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Last Will and Testament

OF

LILLIAN HOLLIDAY LOEB

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF MADISON

I, LILLIAN HOLLIDAY LOEB of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, declare, and publish this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, hereby revoking all prior wills and codicils made by me.

ITEM I.

I direct that my body be buried in a suitable manner and a suitable memorial erected, and the cost thereof paid out of my estate.

ITEM II.

I direct that all of my just debts and charitable pledges, whether or not the same be enforceable, and last expenses to be paid as soon after my death as shall be practicable.

ITEM III.

My home and the property on which it is situated, on East Fulton Street, Canton, Mississippi, together with all my household furniture and furnishings, books, pictures, objects of art, silverware, jewelry, crockery, linens, clothing, and other such personal effects and all other items that may be found in my household (except such items as are otherwise specifically disposed of hereinbelow) and any automobiles and boats I may own at the time of my death, I give, devise and bequeath in fee simple to my Sister, SUSIE SMITH HOLLIDAY DAVIS and her Husband, ELBERT VERNON DAVIS, now residing in Jackson, Mississippi, or to the survivor of them in the event one of them should not survive me so to inherit. In the event neither of the above-named beneficiaries should survive me, I give, devise and bequeath the

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property described in this Item, in fee simple, to the daughter of said beneficiaries, ALLEEN DAVIS (MRS. JAMES HENRY, JR.) BRATTON now residing in Atlanta, Georgia

ITEM IV.

That tract of land consisting of 45 acres, more or less, lying south of Canton which my late beloved husband SAMUEL LOEBER purchased from the Weiners of Shreveport, Louisiana, I give, devise and bequeath, in fee simple, in equal shares to my late husband's nephews JULIAN WEINER and WILLIAM WEINER, now residing in Jackson, Mississippi, expressing the wish that such property will stay in their families. If any beneficiary named in this Item IV should not survive me to take the property described in this Item IV, I give devise and bequeath said property to the children then living, and the then-living children of any deceased child, of such deceased named beneficiary per stirpes and not per capita.

ITEM V.

All United States Government Series E Savings Bonds I may own at the time of my death I give devise and bequeath, in equal shares to my grand-nieces and grand-nephew, SUSAN CHELSEA BRATTON, JAMES HENRY BRATTON, III, and MARGARET ALLEEN BRATTON, the children of my niece, ALLEEN DAVIS (MRS. JAMES HENRY, JR.) BRATTON, now residing in Atlanta, Georgia.

ITEM VI.

All the rest, residue and remainder of my property of every kind and description, whenever acquired by me and wherever located, including any lapsed or void legacy or devise, and including any property over which I may have power of disposition or appointment, I give devise and bequeath to those persons who would take under the laws of descent and distribution of Mississippi, if I had died intestate.

ITEM VII.

I hereby constitute as my Executrix under this Will my sister, SUSIE SMITH HOLLIDAY DAVIS, now residing in Jackson,

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Mississippi. In the event she should for any reason fail or cease to serve in such capacity, I appoint as Executor my brother-in-law ELBERT VERNON DAVIS, now residing in Jackson, Mississippi.

ITEM VIII.

In the management, care and disposition of my estate, I confer upon my Executrix and the survivors or successors in office of my Executrix all the usual and customary rights and powers of Executors and the power to do all things and execute such instruments as may be required, all without bond and without requirement of any order of or report to any court, provided however, that the Executrix shall be required to report to legatees, devisees, and beneficiaries under this Will as to the income and valuation of all items hereunder and as to any and all disbursement, including taxes, made by said Executrix at the end of the first year and annually thereafter; and such reports shall be made to the Guardians, if any, of the beneficiaries hereunder; including, but not limited to, the following rights and powers:

(a) To sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of any property at any time held or acquired under this Will, at public or private sale, for cash or on terms without advertisement, including the right to grant options and to lease for any term notwithstanding the period of any trust, to grant renewals of such leases, to enter into any covenants or agreements relating to the property or to any improvements, repairs or alterations thereon;

(b) To hold and retain any of the property passing under this Will in the same form of investment in which it may exist at the time of my death, and to invest all monies in such stock, bonds, securities, investment company or trust shares, mortgages, notes, choses in action, real estate, improvements thereon, and other property, all as such Executrix may deem best, without regard to any law now or hereafter in force limiting the type of investment for Executors, Trustees, or other fiduciaries;

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(c) To vote in person or by proxy any corporate stock or other security and to agree to or take any other action in regard to any reorganization, merger, consolidation, liquidation, bankruptcy, redemption, stock option and similar rights or other procedure affecting any stock, bond, note or other property;

(d) To use real estate brokers, accountants, attorneys, and other agents, if she deem such employment necessary and desirable, to delegate to them discretionary power, and to pay reasonable compensation for their services;

(e) To compromise, settle and/or adjust any claim or demand by or against said estate and to agree to any rescission or modification of any contract or agreement affecting such estate;

(f) To renew any indebtedness, as well as to borrow money, and to secure the same by mortgaging, pledging and/or conveying any property of such estate;

(g) To retain and carry on any business in which I may own an interest at the time of my death and to acquire additional interest in any such business; to agree to the liquidation in kind of any corporation in which my estate may have any interest and to carry on the business thereof; to join with other owners in adopting any form of management for any business or property in which my estate may have an interest; to become or remain a partner, general or limited, in regard to any such business or property; to incorporate any such business or property and hold the stock or other securities as an investment; and to employ agents and confer on them authority to manage and operate such business, property or corporation, without liability for the acts of any such agent or for any loss, liability or indebtedness of such business if the management is selected and retained with reasonable care;

(h) To register any stock, bond or other security in the name of any nominee, without the addition of words indicating that such security is held in a fiduciary capacity; but accurate

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records shall be maintained showing that such security is a trust asset, and the Executrix shall be responsible for the acts of such nominee;

(i) In the distribution of my estate the Executrix shall be authorized to make the distribution in money or in kind or part in money and part in kind and the distribution made by my Executrix and the values established by her for such distribution shall be binding and conclusive on all persons taking hereunder. My Executrix may in making such distribution allot undivided interests in the same property;

(j) My Executrix shall have discretion to determine whether items should be charged or credited to income or corpus or allocated between income and corpus in such manner as the Executrix in her discretion may deem equitable and fair under all the circumstances, including the power to amortize or fail to amortize any part or all of any premium or discount, to treat any part or all of the profit resulting from the maturity or sale of any asset, whether purchased at a premium or at a discount, as income or corpus or apportion the same between income and corpus, to apportion the sales price of any asset between income and corpus, to treat any dividend or other distribution on any investment as income or corpus or apportion the same between income and corpus, to charge any expense against income or corpus or apportion the same, and to provide or fail to provide a reasonable reserve against depreciation or obsolescence on any asset subject to depreciation or obsolescence, all as such Executrix may reasonably deem equitable and just under all the circumstances;

(k) My Executrix shall be authorized to make any election permitted by any tax law, including the filing of joint return, if in the opinion of such Executrix such election is for the combined best interests of my estate and the beneficiaries thereof, and may make or agree to such apportionment of taxes as such Executrix may deem equitable under the circumstances;

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(l) My Executrix shall be authorized to constitute, nominate, appoint, or designate resident representatives to administer any property located within or outside the State of Mississippi if it should be necessary or desirable to do so. Should any such resident representative within or outside the State of Mississippi be named by my Executrix, such resident representative or representatives shall be vested with all the rights and powers which my Executrix is granted under this my Will;

(m) My Executrix is expressly authorized and empowered to carry out the terms of any written agreement or contract relating to any business to which I may be a party at the time of my death;

(n) Whenever my Executrix is directed to pay any money to or to use any money for the benefit of or to deliver any property to any minor, the Executrix shall not require the appointment of a guardian, but shall be authorized to pay or deliver the same over to the person having custody of such minor, to pay or deliver the same to such minor without the intervention of a guardian, to pay or deliver the same to a legal guardian of such minor if one has already been appointed, or to use the same for the benefit of such minor.

ITEM IX.

The feminine gender herein shall be deemed to include the masculine, and the masculine gender to include the feminine, wherever necessary or appropriate, and the singular to include the plural.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and have executed this my LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT on this 20 day of October, 1974.

Lillian Holliday Loeb
LILLIAN HOLLIDAY LOEB

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Signed, sealed, published, and declared by the said LILLIAN HOLLIDAY LOEB as and for her LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT in the presence of us, the undersigned, who, at her request and in her sight and presence, and in the sight and presence of each other, hereby subscribed our names hereto as attesting witnesses, this 25 day of October, 1974.

Ramona E. Luthersland residing at Canton, Miss 39046

Douglas Raspberry residing at Canton, Miss 39046

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 4 day of March, 1976, at o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 9 day of March, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 1 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 9 of March, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By Raspberry D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

**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 _____

Lillian Holliday Loeb, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,

Nanette E. Sutherland and Douglas Rasberry, subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Lillian Holliday Loeb

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Lillian Holliday Loeb

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

25th day of October, A. D., 1974, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of _____

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 Nanette E. Sutherland

and Douglas Rasberry subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

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.

Nanette E. Sutherland
Nanette E. Sutherland

Douglas Rasberry
Douglas Rasberry

V.R. Snyder Sr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 4th day of March, A. D., 1976

Billy V. Cooper
~~XXXXXX~~ Chancery Clerk.

V.R. Snyder Sr., A. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 4 day of March, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 9 day of March, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 02 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 9 of March, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By Rasberry, D. C.

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Last Will and Testament

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I, TOM GRANT, being over the age of twenty-one years, and of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby constitute, make and publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby expressly revoking all wills and codicils heretofore made by me, as follows, to-wit:

I.

I hereby name and appoint Bryan D. Stringer, as Executor of this, my last will and testament, to serve as such without bond.

II.

I desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon as possible after my death, and direct the Executor to see that such is promptly done.

In connection with my funeral, I direct that the Executor make arrangements for my funeral, but that no more than \$500.00 be spent from funds of my Estate for such purposes.

III.

I hereby give, devise and bequeath the following:

To: Rosetta Johnson, the sum of \$100.00.

To: Jackie Meeks, the sum of \$100.00.

To: Robin Meeks, the sum of \$100.00.

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To Alberta Anderson, I give, devise and bequeath the rest and

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residue of my estate including realty and personalty, of whatever kind,
and wheresoever situated.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, TOM GRANT, Testator, hereunto set
my hand to this my Last Will and Testament on this the 21st day of July,
1969.

Tom Grant
Tom Grant

ATTESTING WITNESSES:

Ray S. Pace
Carl R. Montgomery

ATTESTATION CLAUSE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

We, each of the subscribing witnesses to the Last Will and Testa-
ment of TOM GRANT, do hereby certify that said instrument was signed
by said TOM GRANT, in our presence and in the presence of each of us,
and that the said TOM GRANT, declared the same to be his Last Will and
Testament in the presence of each of us, and that we each signed as sub-
scribing witnesses to said will at the request of TOM GRANT, in his
presence and in the presence of each other.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURES on this the 21st day of July, 1969.

Ray S. Pace
Carl R. Montgomery

WITNESSES

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

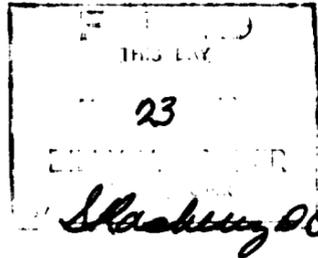
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 23 day of March, 1976, at — o'clock M.,
and was duly recorded on the 30 day of March, 1976, Book No. 10 on Page 1
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 29 of March, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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CODICIL TO LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF TOM GRANT

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I, TOM GRANT, being over the age of twenty-one years and of sound mind and disposing memory, do hereby constitute, made and publish and declare this to be a codicil to my last will and testament, heretofore executed by me, as follows, to-wit:

I.

I hereby revoke paragraph I of my Last Will and Testament heretofore executed by me, wherein Bryan D. Stringer was named as Executor.

II.

I hereby name and appoint the First National Bank, Canton, Mississippi, as Executor of this, my Last Will and Testament, to serve as such without bond.

III.

In all other respects, and as to all other terms, conditions and provisions, my Last Will and Testament heretofore made by me is hereby ratified and confirmed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, TOM GRANT, Testator, hereunto set my hand to this a Codicil to my Last Will and Testament on this the 26th day of January, 1970.

ATTESTING WITNESSES

Tom Grant

Tom Grant

Mary Shivers

Kay Rice

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ATTESTATION CLAUSE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

We, each of the subscribing witnesses to the Codicil to the Last Will and Testament of TOM GRANT, do hereby certify that said instrument was signed by said TOM GRANT, in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and that the said TOM GRANT, declared the same to be a codicil to his Last Will and Testament in the presence of each of us, and that we each signed as subscribing witnesses to said codicil at the request of TOM GRANT, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURES on this the 26th day of January, 1970.

