

Polk County

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Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Polk

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Flavious J. Robinson, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 3 day of August 1927, at the May Term, 1927, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Flavious J. Robinson deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 3 day of August 1927.

(seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Polk

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, June 2, 1928. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Flavious J. Robinson, deceased, and certificate of Probate thereof as same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate

Filed for record July 2nd, A.D. 1928 at 1 o'clock and 30 minutes.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

Last Will and Testament of Robert B. Crocker.

I, Robert B. Crocker, of Morrisville, Missouri, being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

First: It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my death as possible.

Second: I will to my son, Charles M. Crocker, the sum of \$500.00, which sum has already been advanced to him.

Third: I will to my son Carl L. Crocker, the sum of \$500.00

Fourth: I will to my son Eugene R. Crocker, the sum of \$500.00, to be paid to him at his becoming of age.

Fifth: I will devise and bequath the remainder of my property of every kind and nature, to my loving wife, Bell S. Crocker, to have as her absolute property, to dispose of the same at her will and pleasure without restraint.

I name, constitute and appoint an executor of this my last will and testament, Carl L. Crocker and request that he be allowed to serve without bond.

I request that Charles J. Wilkins of Morrisville, Missouri, and Mrs. Pearl Mc Knight, of Morrisville, Missouri, witness this my last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and subscribed my name, this 16th day of September, 1920
Robert B. Crocker.

At the request of Robert B. Crocker, in his presence and in the presence of each other, we witness this his last will and testament and attest his signature thereto.

Charles J. Wilkins
Mrs Pearl Mc Knight.

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Polk }

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved, and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Robert B. Crocker, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 10th day of July 1928, at the May Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Robert B. Crocker deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 10th day of July 1928

(seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate

State of Missouri, } ss.
County of Polk }

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, July 10th 1928, I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Robert B. Crocker deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record July 10, 1928, at 11 o'clock 30 minutes
a.m.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will And Testament

I Samuel H. Flint of the County of Polk and State of Missouri, do hereby make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, in manner and form following;

First: I direct that all of my just debts, and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as can conveniently be done.

Second: All the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real, personal or mixed of which I die seized or possessed, after the payment of my debts, I give, devise and bequeath to my children, Mary Ashlock, Minerva A. Coberly, Ezekiel Flint, John Flint, Charles Flint, Fred Flint and Annis Wilson, share and share alike, subject to the following conditions;

Third: The devise and bequests in the second paragraph of this my will is made upon the following conditions. That whereas I have given to my said children by way of advancement certain sums of money to-wit,

Mary Ashlock the sum of	\$250.00.
Minerva A. Coberly the sum of	\$250.00.
Ezekiel Flint the sum of	\$1650.00.
John Flint the sum of	250.00.
Charles Flint the sum of	250.00.
Fred Flint the sum of	250.00.
Annis Wilson the sum of	300.00.

It is my will and desire ^{the sums so advanced to} that my said child shall be deducted from the share of said child in the distribution of my property and estate so that each of my said children shall be made to share equally.

Fourth: It is my will and desire that my said children may, if they can all agree, make mutual partition of the real estate, and adjustment of the equities, provided by paragraph #3 of this my will; however, if said children shall fail to agree upon and make mutual partition of said real estate within 12 months after the probate of this my will, I direct that no partition suit be shall be instituted for partition of said real estate, but direct that my executor hereinafter named shall sell all of said real estate and make distribution of the proceeds thereof under

the provisions and conditions of this my will.

Fifth: I hereby nominate and appoint, Dr. O. N. Hahn, of Humansville, Missouri, executor of this my will.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal at my residence in Polk County, Missouri, this 6th day of March, 1925, in the presence of C. A. Gardner and H. H. Wood, whom I have requested to become attesting witnesses hereto.

Attesting Witnesses: Samuel H. Flint.

C. A. Gardner

H. H. Wood

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sealed, published and declared by Samuel H. Flint as and for his last will and testament, in our presence and we at the same time, at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other hereunto subscribe our names, and residences as attesting witnesses, this 6th day of March, 1925.

C. A. Gardner, Humansville, Mo.
H. H. Wood, Humansville, Mo.

Certificate Of Probate.

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Polk }
I O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the
County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby
certify that the foregoing instrument of writing
was duly proved and admitted to probate and to
record as and for the last will and testament of
Samuel H. Flint, deceased, late of said County, by
the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri,
on the 25th day of February, 1928, at the February
Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears
of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled
to record and to be received in evidence in all the
Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said
Samuel H. Flint, deceased.

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

25th day of February, 1928.

Seal

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk
County, February 25th, 1928.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in
and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify
the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last
will and testament of Samuel H. Flint, deceased, and
Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of
record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and
seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

Seal

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record July 26, 1928 at 5 o'clock P.M.
Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

Last Will and Testament of Lavosso B. Gallikugh,
I, Lavosso B. Gallikugh, of Bolivar, Polk
County, Missouri, do hereby make and publish the
following as my last will and testament to wit:

First; I direct that my executor shall first
pay all my funeral expenses and other debts, if
any, as soon after my death as practical out of my
personal estate.

Second; Lots one and two of Block Seventeen (17)
of Burros Addition to the City of Bolivar, Polk County,
Missouri, being all the real estate I own in Bolivar,
Missouri, the same being my present home, I will
devise and bequeath to my good friends John F.
McKinney and Cleo McKinney, husband and wife,
together with all improvements and personal
property thereon and also all household and
kitchen furniture in said house, for and during

their natural lives, or the life of the survivor, and the remainder at the death of the survivor of John F. McKinney and Cleo McKinney shall vest in the heirs of the bodies of the said John F. McKinney and Cleo McKinney.

However if the state, county, or municipal taxes on the above described real estate shall be permitted by John F. McKinney or Cleo McKinney, during their lifetime or the lifetime of the survivor to become delinquent for a period of one year, then and in that event the above legacy shall lapse and the above described real ^{estate} shall go absolutely to the public school fund of the Bolivar School District of Bolivar, Folk County, Missouri, to be used by the Board of Education of said school district as it deems best and wisest to advance the cause of education in said school district,

Third: To my friend Howard McKinney I will and devise the sum of One Thousand Dollars.

Fourth: All the rest and residue of the estate of which I may die seized and possessed, whether real, personal or mixed and wherever located I will, give and devise absolutely to my best friend John F. McKinney of Bolivar, Mo.

Fifth: I hereby appoint John F. McKinney as executor of this will and request and direct that he be permitted to serve without bond.

Sixth: I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

Seventh: As I have none but collateral heirs, who are all well supplied with this world's goods, I give all my property as above set out to John F. McKinney, Cleo McKinney, his wife and their children and Howard McKinney, the said McKinneys, together with their ^{late} father Charley McKinney, have been my best and closest friends for many years.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 5th day of June - 1928.

Lavosso B. Gallihugh (Seal)

On this 5 day of June, - 1928, the above named
 Lavosso B. Gallighugh, in our presence declared the
 above and foregoing to be his last will and testament
 and at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other
 and declared and published the same as such, and
 we have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses,

Joe W. Gravely Bolivar, Mo.

John Dunnigan Bolivar, Mo.

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri } ss.
 County of Polk }

I, O.P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate
 Court, within and for the County of Polk, in State of Missouri,
 do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of
 writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and
 to record as and for the last will and testament of
 Lavosso B. Gallighugh, deceased, late of said County, by
 the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the
 31st day of July 1928, at the May Term, 1928, of said
 Court, all of which now appears of record in my
 office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and
 to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this
 State, as and for the last will of said Lavosso
 B. Gallighugh deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set
 my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the
 office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of
 Missouri, this 31st day of July 1928.

(Seal)

O.P. Hollingsworth
 Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri } ss.
 County of Polk }

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court
 of Polk County, July 31st 1928, I, O.P. Hollingsworth,
 Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County,
 and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to
 be a true and accurate copy of the last will and
 testament of Lavosso B. Gallighugh deceased, and
 Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears
 of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand
and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the
date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate



Filed for Record August 1, A.D. 1928 at 2 o'clock, P.M.
Hugh Matheny
Recorder.

