address
Locke L. Murray, Trustee of Ann Marston Murray Trust			93 Indian Hill Road Winnetka, Illinois
Charles C. Cook, Trustee of Charlotte Elizabeth Cook Trust			Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Charles C. Cook, Trustee of Sarah Jane Cook Trust			Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Charles C. Cook	legal	son-in-law	Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Locke L. Murray	legal	son-in-law	93 Indian Hill Road Winnetka, Illinois
Edith R. Sanders	legal	sister	Greenwood Inn, Hinman Ave. Evanston, Illinois
Jeannette L. Murray	legal	none	990 Fairmont Avenue Saint Paul, Minnesota
Mrs. John B. Healy	legal	none	1223 Watson Avenue Saint Paul, Minnesota
Hamline University	--	--	1536 Hewitt Avenue Saint Paul, Minnesota
House of Hope First Methodist Episcopal Church	--	--	797 Summit Avenue Saint Paul, Minnesota
Mary Catherine Cook	legal	daughter	Rochester, Minnesota Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Susanne R. Murray	legal	daughter	93 Indian Hill Road Winnetka, Illinois
Sarah Jane Cook	19	grand-daughter	Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Charlotte Elizabeth Cook	11	grand-daughter	Manitou Island White Bear Lake, Minnesota
Ann Marston Murray	18	grand-daughter	93 Indian Hill Road Winnetka, Illinois
Anna R. Richardson Anna R. Richardson and First Trust Company of Saint Paul, Trustees	legal	widow	30 Crocus Place St. Paul, Minnesota
	-		First National Bank Bldg. Saint Paul, Minnesota

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF

HAROLD J. RICHARDSON

I, HAROLD J. RICHARDSON, of the City of Saint Paul and State of Minnesota, being of lawful age and of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish, and declare this my last Will and Testament.

ARTICLE I.

I direct that all of my just debts and funeral expenses be paid out of my general estate as soon after my death as conveniently may be.

ARTICLE II.

I give, devise, and bequeath the following specific legacies, to-wit:

(a) To the Trustees under that certain Trust Indenture dated December 21, 1936, executed by Anna R. Richardson and in which my granddaughter Ann Marston Murray is the named beneficiary (if said trust shall be in existence at the date of my death) one hundred (100) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation, in trust, nevertheless, and for the uses and purposes set forth in said trust indenture.

(b) To the Trustees under that certain Trust Indenture dated May 12, 1941, executed by Anna R. Richardson and in which my granddaughter, Charlotte Elizabeth Cook, is the named beneficiary (if said trust shall be in existence at the date of my death) one hundred (100) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation, in trust, nevertheless, and for the uses and purposes set forth in said trust indenture.

End of Page One (1) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

Page Two (2) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

(c) To the Trustees under that certain Trust Indenture dated December 24, 1936, executed by Anna R. Richardson and in which my granddaughter Sarah Jane Cook is the named beneficiary (if said trust shall be in existence at the date of my death) one hundred (100) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation, in trust, nevertheless, and for the uses and purposes set forth in said trust indenture.

(d) To my son-in-law Charles C. Cook, if he shall survive me, two hundred (200) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation.

(e) To my son-in-law Locke L. Murray, if he shall survive me, two hundred (200) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation.

(f) To my sister, Edith R. Sanders, if she shall survive me, two hundred (200) shares of the capital stock of Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, a Washington corporation. If my said sister should not survive me, I give, devise, and bequeath said shares to her daughters surviving me in equal shares and in such case if only one of her daughters survives me, I give, devise, and bequeath said shares to that daughter.

(g) To my brother, William B. Richardson, if he shall survive me, four hundred (400) shares of the capital stock of First Bank Stock Corporation, a Delaware corporation.

(h) To Albert D. Sanders, Jr., husband of my said sister, Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) if he shall survive me. If the said Albert D. Sanders, Jr., does not survive me and my said sister does survive me, I give, devise, and bequeath said sum to my said sister.

(i) To my secretary, Jeannette L. Murray, if she shall survive me, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)

End of Page Two (2) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

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Page Three (3) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

(j) To John B. Healy, of Saint Paul, Minnesota, if he survives me, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). If the said John B. Healy shall predecease me, then I give, devise, and bequeath said sum to his wife.

(k) To Hamline University of Minnesota, of Saint Paul, Minnesota, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

(l) To House of Hope, a Presbyterian church in Saint Paul, Minnesota, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

(m) To the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Rochester, Minnesota, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

ARTICLE III.