Mary [Signature]
Kay [Signature]
WITNESSES

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 23 day of March, 1976 at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 30 day of March, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 11 in my office.
I place my hand and seal of office, this the 30 of March, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
[Signature] D. C.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the ^{codicil to} last will and testament of _____

Tom Grant, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,

Kay Pace and _____ a subscribing witness to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the ^{codicil to the} last will and testament of the said Tom Grant

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Tom Grant

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

26th day of January, A. D., 1970, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of Mary S. Dennis

the other subscribing witness _____, and that said Testat or was then of sound and disposing mind and

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

said County and State, and this deponent and Mary S. Dennis

and _____ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

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

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

Kay Pace
Kay Pace

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 23rd day of March, A. D., 1976

My Commission Expires:
August 18, 1979

Shirley T. Burns
Notary Public in and for Madison County,
Mississippi

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

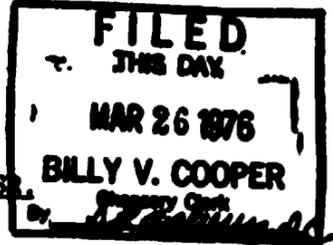
Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 23 day of March, 1976, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was duly recorded on the 30 day of March, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 13 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 30 of March, 1976.

By Billy V. Cooper BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF T. V. NICHOLS, SR.

I, T. V. NICHOLS, SR., being of sound and disposing mind and memory and an adult resident citizen of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, expressly revoking all other wills and codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

ITEM ONE: I give and bequeath unto my wife, Virginia M. Nichols, the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00).

ITEM TWO: I give and bequeath unto my sister, Mrs. Amelia N. Crane, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00).

ITEM THREE: I give and bequeath unto my sister-in-law, Mrs. Marie F. Nichols, the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00).

ITEM FOUR: I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Mary Virginia Nichols Phillips, the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00).

ITEM FIVE: I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Wanda Nichols Doolittle, the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00).

ITEM SIX: After the payment of inheritance taxes, court costs, the costs of administration of my estate and other expenses, I give, devise and bequeath all of the rest, residue and balance of all properties owned by me at the time of my death, including any lapsed legacies, to my three children, T. V. Nichols, Jr., Wanda Nichols Doolittle, and Mary Virginia Nichols Phillips, share and share alike.

ITEM SEVEN: Notwithstanding any provision herein to the contrary, should any of my children herein named predecease me, then the share of such deceased child or children under this Will shall pass and go to the issue of such deceased child or children, per stirpes; and if any person or persons that may be entitled to share in my estate shall not at the time of my death have attained the age of twenty-five years, then the share of such person or persons shall pass or be transferred to the Trustee hereunder, in trust for the use and benefit of such person or persons under the provisions of ITEM EIGHT hereof.

ITEM EIGHT: In the event that any person or persons who would otherwise have been entitled under this Will to a share of my estate shall not at the time of my death have reached the age of twenty-five years, then the share to which each such person would have been so otherwise entitled, shall go unto the surviving parent of such person, IN TRUST, for the use and benefit of such person or persons, and said property, with the proceeds and income therefrom, shall be known as and referred to herein as the Trust Fund for such person or persons, and each Trustee, as to each respective Trust Fund, is authorized and empowered to use and expend so much of the Trust Fund as the Trustee may deem necessary or desirable for the care, maintenance and education of such person or persons until such person or persons attain the age of twenty-five years, and when such person or persons have attained the age of twenty-five years, said Trust shall terminate and the Trustee shall pay over or transfer to the beneficiary of the Trust the balance of said Trust Fund. In the event that such person or persons shall die without having attained the age of twenty-five years, then the Trust shall terminate and the Trustee shall divide, pay over and transfer said Trust Fund to the person or persons who would be legally entitled to the same. Any Trustee hereunder is hereby

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authorized and empowered, without the necessity of Court approval, to sell at public or private sale, lease, mortgage and encumber any portion or all of the property, real or personal, which the Trustee may hold under the Trust(s) hereby created, and said Trustee is further authorized to execute oil, gas and mineral leases covering any mineral interests owned by me at the time of my death, and to execute and deliver good and sufficient deeds and other instruments to convey, mortgage, encumber and transfer the same for any such purpose or purposes, and the Trustee is authorized and empowered to invest, collect, convert and reinvest, as the Trustee deems best and desirable, any or all of the property of such Trust Fund, and upon any and all sales by the Trustee, the purchasers shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money. It is my desire and intention for each Trustee to manage, control, invest and expend the property and funds of each such Trust as the respective Trustee deems best and proper in the administration of the Trust Estate, and to do any and all acts incidental to the accomplishment thereof.

If the person designated hereinabove as Trustee for any Trust hereunder resigns, fails, refuses, or for any reason is unable to act, then I hereby designate Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi as the Successor Trustee hereunder, with the same title, powers and discretions herein given the Trustee originally designated, and no Trustee hereunder shall be required to make bond to act in such capacity.

ITEM NINE: I hereby name, constitute and appoint my son, T. V. Nichols, Jr., as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, but should he predecease me or for any reason fail, decline or be unable to act in such capacity, then, in that event, I hereby name, constitute and appoint Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and I do hereby waive the necessity of either entering into bond

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or of reporting to any court in the administration of my estate;

SIGNED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by me as my Last Will and Testament, on this the 13 day of May 1975, in the presence of these witnesses, who also signed the same as witnesses hereto, at my request, in my presence, and in the presence of each other, on this day.

HIS (X) MARK
T. V. Nichols, Sr.

This instrument was, on the date shown above, signed, published and declared by T. V. NICHOLS, SR., to be his Last Will and Testament, in our presence; and we, at his request, have subscribed our names hereto, as witnesses, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Halsey E. Wesley
Nancy B. Wesley

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 26 day of March, 1976 at o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 14 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of April, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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BILLY V. COOPER
Notary Public

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND
TESTAMENT OF T. V. NICHOLS, SR.
DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 22-531

PROOF OF WILL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, HALSEY E. WESLEY and NANCY B. WESLEY, who are subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of T. V. Nichols, Sr., deceased, and who, being by me first duly sworn, deposed and said that the said T. V. Nichols, Sr. signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on May 13, 1975, the date of said instrument, in the presence of these deponents, and that said Testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, more than twenty-one years of age, and having his usual place of residence in Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, and these deponents subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication of said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of the said Testator, and in the presence of the said Testator, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Halsey E. Wesley
Halsey E. Wesley
Nancy B. Wesley
Nancy B. Wesley

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, this the 26 day of March
1976.

My commission expires:
August 18, 1979.

James T. [Signature]
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Mississippi

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 26 day of March, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 11 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 day of April, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

[Signature] D. C.

I, Henry S. Levy, of Clinton, Mississippi, being of sound mind and disposing memory, and being twenty-one year of age, do hereby declare and publish the following as my last will and testament revoking all others that I have heretofore made:

I hereby give, bequeath, and devise all my property, personal, and mixed whatsoever located, that is, now, owned at my death to my nephews, Bertson L. Levy and Robert M. Levy, share and share alike; but should any of said legatees or devisees predecease me then his or her share shall go to the survivors or survivors.

I hereby name, constitute and appoint Alan W. Levy, my brother, as Executor and direct that he shall not be required to furnish bond that he be not required to account to any Court.

Witness my signature this 20th day of March, 1976.

Henry S. Levy

FILED
THIS DAY
APR 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
[Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 9 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 13 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 19 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 13 of April, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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I, Stanley H. Carter, Minister, King of Jesus Christ
Minister, the one true God of Israel, Jesus Christ,
and John the Baptist, in testimony as a Codical to the will in
testament made the 13th day of March 1976:

Will I, Stanley H. Carter at 402 East River Road,
Colo, Mississippi, do hereby execute and sign
the will, as to of my last and final,
and sole dispositive act in my life and in my testament
and in my will and in my testament and in my will and in my testament

Witness my signature this 22nd day of
March, 1976.

FILED
THIS DAY
APR 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
V. R. [Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 7 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock — M.,
and was duly recorded on the 13 day of April, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 20
in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 13 of April, 1976.
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By [Signature] D. C.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

IN THE CHANCERY COURT

In the Matter of the Estate
Of
Stanley S. Levy, deceased

No. 22-564

PROOF OF WILL AND CODICIL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, the within named FRED S. FLUMMER and R. H. POWELL, JR., each of whom being by me first duly sworn states on oath:

That affiant knew Stanley S. Levy well during his lifetime and that affiant is familiar with the handwriting of the said Stanley S. Levy who died on or about March 20th, 1976, and who at the time of his death had a fixed place of residence in Canton, Madison County, Mississippi.

That the instrument submitted herewith bearing date of March 20, 1967, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Stanley S. Levy, deceased, is signed by said decedent and is wholly written, dated, and subscribed in the handwriting of said decedent.

That the instrument submitted herewith bearing date of March 22, 1971, purporting to be a codicil to the aforesaid Last Will and Testament of Stanley S. Levy, dated March 20, 1967, is signed by said decedent and is wholly written, dated, and subscribed in the handwriting of said decedent.

That the said Stanley S. Levy, deceased, at the time of the making of the aforesaid will and the codicil thereto was a resident of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, and was of sound and disposing mind and memory and over twenty-one years of age.

WITNESS the signature(s) of Affiant(s) this 11th day of April, 1976.

Fred S. Flummer
R. H. Powell, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of April, 1976.

Billy V. Cooper
Notary Public

(SEAL)
My commission expires: March 5, 1978

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11th DAY
APR 11 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Notary Public
Billy V. Cooper

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 7 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 13 day of April, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 21 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 13 of April, 1976
By Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
B. Cooper D. C.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MACK OWENS SR.

I, Mack Owens Sr., a resident of Madison County, Mississippi, being above the age of 21 years and of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament:

First, I order and direct my executor, hereinafter named, to pay all of my ~~last~~ debts and funeral expenses as soon possible ~~after my death~~ ^{as soon possible} be.

Second, After the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath, to my children, share and share alike the 75 acres of land ~~that I own~~ ^{that I own} in Madison County, Mississippi, and all personal property of every description and kind. Said children being: James Earl Owens, ~~My~~ ^{My} ~~Johnnie~~ ^{Johnnie} Lee Owens, Mack Owens, Jr., ~~Sunny Lee Owens~~

It is my ^{order} wish that this land will not be sold unless sold to one of the Owens family.

I appoint my son James Earl Owens executor of this my last will and testament without bond and I do not desire for him to report to any court in the premises.

Witness my signature this the 6th day of January, 1960.

Mack Owens Sr.
Mack Owens Sr.

Witness: Josephine Hoad
Josephine Hoad

FILED
THIS DAY
APR 16 1975
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
Billy V. Cooper

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 16 day of April, 1975 at — o'clock — M. and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1975. Book No. 16 on Page 22 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1975

Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
D. C.

Subscribed
PROOF OF WILL

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APR 16 1976
CHANCERY COURT
BILLY V. COOPER
Billy V. Cooper

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of
Mack Owens, Sr., deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,

Josephine Hood ~~was~~ one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Mack Owens, Sr.

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Mack Owens, Sr.

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

6th day of JANUARY, A. D., 1960, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of Magnolia Gowdy

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

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

said County and State, and this deponent and Magnolia Gowdy

and subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

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

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

Josephine Hood
JOSEPHINE HOOD

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 16 day of April, A. D., 1976

Billy V. Cooper
BILLY V. COOPER, Chancery Clerk.

By Rita J. Wright, S.C. D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 16 day of April, 1976 at — o'clock — M.,
and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976 Book No. 16 on Page 23
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *[Signature]* D.C.

Book 16 page 24
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

22-576

I, Mrs. Mary Lewis, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament.

First: I nominate and appoint my daughter, Virginia Lewis Giddy, as executrix of my estate and I excuse her from entering into bond or making a report to the courts of her acts as executrix.

Second: I will, devise and bequeath all the property which I own at the time of my death, real, personal, mixed, of whatever nature and wheresoever situated, unto my daughter, Virginia Lewis Giddy. I leave my property to my said daughter alone because most of said property was inherited by me from her father.

I hope that my said daughter will be able to keep the farm intact and pass it on to her children. However I do not make this as a legal requirement but merely express it as a wish.

Witness my signature, this the 23rd day of February, 1962.

Mrs. Mary Lewis
Mrs. Mary Lewis

Signed, published and declared by Mrs. Mary Lewis as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us, who in her presence, at her request and in the presence of one another, have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

This the 23rd day of February, 1962.

[Signature]
[Signature]

FILED
THIS DAY
APR 16 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Clerk
[Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 16 day of April, 1976 at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976 Book No. 16 on Page 24 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *[Signature]* D.C.