Last Will Of William S. Clark.

I, William S. Clark of Bolivar, Polk County, Missouri,
being of sound mind and memory and being de-
sireous to settle my business affairs while I have strength
and capacity to make and publish this my last will^{and}
testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

First: I will and direct that all my just debts
be paid as soon as practicable, and that a suitable
marker be placed at our fathers and mothers and
brothers graves at Millington, Kendall County, Ills.
Cemetery.

Item 1. I will, devise and bequeath to Almira
H. Boyer, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars and a
one-half interest in our home residence in Bolivar,
Missouri to be hers absolutely.

Item 11. I will and devise to Malcolm H.
Serrine Three Hundred Dollars and all wearing
apparel.

Item 111. I will and devise to Almira H.
Boyer and Malcolm H. Serrine all my house-
hold goods, furniture and fixtures.

Item 4. I will and devise to Mrs. J. Henry
Rankin the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Item 5. I will and devise to James H. S. Clark
the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

Item 6. I will and devise to Alfred J. Harper
the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

Item 7. I will and devise to William S.

Harper the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

Item 8. I will and devise to Rubin H. Harper the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

Item 9. I will, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate, be the same real, personal or mixed to Almira H. Boyer, Malcolm H. Lerrine, Mrs. J. Henry Rankin, and James H. S. Clark, share and share alike.

I hereby nominate and request that S. H. Boyer be appointed the Executor of this my last will and testament and that he be not required to give any bond for the faithful performance of his duties as such.

In Witness Whereof, I, William S. Clark, the testator have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand and seal this 28th day of August, A.D. 1916.

Wm S. Clark (Seal)

Signed, sealed and declared by the above named William S. Clark as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names at his request as witnesses thereto in the presence of the said testator and of each other.

Witnesses:

J. M. Dunnegan.
J. M. Leavitt.

Certificate Of Probate.

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss.

H. C. P. Hollingsworth Judge of the Probate Court within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of said William S. Clark, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 30th day September, 1917, at the August Term, 1927 of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office;

the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said William S. Clark, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 30 day of September, 1927.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

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Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, Sept. 30, 1927. O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of William S. Clark, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record November 17, 1928 at 11 o'clock and 45 minutes A. M.

Hugh Matheny.
Recorder.

Muscogee Court of Ordinary September Term 1866.

Upon the application of Mrs. Mary E. Griffin as Executrix of the will of Daniel Griffin Esq. it is ordered that the following persons viz Robert B. Murdock John P. Manley Robert L. Bass Charles A. Linn and L. P. Warner are hereby appointed in terms of the law to make an inventory & appraisement of the lands & tenements & goods & chattels rights & credits of Daniel Griffin late of said County deceased in terms of the law.

It is further ordered that the same persons are hereby appointed as provided by law to set apart the years support for said Mrs. M. E. Griffin the widow of said Daniel Griffin & her four minor children By the Court Sept 5th 1866.

Muscogee Court of Ordinary September Term 1866.

And now at this time of the Court the last will & testament of Daniel Griffin late of Muscogee County deceased having been duly proved in open Court upon the usual oath of R. B. Murdock one of the witnesses thereto it is ordered that the same be & is hereby admitted to probate & record in common form and Mrs. Mary E. Griffin one of the Executors appearing & offering to qualify as such in terms of the law (Lewis N. Whittle the other Executor declining to qualify for the present) it is ordered that said Mrs. Griffin be allowed to qualify as Executrix & that letters testamentary under said will issue to her upon her taking the oath required by law which she having done and in all things she having complied with the requirement of the law touching the premises. Said letters testamentary are issued to her accordingly.

By the Court Sept 5th 1866

Ordinary's Office October 13th 1866.

Upon the application of Lewis N. Whittle Attorney for the Estate of Daniel Griffin Deceased (five days having intervened since the filing of the application) for further proof of the will of said Daniel Griffin and an order having been issued to bring in the witnesses. It appearing by the return of the officer that George S. Morton has moved his residence to the City of Baltimore Maryland & that A. H. Cappel is absent from this County and is for an indefinite term of time at his plantation in the State of Alabama therefore both these witnesses are beyond the jurisdiction of this Court.

And now on this day comes said Lewis N Whittle Attorney for the Estate of Daniel Griffin and suggests to the Court that while the probate of the will of Daniel Griffin deceased is sufficient under the laws of Georgia to pass both real & personal estate yet that said Daniel Griffin owned considerable property in several other States of the Union and it is necessary that the probate of the will conform to the laws of those States. It is considered by the Court that said suggestion is right & proper and that the other subscribing witnesses be called & there upon come into Court one other subscribing witness to wit R Carter who being duly sworn testified as follows to-wit Georgia Muscogee County

On this Thirteenth day of October 1866 before me John Johnson Ordinary in and for said County personally came Robert Carter who being duly sworn on oath says that he was present when Daniel Griffin then in life but now Executed published and declared the annexed written instrument at his last will & testament that at the time of making said declaration and executing said instrument said Griffin was of sound & disposing mind and memory and that so far as witness knows or believes he did it voluntarily without any undue influence or compulsion And that he signed the same in the presence of deponent R B Murdock A A Chappell & Geo S Burton who at the request of said Griffin signed the same as witnesses in the presence of said testator & of each other

Sworn to & subscribed before me

L.S.B.

R Carter

October 13th 1866.

John Johnson Ordinary

It is therefore ordered that these proceedings be recorded and that the testimony of Robert Carter be considered as additional proof of the will of Daniel Griffin deceased.

L.S.B.

John Johnson Ordinary.

Daniel Griffin's Will

Georgia, Muscogee County:

I, Daniel Griffin of said County & State never having made any last will & testament being of sound & disposing mind & memory but admonished by my advancing years

and my present severe attack of sickness that it is my duty to do so declare and publish this as & for my last will & testament

1st. I give my whole estate & property of every kind whatever situated & whether in possession or expectancy after the payment of my debts to my beloved wife Mary Elizabeth & our four children to be equally divided among them share & share alike except that if my wife desires she may take the value of her whole interest under this will in my house & lot in Columbus Georgia at a fair valuation

2nd The provision hereby made for my said wife to be in lieu & bar of dower in my real estate and the property to which my daughters will be entitled besides this will to be their sole & separate estates for their life free from the debts or contracts of any husband they may marry and at their death to their children and descendants of children.

3rd I nominate and appoint my beloved wife Mary Elizabeth and my brother in law Lewis N Whittle Executors of this my last will & testament my Executors may jointly in their discretion & judgement sell any portion of my property either at public or private sale as they may think best.

The above & foregoing subscribed declared and published as my last will & testament this August 13th, 1866

Daniel Griffin

The above & foregoing signed sealed declared and published by Daniel Griffin as & for his last will & testament in our presence and we have subscribed the same as witnesses at his request and in his presence & in presence of each other this August 13th 1866.

LS

R. Carter
R B Murdock
A H Cappell
Geo S Morton

Muscogee Court of Ordinary
September Term 1866

Personally appeared in Open Court R B Murdock who being duly sworn saith that on the 13th of August 1866 he saw Daniel Griffin late of Muscogee County deceased sign seal declare & publish the above & foregoing as & for his last will & testament that at the time he was of sound & disposing mind & memory that he executed the same freely & voluntarily & of his own accord without any coercion compulsion or other influence that

deponent subscribed the same as a witness at the request of the testator in his presence & in the presence of the other three witnesses thereto to-wit R Carter A St Cappell Geo S Morton & that he saw said three witnesses subscribe the same as such in like manner with this deponent.

R. B. Murdock

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court Sept 5th 1866.

Jno Johnson, Ordinary
Georgia Muscogee County

I do solemnly swear that the within ^{writing} contains the true last will of the therein named Daniel Griffin deceased so far as I know or believe and that I will well & truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State So help me God

Sworn to and subscribed before Mary E Griffin
me September 5th 1866.

