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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF)
) PROBATE COURT OF
) JEFFERSON COUNTY,
) ALABAMA
JOHN JAMES "JACK" KEYES, JR.)
DECEASED.) CASE NO. 2014-046616
aka John James Keyes, Jr.

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

TO THE HONORABLE ALAN KING, JUDGE OF PROBATE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA:

Comes your petitioner, Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, and upon information and belief, respectfully show unto your Honor the following facts:

1. John James "Jack" Keyes, Jr., died at Jefferson County, Alabama on or about May 24, 2014, and at the time of such death, was an inhabitant of Alabama.

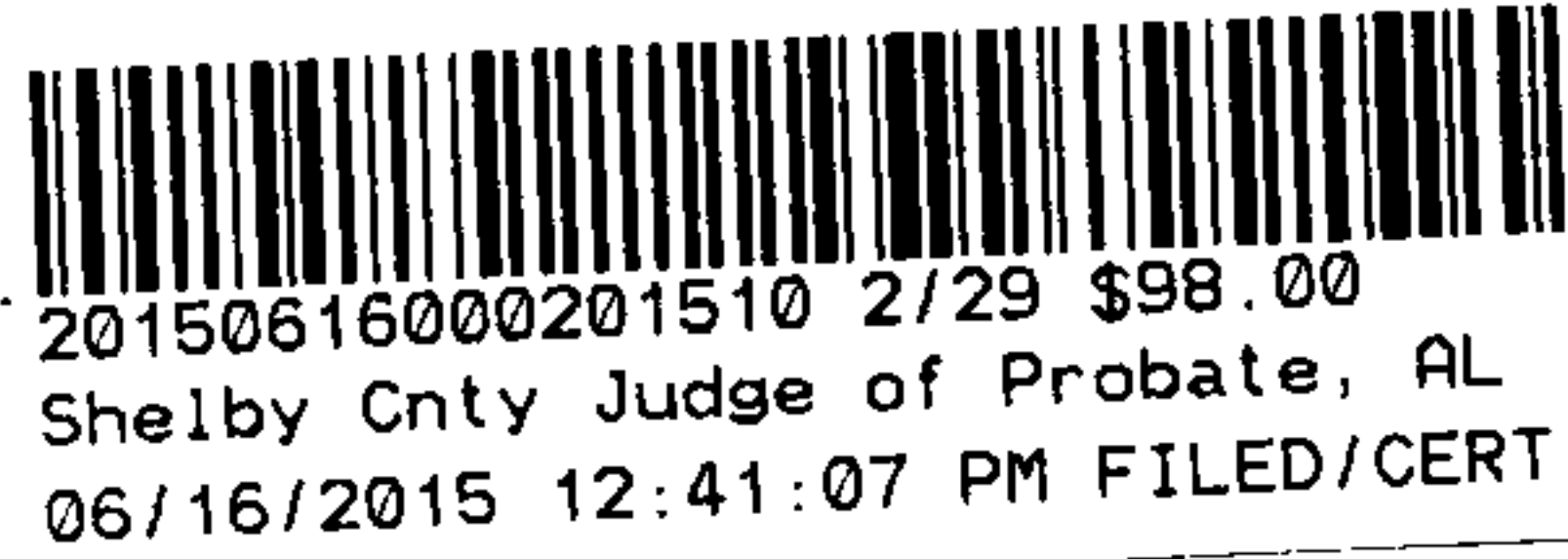
2. Surrendered herewith is said decedent's last will and testament naming petitioner as Executor thereof, which was duly signed by said decedent when over twenty-one years of age, and was attested by the following witnesses, namely:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Present Address</u> |
|-----------------|---|
| Cathy D. McLean | 8672 Lake Drive, Bessemer, AL 35022 |
| Jackie R. Cobb | 309 Huntington Parc Rr., Homewood, AL 35244 |

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

| <u>Name, age, condition, relationship</u> | <u>Address</u> |
|--|--|
| <i>pet</i> Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, over 21, Sui juris, spouse | 809 Milgray Lane, Bessemer, AL 35022 |
| <i>w</i> John James Keyes, III, over 21, Sui juris, Son | 5006 Lake Crest Circle, Hoover, AL 35226 |
| <i>w</i> Thomas Davis Keyes, over 21, Sui juris, Son | 26 The Oaks Circle, Hoover, AL 35244 |

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



Wherefore your petitioner prays 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.

Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes
DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES
Petitioner
Address: 809 Milgray Lane
Bessemer, AL 35022

Attorney for Petitioner:
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STATE OF ALABAMA
JEFFERSON COUNTY

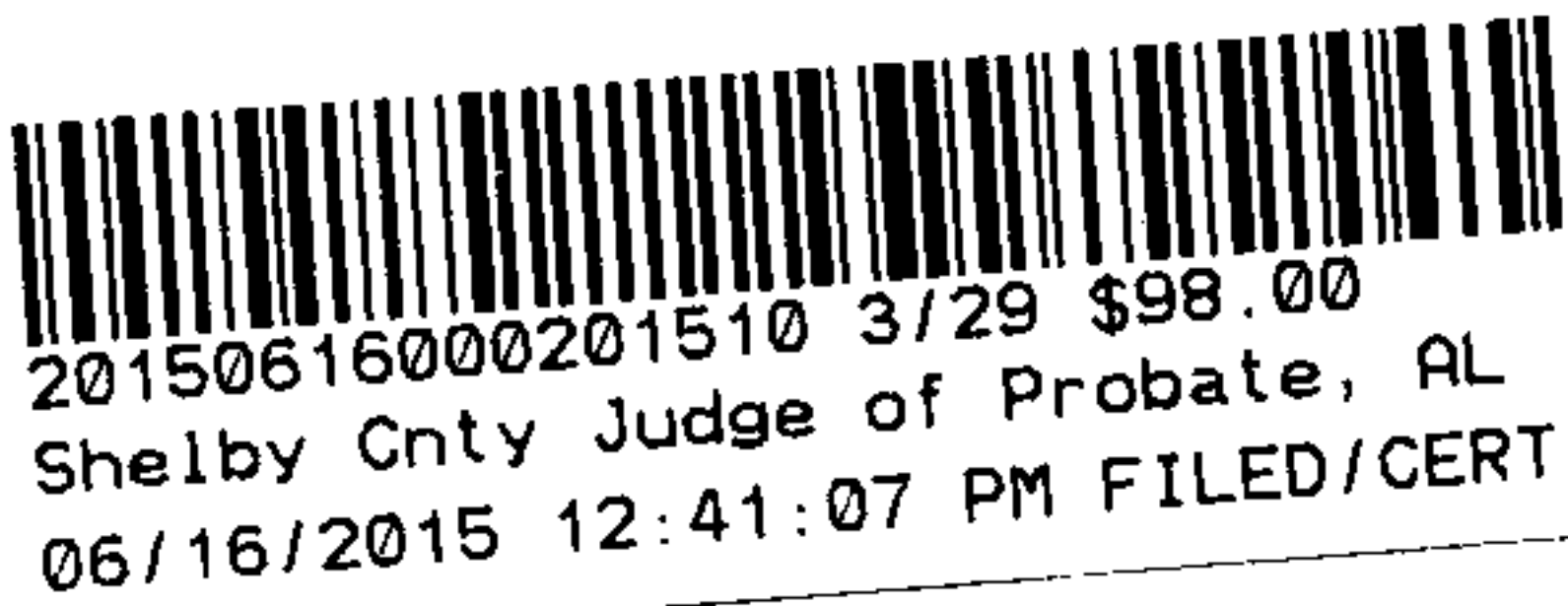
Before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said county in said state, personally appeared Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, who, being first duly sworn, makes oath that she has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof, and that she is informed and believes, and, upon such information and belief, avers that the facts alleged therein are true and correct.

Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes
DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES
Petitioner
Address: 809 Milgray Lane
Bessemer, AL 35022

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 2014.

FILED IN OFFICE THIS THE 1st OF July, 20 14 BY Cathy D. M. Lean NOTARY PUBLIC
PRAYER GRANTED, WILL PROBATED AND ORDERED RECORDED. My commission expires: 7-30-17

John L. King
JUDGE OF PROBATE



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WILLKEYES

STATE OF ALABAMA

JEFFERSON COUNTY

PREPARED BY:

JACK KEYES

BESSEMER, ALABAMA.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, JOHN JAMES KEYES, JR. AFFECTIONATLEY KNOWN AS "JACK", AM THE SON OF JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR AND HELEN JANE O'HARE KEYES. I AM NAMED AFTER MY FATHER; AND MY FATHER IS NAMED AFTER JOHN THOMAS KEYES, OF GORESBRIDGE, KILKENNY COUNTY, IRELAND - HIS PATERNAL GRANDFATHER; AND JAMES O'NEILL, OF LAOIS OR OFFALY COUNTY, IRELAND, HIS MATERNAL GRANDFATHER. I AM THE SPOUSE (AS I HAVE BEEN FOR MORE THAN 56 YEARS) OF DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES THOMAS DAVIS AND HELEN FRANCES O'BRIEN DAVIS. WE LIVE AT 809 MILGRAY LANE, WOODLAND HILLS, BESSEMER, ALABAMA, 35022, AS WE HAVE FOR OVER FORTY YEARS. WE MOVED THERE THE DAY PRESIDENT KENNEDY WAS ASSASSINATED. BOTH OF US ARE DOMICILED IN BESSEMER- JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA, AS WE HAVE BEEN SINCE BIRTH.

BEING OF SOUND MIND AND DISPOSING MEMORY, AND BEING AWARE OF THE UNCERTAINTIES OF THIS LIFE, I DO HEREBY MAKE, PUBLISH AND DECLARE THIS INSTRUMENT AS AND FOR MY LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, HEREBY REVOKING ANY AND ALL WILLS AND CODICILS THERETO HERETOFORE MADE BY ME. MY DATE OF BIRTH IS [REDACTED] MY SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER IS [REDACTED]

JACK KEYES' BIOGRAPHY

JACK KEYES (JOHN JAMES JR.) WAS BORN ON [REDACTED]. HE MARRIED DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, B [REDACTED] ON JULY 9, 1949. THEY HAVE TWO SONS, JIM AND DAVE. THEY LOST A LITTLE GIRL WHO WAS STILLBORN IN APRIL, 1954.

DOROTHY AND JACK ARE THE PARENTS OF JIM KEYES (JOHN JAMES KEYES III B [REDACTED]); JIM IS THE SPOUSE OF MARION BERNEICE NORRIS KEYES. JIM AND BERNEICE HAVE FIVE DAUGHTERS: KELLEY NICOLE; KIMBERLY DIANE; AMANDA HELEN; DOROTHY ELIZABETH; AND KATIE JAQUELINE.

DOROTHY AND JACK ARE ALSO THE PARENTS OF DAVE KEYES (THOMAS DAVIS KEYES B [REDACTED]). DAVE IS THE SPOUSE OF TONI SHIRLEY HOLMAN KEYES. DAVE AND TONI HAVE TWO CHILDREN: MARY HEATHER KEYES (THE SIXTH GENERATION OF "MARY'S" IN OUR FAMILY), AND JOHN THOMAS KEYES, (THE SIXTH GENERATION OF "JOHN'S" IN OUR FAMILY. HE IS THE FIRST JOHN THOMAS KEYES IN OUR FAMILY, SINCE HIS GREAT-GREAT-GREAT-GRANDFATHER JOHN THOMAS KEYES OF GORESBRIDGE, COUNTY KILKENNY, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND BORE THE NAME: JOHN THOMAS KEYES.

JACK WAS THE SON OF JIM (JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR.) AND HELEN JANE O'HARE KEYES, AND THE BROTHER OF MICKEY (MICHAEL JOSEPH) KEYES, SR, THE SPOUSE OF ANN COLLINS KEYES, WHO HAVE TWO CHILDREN: MICHAEL J. KEYES, JR AND MARY ANN KEYES PATTERSON, THE SPOUSE OF BRAD PATTERSON, AND THE MOTHER OF ANNIE KEYES, ONE OF MY FAVORITE PEOPLE. JACK WAS THE BROTHER OF MARY THERESA KEYES. MARY THERESA PREDECEASED HIM IN JUNE, 1946; JACK'S ONLY OTHER SIBLING WAS JAMES O'HARE KEYES, WHO DIED IN 1922, A FEW DAYS AFTER BIRTH.

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IN OCTOBER, 2003, JIM'S DAUGHTER, KIMBERLY, THE SPOUSE OF BRENDAN BEARD, GAVE DOT AND JACK THEIR FIRST GREAT GRANDCHILD, ELIZABETH AVERY BEARD.

BORN AT THE TCI HOSPITAL IN FAIRFIELD, ALABAMA, JACK LIVED IN VARIOUS PARTS OF JEFFERSON COUNTY: PRATT CITY; LITTLETON, (REEVESTOWN) LOVELESS PARK, BESSEMER, AND HUEYTOWN. HE WAS A LIFELONG RESIDENT OF THE BESSEMER DIVISION OF JEFFERSON COUNTY. DOROTHY, JACK'S LOVELY WIFE, WAS BORN IN BESSEMER GENERAL HOSPITAL, ON [REDACTED] DOROTHY IS SOMETIMES KNOWN AS "DOT" AND AS "MEME". DOROTHY'S SISTER, ELIZABETH JEAN DAVIS KILPATRICK, WAS HER ONLY SIBLING. BETTY HAD FOUR CHILDREN: TOMMY, DOROTHY JEAN, MARY ANNE "SUZY", AND MICHAEL, "MICK-MICK".