Book 16 Page 25
IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL
AND TESTAMENT OF
MRS. MARY LEWIS, DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 22-576

PROOF OF WILL

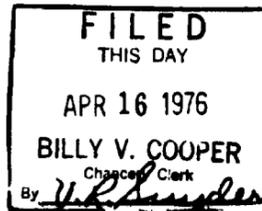
Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, **ABBIE M. GOBER**, the surviving subscribing witness to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Mary Lewis, deceased, and who, being by me first duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Mrs. Mary Lewis signed, published and declared said instrument as her Last Will and Testament on February 23, 1962, the date of said instrument, in the presence of Nelson Cauthen, now deceased, and this deponent, and that the said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, more than twenty-one years of age, and had her usual place of residence in Madison County, Mississippi, and the said Nelson Cauthen, now deceased, and Abbie M. Gober subscribed and attested said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of the said Testatrix, in the presence of the said Mrs. Mary Lewis, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Abbie M. Gober
Abbie M. Gober

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, this April 16, 1976.

My commission expires:
August 18, 1979

Justin T. Burns
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Mississippi



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, **Billy V. Cooper**, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 16 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock — A., and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 25 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976.
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *U. R. Snyder*, D. C.

Book No. 26
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

22-586

I, Cap Miles, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament especially revoking all prior testamentary documents.

First: I nominate and appoint my son, Harrison Miles, as executor of this my last will and testament and I do especially provide that he be not required to make any bond or make any reports as executor.

Second: I will, devise and bequeath all of the property which I may own at the time of my death real, personal, mixed of whatever nature and wheresoever situated unto the said Harrison Miles.

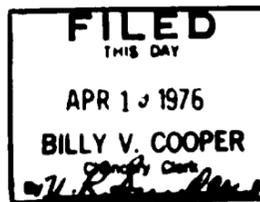
Witness my signature, this the 17th day of June, 1966.

Cap Miles
Cap Miles

Signed, published and declared by Cap Miles as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of one another have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

This the 17th day of June, 1966.

Walter Lett
James [unclear]



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 19 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 26 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976

[Signature]
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF MADISON

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22-586

AFFIDAVIT

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, _____

A. Dowdle, Jr., who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did depose and say as follows:

I was well acquainted with Cap Miles for many years prior to his death and had frequent opportunities and occasions to see his handwriting and signature and to be familiar with it.

There has been exhibited to me a typewritten instrument which instrument is dated June 17, 1966, and bears the signature of Cap Miles; and that said signature is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the true handwriting and signature of Cap Miles.

That at the date of the aforesaid instrument, Cap Miles was above the age of twenty-one years and was of sound, disposing mind and memory.

I am in no way, directly or indirectly, interested in the estate of Cap Miles, deceased.

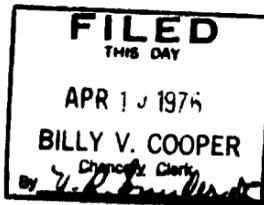
A. Dowdle, Jr.
Amos Dowdle, Jr.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the 16th day of April, 1976.

Louise J. Davis
Notary Public

My commission expires:

Oct 22, 1978



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 18 day of April, 1976, at _____ o'clock PM, and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 27 of my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 day of April, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By [Signature], D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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AFFIDAVIT

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, _____
James Cook, who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did depose and say as follows:

I was well acquainted with Cap Miles for many years prior to his death and had frequent opportunities and occasions to see his handwriting and signature and to be familiar with it.

There has been exhibited to me a typewritten instrument which instrument is dated June 17, 1966, and bears the signature of Cap Miles; and that said signature is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the true handwriting and signature of Cap Miles.

That at the date of the aforesaid instrument, Cap Miles was above the age of twenty-one years and was of sound, disposing mind and memory.

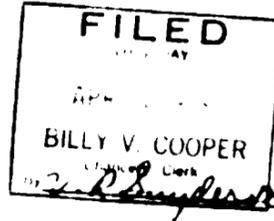
I am in no way, directly or indirectly, interested in the estate of Cap Miles, deceased.

James Cook

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the _____ day of _____, 1976.

Notary Public

My commission expires: _____



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 19 day of April, 1976 at _____ o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 22 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976.
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By *[Signature]* D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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AFFIDAVIT

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, _____
Abbie M. Gober, who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did depose and say as follows:

I was well acquainted with Nelson Cauthen for many years prior to his death and I had frequent opportunities and occasions to see his signature and handwriting and be familiar with it.

That there has been exhibited to me a typewritten instrument which instrument is dated June 17, 1966, and appears to be the Last Will and Testament of Cap Miles, deceased; and that there also appears on said instrument the signature of the said Nelson Cauthen, deceased, as a subscribing witness thereto; that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the signature of the said Nelson Cauthen, deceased, is in fact his true signature and handwriting.

I am in no way, directly or indirectly, interested in the estate of Cap Miles, deceased.

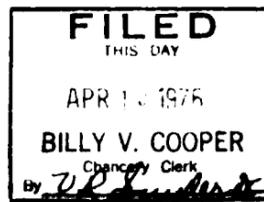
Abbie M. Gober

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the 16 day
of April, 1976.

Billy V. Cooper, Ch. Clerk
By: A. R. Ashberry, Jr.
Notary Public

My commission expires:

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 19 day of April, 1976, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 29 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 of April, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By A. R. Ashberry, Jr. D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

22-586

Book 16 Page 30

AFFIDAVIT

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the above County and State, Louise Heath, who, first having been by me duly sworn, upon oath did depose and say as follows:

I was well acquainted with Nelson Cauthen for many years prior to his death and I had frequent opportunities and occasions to see his signature and handwriting and be familiar with it.

That there has been exhibited to me a typewritten instrument which instrument is dated June 17, 1966, and appears to be the Last Will and Testament of Cap Miles, deceased; and that there also appears on said instrument the signature of the said Nelson Cauthen, deceased, as a subscribing witness thereto; that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the signature of the said Nelson Cauthen, deceased, is in fact his true signature and handwriting.

I am in no way, directly or indirectly, interested in the estate of Cap Miles, deceased.

Louise Heath

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this the 16 day of

April, 1976.

Billy V. Cooper, Ch. Clerk
By: S. H. Sherry, D.C.
Notary Public

My commission expires:

1-7-80

FILED
THIS DAY
APR 16 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
By: S. H. Sherry

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 19 day of April, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 20 day of April, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 30 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 20 day of April, 1976

Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
By: S. H. Sherry D.C.

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

22-607

I, Alfred W. Hardy, Sr., being of sound and disposing mind and memory do hereby make, constitute and declare this as and for my last will and testament, especially revoking all prior testamentary documents.

First - I nominate and appoint my son, Alfred W. Hardy, Jr., as executor of this my last will and testament and I excuse him from entering into bond or making any report of his acts.

Second - I will, devise and bequeath all of the property which I may own at the time of my death, both real, personal and mixed of whatever nature and wherever situated, share and share alike unto my children, Alfred W. Hardy, Jr., Patricia Hardy Weathersby, and Michael W. Hardy.

Third - The gifts which I have already made to my children shall not be taken into consideration in the division of the property left by me.

Witness my signature this the 3rd day of June, 1965.

Alfred W. Hardy, Sr.
Alfred W. Hardy, Sr.

Signed, published and declared by Alfred W. Hardy, Sr. as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of one another, have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

This the 3rd day of June, 1965.

William D. ...
Louise ...

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JUN 11 1965
BILLY V. COOPER

W. R. Snyder

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 4 day of May, 1965, at 7 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 11 day of May, 1965, Book No. 16 on Page 31.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 11 of May, 1965.
By Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

22-607

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

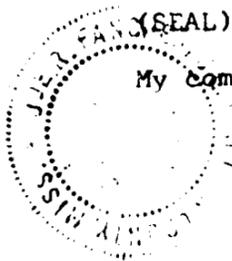
In the matter of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of ALFRED W. HARDY, SR., deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, LOUISE HEATH, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Alfred W. Hardy, Sr., who being by me first duly sworn states on oath that the said Alfred W. Hardy, Sr. signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on the 3rd day of June, 1965, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent and in the presence of Nelson Cauthen, the other subscribing witness, and that said Testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age, and having his usual place of abode in Madison County, Mississippi, and this deponent and Nelson Cauthen subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof at the special instance of said Testator and in the presence of said Testator and in the presence of each other on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Louise Heath
Louise Heath

SWORN to and subscribed before me this the 4th day of May, 1976.

[Signature]
Notary Public



My Commission expires 1-26-76.



V.R. Snyder

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 4 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock M., and was recorded on the 11 day of May, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 32.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 11 of May, 1976.
By Billy V. Cooper BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By [Signature] D. C.

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

22-614

I, W. T. Lockett, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and more than twenty-one years of age, do hereby make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament especially revoking all prior testamentary documents.

FIRST: I nominate and appoint my son, W. J. L. Lockett, as executor of this my last will and testament and I hereby excuse him from making bond or making any report to the courts.

SECOND: I will, devise and bequeath all of my property of every kind, real, personal, mixed, and of whatever nature and whersoever situated, one-half (1/2) unto my son, W. J. L. Lockett, and the other one-half (1/2) unto my daughter, Mary Anne Reynaud.

Witness my signature, this, the 1st day of October, 1973.

W. T. Lockett
W. T. Lockett

Signed, published and declared by W. T. Lockett as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of one another have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses.

This, the 1st day of October, 1973.

Mary Anne Reynaud
Louis Death

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THIS DAY
MAY 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
22-614

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 7 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock AM, and was returned to me on the 11 day of May, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 33 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 11 of May, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

22-614

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of _____
W. T. Lockett, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,
Louise Heath ~~xxx~~ one of the _____, subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said W. T. Lockett

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said W. T. Lockett _____ signed, published and declared said instrument as his last will and testament on the

1st day of October, A. D., 1973, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent, and in the presence of Nelson Cauthen, deceased _____

the other subscribing witness _____, and that said Testat or _____ was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having his _____ usual place of abode in said County and State, and this deponent and Nelson Cauthen, deceased _____

~~and~~ _____ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testat or _____, and in the presence of the said Testat or _____ and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

FILED
THIS DAY
MAY 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
By 22-614

Louise Heath
LOUISE HEATH

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 13 day of May, A. D., 1976

My commission expires:
June 6, 1978

Agatha Ann Lacey
NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 7 day of May, 1976 at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was duly recorded on the 11 day of May, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 34 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 11 of May, 1976.
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *Shasheep* D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF MADISON

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22-618

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. ENNA WALKER GARRETT

I, MRS. ENNA WALKER GARRETT, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and an adult resident citizen of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, expressly revoking all other wills and codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

ITEM 1: I give, devise and bequeath to Fannie Elizabeth Whitworth Jones Payne and Mary John Whitworth Colbert, share and share alike, my one hundred eighty (180) acres of farm land in Madison County, Mississippi, being part of the old Massey Estate.

ITEM 2: I give and bequeath the sum of \$100.00 each to the following named individuals:

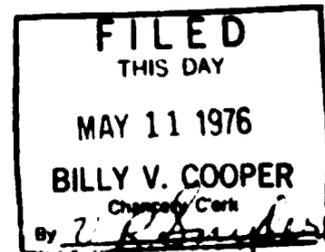
Mrs. Addie F. Dunning, Canton, Mississippi
Mrs. Frances Hamil, Sterling Towers, Jackson, Miss.
Mrs. K. Osborne, of 164 East Peace Street, Canton, Miss.
Mrs. Katherine Baine Farish, Canton, Mississippi
Mrs. Vera Harrison, Little Rock, Arkansas
Circle No. 1 Women of Presbyterian Church, Canton, Miss.
Miss Eunice Pace, Canton, Mississippi
Miss Wanda Stebbins, Canton, Mississippi
Miss Nell Lawler, Cleveland, Mississippi

ITEM 3: I give and bequeath the sum of \$200.00 each to the following named individuals:

Mrs. John Anderson, Yazoo City, Mississippi
Mrs. Harold Anderson, Zeiglerville, Mississippi
Mrs. Frank Aiken, Vaughan, Mississippi

ITEM 4: I give and bequeath the sum of \$500.00 each to Mrs. Elizabeth Coleman, Canton, Mississippi, and Frances Nolan Liddle, Jackson, Mississippi.

ITEM 5: I give and bequeath unto each of the following charitable institutions \$1,000.00, namely: Presbyterian Church of Canton, Mississippi, for charitable purposes, and the Presbyterian Children's Home of Columbus, Mis-



Mississippi.

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ITEM 6: I give and bequeath unto Louise S. Dodd, 8 Electric Avenue, Thomastown, Connecticut 06787, the sum of \$600.00.

ITEM 7: I give, devise and bequeath to Angie Belle Rimmer my account in the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Canton, Mississippi, and my stock in the Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi.

ITEM 8: I give, devise and bequeath to Fannie Elizabeth Whitworth Jones Payne my cluster diamond ring.

ITEM 9: I give, devise and bequeath to Mary John Whitworth Colbert the watch and chain that belonged to my husband, O. F. Garrett, during his lifetime.

ITEM 10: I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and balance of my estate, including any lapsed legacies, to the Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi, Trustee, for distribution according to the mutual directions of Angie Belle Rimmer and F. E. Allen, officers of the Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi, and if either or both of said parties fail, refuse or neglect to act in such capacities, then their respective successor or successors in office in the Canton Exchange Bank, Canton, Mississippi shall act in their place and stead.