I give, devise, and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Anna R. Richardson, if she survives me, all household furniture and furnishings of which I may die seized or possessed.

ARTICLE IV.

I give, devise, and bequeath any and all real estate, home or homes, and all buildings used in connection with said real estate, home or homes, of which I may die seized or possessed unto my daughters, Mary Catherine Cook and Susanne R. Murray, share and share alike, should they both survive me; and if only one of my said daughters shall survive me, I give, devise, and bequeath the property mentioned herein unto said survivor.

ARTICLE V.

Should my said wife predecease me and should I be survived by both of my said daughters, I give, devise, and bequeath all of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate and all property which I shall have the right to dispose of by will

End of Page Three (3) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

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at the time of my death, real, personal, or mixed, unto my said daughters in shares as nearly equal as may be to be theirs absolutely.

ARTICLE VI.

Should my wife and one of my said daughters predecease me, leaving my other daughter me surviving and leaving no children of said deceased daughter me surviving, I give, devise, and bequeath all of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate and all property which I shall have the right to dispose of by will at the time of my death, real, personal, or mixed, unto said surviving daughter to be hers absolutely.

ARTICLE VII.

Section A. Should I be survived by my wife and my two daughters, then I direct that the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate shall be divided into two shares, as nearly equal as may be, one such share to be set aside for each of my two daughters.

Section B. Should I be survived by my wife and only one of my daughters and should there be no children of the deceased daughter of mine me surviving, then I direct that said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate shall not be divided into shares.

Section C. Should I be survived by my wife, only one of my daughters, and children of a deceased daughter of mine, then I direct that said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate shall be divided into shares and subshares as follows; said rest, residue, and remainder shall be divided into two shares as nearly
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equal as may be. One such share shall be set aside for my surviving daughter. The other share shall be subdivided into as many subshares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one of such subshares to be set aside for each of the children of said deceased daughter me surviving.

Section D. Should I be survived only by my wife and by children of one of my daughters, then I direct that said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate be divided into shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of my said daughter me surviving.

Section E. If I shall be survived only by my wife and children of both of my daughters, I direct that one-half of said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate be divided into as many shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of one of my deceased daughters who shall survive me and that the other half of said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate be divided into as many shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of my other deceased daughter me surviving.

Section F. If I shall be survived only by the children of both of my daughters, then I direct that one-half of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate be divided into as many shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of one of my deceased daughters who shall survive me and that the other half of said rest, residue, and remainder of my estate be divided into as many shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so

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as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of my other deceased daughter me surviving.

Section G. If I shall be survived only by children of one of my daughters, I direct that the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate shall be divided into as many shares, as nearly equal as may be, as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each of the children of my deceased daughter who shall survive me.

Section H. I give, devise, and bequeath said rest, residue, and remainder or each one of said shares or subshares set aside for a child or grandchild of mine, as the case may be, as a separate trust fund to the Trustees hereunder, in trust, nevertheless, and for the following uses and purposes; to hold, manage, invest, and reinvest the same; to collect and receive the income thereof and, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, to accumulate and add the net income thereof to the corpus of such trust fund or trust funds, as the case may be.

Section I. The Trustees are hereby directed to pay the net income of the trust fund, or each of the trust funds, as the case may be, immediately to the person for whose benefit the respective trust fund is held from time to time; provided, however, that, during the life of my wife, fifty per cent of the net income of the trust fund or of each of the trust funds, if there be more than one, shall be paid over to my said wife to be hers absolutely.

ARTICLE VIII.

Section A. If and when any child of mine for whom any trust fund is then being held under this Will shall die leaving
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a child or children her surviving, the entire corpus of said trust fund shall be divided into as many equal shares as may be necessary so as to allow one share to be set aside for each child of such child of mine her surviving. And each such share shall be held by the Trustees hereunder in trust for the benefit of each such grandchild or shall be paid over to such grandchild as provided in Subsections 1 or 2 of Section D of this Article VIII, as the case may be.

Section B. If and when any child of mine for whom any trust fund is then being held under this Will shall die, leaving no child her surviving, the entire corpus of said trust fund shall be amalgamated with and become part of any trust fund then being held for the benefit of my other child. Or in case said other child shall have died, leaving a child or children her surviving, the entire corpus of said trust fund shall be divided into as many equal shares as may be necessary so as to allow one such share to be set aside for each of her children then surviving.

