

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, } IN THE PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD }
WARRANT OF APPRAISEMENT

By W. L. HOLLEY, ESQ., Probate Judge:

THESE are to authorize and empower you, or any three of you, whose names are hereunder written, to repair to all such parts and places within this County as you shall be directed unto by Mattie G. Martin ~~Administratrix~~, executrix, ~~trustee~~, of all and singular the goods, rights, and credits of Sallie G. Martin, late of Fairfield County, deceased, wheresoever any of the goods, chattels or real estate of the said deceased are or do remain within the said parts and places, and which shall be shown unto you by the said ~~Administratrix~~, Executrix, ~~Trustee~~, and there view and appraise all and every of the said goods, chattels, or real estate, being first sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, to make a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof, and to cause the same to be returned under your hands, or any three or four of you, to the said W. L. Holley, Probate Judge for Fairfield County, South Carolina, on or before the 1st day of November, 1936

Dated the 1st day of October Anno Domini 1936, and in the one hundred and sixty-first year of American Independence.

To Ernest Gladden
Daniel Hall
A. M. Owens
J. R. Cribb
W. L. Holley
Probate Judge,
Fairfield County County, South Carolina.

or any three of them.

OATH OF APPRAISERS

(This oath to be taken before appraisement is made.)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, }
County of Fairfield }

You, Ernest Gladden, Daniel, A. M. Owens, J. R. Cribb, ^{Hall}

do swear that you will make a just and true appraisement of all and singular the goods, chattels (ready money only excepted) and real estate of Sallie G. Martin deceased, as shall be produced by Mattie G. Martin the ~~Administratrix~~, executrix, ~~trustee~~, of the estate of the said Sallie G. Martin, deceased, and that you will return the same, certified under your hands, unto the Probate Judge of Fairfield County within the time prescribed by law.

Sworn to before me, this 3rd day of October A. D. 1936.
M. W. Souder (L. S.)
Notary Public for S. C.

A. M. Owens
Daniel Hall
Ernest Gladden

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

I, Sallie G. Martin, of the Town of Winnsboro, in the County of Fairfield and State aforesaid, being of sound mind and desiring to dispose of my entire estate, do this 26th day of March, 1935, make and declare the following as my last will and testament:

1. I give and bequeath to my daughter, Mattie G. Martin, all silver marked M. H. G. as directed by my sister, and I also, in accordance with the expressed wish of my said sister, who at the time of her death owned our home place in Winnsboro, give and devise to my said daughter, Mattie, the said home place fronting on Garden Street on the east and extending to Fraser Street on the west. The above bequest and devise is in fulfillment of my promise to my said sister. I give and bequeath to my said daughter Mattie all the furniture in my bed room, she, herself, having bought the wardrobe therein for me, and it being understood that at my death she was to have this particular furniture.
2. All the rest and residue of my estate, of which I may be possessed or entitled to, at the time of my death, I give, bequeath and devise to my three daughters, Mattie, May and Floride, share and share alike.
3. I nominate and appoint my daughter Mattie Martin as Executor of this will.

WITNESS my hand the day and year above written.

Declared by the testatrix as her last will and testament, and signed by her in the presence of us, who at her request ^{in her presence} and in the presence of each other subscribe our names as witnesses:

W. D. Douglas
James K. Knight
Francis Cooper

S G Martin

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,)
COUNTY OF *Fairfield*

BY *W. E. Salley*

JUDGE OF PROBATE

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING:

