

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
CATHARINE HUDNUT PRITCHARD,
Deceased.

PROBATE COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA

Case No. 81378

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

TO THE HONORABLE J. PAUL MECKS, JUDGE OF PROBATE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA:

William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R.

Come your petitioners, Pritchard and James R. Forman, and upon information and belief, respectfully show unto your Honor the following facts:

1. Catharine Hudnut Pritchard died at Birmingham, Alabama on or about the 20th day of July, 1974, and, at the time of such death, was an inhabitant of Jefferson County, Alabama.

2. Surrendered herewith is said decedent's last will and testament naming petitioner S as executors thereof, which was duly signed by said decedent when over twenty-one years of age, and was attested by the following witnesses: namely,

Name	Present Address
Evelyn B. Goode	Birmingham, Alabama
Arlene D. Kelly	Birmingham, Alabama
Ouida E. Brandon	Birmingham, Alabama

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3. The following is a true, correct, and complete list of the names, ages, conditions, relationships, and addresses of said decedent's next-of-kin, namely,

Name, age, condition, relationship	Address
William S. Pritchard, Jr., over 21, of sound mind, son	3805 Knollwood Lane Birmingham, Alabama 35243
Donald R. Pritchard, over 21, of sound mind, son	2840 Cherokee Road Birmingham, Alabama 35223
Mary Pritchard Forman, over 21, of sound mind, daughter	13 Rockdell Lane Birmingham, Alabama 35213
Catharine Pritchard Lindsay, over 21, of sound mind, daughter	1931 Five Mile Line Road Penfield, New York 14526

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that your Honor will take jurisdiction of this petition; will cause all such notices or citations to issue to the said next-of-kin, and attesting witnesses as may be proper in the premises; and will cause such proceedings to be had and done, and such proof to be taken, and render such orders and decrees as will duly and legally effect the probate and record in this Court of said will as the last will and testament of said deceased.

Attorney for petitioner:

W. S. Pritchard, Jr.
(name)
831 Frank Nelson Building
Birmingham, Alabama 35203
(address)

William S. Pritchard, Jr. Petitioner
Donald R. Pritchard
James R. Forman

STATE OF ALABAMA
JEFFERSON COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, a notary public in and for said county in said state, personally appeared William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard, and James R. Forman, who, being first duly sworn, make oath that they have read the foregoing petition and know the contents thereof and that they are informed and believe, and upon such information and belief, aver that the facts alleged therein are true and correct.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of July, 1974.
Notary Public in and for the State of Alabama
Ouida E. Brandon

RECORDER'S MEMORANDUM
At the time of recordation, this instrument was found to be inadequate for the best photographic reproduction.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

OF

CATHARINE HUDNUT PRITCHARD

STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

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I, the undersigned, CATHARINE HUDNUT PRITCHARD, a resident citizen of the City of Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama, being of sound mind and disposing memory do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby expressly revoking any and all wills heretofore made by me.

ITEM ONE

I hereby will and direct that all of my just debts, including the debts of my last illness, funeral and burial expenses, be paid by my executors hereinafter named out of the assets of my estate, as soon after my death as the condition of my estate will permit, without the order of any court or courts whatsoever.

ITEM TWO

After the payment of all of my just debts and the expenses of my last illness, funeral and burial expenses, I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my devoted and beloved husband, WILLIAM SHELTON PRITCHARD, if he survives me, one-half of all of the estate and property of which I die seized and possessed or to which I have any equitable title, or in which I have any interest whatsoever, including both real, personal or mixed property, wherever the same may be located or situated, to be his absolutely as of the day and hour of my death.

ITEM THREE

It is my express will and desire that any and all estate or inheritance taxes due the Federal Government, that is, the United States of America, and the State of Alabama, be paid out of the remaining one-half of my estate after the payment of the bequest made in the preceding Item Two of this will. ~~out of the said remaining one-half of my estate,~~ after the payment of all estate or inheritance taxes, I hereby will, devise and bequeath as follows:

(a) I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my devoted and beloved cousin, ISABEL HUDNUT, in the event she survives me, One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars in cash.

(b) I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my devoted and beloved sister, MARY R. CRAIG, in the event she survives me, Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars in cash.

(c) I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto MILES COLLEGE, which is located in the City of Birmingham, Alabama,

Catharine Hudnut Pritchard

Signature

Filed in office this

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the college devoted primarily to the education of members of the negro race, the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, to be used by the said college to aid in providing scholarships to worthy students of the negro race attending Miles College.