A LIFELONG ROMAN CATHOLIC FROM THE CRADLE, JACK WAS BAPTIZED AT ST. CATHERINE'S PARISH IN PRATT CITY, WHERE HE ALSO RECEIVED HIS FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. THE ONLY OTHER CHURCH JACK ATTENDED WAS ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH IN BESSEMER, WHERE HE WAS MARRIED TO HIS WIFE OF FIFTY-FOUR YEARS, AND WHERE HIS SONS ATTENDED FOR MORE THAN FIFTY YEARS. AT ST ALOYSIUS CHURCH JACK SERVED AS A LECTOR, AN ALTAR BOY, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY, AND FACILITATOR IN A TWO YEAR COURSE ON THE CATHOLIC CATECHISM.

JACK HAS NEVER ATTENDED SCHOOL OUTSIDE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA, A FACT OF WHICH HE WAS VERY PROUD. HE WAS TAUGHT BY THE SISTERS OF MERCY FOR ELEVEN YEARS (BEGINNING WITH THE "PRIMER") AND FOR TEN YEARS THEREAFTER WHILE HE, DOROTHY, HIS WIFE; DOROTHY'S SISTER BETTE; JACK'S SIBLINGS, MICKEY AND MARY, ATTENDED ST. ALOYSIUS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN BESSEMER, FROM 1930 UNTIL 1942, WHERE HE WAS PRESIDENT OF THE GRADUATING CLASS (THE TENTH GRADE), GRANDCHILDREN, JIM'S FIVE DAUGHTERS, LATER ATTENDED AND GRADUATED FROM ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL, AND ATTENDED JOHN CARROL CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.

MARY HEATHER AND JOHN THOMAS KEYES, DAVE'S CHILDREN, ATTENDED HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL, AND ARE NOW ENROLLED IN THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA, IN MOBILE, ALABAMA. JOHN AND MARY HEATHER HAVE BOTH BEEN RECOGNIZED BY THE ALABAMA BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AS RUNNERS UP IN THE STATEWIDE CONTEST FOR OUTSTANDING STUDENTS IN ALABAMA. MARY HAS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF SO. ALA

JACK BEGAN ATTENDING BESSEMER HIGHSCHOOL IN 1942, LEAVING THERE IN OCTOBER 1943, TO JOIN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS, DURING WORLD WAR II. HE WAS AWARDED A BESSEMER HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA, GRACIOUSLY AWARDED HIM BY PROFESSOR JAMES A. DAVIS, A WWI VETERAN, WHO COUNTED MARINE BOOT CAMP AS "PHYSICAL EDUCATION" IN ORDER TO CREDIT JACK WITH SUFFICIENT CREDITS TO GRADUATE WITH A BESSEMER HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA.

UPON HIS HONORABLE DISCHARGE FROM THE MARINE CORPS, [REDACTED] IN THE FALL OF 1946, JACK ENTERED BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN COLLEGE AND GRADUATED THERE IN MAY 1950. THEN HE ENTERED THE BIRMINGHAM SCHOOL OF LAW, REMAINING THERE FOR ONLY ONE YEAR BEFORE BEING CALLED INTO THE U.S. ARMY DURING THE KOREAN WAR, IN JANUARY, 1951. HE WAS HONORABLY DISCHARGED IN 1952 FROM THE ARMY WITH THE RANK OF FIRST LIEUTENANT. AND RETURNED TO THE BIRMINGHAM SCHOOL OF LAW, WHERE HE GRADUATED IN 1956.

LATER, FOR FOUR YEARS, JACK AUDITED THE FIRST MASTER TAX COURSE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA SCHOOL OF LAW.

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IN 1995, HE EARNED A DEGREE AS A MASTER OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES FROM THE JESUIT COLLEGE OF THE SOUTH, SPRING HILL COLLEGE, IN MOBILE, ALABAMA; AND MEMBERSHIP IN PINNACLE, AN HONORARY SOCIETY FOR GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP.

JACK'S MILITARY SERVICE INCLUDED SERVICE IN EVERY RANK, FROM PRIVATE THROUGH FIRST LIEUTENANT.

HIS SERVICE BEGAN AT AGE SEVENTEEN:

IN THE U.S. MARINE CORPS FROM OCTOBER 19, 1943 TO JULY 24, 1946, WHEN HE WAS DISCHARGED AS A CORPORAL;

IN THE ALABAMA NATIONAL GUARD FROM 1946 THROUGH DECEMBER 1950, SERVING IN EVERY RANK UP TO AND INCLUDING FIRST SERGEANT;

IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES FROM JANUARY, 1951 THROUGH SEPTEMBER, 1952; WHEN HE WAS DISCHARGED AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT. HE SERVED A TOTAL OF NINE YEARS MILITARY SERVICE.

JACK WAS THE FIRST ATTORNEY AT LAW - CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT TO PRACTICE IN JEFFERSON COUNTY'S BESSEMER DIVISION. HE BECAME AN ATTORNEY IN SEPTEMBER 1956, AND A CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT IN NOVEMBER, 1958. HE IS A MEMBER OF THE BESSEMER BAR ASSOCIATION AND THE BIRMINGHAM CHAPTER OF THE ALABAMA SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS. AS A MEMBER OF THE ALABAMA BAR ASSOCIATION, HE SERVED ON THE MANAGEMENT OF A LAW OFFICE COMMITTEE; AS A MEMBER OF THE ALABAMA SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS. HE SERVED ON TWO COMMITTEES: MANAGEMENT OF AN ACCOUNTING FIRM, AND THE SMALL BUSINESS COMMITTEE. JACK PRACTICED LAW FROM MAY 1956 UNTIL HIS DEATH; AND PRACTICED ACCOUNTING FOR MORE THAN FIFTY YEARS FROM SEPTEMBER 1952 UNTIL HIS DEATH.

JACK WAS A MEMBER OF THE EAGLE'S LODGE IN PRATT CITY AND FORESTDALE FOR MANY YEARS. HIS MATERNAL GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE, WAS A CHARTER MEMBER THERE.