John Johnson, Ordinary
Georgia Muscogee County
Court of Ordinary September Term 1866

The foregoing writing admitted to record as the last will of Daniel Griffin deceased late of said County — see Minutes page 187

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E. B.

Jno Johnson Ordinary

Certificate

State of Georgia,)

Muscogee County,)

I, H. H. Hunter

Ordinary and Probate Judge in and for the County and State aforesaid, and as such ex-officio Clerk of my own Court, which is a Court of Record, having a Seal, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the last will and testament of Daniel Griffin, late of said County, deceased,

Also copy of proceedings in probating will of the said Daniel Griffin, deceased as taken from the Records of said Court of Ordinary.

Also certify that I have no other Clerk.

I further Certify, That all my acts as such Clerk, and this attestation, are in due form and by the proper officer: That

I am the Judge of the Court, duly commissioned and qualified, and that full faith and credit should be given to all my acts as such Judge and Clerk.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my official signature and the seal of said Court of Ordinary, this 25th day of February 1929,

N. H. Hunter
Judge^{and} Ex-Officio Clerk, Court of Ordinary,
M. C.

Filed for record this 27th day of February A.D. 1929 at 1 o'clock 30 minutes P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will and Testament.

Know All Men By These Presents:

That I, William W. Stewart, of the County of Polk and State of Missouri being of sound mind and memory, do make and publish this, my Last Will and Testament, in manner and form following.

I will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Sarah V. Stewart all of my property, real personal and mixed. At her death all said property is to become the property of my children, Arthur L., Frank L., and Hazel Rae Stewart.

I direct that my beloved wife, Sarah V. Stewart, be executrix of my estate, without inventory and with out bond, and charge that at my death she shall pay all just debts I may owe.

And last, I hereby constitute and appoint Sarah V. Stewart, to be executrix of this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me made and ratifying and confirming and no other to be my last will and testament.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my signature, this second day of February, 1918.

William W. Stewart

H. W. Griffin
W. B. Dinnegan
Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day
of February, A.D. 1916.

My Commission as Notary Public will expire
on the 2nd day of September, 1919.

J. M. Dinnegan
Notary Public.

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri)
County of Polk) S.S.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court,
within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do
hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly
proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the
last will and testament of William W. Stewart, deceased, late
of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri,
on the 19th day of February 1929, at the February Term, 1929,
of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office,
the same is, therefore entitled to record and to be received in
evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last
will of said William W. Stewart, deceased.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in
the City of Polwar, in the State of Missouri, this 19th day of
February, 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri)
County of Polk) S.S.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County,
February 19, 1929, I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate
Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify
the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and
testament of William W. Stewart, deceased, and Certificate of
Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of
office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record this 20th day of March, A. D. 1929 at
10 o'clock 5 minutes, P. M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will And Testament.

Know All Men By These Presents:

That I, William H. Levi, being of sound mind
and memory, do make and publish this, my last will and
testament, in manner and form following:

That all my personal property shall go to my beloved wife
(Sarah Jane Levi) and that all my real estate shall belong to my
wife (Sarah Jane Levi) during her lifetime, and at her death it
shall then belong to my son (Leslie Lee Levi) or his heirs.

And last I hereby constitute and appoint Leslie Lee Levi,
(my son) to be executor of this my last will and testament,
revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, and
ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will
and testament.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal, this 22nd day of May, 1923.

William H. Levi (Seal)

E. L. Owen

Frank Ellerman

Witnesses

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri)

County of Polk) S.S.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the
Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State
of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of
writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record
as and for the last will and testament of William H. Levi, deceased,
late of the said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County,

Missouri, on the 6th day of April, 1929, at the February Term 1929, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said William H. Levi deceased.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 9th day of April 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri)
County of Polk) S.S.
Court of Polk County, April 6th, 1929.

Office of the Judge of the Probate

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of William H. Levi, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

L.S.

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record this 9th day of April A.D. 1929 at 2 o'clock
P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

I, Margaret E. Maddox, do hereby make and declare and publish the following as my last will and testament to-wit:

First, I hereby direct that all of my just debts and funeral expenses be first paid.

Second, I hereby will, devise and bequeath to my nephew L. Z. Wright, the following described real estate located and situate in Polk County, Missouri, to-wit: A part of the North-east quarter of the North-east quarter of Section 22, Township 34, Range 22 more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 22, Township 34, Range 22, in said County and State, thence West 140 yards, thence South 70 yards, thence East 70 yards, thence South 70 yards, thence East 70 yards, thence North 140 yards to place of beginning, and containing Three acres, more or less. Said real estate to go to said L. Z. Wright absolutely and in fee, and in case he dies before I do then to his lawful heirs.

Third, All the rest and residue of my estate of which I may die seized or possessed, whether real, personal or mixed and wherever situated, I give, Will and bequeath as follows to-wit: One third part to my nephew Arthur Wright, in case he dies before I do, then his said share shall go to his lawful heirs.

One third part to my nephew, Thurman Viles, in case he dies before I do, then his said share shall go to his lawful heirs.

One third part to my niece, Maggie Pate, In case she dies before I do, then her share shall go to Homer Wright and Dessie Wright in equal parts, they being children of Arthur Wright, and raised by the said Maggie Pate, The shares herein given to be absolutely the property of the said legatees.

Fourth: I hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

Fifth: I designate and name Thurman Viles as executor of this last Will and Testament.

Witness my hand and seal at my home in Polk County, Missouri, this 15th day of February, 1929.

Margaret E. Maddox (Seal)

The above named Margaret E. Maddox in our presence signed the above instrument and declared the same

to be her last will and Testament, and at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other we subscribe our names as witness hereto.

	N. B. Payne,	Bolivar, Mo.
	Term M. Yeagin	Bolivar, Mo.
Witnesses.	H. H. Yeagin	Bolivar, Mo.

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri,)
County of Polk,) ss.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Margaret E. Maddox, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 18th day of March, 1929, at the February Term, 1929, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Margaret E. Maddox deceased.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 18th day of March, 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri,)
County of Polk,) ss.

Office of the judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, March 18, 1929. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Margaret E. Maddox, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record this 25th day of June, A.D. 1929,
at 9 o'clock A.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will

I, Edward W.C. Wilkinson, of Polk County, Missouri, being in sound mind and memory and understanding and being desirous to settle my business affairs while I have strength and capacity to make and publish this my last will and testament.

First: I will and direct that all of my just debts be paid as soon as practicable.

Item 1: I give, bequeath and devise to my wife, Rachel A. Wilkinson, all of my property, real, personal and mixed to be hers during her natural life, and the said personal property being now in Government Bonds I desire that as they become due the principal be invested in Government Bonds, and only the interest on the same be used for her benefit.

Item 2: I give, bequeath and devise to my children, Mattie Synthia Barnett, Minnie Belle La Force, Arthur Andrew Wilkinson, and Charley Henry Wilkinson Eight Hundred Dollars each, subject to item one above.

Item 3: I give, devise and bequeath to Bert Edward Wilkinson as trustee for Harry Milford Wilkinson, my son, the sum of Fifteen hundred dollars, and said Trustee shall loan out and only pay the interest to said Harry Milford Wilkinson, until such time as said Trustee believes that said principal should be paid said Harry Milford Wilkinson, subject to item one above.

Item 4: I give, bequeath and devise to my children, Bert Edward Wilkinson, Sarah Ann Poland, George Franklin Wilkinson, Cora Otta Duncan, Cecil Vaughn Wilkinson and Elie Vern Wilkinson Fifteen hundred dollars each subject to item one above.

Item 5: I give, devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate, be the same real, personal and mixed to Harry Milford Wilkinson, Mattie Synthia Barnett, Minnie Belle La Force, Arthur Andrew Wilkinson, Sarah Ann Poland, Charley Henry Wilkinson, George Franklin

Wilkinson, Cora Etta Duncan, Cecil Vaughn Wilkinson, Celie Vern Wilkinson, my children, share and share alike, to be theirs absolutely and forever, subject to item one above.