I do hereby name, nominate and appoint Angie Belle Rimmer to serve as Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament, without bond and waive any requirements as to inventory and accounting to any court. If for any reason, Angie Belle Rimmer is unable to serve, then I name, nominate and appoint the Canton Exchange Bank of Canton, Mississippi, to serve as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, without bond and waive any requirements as to inventory and accounting to any court.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE this the 5th day of December, 1975.

Mrs. Enna Walker Garrett
Mrs. Enna Walker Garrett

WITNESSES:

Clifton Ray Huley
Clifton Ray Huley

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 11 day of May, 1976, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was docketed on the 18 day of May, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 35 in the office.

Witnessed and seal of office, this the 18 of May, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By Clifton Ray Huley D. C.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. ENNA WALKER GARRETT, DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 22-618

PROOF OF WILL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, S. R. CAIN, JR. and CLIFTON RAY HAILEY, who are subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Enna Walker Garrett, deceased, and who, being by me first duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Mrs. Enna Walker Garrett signed, published and declared said instrument as her Last Will and Testament on December 5, 1975, the date of said instrument, in the presence of these deponents, and that the said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, more than twenty-one years of age, and had her usual place of residence in Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, and these deponents subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of the said Testatrix, 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.

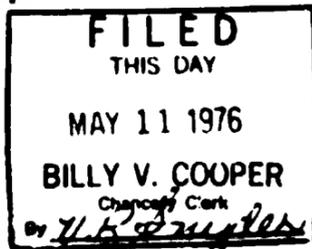
S. R. Cain, Jr.
S. R. Cain, Jr.

Clifton Ray Hailey
Clifton Ray Hailey

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, this the 21st day of April 1976.

My commission expires:
August 18, 1979

Billy V. Cooper
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Mississippi



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was recorded in my office this 11 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was recorded on the 18 day of May, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 37 of my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 18 day of May, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By [Signature] D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF PERRY I. MILTON

I, PERRY I. MILTON, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and an adult resident citizen of Madison County, Mississippi, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, expressly revoking all other wills and codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

ITEM ONE: I give, devise and bequeath unto H. Osborne Guion and David Milton Guion all land, real estate, and interests in land and real estate owned by me at the time of my death.

ITEM TWO: I give and bequeath unto each of the individuals named below the amount of money set opposite his or her name:

H. Osborne Guion	\$7,500.00
David Milton Guion	\$7,500.00
Ellen Price Guion	\$7,500.00
Mrs. Laverne S. Guion	\$1,000.00
Mrs. Marianne Mansell Beasley	\$7,500.00
Mrs. Willene Mansell Sherer	\$7,500.00
Mr. O. E. Castens, Jr.	\$ 500.00
Mrs. Kathryn Parker Henry	\$ 300.00
Miss Bobbye Parker	\$ 300.00
Miss Sue Randolph Davidson	\$2,000.00
Miss Lisa Kathryn Sherer	\$ 500.00
Master Hugh Duncan Sherer	\$ 500.00
Miss Kathy Henry	\$ 100.00
Billy Henry	\$ 100.00
W. J. Jackson	\$ 500.00

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Sue Gordon	\$ 200.00
Albert Scott	\$ 200.00
Mr. and Mrs. Harold White or the survivor of them	\$2,000.00

ITEM THREE: After payment of my funeral expenses, including the engraving of my grave marker, the debts probated against my estate, the cost of administration of my estate, and the payment of all inheritance taxes due thereon, I give, devise and bequeath unto H. Osborne Guion all of the rest, residue and balance of property owned by me at the time of my death, including any lapsed legacies.

ITEM FOUR: In the event that any legatee herein is a minor at the time distribution is made under this my Last Will and Testament, said minor's legacy shall be paid to his or her father for the benefit of said minor, and if the father of a minor is deceased, then said distribution shall be made to the mother of said legatee for the benefit of said minor, and the receipt of said father or mother shall relieve the Executor from any responsibility whatsoever to said minor or minors. In the event neither the mother nor the father of any such minor shall be living at the time of distribution, said legacy shall be paid to The First National Bank of Canton at Canton, Mississippi, for the benefit of said minor or minors, and the receipt of said Bank shall likewise relieve the Executor from any responsibility whatsoever to said minor or minors.

ITEM FIVE: In the event that any monies are paid to The First National Bank for the benefit of any minor or minors, said Bank in its discretion may expend funds from said legacy for the welfare of said minor or minors, and shall be relieved from accounting to any court.

ITEM SIX: I hereby name, designate and appoint H. Osborne Guion as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and do hereby relieve him

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of making bond and of reporting to any court in the administration of my estate.

SIGNED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by me as my Last Will and Testament on this the 17 day of May 1974, in the presence of these witnesses who also signed the same, as witnesses hereto, at my request, in my presence, and in the presence of each other, on this day.

Perry I. Milton
Perry I. Milton

This instrument was, on the date shown above, signed, published and declared by PERRY I. MILTON to be her Last Will and Testament, in our presence; and we, at her request, have subscribed our names hereto, as witnesses, in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Wm. G. Burns

J. Whitekey

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filled for record in my office this 18 day of May, 1974, at — o'clock - M., and was duly recorded on the 25 day of May, 1974, Book No. 16 on Page 33 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 25 of May, 1974.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

NO. 018 - 41

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL
AND TESTAMENT OF
MRS. PERRY I. MILTON, DECEASED

CAUSE 22-628

PROOF OF WILL

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, SUSIE T. BURNS and J. M. RITCHEY, subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Perry I. Milton, deceased, and who, being by me first duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Perry I. Milton signed, published and declared said instrument as her Last Will and Testament on May 17, 1974, the date of said instrument, in the presence of these deponents, and that the said Testatrix was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, more than twenty-one years of age, and had her usual place of residence in Madison County, Mississippi, and the said Susie T. Burns and J. M. Ritchey subscribed and attested said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of the said Testatrix, 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.

Susie T. Burns
Susie T. Burns
J. M. Ritchey
J. M. Ritchey

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, this May 12, 1976.

My commission expires:
December 6, 1979

Billy V. Cooper
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Mississippi



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MAY 1 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
B. R. Cooper

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 18 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 25 day of May, 1976, Book No. 116 on Page 41 to my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 25 of May, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By B. R. Cooper, D. C.

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.....LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF ROY B. FRIER, JR., M.....

Witney Wright, A.C.

I, Roy B. Frier, Jr., a resident of the Town of Madison, Madison County, Mississippi, being above the age of twenty-one years, and of sound mind and memory, do hereby certify that I am the sole owner of the following property:

Item 1.
I hereby bequeath unto my wife, Letitia Frier Frier, all of the property which I own and which I have owned at any time during my life.

I appoint my wife, Letitia Frier Frier, as executrix of my last will and testament, and I hereby give her full power to execute the same.

Roy B. Frier, Jr.

Letitia Frier Frier
Executrix

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 24 day of May, 1926, at o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 25 day of May, 1926, Book No. 16 on Page 42 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 25 of May, 1926.

By *Billy V. Cooper* BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk D. C.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

Nita J. Winstead

COUNTY OF Hinds

PERSONALLY appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the jurisdiction aforesaid, JACK M. GREAVES, one of the two subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of ROY B. PRICE, SR., deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi, who having first been duly sworn by me, makes oath that said ROY B. PRICE, SR., published and declared said instrument the designated Last Will and Testament as his Last Will and Testament on the 14th day of November, 1976, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of myself and Herman Mabry, Jr. on the day and date thereof, that said Testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, that said Testator subscribed said instrument as witness thereto, at the instance and request, and in the presence of said Testator, and also in the presence of each other, on the day and date aforesaid.

Jack M. Greaves

JACK M. GREAVES

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 27 day of

May, 1976.

J. Walker

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires:

5/1/77

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filled for record in my office this 27 day of May, 1976, at _____ o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 25 day of May, 1976, Book No. 14 on Page 63 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 25 of May, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By *[Signature]* D. C.

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Last Will and Testament

OF

HUMPHREY HARRIS

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

I, HUMPHREY HARRIS, a resident citizen of Madison County, Mississippi, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and being over the age of twenty-one years, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all other Wills and Testaments, and Codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

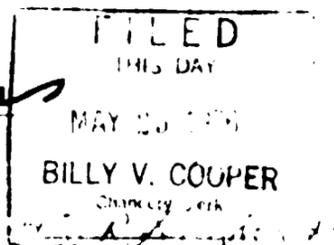
ITEM I

I hereby direct that all my just and lawful debts be paid, including expenses of my funeral and a suitable marker for my grave; that all lawful claims duly probated, registered and allowed against my estate be paid; and that the administration of my estate be completed and closed as soon after my death as may be reasonably possible.

ITEM II

All the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and nature and wheresoever situated, including lapsed legacies and bequests, of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled at the time of my death or over which I shall have any power of appointment, I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, SARAH H. HARRIS, and same shall be hers absolutely.

Humphrey Harris
HUMPHREY HARRIS,



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ITEM III

In the event that our deaths should occur simultaneously, or approximately so, or in the same common accident or calamity, or under circumstances causing doubt as to which of us survived the other, or should my wife, SARAH H. HARRIS, predecease me or die within thirty (30) days of my death, then and in that event only, I give, devise and bequeath all of my property, real, personal and mixed, of whatsoever kind and nature, and wheresoever situated, to my beloved children, namely: Myles Bishop Harris, Ester Harris Collins, Thelma Harris Rouser, Richard Humphrey Harris and Mable Harris Wayne, share and share alike, per stirpes.

Any interest in land received by any of my children or my grandchildren living at my death under this will may not be sold by any of them or mortgaged or incumbered by any of them in any way whatsoever unless all of said children or grandchildren agree to such transaction in writing.

ITEM IV

I hereby nominate, appoint and constitute MYLES BISHOP HARRIS, 646 W. 111th Place, Los Angeles, California 90044, and ESTER HARRIS COLLINS, 3007 W. 77th Street, Englewood, California 90305, as Co-Executors of this my Last Will and Testament. My Co-Executors shall have full and plenary power and authority to do and perform any act deemed by him to be for the best interest of my estate, without any limitations whatsoever and without surety bond, and said authority shall include, but shall not be limited to to the right to take possession, hold, manage, invest and reinvest the same, and to collect the income, dividends, rents, interests and profits therefrom, and to employ and to pay any attorneys, agents and accountants that he may deem necessary and for the best interest of my estate and to pay unto themselves a just and reasonable compensation as Co-Executors.

Humphrey Harris
HUMPHREY HARRIS

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The foregoing Will consists of Three Pages including this one, at the bottom of each of which I have signed my name.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand to this my Last Will and Testament, on this the 17 day of May, 1976.

Humphrey Harris
HUMPHREY HARRIS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

We, each of the subscribing witnesses to the Last Will and Testament of HUMPHREY HARRIS, do hereby certify that said instrument was signed by the said HUMPHREY HARRIS, in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and that the said HUMPHREY HARRIS, declared the same to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of each of us, and that we each signed as subscribing witnesses to said Will at the request of HUMPHREY HARRIS, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

James H. Hanning
ADDRESS: Canton, Miss.

WITNESSES:

Robert D. Dora
ADDRESS: Tougaloo
General Delivery

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filled for record in my office this 25 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock AM, and was duly recorded on the 1st day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 44 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1st of June, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By Wita J. Wright . D.C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

PROOF OF WILL

Case No. 22-639

CHANCERY COURT

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

HUMPHREY HARRIS

, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,

JAMES H. HERRING

~~XXXX~~ one of the _____

subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said HUMPHREY HARRIS

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said HUMPHREY HARRIS

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

17th day of May, A. D., 1976, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of ROBERT DUNSON

the other subscribing witness _____, and that said Testat OR was then of sound and disposing mind and

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

said County and State, and this deponent and Robert Dunson

and _____ subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

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

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

FILED
THIS DAY
MAY 25 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
By [Signature]

[Signature]
JAMES H. HERRING

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 25 day of May, A. D., 1976

~~XXXX~~ CHANCERY CLERK ~~XXXX~~



[Signature]
NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 25 day of May, 1976, at _____ o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 1 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 42 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1 of June, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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Last Will and Testament of IRA ARCHIBALD COCKROFT and
MAVIS LOUISE O. COCKROFT.

ATTESTATION CLAUSE

We Sim C. Duhaney, Jr. and Ray H. Montgomery,
the two subscribing witnesses to the Will of IRA ARCHIBALD
COCKROFT and MAVIS LOUISE O. COCKROFT, hereby certify that
we signed said will as subscribing witnesses at their special
instance and request, in their presence and in the presence of
each other.

Witness our signatures, this the 21st day of February, 1972.

Sim C. Duhaney, Jr.
Witness

Ray H. Montgomery
Witness

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 26 day of May, 1976, at — o'clock — M.,
and was duly recorded on the 1 day of June, 1976 Book No. 16 on Page 48
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1 of June, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk.