Section C. If and when any grandchild of mine for whom any trust fund is then being held under this Will shall die, leaving a brother or sister or brothers or sisters him or her surviving, the entire corpus of said trust fund shall be divided into as many equal shares as may be necessary so as to allow one such share to be set aside for each such brother and sister then surviving.

Section D. If and when any child of a daughter of mine for whom any trust fund is then being held under this Will shall die, leaving no brother or sister him or her surviving, the entire corpus of said trust fund shall be divided into as

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many equal shares as may be necessary so as to allow one such share to be set aside for each child of my other daughter then surviving.

Subsection 1. If at the time of making any division provided for in Sections A, B, C, or D of this Article VIII, the Trustees are holding a fund in trust under this Will for the child or grandchild of mine for whom a share is set aside, said share shall be added to and amalgamated with the fund so held in trust for such respective child or grandchild and shall become a part of said fund.

Subsection 2. If at the time of making any division provided for in Sections A, B, C, or D of this Article VIII, the Trustees shall have paid over the fund theretofore held in trust under this Will for the child or grandchild for whom a share is so set aside, the Trustees shall pay over such share to the then living child or grandchild for whom it is set aside.

ARTICLE IX.

Unless the context requires otherwise, in this Will the words "daughter," "daughters," "child," "grandchild," "children," "brother," "sister," "brothers," and "sisters" shall each and all be construed, taken, and deemed to mean persons born of my blood in lawful wedlock and adopted children of mine.

ARTICLE X.

Section A. Each trust created by this Will shall terminate whenever under the terms and provisions of this Will all of the trust fund thereof is to be paid and set over absolutely to any person or persons or added to and amalgamated with some other trust fund then held by the Trustees under this Will or when the last of my grandchildren shall have died.

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Subsection 1. Anything to the contrary in this Will notwithstanding, each and every such trust shall cease and determine on the expiration of the period of twenty-one (21) years after the death of my wife, Anna R. Richardson, and the last survivor of such of my issue as may be living at the time of my death.

Section B. Anything in this Will to the contrary notwithstanding, the Trustees may at any time by action evidenced by a writing executed in the manner prescribed for the execution of deeds by the laws of the State of Minnesota, terminate any trust or trusts created by this Will and held by them.

Section C. Upon any termination under Section B of this Article X, if my wife be not then living, the trust fund with respect to which the trust is so terminated shall be conveyed, transferred, and paid over absolutely to the beneficiary of such trust (without reference to the age of any such beneficiary) to whom the Trustees might then have distributed income thereof in their discretion if no such termination had taken place. If at the time of such termination my wife be then living, the trust fund with respect to which the trust is so terminated shall be conveyed, transferred, and paid over absolutely to the persons who at the time are the ones who would be entitled to the income or corpus of the fund as remaindermen if my wife were not then living and without reference to the age of any such beneficiary.

Section D. If at the time of the death of my said wife, the Trustees are holding any trust fund or funds hereunder for the benefit of either of my daughters, the trust fund or

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funds so being held shall be paid over to the respective daughter
for whose benefit held to be hers absolutely.

Section E. If at the time of the death of my said wife,
the Trustees are holding any trust fund hereunder for the benefit
of any child of a deceased daughter of mine and such child has
not attained twenty-seven (27) years of age, the Trustees shall
continue to hold such trust fund in trust for such child until
such child shall have attained said age, at which time the
Trustees shall pay over said trust fund to such child for whose
benefit held to be such child's absolutely.

ARTICLE XI.

Section A. Nothing herein contained shall be construed
or deemed to be a direction to the Trustees to accumulate any
rents or profits on real estate. Any such rents and profits re-
ceived by the Trustees of any trust shall be paid over to the
beneficiary of such trust.

Section B. Whenever in this Will the Trustees are
directed to divide the corpus of any trust fund or dispose of it
in the manner as in this Will provided, such corpus or trust fund
shall always include all additions thereto and accumulations
thereon, whether by way of accumulated income or otherwise.

ARTICLE XII.

I hereby expressly authorize and empower the Executors
and also the Trustees hereinafter named, in their respective sole
and absolute discretion:

1. To retain in my general estate or the trust estates,
as the case may be, without limitation of time, any property consti-
tuting a part thereof without regard to the proportions such
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property or property of a similar character so held may bear to the entire amount of my general estate or of the trust estates, as the case may be, and without regard to whether such property is of the kind or class in which cash funds of my general estate or the trust estates may be invested, and without regard to whether such property be unimproved or unproductive.