I hereby nominate and request that J. M. Dunnegan of Bolivar, Missouri be appointed executor of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness Whereof, I, Edward W. C. Wilkinson, the testator have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal, this 19th day of February, 1923.

Edward W. C. Wilkinson (Seal)

Signed, sealed and declared by the above named Edward W. C. Wilkinson, as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who hereunto subscribe our names at his request as witnesses thereunto in the presence of said testator and of each other.

Witness

John Dunnegan
J. M. Leavitt

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri, }
County of Polk, } ss.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Edward W. C. Wilkinson, deceased late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 2 day of April, 1923, at the February Term, 1923, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Edward W. C. Wilkinson, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 2 day of April, 1923.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri)

County of Polk,) ss.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, April 2, 1923. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Edward W. C. Wilkinson, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

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O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record this 15th day of July, A.D. 1929 at 11 o'clock 30 minutes, A.M.

Hugh Matherly
Recorder

Last Will And Testament of George A. Smith

I, George A. Smith, of Halfway, Missouri, 65 years old, being of sound and disposing mind do make and publish the following as my last will and testament, to-wit:

First: I order and direct that my executrix hereinafter named shall pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my death as is practical and convenient.

Second: After the payment of funeral expenses and debts mentioned in item above: I will, give and devise and bequeath to my oldest daughter Verna M. George the following described real estate in fee: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 21, Township 34, Range 21, Polk County, Missouri.

To my next oldest daughter Lizzie Smith I give, will, devise and bequeath the following described real estate in Polk County, Missouri, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter and the north half of the Southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, and also an undivided one half interest in the north half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter:

all in Section 21, Township 34, Range 21, and also all of the West half of the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 28, Township 34, Range 21, in fee.

To my youngest daughter Gladys Smith I will, give, devise and bequeath the following described real estate located in Polk County, Missouri, to-wit; The Northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the North half of the Southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and also an undivided one half interest in the North Half of the Southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, all in Section 21, Township 34, Range 21, in fee.

All the remainder, rest and residue of my estate of which I may die seized whether personal, real or mixed, I give, will, devise and bequeath to my daughter Lizzie Smith.

Third. I hereby appoint and designate my daughter Lizzie Smith, as executrix of this last will and Testament, and it is my request and wish that she be permitted to serve as such without bond. It is my further wish and direction that my daughter Lizzie Smith be appointed as guardian for my daughter Gladys Smith.

Fourth: In case any of the above mentioned children or their heirs shall contest any of the provisions of this will, she shall thereby forfeit her right to any of my property under the terms of this will, and the share so given to such Child or her heirs shall then be equally divided between the children not contesting.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 20th day of April, 1926 at Bolivar, Polk County, Missouri.

George A. Smith (Seal)

The above instrument was on the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator, George A. Smith, to be his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other.

Allen Davison
W. B. Miller
T. H. Douglas.

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri,
County of Polk,) ss.

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of George A. Smith, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 15 day of August 1928, at the August Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said George A. Smith, deceased.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 15 day of August 1928.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri,
County of Polk,) ss.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, August 15, 1928. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of George A. Smith, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate

Filed for record July 31st., 1929 at 2 o'clock 30 minutes, P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will.

I, Nancy L. Burkes, of the City of Bolivar, Polk County, Missouri, Being of sound mind, memory and understanding and being desirous to settle my business affairs; while I have strength and capacity to make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills and testaments by me made.

First: I will and direct that all my just debts be paid in full as soon as practicable.

Item 1: I give, devise and bequeath to my son Robert Ray Burkes one fifth of all my property, to be his absolutely.

Item 2: I give, devise and bequeath to my Daughter, Mamie Buford, one fourth of all my property absolutely.

Item 3: I give, devise and bequeath to my son, Samuel Burkes, all the rest and residue of my estate, be the same real, personal or mixed to be his absolutely and for ever.

In making this my last will I have in mind my grandchildren, the Children of Alice A. Brown, deceased, a daughter, being Guy Brown, Lola Brown, Elsie Brown, and Ruth Brown, and the Children of Myrtle Runyan, a deceased daughter, being Willard Runyan and Robert Runyan, and I leave them nothing.

I hereby nominate W. B. Dunnegan to be executor of this my last will and testament.

In Witness whereof; I, Nancy L. Burkes, the testatrix have to this my last will and testament set my hand and seal this 13th day of October, 1925.

Nancy L. Burkes,

Signed, sealed and published and delivered by the above named Nancy L. Burkes, as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us who have thereunto subscribed our names at her request as witnesses thereto in the presence of said testatrix and of each other.

Harry I. West
J. M. Leavitt

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri)

County of Polk,) ss. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Nancy L. Burks, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 21st day of January 1929, at the November Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Nancy L. Burks, deceased.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 21st day of January, 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri)

County of Polk,) ss.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, January 21, 1929.
I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Nancy L. Burks, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.



O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record August 6th, 1929 at 2 o'clock P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

I, Robert W. Cunningham, of Polk County, Missouri, hereby make public and declare this as and for my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking any and all other and former wills made by me.

First: I direct that all of my just debts, if any, including funeral expenses and expenses of my last illness, be paid; and I also direct that my Executor pay any and all expenses of surveying or setting off of the lands hereinafter bequeathed and devised.

Second: I give, devise and bequeath to my son Gus Cunningham, an undivided two-thirds interest in and to the north West quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$), and Twenty (20) acres off of the West side of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), of the North West quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section Fourteen (14); and fifteen (15) acres off of the South side of the South West quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the South West quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) and off of a part of the South side of the Southeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the South West quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Eleven (11), and also five (5) acres out of the north East corner and off of part of the East side of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Fifteen (15), all in Township Thirty-three (33), Range twenty-two (22), Polk County, Missouri. The above mentioned 75 acres are the same premises that I heretofore conveyed an undivided one-third interest in to my said son, Gus Cunningham, to which deed of conveyance I hereby refer for a more particular description of said premises.

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter, Cora Etta Hart, the South West quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), less five (5) acres off of the East side thereof, and also the East Half (E $\frac{1}{2}$) of the South West quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the north West quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section Fifteen (15), Township Thirty-three (33), Range Twenty-two (22), Polk County, Missouri.

I give, devise and bequeath to the children of my deceased daughter, Mary A. Farris, the South East quarter of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), and five (5) acres off of the East side of the Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), and the East Seventeen and one-half (17 $\frac{1}{2}$) acres of the north East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the north East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), after the five acres have been set off out of said North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$), to my son, Gus Cunningham, as above described, all of said premises being in Section Fifteen (15), Township Thirty-three (33), Range Twenty-two (22), Polk County, Missouri.

I give, devise and bequeath to my daughter Jo Anna Batten, the North East quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$), less five

(5) acres off of the East side thereof; and the West Half ($W\frac{1}{2}$) of the South West quarter ($SW\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section Fifteen (15), Township Thirty-three (33), Range Twenty-two, (22), Polk County, Missouri.

I give, devise and bequeath to the children of my deceased son, James William Cunningham, my undivided one half interest in the South East quarter ($SE\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty (20), and the South West quarter ($SW\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty-one (21), all in Township Thirty-three (33), Range Twenty-two (22), Polk County, Missouri.

I charge the children of my son James William Cunningham, with the sum of Four Hundred Dollars as an advancement, which amount I advanced to their father; they shall pay this amount without any interest to my executor when he makes final settlement of my estate.

I give, devise and bequeath to my son Thomas Ben Cunningham, the North West quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$), and the West seventeen and one-half ($17\frac{1}{2}$) acres of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$), after the five (5) acres out of the said North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) have been set off to my son, Gus Cunningham, as above directed; and five acres off of the East side of the North East quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section Fifteen (15), Township Thirty-three (33), Range Twenty-two (22), Polk County, Missouri.

Third: All the remainder of my property, whether real, personal or mixed, shall be divided into six equal shares, my children Gus Cunningham, Thomas Ben Cunningham, Cora Etta Hart and Jo Anna Batten each to receive a one-sixth and the children of my deceased son, James William Cunningham, together to receive a one-sixth, and the children of my deceased daughter, Mary A. Farris, together, to receive a one-sixth.