By Natas J. Wright, D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

FILED
THIS DAY
MAY 26 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Court
By *Nata Wright, D.C.*

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

IN THE MATTER of a certain instrument of writing,
purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of IRA ARCHIBALD
COCKROFT, deceased, late of the City of Canton, Madison County,
Mississippi.

PERSONALLY appeared before me the undersigned authority
in and for the county and state, RAY H. MONTGOMERY, one of the
subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting
to be the Last Will and Testament of the said IRA ARCHIBALD COCKROFT,
who being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said Ira Archibald
Cockroft signed, published and declared said instrument as his last
will and testament on the 21st day of February, 1972, the day and
date of said instrument in the presence of this deponent, and in the
presence of Sim C. Dulaney, Jr. the other subscribing witness, and
that said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory,
and more than twenty-one years of age, and having his usual place of
abode in the City of Canton, Madison County, Mississippi, and this
deponent and Sim C. Dulaney, Jr., subscribed and attested said in-
strument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at
the special instance of the said Testator and in the presence of each
other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Ray H. Montgomery
RAY H. MONTGOMERY

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, this 26th day of May,
1976.

Virginia S. Phillips
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:
May 27, 1977

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 26 day of May, 1976, at _____ o'clock M.,
and was duly recorded on the 1 day of June, 1976 Book No. 16 on Page 0
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 1 of June, 1976.
By *Billy V. Cooper* BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *Nata Wright* D.C.

FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Notary Public
22-649

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In the Name of God, Amen

I, Marie Fletcher Nichols of 536 East Peace St. in
the County of Madison and State of Mississippi

being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain, publish and declare, this to be my last WILL and TESTAMENT:

FIRST, I order and direct that my Executor, hereinafter named, pay all of my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

SECOND, after the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath

T. J. Fulcins, 4562 Rock Ford Court, Charlotte - N. C.
Highland Fulcins same address - Charlotte - N. C.
to the Estate - 1610 Public Square - Charlotte, N. C.
Marie Fletcher Nichols - Charlotte - N. C.

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint T. J. Fulcins to be Executor of this, my last WILL and TESTAMENT, hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed by name and affixed my seal, the 7 day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred 1976

Marie F. Nichols [Seal]

This Instrument was on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator, Marie F. Nichols, to be her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at her request have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses in her presence, and in the presence of each other.

Marie F. Nichols
Marion B. Chapman

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2 goes to Susan Fletcher - My gold chain
with Aquamarine stone goes to D. F. Fletcher
the wife of Susan, to Grant - The gold chain
Mother wanted, on Monday, and my gold chain
I want of some money, signed the check
to the bank and I received the money
and I want to see you, to see you
and I want to see you, to see you

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 7 day of June, 1976, at o'clock M.,
and was duly recorded on the 8 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 51
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 8 of June, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
A. R. Shelby

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Marie F. Nichols, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, MATTIE F. WHITE, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Marie F. Nichols, who being by me first duly sworn states on oath that the said Marie F. Nichols signed, published, and declared said instrument as her Last Will and Testament on the 29th day of August, 1968, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent and in the presence of Mamie B. Chapman, 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 this deponent and Mamie B. Chapman 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 said Testatrix and in the presence of each other on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Mattie F. White
Mattie F. White

SWORN to and subscribed before me this the 7th day of June, 1976.

B. V. Cooper
Notary Public

(SEAL)
My commission expires: March 5, 1978

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 7 day of June, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 8 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 54 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 8 of June, 1976.
By Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
A. R. Shelby D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

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THIS DAY
JUN 7 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Notary Public

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Marie F. Nichols, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, MAMIE B. CHAPMAN, one of the subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Marie F. Nichols, who being by me first duly sworn states on oath that the said Marie F. Nichols signed, published, and declared said instrument as her Last Will and Testament on the 29th day of August, 1968, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this deponent and in the presence of Mattie F. White, 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 this deponent and Mattie F. White 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 said Testatrix and in the presence of each other on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

Mamie B. Chapman
Mamie B. Chapman

SWORN to and subscribed before me this the 7th day of June, 1976.

Marian Law
Notary Public

(SEAL)

My commission expires: March 5, 1978

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filled for record in my office this 7 day of June, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 8 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 55 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 8 of June, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MARION FALKNER

I, Marion Falkner, being over the age of twenty-one years and of sound and disposing mind, do hereby make, declare and publish this, my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other and previous wills, testaments, and codicils by me heretofore made.

ITEM 1. I hereby devise and bequeath to my wife, Mrs. M. A. Falkner, all the property, both real and personal, of which I may die seized and possessed.

ITEM 2. I hereby appoint the said Mrs. M. A. Falkner sole executrix of this will, and direct that she be not required to give bond or security as such, and that she be not required to report or account to any Court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, published, and declared this instrument as my last will and testament at Yazoo City, Mississippi, on this the 9th day of October, A. D., 1939.

Marion Falkner

WITNESS:

R. R. Thymish
Helen Noquist

We hereby certify that Marion Falkner, being of sound and disposing mind, on the 9th day of October, 1939, signed, published and declared the above instrument of writing to be his last will and testament in our presence; and at the request of the said Marion Falkner, we then and there signed the same as subscribing witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Witness our signatures this the 9th day of October, A. D., 1939.

R. R. Thymish
Helen Noquist

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

CHANCERY COURT

Yazoo County

sect.

In Vacation

A. D. 1954

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Marion Falkner deceased, late of Yazoo County.

Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority ~~Notary Public~~ of said Yazoo County, Helen Norquist Graeber

one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing and annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Marion Falkner deceased late of Yazoo County, who, having been first duly sworn,

saw that the said Marion Falkner signed, published and declared said instrument as his last Will and Testament, on the 9th day of October A. D. 1939, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of R. R. Norquist, the other subscribing witness thereto, and that the said testat or was then of sound, disposing mind and memory, was more than twenty-one years of age, and that this deponent and R. R.

Norquist, the other subscribing witness, subscribed and attested said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance, and in the presence of the testat or, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of

the date thereof.

Helen Norquist Graeber

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 20th day of August, A. D. 1954

R. R. Norquist
Notary Public



My Commission Expires 1-6-56
D. S. SHACKELFORD, Chancery Clerk

Recorded Aug 24, 1954 By L. M. Gibbs D. C.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
YAZOO COUNTY

I, Mrs. Catherine Prewitt, Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for the
said County do hereby certify that the foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the Last Will and Testament of Marion Falkner and Proof Thereof
as the same appears of record in Book 6 Page 47
of the records in my office.
Given under my hand and official seal this the 25th day of
May 1926

MRS. CATHERINE PREWITT, Chancery Clerk

By Wm. R. Gentry D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1926 at — o'clock - M.,
and was duly recorded on the 15 day of June, 1926 Book No. 16 on Page 562
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 15 of June, 1926.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By W. R. Gentry D. C.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MRS. M. A. FALKNER

I, Mrs. M. A. Falkner, one and the same person as Mrs. Minnie Alice Newman Falkner, being over the age of twenty-one years and of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this instrument as my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all other wills and codicils heretofore made by me.

ITEM I

I hereby bequeath unto Laurena Franklin the sum of \$500.00 and the privilege of occupying the house she is now occupying as her home.

ITEM II

I hereby devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my property, both real and personal, of which I may die seized or possessed, share and share alike, unto my children, Mrs. Marion Alice Falkner Gash, Mrs. Albert Falkner Davidson, Marion Falkner, Jr., Mrs. Dolores Falkner Hassler, Lamar Falkner and Mrs. Peggy Falkner Norris.

None of the real property herein devised shall be conveyed by any of my children to anyone other than my children or grand children unless each of my then surviving children is given the opportunity to purchase the said real property on equal terms with any other prospective purchaser and refuses to make said purchase. Such refusal may be offered in person to each of my then surviving children or may be offered in writing to each of my then surviving children mailed to each of them at his last known post office address, and such right of refusal shall terminate unless one of the said children shall consummate the purchase of said property by complying with the terms of sale and accepting the deed to said property and actually filing the said deed for record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of the proper county within thirty days after the date of mailing such offer of refusal, or within thirty days after the delivery of said offer of refusal in person to the said child.

Witness my hand and seal at the within inst. 437 this 10 day of 1958
Chancery Clerk
D. G.

I suggest, although said suggestion is not to be considered a requirement of my will, that as soon as practical after my death surface rights in and to the land hereby devised be partitioned and divided among my children by mutual agreement so that each child might own individually his own land. I do also suggest, although said suggestion is not to be considered a requirement of my will, that the minerals under all the property hereby devised remain jointly owned by all my children; and I do further suggest, although said suggestion is not to be considered a requirement of my will, that the home site remain jointly owned by all my children.

ARTICLE III

I hereby designate and appoint my son-in-law, C. M. Davidson, as executor of this will and direct that he be not required to give bond or security as such executor and that he be not required to report or account to any court having jurisdiction, and that an appraisement of my estate be waived.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, published and declared this instrument as my Last Will and Testament at Yazoo City, Mississippi, on this the 28 day of January, 1956.

Mrs. M. A. Falkner

WITNESSES:
Edith Vergant
Jackie C. Long

We do hereby certify that Mrs. M. A. Falkner, being of sound and disposing mind and memory on the 28 day of January, 1956, signed, published and declared the above instrument of writing to be her Last Will and Testament in our presence; and that at the request of the said Mrs. M. A. Falkner, we then and there signed the same as subscribing witnesses in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Witness our signatures this the 28 day of January, 1956.
Edith Vergant
Jackie C. Long

Filed June 26 1957
D. S. SHACKELFORD, Chancery Clerk
By *Arthur Bennett* D. C.
Recorded July 3, 1957

PROOF OF WILL—Under Code 1892

SENTINEL PRINT—YAZOO CITY, MISS.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

CHANCERY COURT

Yazoo County

} sct.

June Term

A. D. 1957

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mrs. M. A. Falkner deceased, late of Yazoo County.

Personally appeared before me D. S. Shackelford Clerk of the Chancery Court of Yazoo County, Griffin Norquist

one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing and annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mrs. M. A. Falkner deceased,

late of Yazoo County, who, having been first duly sworn,

says that the said Mrs. M. A. Falkner signed, published and declared

her said instrument as ~~her~~ last Will and Testament, on the 28th day of

January A. D. 1956, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of Jackie A. Long, the other

subscribing witness thereto, and that the said testatrix was then of sound disposing mind and

memory, was more than twenty-one years of age, and that this deponent and

Jackie A. Long, the other subscribing witness, subscribed and attested

said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance,

and in the presence of the testatrix, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of

the date thereof.

Griffin Norquist

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 26 day of June

A. D. 1957

D. S. Shackelford

Chancery Clerk

June 26 1957
D. S. Shackelford, Chancery Clerk

Catherine Remick D. C.
Recessed July 3, 1957

Catherine Remick, D.C.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
YAZOO COUNTY

I, Mrs. Catherine Prewitt, Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for the
State and County aforesaid, hereby certify that the foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. M. A. Falkner and Proof
as the same appears on record in Book 16 Page 512 Thereof
of the records in my office.
Given under my hand and official seal this 25th day of
May 1876

MRS. CATHERINE PREWITT, Chancery Clerk
By [Signature] D. B.

RELEASE

BOOK SX PAGE 437

For value received, I, Marion Falkner, Jr., a devisee and beneficiary under the will of my mother, Mrs. M. A. Falkner, which will is recorded in Will Book G at page 512 of the records of the Chancery Clerk of Yazoo County, Mississippi, do hereby waive any requirement imposed by said will upon the children of Mrs. M. A. Falkner to give me the opportunity to purchase the real property devised by said will before said children convey the said willed property to anyone other than the children or grandchildren of Mrs. M. A. Falkner; and I do hereby release said real property from any and all restrictions placed by said will upon the conveying or encumbering of said real property.

I do hereby consent to the execution by said children, or any of them, of any conveyance or encumbrance of said real property that they desire to make.

This the 7th day of Nov., 1958.

Marion Falkner, Jr.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF Hinds

Personally appeared before the undersigned authority in and for the State and County aforesaid, the within named Marion Falkner, Jr., who acknowledged that he signed and delivered the foregoing instrument on the day and in the year therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 7th day of Nov., 1958.

Edward R. Berry
NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires 11-18-1962

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Yazoo:
I, MRS. DAVE S. SHACKELFORD, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 10 day of November, 1958 at 11:15 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded on the 2 day of November, 1958, Book No. SX Page 437 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 12 day of November, 1958. MR. DAVE S. SHACKELFORD, Clerk
By David S. Shackelford D. G.

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

YAZOO COUNTY

I, Mrs. Catherine Plummer, Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for the
said County do hereby certify that the foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the Release
as the same appears of record in Book SX Page 437
of the records in my office.
Given under my hand and official seal on the 25th day of
May 1926

Mrs. Catherine Plummer, Chancery Clerk

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1926, at — o'clock — M.
and was duly recorded on the 15 day of June, 1926, Book No. 16 on Page 512
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 15 of June, 1926.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LAMAR FALKNER

I, Lamar Falkner, now residing at 151 West 48th Street, New York, New York, being over the age of twenty-one years and of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this instrument as my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all other wills and codicils heretofore made by me:

ITEM I

I do hereby bequeath unto Mrs. Seymour Gordon, now residing at 1213 Quinn Street in Jackson, Mississippi, my library, including any and all books that I might own at the time of my death.