2. To sell, contract to sell, mortgage, pledge, convey, lease, or otherwise dispose of assets in my general estate or in the trust estates, as the case may be, or any thereof, upon such terms as in the exercise of a sound discretion they deem appropriate and for the best interests of my general estate or of the trust estates and of the beneficiaries thereof, as the case may be.

3. To invest and reinvest my general estate and the trust estates in such property, real or personal, as an ordinarily prudent man of intelligence and integrity would purchase in an exercise of reasonable care, judgment, and diligence, under the conditions existing at the time of the purchase. Not in limitation of the foregoing, but merely by way of illustration, the Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be, are authorized to purchase for my general estate or the trust estates, as the case may be, bonds, mortgages, notes, debentures, equipment trust certificates, shares of stock, whether preferred or common, or any other property which they may deem suitable, provided only that the investment shall conform to the foregoing standard.

4. To consent to and participate in any plan of re-organization, consolidation, merger, combination, or other similar plan, and to consent to any contract, lease, mortgage, purchase, sale or other action by any corporation pursuant to such plan,

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shares of stock, bonds, or other interests wherein are held by the Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be.

5. To deposit any such property with any protective reorganization or similar committee, to delegate discretionary power thereto, and to pay part of the expenses and compensation of said committee, and any assessments levied with respect to the property in my general estate or in the trust estates, as the case may be.

6. To exercise all conversion, subscription, voting, and other rights of whatever nature pertaining to any such property and to grant proxies, discretionary or otherwise, in respect thereof.

7. To borrow money and to pledge or mortgage any such property whenever, in the exercise of a sound discretion, they deem appropriate and for the best interests of my general estate or of the trust estates and of the beneficiaries thereof, as the case may be.

8. To extend the time of payment of any obligation held by the Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be, and to compromise, settle, or submit to arbitration upon such terms as to them may seem proper, or to release any claim in favor of or against my general estate or the trust estates created hereunder.

9. To cause any securities or other property held by them to be issued or registered in the name of the Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be, or in the name of a nominee or nominees of the respective Executors or Trustees, or in such form that title will pass by delivery.

10. The Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be, are directed to charge all premiums and to credit all discounts

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on investments against or to principal respectively and not against or to income. Stock dividends shall be principal in all cases. Cash dividends of any amount or character shall be income, except that if it shall be expressly stated by the paying corporation to be liquidating dividends or words of like import, they shall be principal. In all other cases the Executors or the Trustees, as the case may be, are authorized to determine with finality what receipts are income and what are principal and what distributions are chargeable to income and what to principal.

11. In the division or distribution of the funds of my general estate or of the trust estates, as the case may be, to make partition, division, or distribution of property in kind or partly in kind and partly in money; and for any such purpose to determine the value of any such property, which determination shall be conclusive and not subject to review.

12. To collect and receive any and all sums and any and all property of whatsoever kind or nature due or owing or belonging to my general estate or the trust estates, as the case may be, and to give full discharge and acquittance therefor.

13. To sign, seal, acknowledge, and deliver any and all instruments in writing which said Executors or Trustees in said Executors' or Trustees' sole and absolute discretion may deem appropriate or advisable to carry out any of the foregoing powers, and generally to deal with my general estate or the trust estates as in the judgment of said Executors or Trustees the best business interests of my general estate or of the trust estates may require. No party to any such instrument in writing signed by the Executors or by the Trustees shall be obliged to inquire

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into the validity, expediency, or propriety of any obligation incurred by such instrument on behalf of my general estate or of any trust estate, nor shall any such party be bound to see to the application by the Executors or by the Trustees of any money or other property paid or delivered to them by such party pursuant to the terms of any such instrument.

14. To do all such acts, take all such proceedings and exercise all such rights and privileges, although not hereinbefore specifically mentioned, with relation to such property as if the absolute owner thereof, and in connection therewith to enter into any covenant or agreement binding my general estate or the trust estates, as the case may be.

ARTICLE XIII.

Section A. During the minority of any beneficiary to whom payments are directed or authorized to be made hereunder, the Trustees may make such payments in any one or more of the following ways: (a) directly to said minor; (b) to the legal guardian of said minor; (c) to a relative of said minor, to be expended by such relative for the education and maintenance of such minor; or (d) by expending the same for the education or maintenance of said minor directly.