Fourth: I hereby appoint my son, Gus Cunningham, as Executor of this Will, and request that he be permitted to act without being required to give bond; and I empower and authorize him to sell any land that I have not herein especially devised and to make deeds of conveyance thereto, provided that all of my living children request it in writing. I further request that my executor may have two years to settle my estate if in his opinion it is necessary and for the best interest of all.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 2nd day of October, 1926.

Robert ^{this} ~~W.~~ Cunningham.
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Witnesses to make
Herman Pufahl
J. G. Rechow

We attest the foregoing will written on three pages, by subscribing our names thereto as witnesses in the presence of and at the request of the testator and in the presence of each other, this 2nd day of October, 1926.

Herman Pufahl
J. G. Rechow

Bolivar, Mo. Dec. 29th, 1926.

I add this codicil to the above will, I do not want the children of my deceased son James W^m, Cunningham charged with any amount, and I change and eliminate the 4 lines where I charged them with \$400.00 as an advancement and give and devise the land described above and devise it to them clear and free of any charge or advancement.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand to this codicil on this the 29th day of December, 1926, and with said change republish and re-affirm the foregoing will.

Robert W. ^{his} ~~X~~ _{mark} Cunningham

Witnesses to make
J. G. Rechow
Herman Pufahl

Witness to Codicil
J. G. Rechow
Herman Pufahl

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri)
County of Polk,) S. D. O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved, and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Robert W. Cunningham, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 11 day of January, 1929, at the November Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office: The same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Robert W. Cunningham, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 11 day of January, 1929.

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri)
County of Polk) ss.

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, January 11, 1929. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and Testament of Robert W. Cunningham, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

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O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record August 7th, 1929 at 4 o'clock P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder.

Last Will And Testament Of Alpha C. Knowles.

I, Alpha C. Knowles, of the County of Polk and State of Missouri, being of sound and disposing mind, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, as follows:

First: I direct that all my just debts, including funeral expenses and expenses of last illness be paid as soon after my death as practical.

Second: It is my order and direction that my Executor sell the following described real estate, to wit: Lots Two, Three and Four of Block One of Jarnagin's Addition to the Town of Aldrich, Polk County, Missouri, as soon after my death as he can secure a fair and reasonable price. To this end I empower him to make any and all deeds that are necessary to convey a fee simple title to the purchaser. It is my further order said sale be for cash, or if that is not practical at the time, for not less than half cash, deferred payments secured by a first deed of trust on the said described real estate at the then current rate of interest, and the buildings to be kept properly insured in favor of my estate or trustee. In case

the real estate herein described shall be sold by me before my death and other real estate purchased, whether with same or other money, it is my order and direction that any such real estate hereafter acquired by me shall be sold as in this paragraph directed.

Third: After the payment of all my just debts and funeral expenses as directed in paragraph one of this will, I give, bequeath, and devise all the rest and residue of my property whether personal, real or mixed to J. S. Johnson of Aldrich, Missouri, as trustee for the following purposes: to-wit: That all of my said property at my death shall vest in the said J. S. Johnson as trustee for the use and benefit of the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church of near Aldrich, Polk County, Missouri, and Pleasant Ridge Cemetery Association of near Aldrich, Polk County, Missouri. It is my order and direction that any real estate or mixed property of which I may die seized shall be converted into cash, or cash and security as directed in paragraph two of this will and that in the said residue of my estate as herein given to J. S. Johnson, trustee, that the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church and the Pleasant Ridge Cemetery Association shall share equally. That the said trustee or his successor shall loan the funds left in his hands as such trustee under this will at the best rate of interest obtainable on first mortgage farm loans only, at not more than fifty percent of cash value, and the yearly interest collected shall be paid over by said trustee to the treasurer of the Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church or other proper official officer, and to the trustees of the Pleasant Ridge Cemetery Association, share and share alike. The part paid to the Church each year to go into the general fund of said Church and to be used for the general welfare of the Church, and the amount paid to the Cemetery Association each year to be used by the trustees for the general upkeep of the Cemetery and especially for the upkeep of the graves of my deceased husband, James, Knowles, and my deceased daughter, Cora Knowles Boone, and my own grave, and I hereby make it the duty of my trustee to see that such use is made of said yearly

interest by the Cemetery Association.

In case of the death or disability in anywise of the said Trustee herein appointed it is my will and direction that the Circuit Court of Polk County, Missouri, shall appoint some suitable person to act in his stead, or his successor, and each succeeding trustee shall be appointed by said Court and make his yearly report to said Court. It is my further will and direction that the said trustee shall receive a reasonable compensation for his services, the amount of principal and income therefrom to be taken into consideration.

Fourth: I hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

Fifth: I hereby appoint J. S. Johnson of Aldrich, Polk County, Missouri, to act as executor of this my last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name this 25th day of September, 1922, at Bolivar, Missouri.

Alpha C. Knowles
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The foregoing instrument was at the date thereof signed, and declared by the said Alpha C. Knowles to be her last will and testament, and in the presence of us, who, at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Chas. Wimberly.

Ben R. Brenner.

J. H. Douglas.

Certificate Of Probate.

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss. J. O. P. Hollingsworth Judge of the
Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the
State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instru-
ment of writing was duly proved and admitted to
probate and to record as and for the last will and
testament of Alpha C. Knowles, deceased, late of said
County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County,
Missouri, on the 13th day of August, 1928, at the
August Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now

appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said Alpha C. Knowles deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 13th day of August, 1928

[Signature]

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate

State of Missouri, } ss.
County of Polk, }

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, August 13, 1928, I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Alpha C. Knowles deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, Witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

[Signature]

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate
Filed for record September 7th, 1929 at 3 o'clock P.M.
Hugh Matheny
Recorder.

Will

I, Odessa V. Jones, of Bolivar, Missouri, being in good health, strength of body and mind, do hereby make the following to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other or former wills by me made.

I direct the payment of all my just debts and funeral expenses.

I give to my sister, Rebecca Jones two-thirds of all my property, and to my sister, Mrs. Nettie Hancock, one third of all my property.

In the event that my sister, Rebecca Jones is married at the time of my death I direct that she receive only one half of my property and my sister Mrs. Nettie Hancock, one half.

I hereby appoint L. J. Ellis, Executor of this my last will and testament.

Odessa V. Jones

The foregoing instrument was at the date thereof signed and declared by Odessa V. Jones to be her last will and testament, in the presence of us ~~who~~, at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Fred Agee

Mountain Grove, Mo.

J. M. Fuerst

Mountain Grove, Mo.

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss. I, O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of the Probate Court within and for the
County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do
hereby certify that the foregoing instrument
of writing was duly proved and admitted to
probate and to record as and for the last
will and testament of Odessa V. Jones, de-
ceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of
said Polk County, Missouri, on the 5 day of August,
1929, ^{at the May Term, 1929} of said Court, all of which now appears of
record in my office; the same is, therefore,
entitled to record and to be received in evidence
in all the Courts of this State, as and for the
last will of said Odessa V. Jones deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at
the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State
of Missouri, this 5 day of August, 1929.

L. J.

O. P. Hollingsworth.
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri, }
 County of Polk }^{ss} Office of the Judge of the Probate
 Court of Polk County, August 5, 1929, J. C. P. Hollingsworth,
 Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and
 State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true
 and accurate copy of the last will and testament of
 Odessa V. Jones, deceased; and Certificate of Probate
 thereof, as the same appears of record in my office.
 In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and
 seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri the date above.

[Signature]

J. C. P. Hollingsworth
 Judge of Probate.

Filed for record Sept. 7th, 1929 at 4 o'clock P.M.
 Hugh Matheny
 Recorder.

Last Will and Testament of Thomas H. Boaz.

I, Thomas H. Boaz, of near Morrisville, Polk County, Missouri,
 Being of sound mind and memory, do make and publish this my last
 will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

First: It is my will that all my just debts and funeral expenses
 be paid as soon after my death as possible.