(d) I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto the UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA LAW SCHOOL, in which both my son and my husband were educated, the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars in cash, as a contribution to the Scholarship Fund of said Law School, to be used to aid in the education of worthy students.

ITEM FOUR

All the rest, residue and remainder of the estate and property of which I die seized and possessed, including both real estate, personal property and mixed property, wherever the same may be located and whatever may be its status as of the day and hour of my death, I hereby will, devise and bequeath unto my four devoted children, in equal parts, share and share alike, namely WILLIAM S. PRITCHARD, JR., DONALD R. PRITCHARD, MARY PRITCHARD FORMAN and CATHARINE PRITCHARD LINDSAY, to be theirs absolutely as of the day and hour of my death.

In the event any of my said devoted and beloved children herein named in this item of my will should predecease me leaving issue of his or her body, then in such event, I hereby will and direct that the children of the body of such deceased child shall take that part of my estate herein bequeathed to my deceased child, in equal parts, share and share alike, to be theirs absolutely as of the day and hour of my death.

ITEM FIVE

In the event my said devoted and beloved husband, WILLIAM SHELTON PRITCHARD, should predecease me, then in that event, and only in such event, that part of my estate and property devised to him in Item Two of this my will, I hereby will, devise and bequeath to the children of my body, in equal parts, share and share alike; the children of any child who may predecease me, shall take their parent's part, in equal parts, share and share alike, all as by Item Four of this my will provided.

ITEM SIX

I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my two devoted and beloved sons, WILLIAM S. PRITCHARD, JR. and DONALD R. PRITCHARD, and my devoted and beloved son-in-law, JAMES R. FORMAN, or such of said three named persons as survive me to be the executors of this my last will and testament, and I hereby expressly exempt said named persons and/or such of them as may qualify hereunder and serve as executors of my estate from the necessity of giving any bond or bonds of any nature or character whatsoever in connection with their appointment, and qualifying, as executors and/or administering

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upon my estate. All bonds are hereby expressly waived. I hereby expressly authorize and empower my said executors or executor as may qualify hereunder with the full right, power and authority to sell and dispose of any and all assets of my estate, including both real estate and personal property that I may own at the time of my death, without the order of any court or courts whatsoever. I further hereby specifically authorize and empower my said executors or executor as may qualify hereunder with full right, power and authority to execute all necessary and proper deeds, conveyances, transfers, assignments or bills of sale as may be deemed necessary, or be required or become convenient in order to effectuate the full rights, power and authority vested in my said executors or executor in this item of my will. My said executors or executor shall be the sole judge as to property to be sold and the price and terms of sale and their discretion when so exercised shall not be subject to review in any court or courts whatsoever.

In the event any of my said named executors should predecease me or should fail or refuse to qualify hereunder, then in either of said events, the named executors or executor, so qualifying hereunder, is hereby granted all of the power, duties, authority, rights and privileges herein granted and bestowed upon my said named executors.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Birmingham, Alabama, on this the 25 day of January, 1966.

Catharine Hudnut Pritchard (SEAL)

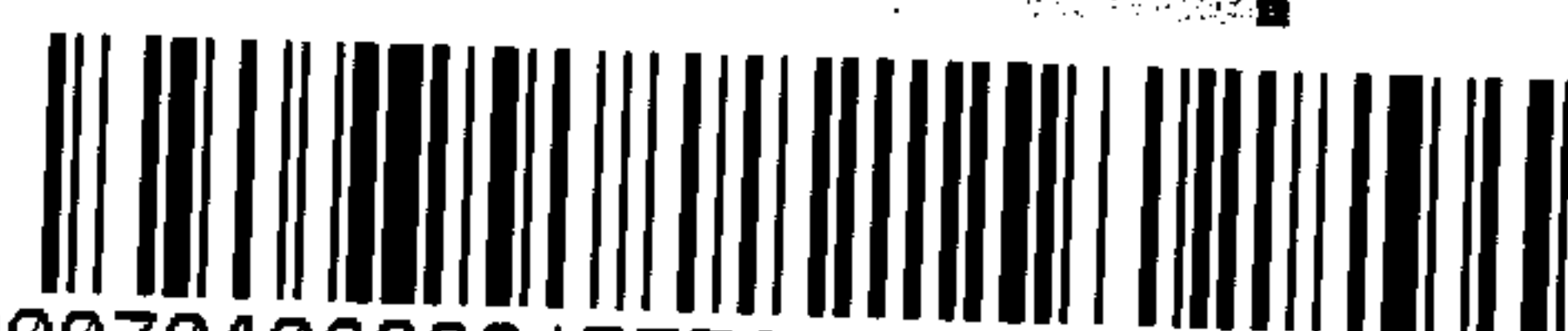
Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Testatrix, Catharine Hudnut Pritchard, as and for her last will and testament, in our presence, and we in her presence, and in the presence of each other, and at her request, have hereunto set our hands and seals as witnesses hereto on the day the same bears date.