Section B. I authorize my Trustees hereinafter named in their sole and absolute discretion to hold and to continue to hold for so long a period as said Trustees may deem advisable, to the extent that the said trusts are held by the same Trustee, any or all of the property, funds, or investments of the said trust estates in common and undivided, or separately, as to them shall seem best.

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Section C. At any time, and from time to time, in the discretion of my Trustees, said Trustees shall have full power to fix the situs of the trust property for any and all purposes, and to remove any part or all of the trust property then in their hands from any place where the same or any part thereof may be situated to any other place or places, and in exercising the powers and authority granted to my Trustees under this Section C, my said Trustees shall have the right, power, and authority to appoint from time to time, and upon such terms and conditions as to my said Trustees shall seem advisable, an agent or agents to take possession of the said trust property, or any part thereof, and shall further have the right, power, and authority to give and grant unto said agent or agents any or all of the rights, powers, and authority of my said Trustees, either discretionary or ministerial, as to my Trustees shall seem meet; and shall also have the right, power, and authority to terminate any agency or agencies created under the provisions hereof whenever my said Trustees shall desire so to do; provided, however, that such agent or agents shall be appointed only by an instrument in writing, executed and acknowledged by the then acting Trustees in the form required by the laws of the State wherein said instrument is acknowledged for the execution of deeds; and said instrument shall in every case provide for the termination of the agency forthwith upon written or telegraphic notice to the agent. Any agent appointed under the provisions of this Section C need not be domiciled in the State where my said Trustees are domiciled.

ARTICLE XIV.

Section A. I hereby appoint, as original Trustees of each of the trusts created under this Will, First Trust Company

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of Saint Paul State Bank and my said wife, Anna R. Richardson.
If at the time the provisions of this Will which create said trusts become operative, or at any time thereafter, my son-in-law Charles C. Cook and my son-in-law Locke L. Murray, or either of them, are available to participate in the management of said trusts as a Trustee or Trustees thereof, I direct that my said wife shall have the right to appoint either the said Charles C. Cook or Locke L. Murray or both of them as co-Trustee or co-Trustees, as the case may be, with the then acting Trustee or Trustees of the trusts created hereby and upon such appointment the person or persons so appointed shall forthwith become a co-Trustee or co-Trustees, as the case may be, of said trusts with the Trustee or Trustees then acting.

In dealing with my named Trustees, third parties, in the absence of notice to the contrary, shall be entitled to rely upon the certificate of said Trustees that neither the said Charles C. Cook nor the said Locke L. Murray have been appointed to act as co-Trustee.

Section B. If one or more of the Trustees shall fail to accept the trusts created hereunder, or having accepted such trusts shall resign or become incapable of acting as such Trustee, a successor Trustee or Trustees shall be appointed by the majority of the beneficiaries of the said trusts who, at the time of the appointment to be made, are of legal age. Thereafter any successor Trustee or Trustees shall be appointed by a majority of the said beneficiaries who are of legal age at the time of the making of the appointment in question.

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Section C. The decision of a majority of the Trustees appointed and acting as such hereunder shall be necessary to authorize any action taken under the trusts created hereby.

Section D. Any vacancy among the Trustees shall be filled by the appointment of another Trustee or Trustees by the beneficiaries referred to in Section B of this Article XIV.

Section E. I also authorize and empower a majority of the beneficiaries referred to in said Section B to revoke, from time to time, the appointment of any corporate Trustee acting as such hereunder, if in the opinion of said majority such action is for the best interests of the beneficiaries and prospective beneficiaries of the trusts created herein. A majority of said persons shall likewise have the power and authority to appoint from time to time a trust company to act as co-Trustee if in the opinion of said majority it is for the best interests of the beneficiaries and prospective beneficiaries of the trusts herein created.

Section F. Every appointment of successor Trustees, made under the provisions of Section B or D of this Article XIV and every revocation of appointment made under Section E of said article, shall be made by instrument in writing executed and acknowledged as required for the execution and acknowledgment of deeds by the laws of the State of Minnesota. Upon any such appointment being so made and upon acceptance by the appointee, the person or persons or the trust company or companies so appointed shall, without further action or deed or any action of or proceeding in any court, succeed to and become vested with all of the title, estate, rights, powers, and duties, discretionary or otherwise, herein conferred upon his, her, or its predecessors.