Second: I will, devise and bequeath all the remainder of my
 property, after paying my just debts and funeral expenses, to my beloved
 son, Harley A. Boaz.

I here make mention of my three grand-children who are
 children of my deceased daughter, Hattie M. Boaz. The names of these
 children are Jennie E. Mouldenour, Nellie Rothenham and Morris T.
 Horiskey. I do not make these grand-children beneficiaries of this my
 last will and testament for the reason that I have already given my
 daughter, Hattie M. Boaz, her full share of my estate during her life
 time.

Third: I name, constitute and appoint my son, Harley A. Boaz,
 as executor of this my last will and testament and direct that he
 serve without bond.

Fourth: I request that C. J. Wilkins and J. C. Edwards witness
 this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof hereunto set my hand and subscribed

my name this 27th day of April, 1921.

Thomas H. Boaz.

We, C. J. Wilkins and J. C. Edwards, at the request of Thomas H. Boaz and in his presence and in the presence of each other, witness this his last will and testament and declare that the said Thomas H. Boaz signed the same in our presence.

C. J. Wilkins

J. C. Edwards.

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri, } ss.

County of Polk, }

I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Thomas H. Boaz, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 26th day of January, 1929, at the November Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State; as and for the last will of said Thomas H. Boaz, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 26th day of January, 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri, } ss.

County of Polk, }

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, January 26, 1929. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of Thomas H. Boaz, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

(L.S.)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record September 25, 1929 at 11 o'clock A. M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

I, William S. Lawrence, of Van, in Polk County, Missouri, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and desiring to make disposition of my property and effects do make, declare and publish this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking and canceling all former wills by me made.

First: I desire my hereinafter named executrix to pay all of my just debts, if any, including funeral expenses and expenses of my last illness.

Second: I will, devise and bequeath to my wife, May Lawrence, all of my property of which I may die seized or possessed, or to which I may have any claim or interest, or be entitled, of what ever kind or character, real, personal or mixed, and where ever situated, to be hers absolutely and forever.

I hereby appoint my said wife, May Lawrence, executrix of this my last will and testament, without being required to furnish bond.

Witness my signature this 13th day of August, 1927.

W. S. Lawrence

Witnesses: Hugh Matheny
C. E. House

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri } ss.

County of Polk, } I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of William S. Lawrence, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court, of said Polk County, Missouri, on the 23rd day of September, 1929, at the August Term, 1929, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this state, as and for the last will of said William S. Lawrence, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 23rd day of September, 1929.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

I. W. E. Peebles, of the County of Cedar and State of Missouri, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do made and publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

1. I direct that all my just debts, my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last illness be paid, and if possible out of my personal estate.

2. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles my residence property in Fair Play, Missouri, consisting of all of Block Five (5), Paynter's Addition to the city of Fair Play, Missouri.

3. I give and bequeath to my ^{beloved} wife, Mary E. Peebles all my other real estate, which I now have, or may be in possession of at the time of my death, and all my personal and mixed property of whatsoever kind of which I may die seized, to have and to hold during her natural life, with full power to sell and dispose of any and all of said property, during her said life and at her death it is my wish and will that the residue of said personal property be divided between my two children, Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Fleeman, share and share alike. It is my wish and will that at the death of the said Mary E. Peebles, my real estate shall be divided equally between the said Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Fleeman, and that Charles S. Peebles shall inherit the East half of the southeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and that Bertha O. Fleeman shall inherit the South half of the southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all in Section seven (7) township thirty-^{three}~~four~~, range twenty-five (25)

4. I do hereby make, nominate, and appoint my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles, the executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that she ~~be~~ not required to give bond for the same

I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of April, 1926.

Certificate of Probate of Will

STATE OF MISSOURI
County of Cedar

} SS

IN THE PROBATE COURT

I, H. V. McCOY, Judge of the Probate Court of Cedar County, State of Missouri, have examined the foregoing instrument, purporting to be the last Will of W. E. Peckler deceased, and signed by W. E. Peckler and having heard the testimony of R. J. Paynter and R. W. Barker subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same, do declare and adjudge said instrument to be the last Will and Testament of the said W. E. Peckler deceased, late of Cedar County, Missouri, and the same is hereby admitted to Probate.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at office

in Stockton, Mo., this

17th

day of

September

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H. V. McCoy

Judge of Probate



STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF CEDAR } ss.

In The Office Of The Probate Court Of Said County

I, H. V. McCoy, Judge and ex-officio Clerk of

said Court, do hereby certify that the instrument of writing hereto attached is the will of W.E.

Reckler was filed for record in said office, at 3 o'clock P M., on the 17

day of September 1929 and the same is duly recorded at page 76 Book 8

for recording W.E.



Witness my hand and the seal of said Court. Done at office

in Stockton, this 17th day of Sept 1929

H. V. McCoy

Judge and ex-officio Clerk of said Probate Court.

Certificate of True Copy

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
COUNTY OF CEDAR } ss.

I, H. V. McCoy, Clerk of Probate Court in and for said County,

hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true copy of the proceedings of our said Probate Court, on the day and year above written as the same appears of record in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at
office in Stockton, Mo., this 17th day of September 1929

H. V. McCoy
Clerk of Probate Court.

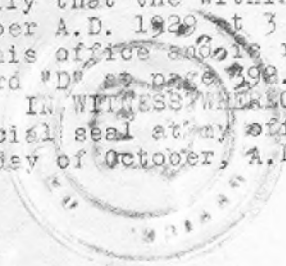
D. C.



STATE OF MISSOURI, }
County of Polk, } ss.

I, Hugh Matheny, Recorder of Deeds of said County, do hereby certify that the within instrument of writing was on the 2nd day of October A.D. 1929, at 3 o'clock -- minutes P.M., duly filed for record in this office and is recorded in the records of this office in Will Record "D" at page 392.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the City of Bolivar, Missouri, this 2nd day of October, A.D. 1929.



Hugh Matheny
RECORDER.

No.

Box

CEDAR COUNTY

PROBATE COURT

Accepted Term, 1929
Copy of Will of
W.C. Beckett
vs.

Record No. *4* Page *76*

Fee Book No. *4* Page

Plaintiff's Atty

Defendant's Atty

Recorder Office Supply Co., Springfield, Missouri, Form 406

Filed for record
Oct. 2, 1929 at 3
o'clock P.M.
Record at
page 392
Hugh Matheny
Recorder

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State of Missouri } ss.
County of Polk }

Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, 23rd day of September, 1929. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of William S. Lawrence, deceased, and Certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri the date above.

(L.S.)

O. P. Hollingsworth,
Judge of Probate.

Filed for record September 25, 1929 at 2 o'clock P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Last Will And Testament.

I, W. E. Peebles, of the County of Cedar and State of Missouri, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make and publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

1. I direct that all my just debts, my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last illness be paid, and if possible out of my personal estate.

2. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles, my residence property in Fair Play, Missouri, consisting of all of Block Five (5), Ryant's Addition to the city of Fair Play, Missouri.

3. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles all my other real estate, which I now have, or may be in possession of at the time of my death, and all my personal and mixed property of whatsoever kind of which I may die seized, to have and to hold during her natural life, with full power to sell and dispose of any and all of said property, during her said life and at her death it is my wish and will that the residue of said personal property be divided between my two children, Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Freeman, share and share alike. It is my wish and will that at the death of the said Mary E. Peebles, my real estate shall be divided equally between the said Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Freeman, and that Charles S. Peebles shall inherit the East half of the Southeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter,

STATE OF MISSOURI, }
County of Polk, } SS.

I, Hugh Matheny, Recorder of Deeds of said County, do hereby certify that the within instrument of writing was on the 2nd day of October A.D. 1929 at 3 o'clock -- minutes P.M., duly filed for record in this office and is recorded in the records of this office in Will Record "D" at page 392.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the City of Bolivar, Missouri, this 2nd day of October, A.D. 1929.



Hugh Matheny
RECORDER.

No. _____ Box _____

CEDAR COUNTY

PROBATE COURT

Original Term, 1929
Copy of Will of
W.E. Pfeiffer
vs.