ITEM II

Subject to the provisions of Item III hereinafter recited, I do hereby devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my property unto my nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris.

ITEM III

In the event that my said nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris, should not have attained his twenty-fifth birthday at the time of my death, I do hereby devise and bequeath all property herein devised and bequeathed to my said nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris, unto my sister, Peggye Falkner Morris, as trustee for the use and benefit of my said nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris.

The said trustee shall have full power and authority to manage and control said trust estate and to sell, exchange, lease (for terms extending beyond the termination of the trust or otherwise), rent, mortgage, pledge, assign, execute oil, gas and mineral leases, execute timber deeds, transfer or otherwise dispose of all

Lamar Falkner

or any part of said trust estate upon such terms and conditions as she in her discretion may see fit, and said trustee may invest and reinvest all or any part of said trust estate in any investment that she in her discretion deems advisable. Purchasers or other disposees of such property shall not be concerned with the application by said trustee of the proceeds of such transactions. Said trustee shall have the right, power and authority to expend the assets of said trust estate, both income and corpus, or any part thereof. It is my intention, and I do hereby invest said trustee with such authority and power to handle, control and dispose of said trust estate to the same extent as she could do if said trust estate were owned by said trustee in fee simple, with the only limitation being that said funds be used for the use and benefit of my said nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris. Said trustee shall not be required to obtain authority from any court for any of her actions or account to any court for her actions and said trustee shall not be required to make or furnish bond as said trustee.

When my said nephew, Lamar Montgomery Morris, shall attain the age of twenty-five years the said trust shall be terminated and the said trustee shall transfer and convey to Lamar Montgomery Morris all the assets remaining in said trust estate.

ITEM IV

I hereby nominate and appoint my said sister, Peggye Falkner Morris, executrix of this my Last Will and Testament and direct that she be not required to make or give bond or security as such executrix; that she be not required to make an inventory or appraisement of my estate; and that she be not required to account or report to any court having jurisdiction.

Peggye Falkner Morris

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed, published and declared
this instrument as my last Will and Testament at New York,
NY on this the 3rd day of Dec., 1966

Lamar Falkner

WITNESSES:

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that Lamar Falkner
on the 3rd day of Dec., 1966, at New York
NY, in our presence signed, published and de-
clared the foregoing instrument as his Last Will and Testament,
and that we, at his request and in his presence and in the pre-
sence of each other, signed the same as witnesses, and that at
the time of the execution of said will the said Lamar Falkner
was over the age of twenty-one years and of sound and disposing
mind and memory.

This the 3rd day of Dec., 1966

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

IN THE CHANCERY COURT

OF

IN VACATION, 1970

YAZOO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF

CAUSE NO. 78-177

LAMAR FALKNER, DECEASED

PROOF OF WILL

IN THE MATTER OF A CERTAIN INSTRUMENT PURPORTED TO BE THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LAMAR FALKNER, DECEASED

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, duly qualified and for the State of New York, County of New York, James L. Hart, Norma Kaye Hartz and Leonard Laddington, the subscribers to the foregoing and annexed instrument of writing purported to be the Last Will and Testament of Lamar Falkner, deceased, who having been by me first duly sworn on oath say that the said Lamar Falkner signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on the 3rd day of December, 1966, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of these deponents, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and that the said testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, was more than twenty-one years of age, and that these deponents, the subscribing witnesses to said instrument, subscribed and attested said instrument as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof at the special instance and in the presence of the testator and in the presence of each other on the day and in the year of the date thereof.

Filed May 7 1970
HARRIS BUNCH, Chancery Clerk

By Blades K. ... c.
Recorded May 11, 1970

James L. Hart
James L. Hart
Norma Kaye Hartz
Norma Kaye Hartz
Leonard Laddington
Leonard Laddington
Notary Public
Notary Public

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27 day of April, 1970

My Commission Expires
Nov 30 1971

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
YAZOO COUNTY

I, Mrs. Catherine Brewitt, Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for the State and County aforesaid hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Last Will and Testament of Lamar Falkner and Proof Thereof as the same appears recorded in Book M Page 553 of the records of this office.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 25th day of May, 1976

MRS. CATHERINE BREWITT, Chancery Clerk

By Ruby G. [Signature] D. B.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1976, at — o'clock — M., and was duly recorded on the 15 day of June, 1976 Book No. 16 on Page 65 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 15 of June, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF G.B. HERRING.

I G. B. Herring, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and over the age of twenty one years, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all others.

I will devise and bequeath to my wife, Imogene G. Herring, all my estate, real, personal and mixed, here so ever situated or located.

I name, constitute and appoint said Imogene G. Herring executrix of my last will and testament and direct that she be not required to give bond or make any formal accounting to the courts, other than the probaton of this my last will and testament.

Signed, published and declared in the presence of the undersigned witnesses, who at my request, in my presence, and in the presence of each other affixed their signatures hereto as witnesses.

Thus done at Canton, Mississippi, this 24th day of April 1940.

WITNESSES:

TESTATOR

G. B. Herring

Mary Emma Deason

Lina M. Trachter

Natie Parker

FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 1 1940
BILLY V. COOPER
Clerk
O. R. [Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1940, at o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 22 day of June, 1940, Book No. 14 on Page 21 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 22 of June, 1940.
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

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**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY**

CHANCERY COURT

In the matter of a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of _____
G. B. Herring, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,
Mrs. Nina M. Weatherby ~~xxx~~ one of the _____, subscribing witnesses to a certain
instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said G. B. Herring
who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said G. B. Herring
_____ signed, published and declared said instrument as his last will and testament on the
8th day of April, A. D., 1940, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this
deponent, and in the presence of Miss Katie Parker and Mary Browne Denson
the other subscribing witness es, and that said Testator was then of sound and disposing mind and
memory, and more than twenty-one years of age, and having his usual place of abode in
said County and State, and this deponent and Miss Katie Parker
and Mary Browne Denson subscribed and attested said instrument as witness
to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of said Testator, and in the presence of the
said Testator and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 14 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
W. R. Snyper

Nina M. Weatherby
MRS. NINA M. WEATHERBY

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 14 day of June, A. D., 1976

~~XXXXX MISSISSIPPI CHANCERY CLERK XXXXX~~

My commission expires:

Aguita Ann Looney
NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument
was filled for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1976, at — o'clock — M.,
and was duly recorded on the 22 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 71
in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 22 of June, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By *W. R. Snyper* D. C.

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PROOF OF WILL

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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
MADISON COUNTY

CHANCERY COURT

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

G. B. HERRING, deceased, late of Madison County, Mississippi.

Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court in and for said County and State,

Miss Katie Parker ~~xxx~~ one of the _____, subscribing witnesses to a certain

instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of the said G. B. Herring

who, being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the said G. B. Herring

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

8th day of April, A. D., 1940, the day of the date of said instrument, in the presence of this

deponent, and in the presence of Mrs. Nina M. Weatherby and Mary Brown Denson

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

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

said County and State, and this deponent and Mrs. Nina M. Weatherby

and Mary Brown Denson subscribed and attested said instrument as witness

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

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

FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 14 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
By J. R. Snyder

MISS KATIE PARKER

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 14 day of June, A. D., 1976

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My commission expires:

Aquita An Looney ~~xxx~~
NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 14 day of June, 1976, at _____ o'clock PM, and was duly recorded on the 22 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 22 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 22nd June, 1976

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By [Signature] D. C.

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THIS DAY
JUN 22 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
Chancery Clerk
By *[Signature]*
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.....LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF BEATRICE HOLMES.....

I, Beatrice Holmes, an adult citizen of Madison County, Mississippi, being above the age of twenty one years, and of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament.

Item 1. I devise to my three adult children the 40 acres of land on which I now reside as my homestead, situated in Madison County, Mississippi, as follows: To Rosie Mae Claxton 13 acres; to Darrel Primer 13 acres, and to Leontine Mason 14 acres.

Item 2. I bequeath all of the personal property of every description I now have or may have at the date of my death to my three children: Rosie Mae Claxton, Darrel Primer and Leontine Mason, share and share alike.

Item 3. I appoint Leontine Mason executrix of this last will and testament without bond.

Witness my signature this the 9th day of December, 1969.

Beatrice Holmes
Beatrice Holmes.

Witnesses:

R. L. May
B. J. Joyner

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 22 day of June, 1976, at _____ o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 29 day of June, 1976, Book No. 16 on Page 2 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 29 of June, 1976.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By *[Signature]* D. C.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BEATRICE HOLMES, DECEASED

FILED
THIS DAY
JUN 22 1976
BILLY V. COOPER
By *[Signature]*

CAUSE NO. 22-665

LEONTINE MASON, EXECUTRIX

AFFIDAVIT OF ATTESTING WITNESSES

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF MADISON

PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, the undersigned authority in and for the jurisdiction above mentioned, R. L. MAY, who being by me first duly sworn states on his oath that he is one of the subscribing witnesses to the Last Will and Testament of BEATRICE HOLMES, which is dated December 9, 1969, and affiant further deposes and says this, to-wit:

1. That the said instrument was executed by BEATRICE HOLMES on said date in the presence of the affiant and in the presence of Bill Joyner, and that BEATRICE HOLMES did at such time and in the presence of the affiant and Bill Joyner publish and declare the same to be her Last Will and Testament.

2. That at such time on said date the affiant and Bill Joyner did subscribe their names as witnesses to said Last Will and Testament at the special instance and request of Beatrice Holmes, and in her presence and in the presence of each other.

3. That Beatrice Holmes was over the age of twenty-one (21) years, of sound mind and disposing memory at the time said Will was executed.

AND FURTHER AFFIANT sayeth not.

R. L. May
R. L. May

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on the 18th day of June, 1976.

Frankie A. Kinman
Notary Public

(SEAL)
My Commission Expires:
My Commission Expires May 24, 1980

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was duly recorded in my office this 22nd day of June, 1976, at 11 o'clock AM, and was duly recorded in the 22nd day of June, 1976, Book No. 116 on Page 74.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this 29th day of June, 1976.
[Signature]
Billy V. Cooper, Clerk
D. C.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF FRANKLIN F. STRIBLING

I, FRANKLIN F. STRIBLING, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and an adult resident of Madison County, Mississippi, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, expressly revoking all other wills and codicils thereto heretofore made by me.

ITEM ONE: I give, devise and bequeath unto my son BILLY RAY STRIBLING all lands and interests in lands, including leasehold estates, owned by me at the time of my death, CONDITIONED UPON the fact that said lands shall be appraised and that said Billy Ray Stribling pay an undivided one-third of said value to my daughter, QUAY S. MCGRAW, and an undivided one-third of said appraised value to my son, BEN H. STRIBLING. In the event that said appraisal and said payment do not take place within a year after the date of my death, I then give, devise and bequeath said properties to my three children, Quay S. McGraw, Billy Ray Stribling and Ben H. Stribling, share and share alike.

ITEM TWO: I give, devise and bequeath all of the rest, residue and balance of my property to my wife, EDNA EARL STRIBLING, and in the event that she predeceases me, then, in that event, I give, devise and bequeath all of the rest, residue and balance of my estate to my three children, Quay S. McGraw, Billy Ray Stribling and Ben H. Stribling, share and share alike.

ITEM THREE: I hereby name, constitute and appoint as my executor, BILLY RAY STRIBLING, as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and in the event that said Billy Ray Stribling fails, neglects or refuses to act as such

WITNESSED my hand and seal this 29th day of August, 1975.
Billy Ray Stribling
W. R. Sawyer, Jr.

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Executor, then, in that event, I hereby name, designate and appoint my son, BEN H. STRIBLING, as Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, and I hereby specifically relieve my Executor of the responsibility of making bond and of report to any court.

SIGNED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED by me as my Last Will and Testament on this April 24, 1974, in the presence of these witnesses, who also signed the same, as witnesses hereto, at my request, in my presence, and in the presence of each other, on this day.

Franklin F. Stribling
Franklin F. Stribling

This instrument was, on the date shown above, signed, published and declared by FRANKLIN F. STRIBLING to be his Last Will and Testament, in our presence; and we, at his request, have subscribed our names hereto, as witnesses, in his presence and in the presence of each other.

[Signature]

[Signature]

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:

I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 29 day of June, 1974, at _____ o'clock _____ M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of July, 1974, Book No. 16 on Page 75 in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of July, 1974.

BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk

By *[Signature]* D. C.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND
TESTAMENT OF FRANKLIN F. STRIBLING,
DECEASED

CAUSE 22-680

PROOF OF WILL

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF MADISON

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, S. R. GAIN, JR. and SUSIE T. BURNS, subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Franklin F. Stribling, deceased, and who, being by me first duly sworn, deposed and said that the said Franklin F. Stribling signed, published and declared said instrument as his Last Will and Testament on April 24, 1974, the date of said instrument, in the presence of these deponents, and that the said Testator was then of sound and disposing mind and memory, more than twenty-one years of age, and had his usual place of residence in Madison County, Mississippi, and the said S. R. Gain, Jr. and Susie T. Burns subscribed and attested said instrument, as witnesses to the signature and publication thereof, at the special instance of the said Testator, in the presence of the said Franklin F. Stribling and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date of said instrument.

S. R. Gain, Jr.
S. R. Gain, Jr.

Susie T. Burns
Susie T. Burns

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, this June 29, 1976.

My commission expires:
December 6, 1979.

Billy V. Cooper
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Mississippi

BILLY V. COOPER
Billy V. Cooper

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Madison:
I, Billy V. Cooper, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County, certify that the within instrument was filed for record in my office this 29 day of June, 1976 at o'clock M., and was duly recorded on the 6 day of July, 1976, Book No. 10 on Page 27 in my office.
Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 6 of July, 1976
BILLY V. COOPER, Clerk
By Billy V. Cooper D.C.

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ESTATE OF	X	DEC-10-75 IN THE COUNTY COURT
KATE YAKEY ADAMS	X	BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS
DECEASED	X	IN PROBATE

APPLICATION TO PROBATE WILL
AND APPOINT EXECUTOR

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TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

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Now comes ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, a national banking association with trust powers having its banking house and principal place of business in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, acting herein by and through its duly authorized officers, and respectfully represents to the Court as follows:

I.

That KATE YAKEY ADAMS, hereinafter called Decedent, died on the 24th day of November, 1975, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at the age of seventy-five (75) years; that at the time of her death, she resided in and had her domicile in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, it having been such for many years last past; and Decedent was possessed of real and personal property in excess of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00) situated principally in Bexar County, Texas.

II.

That Decedent died testate, leaving her Last Will and Testament dated May 15, 1968, duly executed by said Decedent and witnessed by ANNE HUNTER, ELWOOD CLUCK, and ALVORD B. RUTHERFORD; the residence of said witnesses being recited in said Will as San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas; that said Decedent was over the age of nineteen (19) years and was of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of executing the said Will; that all of said witnesses to said Will were at the time of the execution of same and their attestation thereof, respectively, over the age of fourteen (14) years and were residents of Bexar County, Texas; that said Will was executed with the formalities and solemnities and under the circumstances required by law to make it a valid Will, being self-proven by the acknowledgment thereof by the Testator and the affidavits of the attesting witnesses, each made before a Notary Public, such acknowledgments and affidavits being evidenced by the certificate with official seal affixed of such officer annexed to such Will in the form and content provided by Section 59 of the Texas Probate Code; that said Will has not been revoked, and is filed herewith and now offered for probate.

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That by virtue of said Last Will and Testament of said Decedent, ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO was nominated as Independent Executor of the Estate of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, said Will further providing and decreeing that no bond or security of any kind should be required of such Independent Executor and that the administration of the Estate of said Decedent by such Executor should be independent of the Probate Court and of any other court, except insofar as the law requires and the giving and filing of the Oath of Executor and the filing of an Inventory, Appraisalment and List of Claims by the Executor being all that is required.

IV.

That Decedent was married one time only, that being to J. V. ADAMS, who is now deceased, and no child or children were born of their said marriage, and no child or children were ever adopted by the Decedent.

V.

That the names, ages and marital status and the residence of each heir and devisee and their relationship to Decedent are as follows:

NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, who is an adult and who is married to I. J. BENTLEY, and who resides at 1610 South 9th Street, Temple, Texas, and who is the niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

SOL BUNNELL, who is an adult and whose residence address is Box 147, Taylor, Texas, and who is the nephew of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

JANE THOMPSON SLOCOMB, who is an adult and who is married to RICHARD SLOCOMB, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

HARRIETT MORRISS BLANKENSHIP, who is an adult and who is married to CLINTON BLANKENSHIP, and resides at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS; and

BESS HALL YAKEY MURPHREE, who is an adult and is married to M. A. MURPHREE, and who resides in Houston, Texas, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS.

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That ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, named in said Will of the Decedent as Independent Executor of the Estate of said Decedent, should be appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, and that Letters Testamentary be issued to it, it being in nowise disqualified from acting as such Executor and accepting Letters Testamentary.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, Applicant prays that notice be given as required by law; that said Will filed herewith be admitted to probate and probated as the Last Will and Testament of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, and that ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, named in said Will as such, be appointed Independent Executor of the Estate of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, and that Letters Testamentary be issued to it and for such other and further orders and decrees as may be proper and necessary in the premises.

Clyde Johnson III
CLYDE JOHNSON, III
Attorney for Applicant

CLUCK & JOHNSON
Suite 222
San Antonio Bank & Trust Bldg.
San Antonio, Texas 78205

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CLERK OF COUNTY COURT,
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COUNTY CLERK

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF

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KATE YAKEY ADAMS

at 11:00 AM

STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF BEXAR :

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, KATE YAKEY ADAMS, a resident of Bexar County, Texas, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and in good health, do make and publish this, my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills and Codicils by me at any time heretofore made.

I.

I am married to J. V. ADAMS, and we have no children. My husband and I own an estate in community and I have a separate estate. It is my purpose, desire and intention to devise, and there is devised herein, only my one-half (1/2) of our community estate and the whole of my separate estate.

II.

I bequeath all of my interest in our household furniture and furnishings, books, pictures, silverware, livestock, jewelry, automobiles, personal effects, and all other articles of household use or ornament which I may own at the time of my death to my beloved husband, J. V. ADAMS, but if he should not survive me, then I give, devise and bequeath such of my household furniture and furnishings, books, pictures, silverware, livestock, jewelry and personal effects as are particularly mentioned in the attached letter written in my own handwriting to the persons and in the proportions therein designated, and I bequeath all of the remainder thereof in equal shares to NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY (wife of I. J. Bentley), SOL BUNNELL, JANE THOMPSON SLOCOMB (wife of Richard Slocomb), HARRIETT MORRISS BLANKENSHIP (wife of Clinton

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Blankenship) and BESS HAL YAKEY MURPHREE (wife of M. A. Murphree), or the survivor or survivors thereof, and if neither of them survive me, then the whole thereof shall go as a part of the rest and residue of my estate as provided in ARTICLE V below. In the event my said husband should predecease me and two (2) or more of the aforesaid persons should survive me, but fail to agree upon a division of such property within three (3) months after my death, then such property shall be divided in kind or value as equally as practicable among them by my Executor, according to its sole judgment and discretion.

The foregoing bequests and devises are free of deductions for my debts, funeral and administration expenses and the taxes imposed by virtue of my death.

III.

I give, devise and bequeath my one hundred eighty-six (186) acre farm located in the Watkins Noble Survey in Williamson County, Texas, which was set apart to me and is more particularly described in a Partition Deed dated June 3, 1937, recorded in Volume 287, page 179 of the Deed Records of Williamson County, Texas, to my niece, NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, and my nephew, SOL BUNNELL, or the survivor thereof except if either one of them be deceased with issue surviving, such issue shall take the share that such deceased one of them would have taken if then surviving, provided, however, if any of the issue of such deceased one of them be not then of twenty-one (21) years of age, then their share shall go IN TRUST to THE ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, San Antonio, Texas, as Trustee, without bond, the Trustee to use the trust income and corpus if necessary for the support and education of such issue, the trust to terminate when the youngest of such deceased one's children who continues to survive attains the age of twenty-one (21) years or upon the death of the last survivor thereof if occurring prior thereto, whereupon the trust property shall then be distributed to such deceased one's issue, per stirpes, but if there be none of them then surviving, then the then remaining trust property shall go and be delivered over to the survivor of NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY and SOL BUNNELL except if such survivor be then deceased then same shall go to such survivor's then surviving issue, per stirpes.

IV.

I direct that all of our community debts be paid out of the corpus of our community estate, and if I have any separate debts that are owing by any separate estate I may own, such debts shall be paid out of the corpus of my separate estate, provided, however, the foregoing shall not be construed to require or direct the acceleration of maturity or the prepayment of any such indebtedness owing at the time of my death or arising by virtue thereof and my Executor shall have

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the power to renew and extend any such indebtedness. Administration expenses shall be paid proportionately out of our community estate and my separate estate, if any, on the basis that the value of each bears to their aggregate value.

I direct that my funeral expenses, including the cost of a suitable headstone, all taxes, State and Federal or otherwise, which are imposed upon anyone whomsoever or any property whatsoever by virtue of my death, which shall also include every property including but not limited to insurance on my life or amount or value included in the computation of such taxes imposed as a consequence of my death, together with interest and penalties on such tax, if any, be paid out of the corpus of the rest, residue and remainder of my one-half (1/2) of our community estate and any separate property I may own.

I direct that my Executor claim any expenses of administration as income tax deductions upon an income tax return or returns whenever in the judgment of my Executor such action will achieve an overall reduction in the income and death taxes for the benefit of my estate and of the beneficiaries thereof herein named, and that no compensating adjustments between income and principal shall be required or made as a result of such action.

I authorize and direct that my Executor select any optional valuation date for death tax purposes which, in the opinion of my Executor, will minimize the total amount of tax imposed upon my estate irrespective of the effect of such election on the value of any of the property or interest in my estate passing under the dispositive provisions of my Will and I hereby expressly exonerate my Executor from any liability in making any such election.

V.

All the rest, residue and remainder of my one-half (1/2) of our community estate and the rest, residue and remainder of my separate estate, if any, after the payment of all taxes and expenses as above provided, and being all of the rest, residue and remainder of my property of every kind and character, real, personal and mixed and wheresoever situated, I give, devise and bequeath to my husband, J. V. ADAMS, in fee simple, if he survives me, but if he does not survive me, then I give, devise and bequeath the said rest, residue and remainder of my estate, to NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, JANE THOMPSON SLOCUMB, HARRIET MORRIS BLANKENSHIP, BESS HAL YAKY MURPHREE and SOL BUNNELL, (who are the nieces and nephew, respectively, of myself) or the survivors or survivor thereof, except that if any one of the aforesaid persons be then deceased with issue surviving such issue shall take the share that such deceased one of them would

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or unitization agreements and, without being limited by the foregoing, any other types of agreements which if made by a lessor or lessee will promote or cause, or which are considered advisable to induce or attempt the development and extraction and sale of minerals in and under any mineral interests owned by the Trusts.

2. It shall not be necessary to make partition of my estate on account of the creation of the said trusts, but the same may hold undivided interests with each other in the properties devised to them, and further at the termination of said Trusts, the Trustee shall not be required to sell any portion of the trust properties in order to make partition but may make such partition in kind and at values determined by said Trustee and in undivided interests.

3. During such period of time as any beneficiary to whom distributions of income or principal of the trusts are herein directed or permitted to be made shall be under legal disability or, in the opinion of the Trustee, shall be unable to properly administer such distribution, the Trustee may make such distribution in any one or more of the following ways as the Trustee may deem advisable: (i) directly to such beneficiary; (ii) to the legal guardian or conservator of such beneficiary; (iii) to any relative of such beneficiary, to be expended by such relative for the support, education and welfare of such beneficiary; or (iv) by the Trustee expending such income or principal for the support, education and welfare of such beneficiary. The Trustee shall not be required to see to the application of any distribution so made, but the receipt of any of said persons therefor shall be a full discharge for the Trustee.

4. No portion of the trust estates or the income therefrom shall ever be subject to any indebtedness, judgment or judicial process against a beneficiary or to any transfer or encumbrance by it.

VII.

I constitute and appoint my husband, J. V. ADAMS, as Independent Executor of this my Last Will and Testament. In the event my husband should fail to survive me or if surviving should fail to qualify or if after qualifying should cease to serve as such, then I constitute and appoint THE ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, as Independent Executor; and in the event said Bank should fail to qualify or after qualifying should cease to serve as such, then I constitute and appoint the FROST NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, as Independent Executor. No bond shall be required of either the originally or contingently provided for Executors or Executor.

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STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BEXAR

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared said Testatrix and said witnesses, known to me to be such and whose names are subscribed to the foregoing and annexed instrument in their respective capacities, and all of said persons being by me duly sworn, the said Testatrix declared to me and to the said witnesses in my presence that she had willingly made and executed it, as her free act and deed for the purposes therein expressed; and the said witnesses, each on his oath stated to me, in the presence and hearing of the said Testatrix, that the said Testatrix had declared to them that she executed same as such and wanted each of them to sign it as a witness; and upon their oaths each witness stated further that they did sign the same at her request; that she was at that time nineteen years of age or over and was of sound mind; and that each of said witnesses was then at least fourteen years of age.