Evelyn B. Goode (SEAL)

Arthur D. Kelly (SEAL)

Quida E. Brandon (SEAL)

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CERTIFICATE TO THE PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
JEFFERSON COUNTY.

I, J. PAUL MEEKS, Judge of the Court of Probate, in and for said State

do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing has this day, in said Court, and before me as the Judge thereof, been duly proven by the proper testimony to be the genuine last Will and Testament

of Catharine Hudnut Pritchard, Deceased and that said Will

and the proof thereof have been recorded in my office in Judicial Record, Vol. 398 Page 535-539.

In witness of all which I have hereto set my hand, and the seal of the said Court, this date August 2, 1974.

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J. Paul Meeks Judge of Probate



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ORDER GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITHOUT BOND

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA

CATHARINE HUDNUT PRITCHARD,

Deceased

JULY TERM 1974

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ORDER GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITHOUT BOND

Now on this day come William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and James R. Forman and files in

this court ~~in~~ their petition in writing, under oath, praying that Letters Testamentary upon the will of Catharine Hudnut Pritchard

deceased, be issued to ~~her~~ them.

It is therefore ordered and decreed by the court that Letters Testamentary upon said will be granted to William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and James R. Forman

and that said letters issue without bond or security being required, in accordance with the terms of said will. It is further ordered that the petition filed in this behalf be recorded.

Done this date, August 2, 1974

J. Paul Meeks
Judge of Probate.

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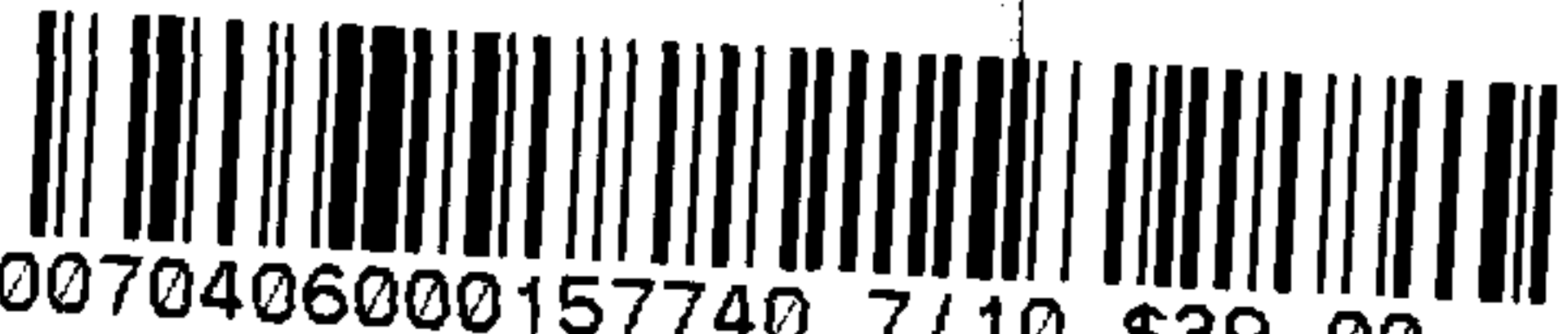
Catharine Hudnut Pritchard

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LETTERS TESTAMENTARY


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BE IT REMEMBERED AND MADE KNOWN TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

That the will of the above-named deceased having been duly admitted to record in said County,
Letters Testamentary are hereby granted to William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and
James R. Forman

Execut ors named in said will, who ha ve complied with the requisitions of law and who
are authorized to take upon themselves the execution of such will.

Witness my hand this date, August 2, 1974
J. PAUL MEEKS
Judge of Probate

I, _____, Assistant Probate Judge - Deputy Clerk Register
of the Court of Probate of Jefferson County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, correct
and full copy of the Letters Testamentary issued in the above-styled cause as appears of record in said
Court. I further certify that said Letters are _____ in full force and effect.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this date, _____

Assistant Probate Judge
Deputy Clerk Register

IN THE MATTER OF:
THE ESTATE OF:
CATHARINE HUDNUT PRITCHARD,
DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA
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DECREE ON FINAL SETTLEMENT

Now on this day come William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and James R. Forman, as Executors under the will of Catharine Hudnut Pritchard, deceased, and present to the Court, under oath, their petition for a final settlement of said estate, together with acceptances of service and waivers of notice by Mary P. Forman, Catharine P. Lindsay, Donald R. Pritchard and W. S. Pritchard, Jr., beneficiaries named in said will, executed and acknowledged by each of them as required by law, and move the Court to proceed with the hearing of said petition.