Record No. *4* Page *76*

Fee Book No. *6* Page _____

Plaintiff's Att'y _____

Defendant's Att'y _____

Order of Office Supply Co., Springfield, Missouri, Form 606

Filed for record
Oct. 2, 1929 at 3
o'clock P.M.,
Record at
page 392
Hugh Matheny
Recorder

P. 9

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L A S T W I L L A N D T E S T A M E N T .

I. W. E. Peebles, of the County of Cedar and State of Missouri, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make and publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

1. I direct that all my just debts, my funeral expenses, and the expenses of my last illness be paid, and if possible out of my personal estate.

2. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles my residence property in Fair Play, Missouri, consisting of all of Block Five (5), Paynter's Addition to the city of Fair Play, Missouri.

3. I give and bequeath to my ^{beloved} wife, Mary E. Peebles all my other real estate, which I now have, or may be in possession of at the time of my death, and all my personal and mixed property of whatsoever kind of which I may die seized, to have and to hold during her natural life, with full power to sell and dispose of any and all of said property, during her said life and at her death it is my wish and will that the residue of said personal property be divided between my two children, Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Fleeman, share and share alike. It is my wish and will that at the death of the said Mary E. Peebles, my real estate shall be divided equally between the said Charles S. Peebles and Bertha O. Fleeman, and that Charles S. Peebles shall inherit the East half of the southeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and that Bertha O. Fleeman shall inherit the South half of the southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all in Section seven (7) township thirty-^{three}~~four~~, range twenty-five (25)

4. I do hereby make, nominate, and appoint my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles, the executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that she ~~be~~ not required to give bond for the same

I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of April, 1926.

and that Bertha O Fleeman shall inherit the South half of the Southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all in Section seven (7) township thirty-three, range twenty-five (25).

4. I do hereby make, nominate, and appoint my beloved wife, Mary E. Peebles, the executrix of this my last will and testament, and request that she be not required to give bond for the same.

I witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of April, 1926.

W. E. Peebles

Signed, published and declared by the above named W. E. Peebles to be his last will and testament in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses.

R. J. Paynter

W. F. Firestone

F. W. Barker

Proof of Will

State of Missouri } ss
County of Cedar }

In The Probate Court.

Be It Remembered, that on this the 17th day of September A.D. 1929, before me H. V. McCoy, Judge of the Probate Court, held in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared R. J. Paynter and F. W. Barker who are the subscribing witnesses to the annexed Will of W. E. Peebles, deceased, and being by me first duly sworn, depose and say that the said W. E. Peebles, the testator, subscribed the same in their presence, and published and declared said Will or instrument of writing to be his last Will and Testament, and that at the time of signing the same, he, the testator was of sound and disposing mind, and more than twenty-one years of age, and that said deponents attested said Will as witnesses thereto, by subscribing their names to the same in the presence of the testator and of each other, and at the request of the said testator.

R. J. Paynter

F. W. Barker

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 17th day of September, A.D. 1929.

H. V. McCoy,
Judge of Probate.

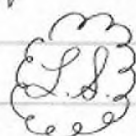
Certificate of Probate of Will

State of Missouri } SS.
County of Cedar, }

In the Probate Court.

I, H. V. McCoy, Judge of the Probate Court of Cedar County, State of Missouri, have examined the foregoing instrument, purporting to be the last Will of W. E. Peebles, deceased, and signed by W. E. Peebles and having heard the testimony of R. J. Raynter and J. W. Barker subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same, do declare and adjudge said instrument to be the last Will and Testament of the said W. E. Peebles deceased, late of Cedar County, Missouri, and the same is hereby admitted to Probate.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at office in Stockton, Mo. this 17th day of September 1929.



H. V. McCoy,
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri } SS.
County of Cedar }

In the Office of the Probate Court of said County, I, H. V. McCoy, Judge and ex officio Clerk of said Court, do hereby certify that the instrument of writing hereto attached is the will of W. E. Peebles was filed for record in said office at 3 o'clock P. M. on the 17 day of September, 1929 and the same is duly recorded at page 76, Book 8, for recording Wills.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court. Done at office in Stockton, this 17th day of Sept. 1929.



H. V. McCoy,
Judge and ex-officio Clerk
of said Probate Court.

Certificate of True Copy

State of Missouri } SS.
County of Cedar }

I, H. V. McCoy, Clerk of Probate Court in and for said County, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true copy of the proceedings of our said Probate Court, on the day and year written as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at office in Stockton, Mo., this 17th day of September 1929.



H. V. McCoy,
Clerk of Probate Court.

Filed for record October 2nd, 1929 at 3 o'clock, P.M.

Hugh Matheny,
Recorder.

Last Will And Testament.

Know All Men By These Presents:

That I, James Belk, of the County of Polk, State of Missouri, being of sound mind and memory, and realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, do make and publish this, my last will and testament, in manner and form following;

First: I will and direct that all of my just debts, including my funeral expenses, and expenses of my last illness, be paid out of my estate by the executor of this will, hereinafter named.

Second: I will, devise and bequeath to my beloved wife, Agnes Belk, all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, whether real, personal or mixed and wheresoever situated, to have and to hold, use and enjoy the same as her absolute property.

Third: At the death of my wife, Agnes Belk, the remainder of my estate whether real, personal or mixed to be divided equally between the following children as named below.

Archie T. Belk, Sarah Elizabeth Davis, James William Belk, Delia Bliss, Frank Belk and Nellie May Vaughn.

Fourth: I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Agnes Belk to be the executrix of this, my last will and testament, and I hereby direct that she be allowed to act as such without being required to give bond.

And Last, I hereby constitute and appoint Agnes Belk to be the Executor of this, my last will and testament. I ask that she be allowed to act without being required to give bond. In revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, and ratifying and confirming this, and no other, to be my last will and testament.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of Sept., 1927.

James Belk (Seal)

The foregoing instrument consisting of one page, was, at the date thereof, to-wit: Sept. 17th, 1927, signed and declared by the said James Belk to be his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who, at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto.

Ray Grove, of
Humnansville, Mo.
George H. Northam,
Humnansville, Mo.

Certificate Of Probate

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss. I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to probate and record as and for the last will and testament of James Belk, deceased, late of said County, by the Probate Court of said County, Missouri, on the 25th day of April, 1928, at the February Term, 1928, of said Court, all of which now appears of record in my office; the same is, therefore, entitled to record and to be received in evidence in all the Courts of this State, as and for the last will of said James Belk, deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at the office thereof in the City of Bolivar, in the State of Missouri, this 25th day of April, 1928.

(Seal)

O. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate.

State of Missouri }
County of Polk } ss. Office of the Judge of the Probate Court of Polk County, April 25, 1928, I, O. P. Hollingsworth, Judge of the Probate Court in and for Polk County, and State of Missouri, do certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the last will and testament of James

Bilk, deceased, and certificate of Probate thereof as the same appears of record in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, at Bolivar, Missouri, the date above.

C. P.

C. P. Hollingsworth
Judge of Probate,

Filed for record Nov. 2, 1929 at 4 o'clock P.M.

Hugh Matheny,
Recorder.

"Will"

In The Probate Court Within And For The County
of Hidalgo, State of New Mexico.

In the matter of the Estate

of
Claude William Hopkins, deceased

No 65

Letters Testamentary

State of New Mexico }
County of Hidalgo }

The Last Will and Testament of Claude William Hopkins, deceased, a copy of which is hereto annexed, having been proven and recorded in the Probate Court of the County of Hidalgo, State of New Mexico, Nevada J. Hopkins, who is named therein as such, is hereby appointed executrix.

Witness, B. H. Cross, County Clerk of the County of Hidalgo, State of New Mexico, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 21st day of September, A.D. 1928.

By order of the Court.
Probate Seal.