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Section G. Any Trustee or Trustees may resign from any trust by instrument in writing executed and acknowledged as required for the execution and acknowledgment of deeds by the laws of the State of Minnesota delivered to the remaining Trustees of such trust and to the beneficiary of such trust to whom the Trustees might then have distributed corpus or income. Any person herein appointed as Trustee of any trust herein created who shall fail to accept said trust, or any person who has served as Trustee of any trust and has resigned, shall nevertheless be eligible for reappointment as Trustee for that or for any other trust hereunder.

Section H. Any Trustee or Trustees may, in the absence of action by the others, vote or give proxy to vote on shares of stock held by the Trustees; and the Trustees may in writing designate or appoint any one or more of them to sign and endorse checks, drafts, notes, and other like negotiable paper, and to make in the name of the Trustees tax reports and returns, reports and returns required by Social Security or like acts, and other reports to governments and governmental agencies.

Section I. My Trustees (including successor Trustees but excluding any trust company acting as sole Trustee, or co-Trustee hereunder) shall not be personally liable for any mistake or error in judgment resulting in any loss of or damage to any trust property in their hands, nor shall they be personally liable for any mistake or error in construing the terms of the trust under which any such trust property is held, or their powers, duties, or responsibilities in respect thereto, nor for any act done or suffered to be done, nor for any omission to act in the

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handling and administration of any trust hereunder or the property therein, unless it may be the wilful misappropriation of a trust fund or the income therefrom, or any part thereof, for their own benefit and only such Trustee as shall participate in any such misappropriation shall be held liable. In thus exonerating my said Trustees, I contemplate that the bulk of my estate shall consist of stocks or other securities in lumber companies, oil companies, mining companies, and other corporations similar or dissimilar, in all or some of which some of my individual Trustees or their issue who may become Trustees hereunder shall be interested as stockholders, officers, directors, or otherwise. I direct that the fact that any of my individual Trustees or their individual successors are personally so interested shall not be received as evidence in any action or proceeding whatsoever that they have had, or been motivated by, an interest adverse to the interest of the beneficiaries, or any of them, of the trusts, or any of them, hereby created. I further direct that no such evidence of any such interest shall raise a presumption that any of my individual Trustees or their individual successors has any such motive or adverse interest, or has acted selfishly or with divided loyalty, nor shall it be the basis of any assumption to that effect.

Section J. Whenever under this Will there are to be distributed or set aside shares, subshares, or fractions of any part of my estate, or of any trust for any purposes whatsoever, it is my desire that the kinds of property in each share, subshare, or fraction be the same and be proportionate as nearly as may be without requiring any share to contain a fractional

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or undivided interest in any security or asset; and the valuation of the property whatever it may be constituting any such share, subshare, or fraction, shall be within the sole discretion and judgment of the Executors or Trustees, as the case may be.

Section K. Whenever in this Will the word "Trustees" or "Trustee" is used, it shall, unless the context plainly requires otherwise, be taken and deemed to include a sole Trustee if one is appointed or acting under the provisions hereof, and co-Trustees if more than one be appointed and acting.

ARTICLE XV.

My individual Trustees shall be entitled to take, if they so desire, reasonable compensation for their services in the administration of each such trust fund from the gross income thereof, but not in an amount in excess of that usually charged by trust companies for similar services. This provision, however, is not intended in any way to restrict the payment of reasonable compensation to such trust company or trust companies as may act as a Trustee or Trustees hereunder.

ARTICLE XVI.

Neither the corpus of any trust fund hereby created, nor the income thereof, nor the additions thereto, nor the accumulations thereon, shall be subject to or taken for any debt, obligation, or liability of any beneficiary; nor shall the same be subject to seizure by any creditor of, or by any other person asserting a claim or a lien of any nature or description against, any beneficiary under any attachment, execution, writ, or other legal process or proceeding; nor shall the same be taken in any suit or action whatsoever brought or instituted by such creditor or person in any court of law or equity; no beneficiary hereunder

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shall have the power to sell, assign, transfer, encumber, or in any other manner anticipate or dispose of his or her interest in any such corpus, income, additions, or accumulations.

ARTICLE XVII.