KNOW YE, That on the *23rd* day of *October*
which was in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and *Thirty Six*
the Last Will and Testament of *Sallie G. Martin*
late of *Winnsboro* in this State,
deceased, was proved, approved and allowed of; the said deceased having whilst he lived, and at the time of *her*
death, divers Goods, Rights and Credits within the State aforesaid, by means whereof the approbation and allowing of
her Testament and the power of granting the administration of all and singular the Goods, Rights, and Credits of
the said deceased to me is manifestly known to belong, and that the administration of all and singular the Goods,
Rights and Credits of the said deceased, and *her* Testament, any manner of way concerning, was granted and com-
mitted unto *Mattie Martin*

named *Executrix* in the last Will and Testament; being first sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God well
and faithfully to administer, and make a full and perfect inventory of all and singular the Goods, Rights, and Credits of
the said deceased, and to exhibit the same into the Judge of Probate's Office, in *Winnsboro*

in order to be recorded, on or before the *29th* day of *November* now next ensuing;
and to render a just and true account, calculation, and reckoning thereof, when thereunto required.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the *23rd*
day of *Sept* in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and *Thirty Six*
and in the *161st* Year of American Independence.

W. E. Salley
Judge of Probate

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THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF Franklin

Know All Men by These Presents, That we

as Principal Joe. F. Dabson and W. G. Whitton Mrs. Maude C. Couch

are holden and firmly bound unto W. G. Alley Judge of Probate for the

County of Franklin in the full and just sum of Seventeen hundred
Eighty Nine (amt. of bond \$3589.00) Dollars, to be paid to the said W. G. Alley

or his successors, Judges of Probate of this County, or to their certain Attorney or Assigns. To which payments well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and every of us, our and every of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, for the whole, and in the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these Presents.

SEALED with our Seals and dated the 19th day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Sixty Six
and in 161st year of American
Independence.

The Condition of this Obligation is such, That if the above bounden Maude C. Couch

Guardian of the Person and Estate of Elizabeth Couch

do and shall carefully and handsomely bring up the said Elizabeth Couch

during minority and nonage, with necessary meat, drink, washing, lodging, apparel and learning, according to

degree, and shall during the time the said Mrs. Maude C. Couch

shall be guardian and tutor unto the said Elizabeth Couch

defend her from hurt of body, loss of goods and lands, so far as in her power lieth, and such portions

as shall fall due unto the said Elizabeth Couch

of the goods and chattels of any person whatsoever, according to the inventory, or by any other way whatsoever,

shall deliver and pay unto the said Elizabeth Couch

when she shall come of age to receive the same by law. And if it happens that the said Elizabeth Couch

shall die before the time, then if the said Mrs. Maude C. Couch

do contract and pay the portions and other rights of the said Elizabeth Couch

to whom the law shall appoint the same to be paid, or who by proximity of blood ought to have it. And shall

also render a true and perfect account upon the tuition to granted, when thereunto required; and also save

and keep harmless the above named Judge of Probate, and all other Officers and Ministers under him, for or

by reason of granting the said Letters of Guardianship, that then the above Obligation to be void and of none

effect, or else remain in full force and virtue.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED
IN THE PRESENCE OF

J. H. Coleman

Mrs. Maude C. Couch (L. S.)
Joe. F. Dabson (L. S.)
W. G. Whitton (L. S.)

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF Frankfield

PERSONALLY appeared

Geo. F. Watson

surety

to the within Guardian Bond, who maketh oath that they are

bona fide possessed of, interest in, or entitled to an Estate, Real or Personal, or both, to the amount of seventeen hundred eighty nine and 00/100 (cont. bond) 3578.00 Dollars,

in his own right, exclusive of all debts and liabilities, to, for, or on account of any person or persons whomsoever.

Sworn to before me

Geo. F. Watson

this

19th
Sept

day of

1936

W. Ruffin
Notary Public for S.C.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

COUNTY OF Frankfield

ESTATE OF

Elybeth Couch

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19th September 1936

WALKER, EVANS & COGSWELL CO., CHARLESTON, S. C. 54115

DESCRIPTION OF REAL ESTATE AND APPROXIMATE VALUES

(Enter each tract and lot on a separate line.)