B. H. Cross, County Clerk
By: Rose Stengele,
Deputy County Clerk

Last Will and Testament of Claude William Hopkins of
Rodeo, New Mexico

Know All Men By These Presents: That I, Claude William Hopkins of the town of Rodeo, state of New Mexico, hereby make, publish and declare this my Last Will and Testament, as follows, to-wit:

1. I hereby revoke all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made.
 2. I hereby give, devise and bequeath to my wife, Neva J. Hopkins, all of my property, of whatever character, both real and personal, and wherever situated.
 3. I hereby nominate and appoint my said wife, Neva J. Hopkins, executrix of this my last Will and Testament, and I hereby direct that no bond be required of her as such executrix, and I further direct that she shall have full power and authority, as such executrix, to sell and dispose of any of my said property, either real or personal, without any order of court whatever being first obtained.
- In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 30th day of December, 1925.

Claude William Hopkins

State of Arizona)
County of Cochise)

This is to certify that the foregoing instrument, was at the date thereof, signed, published and declared by Claude William Hopkins, the testator, as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of H. E. Pickett and B. G. Thompson, who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses.

H. E. Pickett residing at Douglas, Arizona

B. G. Thompson residing at Douglas, Arizona.

State of New Mexico)
County of Hidalgo) S.S.

I, B. E. Lovett, County Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of the County of Hidalgo and State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Letters Testamentary, issued to Mrs. Neva J. Hopkins, executrix in the estate of Claude William Hopkins, with copy of Last Will And Testament attached, as same appears of record in this office as Probate No. 65.

Witness my hand and the seal this 3rd day of July, A.D.

1929.



B. E. Lovett
County Clerk.

Filed for record January 3rd 1930 at 2 o'clock 10 minutes P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder.

Last Will and Testament of Lee Ullmann.

Know All Men By These Presents,

That I, Lee Ullmann of the city of Springfield, Greene County, Missouri being of sound mind and disposing memory do make, publish and declare this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made:

1. I request that all my just debts, my funeral expenses and the expenses of my last illness be first paid.

2. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Genevieve Ullmann the house and lot now occupied by us, as a home at number 927 East Walnut Street in the city of Springfield, Missouri to be hers absolutely, but in the event I have disposed of said property prior to my death, then it is my will that she shall have as her absolute property the house and real estate, thereto belonging which I may own, and which we may be occupying as a home at the time of my death. I also give and devise to my said wife all of the household and kitchen furniture which I may own at the time of my death.

3. I give and bequeath to my daughter Genevieve Ullmann the sum of \$100.⁰⁰ ~~One Thousand Dollars~~

4. I give and bequeath to my son Edward Ullmann the sum of \$100.⁰⁰ ~~One Thousand Dollars~~

5. I give and bequeath to my daughter Jane Ullman the sum of \$100.⁰⁰; and, if she should not be of age at the time of my death or when my estate is settled then the \$100.⁰⁰ ~~One Thousand Dollars~~ given to my said daughter Jane Ullmann is to be held by my wife until said daughter shall arrive at the age of 21 years at which time it shall be paid to her together with all interest collected on same.

6. Having full confidence in my wife Genevieve Ullmann and knowing that she will make the proper distribution of my estate among my children. I do hereby give devise and bequeath to my said wife Genevieve Ullmann all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, real, personal and mixed and wherever situate as her absolute property; to use, sell and dispose of as she may think best.

7. I hereby appoint my wife Genevieve Ullmann, executrix of this my last will and testament and request that she be not required to give bond as such. And I also request that no bond be required of her should it be necessary for her to hold the \$100.⁰⁰ ~~One Thousand Dollars~~ hereby bequeathed to my daughter Jane Ullmann until she arrives at the age of 21 years.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand this the 24th day of June, 1927.

Lee Ullmann

The foregoing instrument was at the date, thereof signed and declared by the said Lee Ullmann to be his last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

W. R. Self

Carl R. Johnson

Filed September 18th 1929

Jennie U. Jolley, Clerk of Probate.

Proof of Will.

State of Missouri)

County of Greene) S.S.

In The Probate Court In Vacation, August Term 1929.

Be It Remembered, That on this 18th day of September in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-nine (1929) before me John H. Fairman, Judge of the Probate Court, held in and for the County of Greene, and State of Missouri, personally appeared W. R. Self and Carl R. Johnson who, being duly sworn, upon their oaths depose and say that they were present and saw Lee Ullman sign the foregoing instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Lee Ullmann, deceased, and heard him publish and declare the same to be his last will and testament, and that at the time of signing the same, the said Lee Ullmann was over the age of twenty-one years, and was of sound and disposing mind, and was not under any undue influence, restraint or compulsion, and that the deponents as the attesting witnesses subscribed their names thereto as witnesses to the same, in the presence of the testator and of each other, and at the request of the said Lee Ullman and that said testator departed this life on the 13th day of September 1929. Affiants further state that in Clauses three, four, five and seven of said last will and testament the typewritten letters and figures showing bequests of one thousand dollars each were crossed through prior to the execution of said will by testator Lee Ullman and the figures \$100.⁰⁰ entered in pen and ink also prior to the execution of said instrument.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, John H. Fairman, Judge of the Probate Court of Greene County, Missouri, the day and year aforesaid. John H. Fairman (Seal) Judge of Probate.

Filed Sept. 18, 1929, Jennie U. Jolley, Clerk of Probate.

W. R. Self

Carl R. Johnson

Certificate of Probate

State of Missouri)
County of Greene) ss.

In the Probate Court, Greene County,
August Term, 1929.

I, John H. Fairman, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for Greene County, Missouri, having examined the foregoing instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Lee Ullmann, deceased, and signed by said Lee Ullmann, deceased, late of Greene County, Missouri, and having heard the testimony of W. R. Self and Carl R. Johnson, subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same, do declare and adjudge said instrument to be the last will and testament of said Lee Ullmann, deceased, and the same is therefore admitted to Probate.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at my office, this 21st day of September 1929.

Filed Sep. 21, 1929 (Seal)
Jennie U. Jolley, Clerk of Probate.

John H. Fairman,
Judge of Probate Court

State of Missouri)
County of Greene) ss.

I, Jennie U. Jolley, Clerk of the Probate Court, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing pages contain a full, and true copy of the Will; Proof of Will; and Certificate of Probate; in the estate of Lee Ullmann, deceased, as the same appears of Record and on file now in my office.

Witness my hand as Clerk, and the seal of Court. Done at office in Springfield, this 24th day of September, 1929.



Jennie U. Jolley,
Clerk of Probate Court.

Filed for record February 14th, 1930 at 10 o'clock P.M.

Hugh Matheny
Recorder

Will

I, Anna Maberry, of Halfway, Polk County, Missouri, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and desiring to make disposition of my property and effects, do make, publish and declare this as and for my last will and testament, hereby revoking and cancelling all former wills by me made.

1. I will and direct that my hereinafter named executor pay all of my just debts, including funeral expenses and expenses of my last illness out of his own money and means.

2. I will devise and bequeath to J. F. Quick, all my personal property, which I own or am entitled to or have an interest in at the date of my death, except two feather beds, four pillows, all comforts, and quilts, which last named items are to be divided equally among my two daughters, Minnie M. Davis and Oma J. Knight, share and share alike.

3. I will devise and bequeath to J. F. Quick the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Twenty (20), Township Thirty-four (34), Range Twenty-one (21), in Polk County, Missouri.

4. I will devise and bequeath to my two daughters, Minnie M. Davison, and Oma J. M. Knight the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Thirty-four (34), Range Twenty-one (21), in Polk County, Missouri, to be divided equally between them, share and share alike.

I have three children as follows: J. F. Quick, Minnie M. Davison, and Oma J. Knight.

I hereby appoint my son J. F. Quick, executor of this my last will and testament and desire that he serve as such executor without bond.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name to this my last will and testament this 29th day of October, 1926.

Witnesses Olin A. Locke
Bessie Locke

Anna Maberry,
Testatrix

Certificate of Probate.

State of Missouri)
County of Polk) ss.

I, O. P. Hollingworth, Judge of the Probate Court, within and for the County of Polk, in the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing was duly proved and admitted to Probate and to record as and for the last will and testament of Anna Maberry, deceased, late of