It appears to the Court that more than six months have elapsed since the appointment of said Executors and that no claims have been filed in this Court against said estate within the time required by law.

It further appears to the Court that the specific bequests under the will of Catharine Hudnut Pritchard, deceased, to Miles College and University of Alabama Law School Foundation have been paid as evidenced by receipts filed herein, and that Mary P. Forman, Catharine P. Lindsay, Donald R. Pritchard and W. S. Pritchard, Jr. are the residuary beneficiaries under said will, and that William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and James R. Forman, as Executors, have complied with the terms of said will by paying over and delivering to said residuary beneficiaries all the residuary property and assets in their hands, belonging to said estate, as shown by petition filed herein, except the following assets which are asked to be distributed to the following named legatees in the amount shown below.

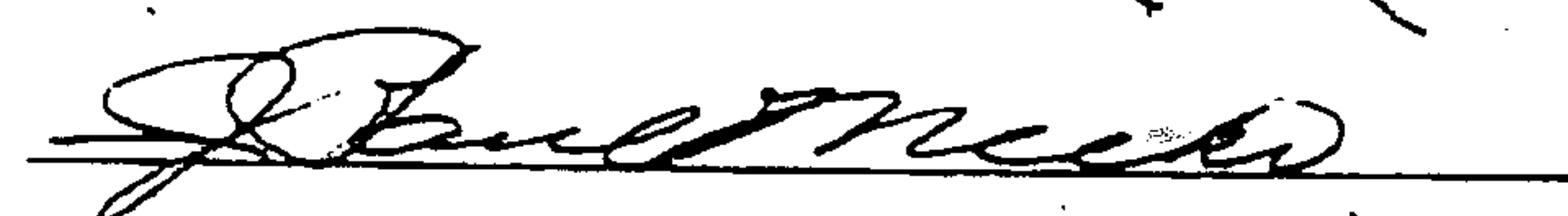
Company	NUMBER OF SHARES			
	Mary Pritchard Forman	Catharine Pritchard Lindsay	William Shelton Pritchard, Jr.	Donald Ross Pritchard
Air Reduction Co.	50 Shs.	50 Shs.	50 Shs.	50 Shs.
Amer. Tel & Tel Co. (4.00 Cov. PFD)	9 shs.	8 shs.	8 shs.	8 shs.
Bethlehem Steel Corp.	105 shs.	105 shs.	105 shs.	105 shs.
Chrysler Corporation	178 shs.	180 shs.	178 shs.	178 shs.
Deere & Co.	103 shs.	103 shs.	103 shs.	103 shs.
E.I. duPont DeNemours & Co.	100 shs.	100 shs.	100 shs.	100 shs.

General Electric Co.	150 shs.	150 shs.	150 shs.	150 shs.
B. F. Goodrich Co.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.
General Motors Corp.	111 shs.	111 shs.	111 shs.	111 shs.
Gulf Oil Corp.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.
Johns-Manville Corp.	198 shs.	198 shs.	198 shs.	198 shs.
Radio Corp. of America	143 shs.	142 shs.	142 shs.	142 shs.
Tenneco, Inc. (5½% Conv. Pfd.)	35 shs.	37 shs.	35 shs.	35 shs.
Union Pacific	25 shs.	25 shs.	25 shs.	25 shs.
United States Steel Corp.	100 shs.	100 shs.	100 shs.	100 shs.
Vulcan Materials Co.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.
Western Union	140 shs.	140 shs.	140 shs.	140 shs.
Jim Walter Corp.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.	50 shs.
Exxon Corp.	52 shs.	52 shs.	52 shs.	52 shs.
Madison Fund	5 shs.	5 shs.	6 shs.	6 shs.
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	164 shs.	164 shs.	165 shs.	165 shs.

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that William S. Pritchard, Jr., Donald R. Pritchard and James R. Forman, as Executors, have the property hereinabove described transferred and delivered to the beneficiaries under said will as listed above.

It is further ordered by the Court that said petition be and the same is granted and ordered recorded.

DONE this the 26th day of March, 1976.


Judge of Probate



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State of Alabama

Jefferson County

I, the Undersigned, as Judge of Probate Court in and for Jefferson County, Alabama, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the instrument with the filing of same as appears of record in this office. Given under my hand and official seal, this the 14th day of April 2006.



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