No. of acres or lots. (State whether acres or lots.)	Value of Land	No. of Buildings	Value of Buildings	Total value of each lot and tract including buildings	Exact location. (Show County, Township and School District.)
Lot in Winnsboro	\$1000		3000	\$4000	
fronting on Garden St.					
Tract of land					Fairfield County, School Dist. # 20
966 acres	\$ 2000	4	\$700	\$2700	near Great Falls.

6. That the testatrix made transfers which may, upon investigation, be adjudged to have been in contemplation of death as follows:

(Include all gifts within five years prior to death and all other transfers, real and personal, either where the consideration may appear to have been inadequate or where the transfer was to a relative or personal friend or to any person, firm, association, or corporation in which the decedent was interested, regardless of the consideration. Describe the transfer in full; state the approximate value of the property transferred and the amount of the consideration, if any.)

None

7. That testatrix devised certain real property to the following named persons, a description of which property follows the name or names of the persons taking the same, the value of which property is set forth in paragraph 5 hereof:

Names	Description of Property	Approximate value of each devise.
Mattie G. Martin	Dwelling and lot in Winnsboro	\$ 4900
May ¹ Martin	S. C., 1/3 interest in tract of land	\$ 300
Floride Martin	1/3 interest in said tract of land	\$ 900
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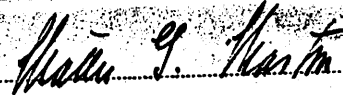
8. That testatrix bequeathed unto the following named persons legacies of the approximate value as set forth after the name of each legatee below:

Names	Description of Property	Approximate value of each bequest
Mattie G. Martin	Silverware, bequests of household furniture - 1/3 of remaining household furniture	\$ 95.33
May ¹ Martin	1/3 of personal estate not specifically bequeathed.	\$ 33.33
Floride Martin	1/3 of personal estate not specifically bequeathed.	\$ 33.33
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WHEREFORE, your petitioner pray that said will ~~may~~ may be proved and allowed, in common form, and Letters testamentary issued to her

September 23, 1936

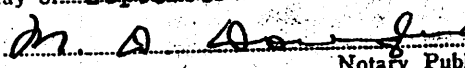
(The postoffice address of each Fiduciary must be shown.)


 Postoffice Address Winnsboro, S. C.
 Postoffice Address _____
 Petitioner.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
 County of Fairfield

PERSONALLY appeared Mattie G. Martin who, being duly sworn, says that to the best of her knowledge, information and belief, the statements contained in the foregoing petition are true and complete.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of September, 19 36


 Notary Public for S. C. (L. S.)

PROOF OF WILL

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Fairfield County

IN THE COURT OF PROBATE.

By W. L. Holley Esq., Judge of Probate for said County.

Personally appears Frances Cooper who, being duly sworn, says that she saw Sallie G. Martin sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed instrument of writing, bearing date the 26 day of March, A. D. 1935 to be and contain her Last Will and Testament; and that the said Sallie G. Martin

was then of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, according to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief; and that the said Frances Cooper together with W. D. Douglas and James K. Wright at the request of the testat rix in her presence, and in the presence of each other, witnessed the due execution thereof.

Sworn to before me, this 23rd day of September Anno Domini 1936

Frances Cooper

W. L. Holley
Judge of Probate Fairfield Co., S. C.

ORDER ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE IN COMMON FORM.

On hearing the above Petition of Mattie G. Martin it is hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed, That the petition be granted and the said Last Will and Testament, ~~with roots~~ of Sallie G. Martin, deceased, be entered of Probate in Common Form.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court of probate, this 23rd day of September, 1936

W. L. Holley Judge of Court of Probate.

QUALIFICATION FIDUCIARY

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
Fairfield County

I do solemnly swear, that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named, Sallie G. Martin deceased, so far as I know or believe;

and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts, and then the legacies contained in the said Will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels;

So help me God.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of September Anno Domino 1936

Mattie G. Martin
Postoffice address Winnaboro, S. C.

W. L. Holley
Judge of Probate Fairfield Co., S. C.

Postoffice address _____

(The Postoffice address of each Fiduciary must be shown.)