JACK SERVED ON THE ADVISORY BOARD OF THE BESSEMER BRANCH OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS; AND HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE IRISH-AMERICAN CULTURAL INSTITUTE FOR MORE THAN FORTY YEARS;

WAS "ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR" IN 1999, WHILE A MEMBER OF THE BESSEMER ROTARY CLUB; TOO, HE WAS ACTIVE IN THE JONESBORO CAMP, NO. 480, SONS OF CONFEDERATE VETERANS, SYLVAN SPRINGS, AL.

JACK WAS A GRAND KNIGHT OF BESSEMER COUNCIL 2631, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, AND A MEMBER FOR OVER FORTY YEARS.

JACK WAS PROUDEST THOUGH OF HIS MEMBERSHIP IN THE CLUB OF FORMER MEMBERS OF SERVICE COMPANY, 167TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, (OLD FOURTH ALABAMA), 31ST INFANTRY (DIXIE) DIVISION, ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES, IN WHICH HE SERVED UNDER BOTH THE STARS AND STRIPES AND THE STARS AND BARS AS A FIRST LIEUTENANT DURING THE KOREAN WAR.

JAMES O'NEILL FAMILY HISTORY

JACK IS A GREATGRANDSON OF HIS MATERNAL GREAT GRANDFATHER, JAMES O'NEILL, PRIVATE; (1832 - 1899) THE ONLY IMMIGRANT IN COMPANY D, 44TH ALABAMA VOLUNTEER

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INFANTRY REGIMENT, ARMY OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA. JAMES WAS WOUNDED IN THE BATTLE OF THE WILDERNESS. HE TOOK PART IN THE BATTLES OF CHICKAMAUGA, R ACOON MOUNTAIN, KNOXVILLE, DANDRIDGE, AND THE WILDERNESS. HIS WIFE, BRIDGET (D. [REDACTED]) AND JAMES HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN:

WILLIAM O'NEILL, THE SPOUSE OF ELIZABETH MONROE O'NEILL, WHO TOGETHER HAD ABOUT EIGHT CHILDREN: INCLUDING SISTER MARY CLEMENTINE, THE HEAD OF THE ORDER OF SISTERS OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT, HEADQUARTERED IN LAYFAYETTE, LA, AND WITH A HIGH SCHOOL, IN WEST END, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.

PATRICK HENRY (UNCLE "BUD" 1854-1918) WHO WAS LAME; WHO WAS FAMOUS FOR YELLING: "THIS AIN'T NO COMPANY HOUSE", WHEN SOMEONE SLAMMED A DOOR AT HIS HOME; AND FOR PROMPT AND DEVOTED ATTENDANCE IN THE FRONT PEW, DRESSED IN CLEAN OVERALLS, AT MASS, WHENEVER THE RARE OPPORTUNITY PRESENTED ITSELF.

DANIEL, WHO DIED AS A TEEN;

MARY ANNE O'NEIL KIRCHLER, THE SPOUSE OF ALOIS KIRCHLER, A FINE MAN OF AUSTRIAN DESCENT; THEY HAD THREE CHILDREN: 1) JOHN PATRICK ALOIS KIRCHLER, HIS FATHER WANTED HIM TO HAVE AN IRISH NAME, PATRICK; AN AMERICAN NAME, JOHN; AND AN AUSTRIAN NAME: ALOIS (LEWIS?); 2) ANNIE THERESA KIRCHLER, AND 3) ELIZABETH BRIDGET KIRCHLER; NONE OF THESE THREE MARRIED; AND

MY GRANDMOTHER, LOUISA O'NEILL MCGOVERN KEYES, THE SPOUSE FIRST OF JAMES MCGOVERN WHO DIED LEAVING HIS WIDOW AND AN INFANT DAUGHTER, MARY ANN; AND WHO MARRIED MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, AFTER THE DEATH OF JAMES MCGOVERN. LOUISA WAS THE MOTHER OF:

1) JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR (JACK'S FATHER WHO WAS NAMED AFTER HIS TWO GRANDFATHERS: JOHN KEYES AND JAMES O'NEIL), AND

2) MARGUERITE KEYES WATTS, THE MOTHER OF JAMES KEYES WATTS; THE SPOUSE OF VIRGINIA WATTS, AND THE FATHER OF DEBORAH WATTS WARD AND JAMES WATTS, BOTH OF WHOM ARE MARRIED AND HAVE CHILDREN; DEBORAH'S CHILDREN ARE MARY VIRGINIA WARD AND JOHN HENRY WARD. MARGUERITE'S MIDDLE NAME WAS ELEANOR. AND SHE WAS KNOWN BEST TO MY FAMILY AS "AUNT MAGGIE"

JOHN THOMAS KEYES' FAMILY HISTORY

JOHN THOMAS KEYES, JACK'S PATERNAL GREAT GRANDFATHER OF GORESBRIDGE, COUNTY KILKENNY, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND, AND HIS WIFE, MARGARET BRENNAN KEYES, HAD AT LEAST SIX CHILDREN. THEY OWNED A PROSPEROUS FARM AND LIME BURNING & SPREADING BUSINESS THERE, DURING A TIME OF THE BRITISH OCCUPATION IN IRELAND. A RECESSION SET IN, AND TIMES WERE NOT GOOD. TIMES WERE SO BAD THAT HE LOST HIS FARM TO THE BRITISH TAX COLLECTOR. HIS FARM WAS SOLD ONE MORNING AT TWO A.M. TO FRIENDS OF THE BRITISH. THIS MAN, MY GREAT GRANDFATHER SUPPORTED HIMSELF, HIS WIFE, AND HIS CHILDREN:

1) MICHAEL JOSEPH, 2) WILLIAM, 3) MARY, 4) BRIDGET "BRIDE"; 5) ANN AND 6) JOHN KEYES, A PHYSICALLY IMPAIRED SON - WHOSE MOTHER USED TO WARM A BRICK TO PUT IN JOHN'S BED DURING THE COLD WINTER MONTHS.

MY GREAT GRANDFATHER WAS NOW DESTITUTE. HE WAS AN IRISH ROMAN CATHOLIC. I THINK THAT MY GREAT GRANDFATHER JOHN KNEW THAT GOD TRIED JOB, THAT IN THE LONG RUN, GOD WOULD NOT DESERT HIM. HE DID NOT DESERT JOHN, EVEN THOUGH TODAY JOHN AND MARGARET LIE IN UNMARKED GRAVES IN IRELAND.