Section A. At any time, and from time to time, as often as may be desired, any Trustee in office, except a trust company, is authorized and empowered to delegate for the time being the exercise of any and all of the powers, discretionary or otherwise, herein granted to the Trustees, to any other Trustee in office and to revoke any such delegation at will. The delegation of any such power and also the revocation of any such delegation shall be evidenced by an instrument in writing under seal and acknowledged as deeds of real estate are required to be acknowledged under the laws of the State of Minnesota and delivered to the Trustee to whom such power is or has been delegated. So long as any such delegation is in effect, all of the powers, discretionary or otherwise, hereby granted and so delegated may be exercised and action taken by the Trustee to whom such power is delegated with the same force and effect as if the Trustee delegating such power had personally joined in the exercise of such power and/or the taking of such action.

Section B. For the purpose of liquidating my estate, administering any of the trusts hereby created, and carrying out the provisions of this my Will, it shall not be obligatory upon the Executors at any time in office or upon the Trustees at any time in office, or any of them, to transfer to or retain in the State of my domicile at the time of my death, any or all of the property which may come into their possession, but the Executors at any time in office and also the Trustees at any time in office

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may, in their respective, solo, absolute, and uncontrolled discretion, and without any court authority or direction, transfer any or all of such property to and/or may retain and administer any or all of the same in either the State of my domicile or in any one or more States or countries, so that my estate may be liquidated, administered, and settled, and the trusts hereinbefore created may be set up and administered with the greatest efficiency and with due regard to the conveniences of all persons interested.

ARTICLE XVIII.

In the event that any provision contained herein shall be or become invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any other provisions herein contained, and the said separate trusts shall be enforced and administered just as though such invalid provision or provisions were not contained herein.

ARTICLE XIX.

I hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint First Trust Company of Saint Paul State Bank and my son-in-law Charles C. Cook as Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In the event that the said Charles C. Cook is for any reason unable or unwilling to act as one of said Executors, I hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint Jeannette L. Murray, of Saint Paul, Minnesota, as co-Executor with said First Trust Company of Saint Paul State Bank. If said Executors or any of them shall fail to accept such appointment or refuse to act or be incapacitated to act as such, or having accepted such appointment, shall thereafter resign or become incapacitated to act as such, it is my desire that a majority of the following persons shall appoint an Executor or Executors as they shall deem meet
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to fill the vacancy or vacancies thus created:

1. My wife, Anna R. Richardson
2. My daughter, Mary Catherine Cook
3. My daughter, Susanne R. Murray.

ARTICLE XX.

I hereby expressly waive that portion of the provisions of Section 8992-124, Mason's Minnesota Statutes, which reads as follows:

"Whenever any bequest or devise to a testamentary trustee amounts to more than five hundred dollars and the will contains no express waiver, the representative shall not be discharged until a trustee has qualified in a court of competent jurisdiction and until proof of such qualification and a receipt by the trustee have been filed."

I expressly waive any and all provision or provisions of law, statutory or otherwise, in any jurisdiction, which now require or which may hereafter require that a Trustee or Trustees shall qualify in any manner or in any court or tribunal or elsewhere, before the Executors of my estate may be discharged as such, or before the Executors of my estate may transfer the trust fund or any part thereof to my Trustees. And I further expressly waive, in so far as I may do so, any and all provision or provisions of law, statutory or otherwise, in any jurisdiction, which now require or may hereafter require my said Trustees to so qualify as Trustees of the trust or trusts created herein.

ARTICLE XXI.

I hereby revoke all former wills and codicils by me at any time made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 25th day of November, A. D. 1944.

HAROLD J. RICHARDSON (SEAL)

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The foregoing instrument, consisting of twenty-four (24) pages of typewritten matter, including this page, at the foot of each page of which the said testator has signed his own proper initials, "H.J.R." in his own hand-writing, was on this 25th day of November, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-four, signed, published, and declared by the said testator, Harold J. Richardson, to be his last Will and Testament, in our presence, who at his request, have signed our names hereunto as witnesses, in his presence and in the presence of each other, believing the said testator, Harold J. Richardson, to be at the time of our subscribing our names as aforesaid, of sound mind and memory.

H. H. Thom, residing at St. Paul, Minnesota

Marion C. Beckwith, residing at St. Paul, Minnesota

Wayne C. Gilbert, residing at St. Paul, Minnesota

End of Page Twenty-four (24) of Harold J. Richardson's Will.

H.J.R.