Kate Yakey Adams
KATE YAKLEY ADAMS, Testatrix

Anne Hunter
Witness

Elwood Cluck
Witness

Alvord B. Rutherford
Witness

Subscribed and acknowledged before me by the said KATE YAKLEY ADAMS, Testatrix, and subscribed and sworn to before me by the said Anne Hunter, Elwood Cluck and Alvord B. Rutherford, witnesses, this the 15th day of May, A.D., 1968.



Katharine Nillis
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for
Bexar County, Texas.

KATHARINE NILIS
Notary Public, Bexar County, Texas

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Will

OF

KATE YAKEY ADAMS

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BEXAR COUNTY TEXAS

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JAMES W. KNIGHT
COUNTY CLERK

BY: *[Signature]*

BOYLE, WHEELER, GRESHAM,
DAVIS & GREGORY
8100 NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE BUILDING
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78208

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas - Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be posted (for TEN DAYS, exclusive of the day of posting, before the return day hereof), at the Court House door of Bexar County, a copy of the following Notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO ALL PERSONS interested in the Estate of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased
Number 142,082, ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO
has filed in the County Court, of Bexar County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased and for letters testamentary thereunder which will be heard by said Court, on the first Monday after the service is perfected, the same being the 22nd day of December A. D. 19 75, at the Court House thereof in San Antonio, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate are cited to appear by filing a written answer to said application and contest the same should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you then before said Court this writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office, in the City of San Antonio, this the 11th day of December A. D., 19 75 Issued same day.



JAMES W. KNIGHT
Clerk. County Court, Bexar County, Texas

By J. J. Milam Deputy.
JIMMY J. MILAM

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No. 142,082

In Bexar County Court

ESTATE OF

KATE YAKAY ADAMS,

Deceased

SHERIFF'S RETURN

Came to hand on the 11th day of December A. D. 19 75 at _____ o'clock _____ M., and executed on the _____ day of DEC 11 1975 A. D. 19 _____ by posting a copy of this notice at the Court House door in Bexar County, Texas _____

W. B. "BILL" HAUCK

Sheriff, Bexar County, Texas

By *Virginia Baker* Deputy \$2.00

Fees \$ _____

Returned and filed this 11th day of December A. D. 19 75

JAMES W. KNIGHT,

Clerk, County Court, Bexar County, Texas

By *Jim J. Milan* Deputy

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KATE YAKEY ADAMS	X	BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS
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PROOF OF DEATH AND HEIRSHIP

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On this day personally appeared, in Open Court, CLYDE JOHNSON, III, who, being duly sworn as a witness in the above entitled matter and examined on behalf of Petitioner to prove the Will, says:

That KATE YAKEY ADAMS, hereinafter called Decedent, died on the 24th day of November, 1975, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at the age of seventy-five (75) years; that at the time of her death, she resided and had her domicile in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, it having been such for many years last past; and Decedent was possessed of real and personal property in excess of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00), situated principally in Bexar County, Texas.

That Decedent was married one time only, that being to J. V. ADAMS, who is now deceased, and no child or children were born of their said marriage, and no child or children were ever adopted by the Decedent.

That the names, ages and marital status and the residence of each heir and devisee and their relationship to Decedent are as follows:

NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, who is an adult and who is married to I. J. BENTLEY, and who resides at 1610 South 9th Street, Temple, Texas, and who is the niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

SOL BUNNELL, who is an adult and whose residence address is Box 147, Taylor, Texas, and who is the nephew of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

JANE THOMPSON SLOCOMB, who is an adult and who is married to RICHARD SLOCOMB, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

HARRIETT MORRISS BLANKENSHIP, who is an adult and who is married to CLINTON BLANKENSHIP, and resides at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS; and

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BESS HALL YAKEY MURPHREE, who is an adult and is married to M. A. MURPHREE, and who resides in Houston, Texas, and who is a niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS.

EXECUTED this the 22nd day of December, 1975.

Clyde Johnson III
CLYDE JOHNSON, III

SWORN TO and SUBSCRIBED before me, in open Court, this the 22nd day of December, 1975.



James W. Knight
County Clerk
Bexar County, Texas

By David Brown

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ESTATE OF
KATE YAKY ADAMS,
DECEASED

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PROOF OF DEATH
AND HEIRSHIP

FILED
This 22nd Dec A. D. 19 15
By David P. [Signature] Deputy

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ESTATE OF	X	IN THE COUNTY COURT
KATE YAKEY ADAMS	X	BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS
DECEASED.	X	IN PROBATE.

ORDER PROBATING LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

On this the 22nd day of December, 1975, came on to be heard the Application of ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, a national banking association with trust powers having its banking house and principal place of business in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, Applicant, to probate the Last Will and Testament of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, consisting of an original Will duly executed by said Decedent on May 15, 1968, and witnessed by ANNE HUNTER, ELWOOD CLUCK and ALVORD B. RUTHERFORD, said Will having been filed for probate herein on December 10, 1975, and it appearing to the Court that legal notices of the filing of said application have been issued and properly posted and notice given in the manner and for the length of time required by law and that every legal notice required as a prerequisite to the probating of said Will has been given for the length of time and in the manner required by law and that no one came to contest the same;

And it further appearing from the testimony of CLYDE JOHNSON, III, sworn to and subscribed in Open Court and filed herein that KATE YAKEY ADAMS, hereinafter called Decedent, died on November 24, 1975, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at the age of seventy-five (75) years; that at the time of her death she resided and had her domicile in Bexar County, Texas, it having been such for many years last past; and that she was possessed of real property and personal property of the probable value of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000.00), situated principally in Bexar County, Texas; that Decedent was married one time only, that being to J. V. ADAMS, to which union no child or children were born, and no child or children were adopted by said Decedent;

That the names, ages and marital status and the residence of each heir and devisee and their relationship to Decedent are as follows:

NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, who is an adult and who is married to I. J. BENTLEY, and who resides at 1610 South 9th Street, Temple, Texas, and who is the niece of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

SOL BUNNELL, who is an adult and whose residence address is Box 147, Taylor, Texas, and who is the nephew of KATE YAKEY ADAMS;

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JANE THOMPSON SLOCOMB, who is an adult and who is married to RICHARD SLOCOMB, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS;

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HARRIETT MORRISS BLANKENSHIP, who is an adult and who is married to CLINTON BLANKENSHIP, and resides at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS; and

BESS HALL YAKY MURPHEE, who is an adult and is married to M. A. MURPHEE, and who resides in Houston, Texas, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS.

And upon examination by the Court of said Will dated May 15, 1968, filed herein on December 10, 1975, it appears that same is self-proven by the acknowledgment thereof by the Testator and the affidavits of the attesting witnesses, each made before a Notary Public, such acknowledgments and affidavits being evidenced by a certificate with official seal affixed of such officer annexed to said Will in the form and contents provided by Section 59 of the Texas Probate Code:

It is therefore ORDERED that no further proof of the execution and validity of said Will of date May 15, 1968, as the effective Last Will and Testament of said Testatrix shall be necessary or taken, other than same being introduced in evidence, whereupon, said Will was so introduced and admitted in evidence; and

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It further appearing to the Court and the Court now finds that KATE YAKY ADAMS was over the age of nineteen (19) years at the time of executing said Will of date May 15, 1968, that her residence and principal estate are situated in Bexar County, Texas; that all of said witnesses to said Will were at the time of the execution of same and their attestation thereof, respectively, over the age of fourteen (14) years, were discreet and disinterested persons and were residents of Bexar County, Texas; that said Will was executed with the formalities and solemnities and under the circumstances required by law to make it a valid Will and at the time of the execution of said Will said Testatrix was of sound and disposing mind and memory and that said Will has not been revoked; that said Will is self-proven by the acknowledgment thereof by the Testatrix and the affidavits of the attesting witnesses, each made before a Notary Public, such acknowledgment and affidavits being evidenced by the certificate with the official seal affixed of such officer, annexed to such Will, in the form and contents provided by Section 59 of the Texas Probate Code; and that said Decedent died on November 24, 1975, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, at the age of seventy-five (75) years and, accordingly, four (4) years have not elapsed since her death; that at the time of her death she resided and had her domicile in Bexar County, Texas, it having been such for many years last past; and that she was possessed of real property and personal property of the probable value of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00), situated principally in Bexar County, Texas.

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That Decedent was married one time only, that being to J. V. ADAMS, to which union no child or children were born, and no child or children were adopted by said Decedent.

That the names, ages and marital status and the residence of each heir and devisee and their relationship to Decedent are as follows:

NANCY BUNNELL BENTLEY, who is an adult and who is married to I. J. BENTLEY, and who resides at 1610 South 9th Street, Temple, Texas, and who is the niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS;

SOL BUNNELL, who is an adult and whose residence address is Box 147, Taylor, Texas, and who is the nephew of KATE YAKY ADAMS;

JANE THOMPSON SLOCOMB, who is an adult and who is married to RICHARD SLOCOMB, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS;

HARRIETT MORRIS BLANKENSHIP, who is an adult and who is married to CLINTON BLANKENSHIP, and resides at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS; and

BESS HALL YAKY MURPREE, who is an adult and is married to M. A. MURPREE, and who resides in Houston, Texas, and who is a niece of KATE YAKY ADAMS.

And it further appearing that ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO was named and designated as Independent Executor, without bond of said Will and said Decedent, said Will further providing that no action shall be had in the County Court in relation to the settlement of such Estate other than the probating and recording of such Will and the return of an Inventory, Appraisement and List of Claims; that ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, named in said Will as Independent Executor under the Will and of the Estate of KATE YAKY ADAMS, Deceased, is not disqualified from acting as such.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that said Will of date May 15, 1968, be and it is hereby duly admitted to Probate and probated as the Last Will and Testament of KATE YAKY ADAMS, Deceased, it having been proven and established as such.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, named in said Last Will and Testament of said Decedent as aforesaid, as such, be and it is hereby appointed Independent Executor under the Last Will and

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Testament and of the Estate of KATE YAKKY ADAMS, Deceased, without bond, as directed in said Last Will and Testament and independent of the Court as aforesaid.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that Letters Testamentary under the said Last Will and Testament of KATE YAKKY ADAMS be and the same is hereby granted and ordered to be issued to the said ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO upon it taking oath as required by law.

SIGNED and ORDERED ENTERED this the 22nd day of December, A.D., 1975.

Carl R. Helmer
County Judge

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ORDER PROBATING
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OATH OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR

ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, a national banking association with trust powers, having its banking house and principal place of business in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, acting herein by and through its undersigned officer, does solemnly swear that the writings which have been probated are the Last Will and Testament of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, now deceased, insofar as it knows or believes and that it will well and truly perform all the duties of Independent Executor of said Will and of the Estate of KATE YAKEY ADAMS, Deceased, in accordance with the law.

ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO

By: [Signature]

SWORN TO and SUBSCRIBED before me this the 24 day of December, A. D., 1975.



Belinda Loreda
Notary Public in and for
Bexar County, Texas.

BELINDA LOREDO
Notary Public, Bexar County, Texas

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ESTATE OF
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OATH OF
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FILED
This 22nd day of Dec A. D. 19 75
JAMES W. KNIGHT
Clerk, County Court, Bexar County, Texas
Oliver L. Lero
Deputy

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CERTIFICATE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF BEXAR

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I, James W. Knight, Clerk of the County Court of Bexar County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of

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APPLICATION TO PROBATE WILL AND APPOINT EXECUTOR
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF KATE YAKKY ADAMS
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL
PROOF OF DEATH AND HEIRSHIP
ORDER PROBATING LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OATH OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR

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CLERK OF COUNTY COURT

BY _____

In Case No. 142,082

In the matter of the

Estate of KATE YAKKY ADAMS, DECEASED

as the same appears of record in the Probate Minutes of Bexar County, Texas.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at my office in San Antonio, Texas, this

the 10th March A.D. 19 76



JAMES W. KNIGHT
Clerk of the County Court of
Bexar County, Texas

BY Gisele Gonzalez Deputy
Gisele Gonzalez

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THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF DEWITT

I, Ray Gips, County Clerk, certify that the foregoing instrument was filed for record on the 22 day of Apr, 1976, at 8:00 A.M., and recorded at the 23 day of Apr, 1976 at 8:50 A.M. In Vol. 232, Page 83, of the Deed Records of DeWitt County, Texas.

WITNESS my hand and seal of office, at office, DeWitt County, Texas, the day and year last above written.
Ray Gips, County Clerk, DeWitt County, Texas.
By Genel Weber deputy



THE STATE OF TEXAS: I, LILIA P. TREVINO, Clerk of the County Court of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing dated the 30th. day of March, A. D. 1976, with its certificate of authentication, was filed for record in my office the 11th. day of May, A. D. 1976.

at 11:30 o'clock A.M. and duly recorded the 11th day of May, A. D. 1976 at 4:30 o'clock P.M. in Volume 22 Page 195-19 of the Deed Records of said County.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the County Court of said County, at office in Hebronville, Texas, the day and year last above written.



LILIA P. TREVINO
Clerk County Court, Jim Hogg County, Texas
By Wanda S. Long, Deputy