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MY GRANDFATHER, MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, (AFTER WHOM MICKEY KEYES, MY BROTHER, IS NAMED) WAS JOHN THOMAS KEYES' SON. MICHAEL "MIKE" IMMIGRATED TO THE UNITED STATES; MARRIED MY GRANDMOTHER, LOUISA O'NEILL KEYES, (JAMES O'NEILL'S ELDEST DAUGHTER) AND WITH HER LIVED IN SHELBY AND BIBB COUNTY FOR MANY YEARS. HE WAS A VERY HIGHLY REGARDED UNION MAN, OFTEN BLACKLISTED BECAUSE OF HIS UNION ACTIVITIES. WHEN HIS FUNERAL WAS HELD IN MONTEVALLO, ALABAMA, A SPECIAL TRAIN WAS SCHEDULED TO TAKE THE OVERFLOW MOURNERS, HIS FRIENDS, TO HIS FUNERAL FROM ALDRICH, ALABAMA, TO MONTEVALLO, ALABAMA. HE LOST MANY A JOB, ENDURED THE LOSS OF HIS PARENTS, WHO HAD REMAINED IN IRELAND, AND DREW STRENGTH FROM HIS FAMILY. HIS EXPERIENCES AIDED HIM IN SUPPORTING HIS FAMILY, IN PERSISTING IN HIS SEEKING OF EMPLOYMENT, AND HIS MAKING VERY MANY FRIENDS IN THE AREA INDIFFERENT, IF NOT HOSTILE, TO HIS CATHOLIC RELIGION. HE, MY GRANDMOTHER, LOUISA KEYES; MY GRANDFATHER, MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, JAMES O'NEIL AND HIS WIFE, BRIDGET, MY GREAT GRANDPARENTS, AND SOME OF THEIR FAMILIES ARE BURIED AT THE CEMETERY IN MONTEVALLO, AL.

JAMES ONEILL'S ELDEST DAUGHTER, LOUISA O'NEILL KEYES ([REDACTED]) AND MICHAEL ([REDACTED]) JOSEPH KEYES' SON, JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR., MY FATHER, SUFFERED MORE PHYSICAL PAIN THAN OUR OTHER ANCESTORS, PROBABLY MORE THAN HIS GRANDFATHER AND HIS FATHER, BUT PROBABLY NO MORE THAN HIS UNCLE, JOHN, SUFFERED IN IRELAND. I WRITE THIS BECAUSE MY FATHER, WHILE WORKING AS A SUPERINTENDENT OF A COAL MINE IN WALKER COUNTY, ALABAMA, WAS NEGLIGENTLY INJURED BY AN EMPLOYEE WHOSE EMPLOYMENT MY FATHER HAD BEEN INSTRUCTED TO TERMINATE. MY FATHER CHOSE TO DELAY HIS TERMINATION UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS, BECAUSE THE EMPLOYEE HAD MINOR CHILDREN WHO WERE DEPENDING ON THE EMPLOYEE FOR A PLEASANT CHRISTMAS. THE INJURY CONSISTED OF MY FATHER'S LOSING MOST OF HIS LEFT FOOT, BECAUSE OF THE EMPLOYEE'S NEGLIGENCE. FOR FIFTY YEARS MY FATHER WALKED ON THAT FOOT, WORKING 99% OF THE TIME, SUPPORTING HIS FAMILY. HE SAW TO IT THAT MARY THERESA, MY SISTER WHO DIED AT FIFTEEN YEARS OF AGE, IN JUNE, 1946, MY BROTHER, MICKEY; AND I WERE CLOTHED, FED, AND EDUCATED IN A CATHOLIC SCHOOL.

O'HARE FAMILY HISTORY - CONDENSED

SINCE I HAVE WRITTEN OF A PART OF MY FATHER'S ANCESTRY, LET ME ACQUAINT YOU WITH MY MOTHER'S ANCESTRY:::

MY MOTHER'S GRANDFATHER, PAT O'HARE, MARRIED IN COUNTY ARMAGH, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND(**NOW TEMPORARILY OCCUPIED BY FOREIGNERS**) MARY ANN BARRETT O'HARE (DUFFY) - BORN IN SLIGO (?) - THE DAUGHTER OF MICHAEL BARRETT AND ELLEN HART BARRETT (DUFFY). PAT DIED AT A VERY EARLY AGE IN IRELAND, PROBABLY IN COUNTY ARMAGH, LEAVING BEHIND A NUMBER OF MINOR CHILDREN, INCLUDING MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE; I BELIEVE HIM TO BE A SOLE SURVIVING SON OF PAT O'HARE. PAT LEFT BEHIND ALSO A STRONG WOMAN, MARY ANN BARRETT O'HARE (DUFFY), WHO MARRIED A SECOND TIME, AFTER PAT'S DEATH, TO BECOME KNOWN IN OUR FAMILY AS "GRANDMA DUFFY". WHILE THE FAMILY LIVED IN IRELAND, HER SON, MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE, WAS PERMITTED TO GO TO SCOTLAND TO "GO TO SCHOOL", ACCORDING TO HER RELATIVE. HE DID NOT GO TO SCHOOL, BUT WAS PUT TO WORK IN THE COAL MINE. A FRIEND OF MRS. O'HARE, MR. LUKE SAVAGE, TOLD HER OF HIS EMPLOYMENT AT A VERY YOUNG AGE, AND SHE LOADED UP HER FAMILY, MANAGED TO GET JAMES JOSEPH OUT OF THE COAL MINE, AND TO MARRY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MINES, MR DUFFY. "GRANDMA DUFFY" EXTRACTED HER SON FROM THE MINE AND ACQUIRED A NEW FATHER FOR THEM ALL. MY MOTHER'S FATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE, WORKED IN THOSE COAL MINES WHERE MR. DUFFY WAS SUPERINTENDENT FOR A TIME. MY GRANDFATHER MUST HAVE BEEN

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ABOUT AGE TWELVE OR THIRTEEN.

AFTER WHAT IS CALLED AN EMIGRANT'S OR AN AMERICAN WAKE, A PARTY BIDDING FAREWELL TO ONE LEAVING IRELAND AND HIS HERITAGE PROBABLY FOREVER, JAMES CAME TO AMERICA AND MARRIED MY GRANDMOTHER, MARY MACKINAW O'HARE, IN GLOUSCESTER, OHIO. HE USED TO SAY JOKINGLY MARY MACKINAW O'HARE FOLLOWED HIM FROM IRELAND.

MACKINAW FAMILY HISTORY - CONDENSED.