CODICIL TO THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF

HAROLD J. RICHARDSON

I, Harold J. Richardson, of the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota, being of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish, and declare this as a codicil to my Last Will and Testament, which Last Will and Testament is dated and was executed by me on the 25th day of November 1944.

I.

WHEREAS in paragraphs (j), (k), and (l), respectively, of Article II of said Last Will and Testament I bequeathed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to John B. Healy, of Saint Paul, Minnesota; Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to Hamline University of Minnesota; and One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to House of Hope, a Presbyterian Church in Saint Paul, Minnesota, I hereby amend said paragraphs by substituting the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) in said paragraph (j); the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) in said paragraph (k); and the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) in said paragraph (l).

Except as my said Last Will and Testament is hereby amended, the same and all provisions thereof not inconsistent with this codicil shall remain in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto put my hand and seal this 27th day of February 1950.

HAROLD J. RICHARDSON (SEAL)

End of Page One (1) of Codicil to Harold J. Richardson's Will.

H. J. R.

Page Two (2) of Codicil to Harold J. Richardson's Will

The above instrument consisting of two (2) sheets, including this sheet, and at the foot of each page of which said testator has signed his own proper initials "H.J.R." in his own handwriting, was on the date thereof signed, sealed, published, and declared by said testator as and for a codicil to his Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us and each of us who, at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have attested and subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Wayne E. Gilbert residing at St. Paul, Minn.

Munda R. Hauge residing at Minneapolis, Minn.

Winnie Meyer residing at Newport, Minn.

End of Page Two (2) of Codicil to Harold J. Richardson's Will.

H. J. R.

7 Nov 1944

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, Anna R. Richardson,
wife of Harold J. Richardson, have read the attached last Will and
Testament of said Harold J. Richardson, executed by him on the
25th day of November, A. D. 1944, and witnessed by

H. H. Thom, Marion C. Beckwith, and
Wayne C. Gilbert, and understand the provisions that have

been made for me in said Will; and do hereby consent to said Will, and
do hereby renounce and surrender all dower and statutory marital rights
which I might have or claim to have in the estate of my said husband at
his death, except only the right to such widow's allowance as may be
allowed to me by the Probate Court having jurisdiction of the
administration of said estate; and I do hereby agree to accept, and do elect
to take the provisions made for me in said Will in lieu of all such dower and
statutory marital rights.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 25th day of November, 1944.

Anna R. Richardson (SEAL)

IN PRESENCE OF:

Wayne C. Gilbert

H. H. Thom

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)SS
COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

On this 25th day of November, 1944, before me
personally appeared Anna R. Richardson, to me known to be the person
described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and
acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed.

H. H. Thom

Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minn.
My Commission expires Nov. 27, 1948.

Notarial Seal

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, Anna R. Richardson, wife of Harold J. Richardson, have read the attached Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of said Harold J. Richardson, executed by him on the 27th day of February A. D. 1950, and witnessed by Wayne C. Gilbert, Punda Hauge, and Minnie Meyer, and understand the provisions that have been made for me in said Will of Harold J. Richardson; and do hereby consent to said Will and Codicil; and do hereby renounce and surrender all dower and statutory marital rights which I might have or claim to have in the estate of my said husband at his death, except only the right to such widow's allowance as may be allowed to me by the Probate Court having jurisdiction of the administration of said estate; and I do hereby agree to accept, and do elect to take the provisions made for me in said Will in lieu of all such dower and statutory marital rights.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of February 1950.

Anna R. Richardson (SEAL)

In Presence of

Wayne C. Gilbert

M. C. Beckwith

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF RAMSEY ss

On this 27th day of February 1950, before me personally appeared Anna R. Richardson, to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that she executed the same as her free act and deed.

Wayne C. Gilbert
Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minn.
My Commission expires

(Notary's seal)

ENDORSED, FILED MAR 13 1952
H. P. CURRER, Clerk
By R. T. R. Deputy

Wayne C. Gilbert
Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Jan. 21, 1955

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATE

I certify that this instrument has been proved and admitted to probate according to law in the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, as the last Will & Codicil of the Testator named therein.

Dated APR 16 22 1952

EDWARD J. DEVITT
Probate Judge

(COURT SEAL)

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Madison:

[Signature], Clerk of the Ramsey County and County, certify that the within instrument was filed [Signature], 1952, at [Signature] of [Signature] of [Signature], 1952, Book No. [Signature] on Page [Signature]

[Signature]
[Signature]