MY GRANDMOTHER, MARY MACKINAW O'HARE, WAS BORN IN IRELAND, PROBABLY NEAR MT. CHARLES, DONEGAL COUNTY, ULSTER, REPUBLIC OF IRELAND, WHERE MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE, LIVED FOR A TIME, BUT JUST WHERE I AM NOT SURE. WHEN MY GRANDMOTHER MACKINAW-OHARE'S, FATHER HUGH MACKINAW, MARRIED HER MOTHER, MARY, HIS BROTHERS THREW ROCKS (LITERALLY) AT HIM BECAUSE HE WAS MARRYING A CATHOLIC. THIS PROBABLY HAPPENED IN DONEGAL, OR ELSEWHERE IN ULSTER, WHERE, EVEN TODAY, THERE IS A GREAT DEAL OF RELIGIOUS STRIFE. MY GRANDMOTHER CAME FROM A LARGE FAMILY: SHE WAS BORN IN 1856 AND DIED IN 1934, AND IS BURIED WITH MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE, AND HER GRANDFATHER, HUGH MACKINAW, IN THE FRATERNAL CEMETERY IN PRATT CITY, BHAM, AL. MY GRANDMOTHER WAS THE ELDEST OF THEIR CHILDREN.

HUGH AND MARY MACKINAW'S OTHER CHILDREN WERE:

"KATE" MACKINAW MAGUIRE, THE SPOUSE OF TOM MAGUIRE. KATE AND TOM HAD THREE OR FOUR CHILDREN, BUT NONE SURVIVED THEM. I REMEMBER BOTH KATE AND TOM. HE WAS BLINDED IN A MINING ACCIDENT, WHEN A CHARGE HE PLACED DID NOT IMMEDIATELY EXPLODE, BUT IT EXPLODED AS HE WAS RETURNING TO CHECK ON THE EXPLOSION. HE USED TO SMOKE A GOOD DEAL, AND WOULD RIP OFF PART OF A NEWSPAPER TO MAKE A CIGARETTE. KATE AND TOM RAN A LITTLE STORE BEHIND THEIR HOME. SOMETIMES WE'D GO TO THE STORE AND TRY TO PURCHASE CANDY FROM TOM, USING BUTTONS. NONE OF US EVER SUCCEEDED.

I REMEMBER HUGH MACKINAW, HER BROTHER, WHOM WE CALLED "UNCLE" HUEY. HE WAS A COAL MINER, TOO, WHO BOARDED WITH MY GRANDMOTHER AND MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE. HE WAS A CHARACTER WHO WAS INCLINED TO IMBIBE FREELY. WHEN HE'D IMBIBE FREELY, HE WOULD SAY: "WE ARE THE O'HARES, WE ARE DAMN FINE PEOPLE, WE MUST BE RESPECTED" HE WAS BORN IN 1865 AND DIED IN 1938. HE NEVER MARRIED AND HAD NO ISSUE.

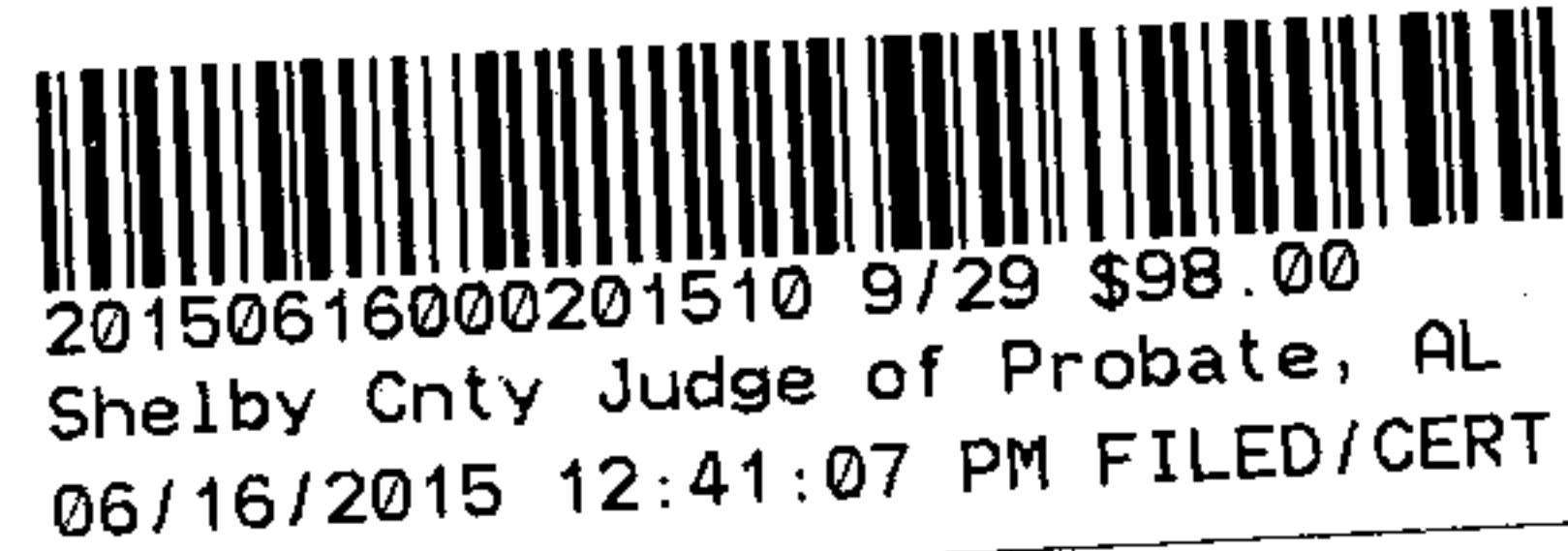
HER BROTHER, GEORGE MACKINAW, WAS A BACHELOR. I KNOW LITTLE ABOUT HIM, BUT I KNOW THAT HE WAS WITH HER BROTHER, JOHN MACKINAW, A PUGNACIOUS IRISHMAN, WHEN JOHN WAS KILLED IN MEXICO, I THINK IN A BAR FIGHT, IN THE EARLY 1900'S.

I NEVER KNEW JOHN MACKINAW, HER BROTHER. I WISH I HAD. WHY? HE MADE THE SAN PATRICIOS LOOK LIKE CHOIRBOYS. JOHN HATED THE ENGLISH SO MUCH THAT HE WANTED TO GO TO SOUTH AFRICA, DURING THE BOER WAR TO FIGHT THEM. HE HAD NO MONEY, AND NO OTHER SOURCE OF FUNDS TO FINANCE HIS TRIP TO SOUTH AFRICA. HE JOINED THE BRITISH ARMY, AND WAS TRANSPORTED TO SOUTH AFRICA. HE DESERTED THE BRITISH ARMY, ENLISTED IN THE BOER ARMY AND FOUGHT THE BRITISH.

HE MUST HAVE NEVER BEEN CAUGHT, FOR HE LIVED IN PRATT CITY, FOR A WHILE, AND WAS RECALLED BY MANY AS A FINE MAN. HE WAS A BACHELOR; NEVER MARRIED, AND HAD NO ISSUE - THAT I KNOW OF.

HE WAS OF A POET, TOO. IN APPRECIATION OF HIS LIFE AND TALENTS, I WOULD LIKE TO

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QUOTE BELOW A POEM HE WROTE, IN THE LATE 1800'S OR EARLY 1900'S, (WHICH I AM SURE HE WOULD HAVE DEDICATED TO HIS NEPHEW, JOHN MACKINAW, KILLED IN AN AIR RAID OVER JAPAN IN WWII):

"JUST SING A SONG FOR IRELAND"
BY JOHN MACKINAW, IRISHMAN FIRST CLASS.

"T'WAS IN A GRAND THEATER,
WHERE THE LIGHTS WERE BURNING BRIGHT

THE AUDIENCE SAT SPELLBOUND;
'T'WAS A MOST EVENTFUL NIGHT.

FOR, ON THE STAGE, A SINGER SANG A SONG OF LIBERTY
IT ENDED WITH THESE TOUCHING WORDS: 'POOR CUBA SHALL BE FREE!'

AN OUTBURST OF APPLAUSE RANG OUT,
AND AS IT DIED AWAY,
A MAN AROSE AND FACED THEM, WITH AN UPLIFTED HEAD OF GRAY

THE EMBLEM OF HIS NATIVE LAND, A SHAMROCK, HELD ON HIGH
HE PRESSED ITS GREEN LEAF TO HIS LIPS
AND CRIED WITH TEAR DIMMED EYES:

'JUST SING A SONG FOR IRELAND; SHE WANTS HER FREEDOM, TOO.

JUST SING A SONG FOR MY HOMELAND;
HER SONS ARE BRAVE AND TRUE

NOBLY THEY'VE FOUGHT
AND NOBLY THEY HAVE DIED FOR
THE RED, THE WHITE, THE BLUE.

SO, JUST SING A SONG FOR IRELAND
SHE WANTS HER FREEDOM, TOO.

EACH VOICE WAS HUSHED IN SILENCE;
IT SEEMED AN ANGEL'S VOICE SENT BACK EACH WORD HE SAID

AND WHEN THE USHER TOUCHED HIM, AND POINTED TO THE DOOR,
THEY DROVE HIM BACK WITH CRIES OF: 'SHAME'

AND SILENCE REIGNED ONCE MORE

THEN, THE OLD MAN TOLD A TALE THAT TOUCHED EACH HEART THAT NIGHT
HOW DEAR, DOWNTRODDEN IRELAND LONGED FOR FREEDOM AND FOR RIGHT

SO WHEN YOU SHOUT FOR CUBA'S CAUSE, HE CRIED; THOUGH SHE BE FREE:

JUST BREATHE A PRAYER FOR ERIN'S ISLE
MY HOME ACROSS THE SEA.

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BILL MACKINAW, (WILLIAM, SR), WAS BORN IN 1876 AND DIED IN 1951, IN PRATT CITY, .
HIS CHILDREN WERE: BILL, JR; HUGH, KATHLEEN, JOHN, MARIE AND CRAWFORD

CONTINUATION OF O'HARE=MACKINAW FAMILY HISTORY

JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE AND MARY MACKINAW O'HARE REARED A FAMILY OF EIGHT

1) JAMES, THE SPOUSE OF STELLA BURGIN, JAMES "JIMMY" WAS A SINGER OF RENOWN
AND THE FATHER OF JAMES EDWARD O'HARE WHO WAS THE SPOUSE OF GAYLE O'HARE,
AND THE FATHER OF JAMES TIMOTHY; JOHN PATRICK (J.P); ELAINE AND PATTY.

2) JOHN PATRICK, WHO MARRIED KATIE RODEN AND WHO WAS A SOLDIER IN WORLD
WAR I

3) THERESA O'HARE TRAVIS, THE SPOUSE OF WILLIAM LAWRENCE TRAVIS, AND THE
MOTHER OF JAMES JOSEPH TRAVIS, MARGARET MARY TRAVIS SHAFFER, AND WILLIAM
TRAVIS, WHO HAD ABOUT FOUR CHILDREN;

4) MARY MAGDALENE O'HARE HARKINS, THE SPOUSE OF PAT HARKINS, AND THE
MOTHER OF MARIE HARKINS RODGERS, WHO HAD ONE CHILD, JACKIE RODGERS FRANKS,
WHO IS THE SPOUSE OF ALBERT FRANKS, AND WHO IS THE MOTHER OF ALBERT FRANKS
AND MARY JACK FRANKS, CPA, THE MOTHER OF 4 CHILDREN.

5) CATHERINE, WHO DIED AT A VERY EARLY AGE, WITHOUT ISSUE

6) MY MOTHER, HELEN JANE O'HARE KEYES, THE SPOUSE OF JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR,
MY FATHER AND THE FATHER OF JAMES O'HARE KEYES, WHO DIED WITHIN DAYS AFTER
HIS BIRTH; OF MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, "MICKEY" THE SPOUSE OF ANN COLLINS KEYES,
AND THE FATHER OF MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, JR, WHO HAS AT LEAST THREE CHILDREN
AND MARY ANN KEYES PATTERSON (MRS. BRAD), THE MOTHER OF ANNIE PATTERSON,
WHO WORSHIPS HER FATHER, BRAD, WHO IS AN ARCHITECT.

7) MARGARET O'HARE MCARDLE, THE SPOUSE OF STEPHEN ALOYSIUS MCARDLE, MY
FAVORITE UNCLE, BOTH WHOM ARE THE PARENTS OF BILL, STEPHEN, JIM, MARY
CATHERINE, HELEN JOANN; AND JOHN PATRICK
AND

8) VINCENT, WHOM MY GRANDMOTHER INSISTED ON ADOPTING FROM ST. VINCENT'S
HOSPITAL, AFTER READING IN THE BIRMINGHAM NEWS OF VINCENT'S BEING
ABANDONED ON THE STEPS OF ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL VINCENT DIED IN INFANCY.

. IN ADDITION TO REARING A LARGE FAMILY IN PRATT CITY, AT ST. CATHERINE OF
SIENNA'S PARISH IN PRATT CITY, MY GRANDFATHER, JAMES JOSEPH O'HARE SAW TO IT
THAT THEY ALL PRACTICED THEIR RELIGION. HE WORKED AS A COAL MINER.. WHEN HE
WAS KILLED IN THE COAL MINE, THE OBITUARY WAS IN HEADLINES ON THE FRONT PAGE
OF THE BIRMINGHAM NEWS: "UNCLE JIMMY KILLED IN A MINING ACCIDENT". THIS WAS
THE MAN WHO LOST HIS JOB DURING THE KKK REIGN IN BIRMINGHAM, LOSING IT
BECAUSE HE WAS CATHOLIC. HIS SELF SACRIFICING ATTITUDE WAS NOT CONFINED TO
HIS FAMILY: HIS COAL MINING DUTY WAS TO PRECEDE HIS GROUP INTO A POTENTIAL
MINING AREA IN THE MINE, AND TO TAP THE ROOF TO DETERMINE IF IT WAS SAFE. HE
WALKED INTO AN AREA WAY BELOW THE SURFACE OF THE MINE, TAPPED THE ROOF,
AND IT CAVED IN ON HIM, JUST AS HE SAID: "BOYS STAY OUT OF THIS AREA INTIL IT'S
SAFER". HE SUSTAINED HIS FAMILY, SUPPORTED HIS CHURCH, ACCOMPLISHING BOTH
BY DOING HIS JOB.,.

JAMES JOSEPH'S DAUGHTER, MY MOTHER, HELEN JANE O'HARE KEYES, WAS AMONG

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THE MOST DEVOUTLY RELIGIOUS WOMEN I HAVE EVER KNOWN. HER FAITH WAS THE BEDROCK WHICH SUPPORTED HER WHEN: SHE LOST TWO OF HER CHILDREN SHORTLY AFTER THEIR BIRTH; (JAMES WITHIN DAYS OF HIS BIRTH AND MARY THERESA AT AGE FIFTEEN IN 1946) WHEN HER HUSBAND LOST HIS FOOT, DURING HER PREGNANCY WITH MICK, MY BROTHER, MICHAEL JOSEPH KEYES, WHEN SHE LOST HER THIRD CHILD, MY SISTER, MARY THERESA, AT AGE FIFTEEN YEARS, IN 1946. WHILE HER TWO SONS SERVED IN THE ARMED FORCES IN WWII, AND WHEN HER HUSBAND DIED, IN NOVEMBER 1970, BEFORE HER EYES IN THEIR HOME IN HUEYTOWN, AL. SHE ATTENDED MASS EACH WEEK, SAW TO IT THAT WE THREE ATTENDED SCHOOL DAILY, AND CARED FOR US AND HER HUSBAND OF FIFTY YEARS.

STATEMENT OF FAMILY HISTORY- DAVIS

DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, THE SPOUSE OF JOHN J. KEYES, JR, (JACK), HAS A LONG FAMILY HISTORY:

JAMES THOMAS DAVIS (AFTER WHOM MY SON, DAVE, IS NAMED) HAD ANCESTORS IN WALES. HIS FATHER, WILLIAM DAVIS, WAS THE SON OF ANN JONES DAVIS AND EDWARD DAVIS.

WILLIAM, JAMES THOMAS DAVIS' FATHER, AND DOROTHY'S GRANDFATHER, HAD BROTHERS AND SISTERS AS FOLLOWS: JACK, WHO WAS BORN AND DIED ON THE SAME DAY; EMILY DAVIS WINTERS; MARY DAVIS WILLIAMS; JANE DAVIS BINGEY; RUTH DAVIS ERDENRICHER - NAOMI DAVIS(TWINS); JOHN AND REECE. JOHN AND REECE DIED YOUNG AND ARE BURIED IN IRONTON, OHIO, WITH THEIR FATHER, EDWARD DAVIS. WILLIAM WAS THE ONLY SURVIVING SON, AND MAY HAVE BEEN A BIT SPOILED

WILLIAM DAVIS, DOT'S GRANDFATHER, MARRIED AN AUBURN HAired IRISH CATHOLIC GIRL, MAGGIE CASSIDY, AND THEY HAD SEVEN CHILDREN, BUT THE NAMES OF ONLY SIX ARE KNOWN: JACK, WHO DIED THE SAME DAY HE WAS BORN; EDNA DAVIS AGGETT; WILLIAM, ROSS, JAMES, (DOT'S FATHER), AND ELMER. SHORTLY AFTER ELMER WAS BORN, MAGGIE DIED ON FEBRUARY 12, 1902, AT AGE THIRTY-ONE YEARS. MAGGIE IS BURIED IN UNION DALE CEMETERY IN PITTSBURGH, PA.. MAGGIE HAD A BROTHER, JIMMY CASSIDY; AND A SISTER, ANNIE CASSIDY DUFFY, (MRS. WILLIAM DUFFY)

WHEN MAGGIE DIED, GRANDMOTHER, ANN JONES DAVIS, TOOK IN ELMER AND EDNA; ROSS WENT WITH AUNT RUTH, JAMES (DOT'S FATHER) WENT TO HIS AUNT MARY IN TROY, PA; EDNA WENT WITH AUNT NAOMI; WILLIAM WAS PLACED IN AN ORPHANS' HOME, RAN AWAY A NUMBER OF TIMES TO EMSWORTH WHEN GRANDMOTHER ANN JONES DAVIS DIED, FOUR OF THESE SIX CHILDREN WENT TO LIVE WITH RUTH DAVIS ERDENRICHER AND HER HUSBAND, WILL ERDENRICHER.

THE FOLLOWING IS INFORMATION GIVEN ME BY MARY SUE DAVIS, JAMES THOMAS DAVIS' SISTER IN LAW, ROSS EDWIN DAVIS' WIFE.:

EDWARD DAVIS WAS BORN IN WALES, WAS A CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER WHO SETTLED FIRST IN THE SOUTHSIDE OF PITTSBURGH, PA, MOVED TO IRONDALE, OHIO, AND DIED IN IRONDALE, OHIO.

EDWARD DAVIS' WIFE WAS ELIZA (MAYBE KNOWN AS "ANN" ALSO?) JONES DAVIS WHO WAS BORN IN CARDIFF, WALES; ELIZA HAD A BROTHER, JOHN JONES, WHO REMAINED IN WALES, AND ANOTHER BROTHER, DANIEL JONES WHO LIVED IN SHARON, PA.

EDWARD'S BROTHERS WERE

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1) HUGH DAVIS,, ASSOCIATED WITH THE GOLD RUSH TO CALIFORNIA, IN 1849, AND .

2) THOMAS DAVIS, WHO WAS POSTMASTER AT PROVIDENCE RHODE ISLAND, WHO HAD FOUR CHILDREN: 2 BOYS AND 2 GIRLS . (DOT'S FATHER NAMED AFTER HIM?)

EDWARD AND ELIZA HAD: A NUMBER OF CHILDREN: WHEN HE DIED HE LEFT ELIZA AND TWELVE CHILDREN! SADLY, THIS IS ALL I LEARNED FROM MARY SUE ABOUT THE TWELVE, BUT ONE OF THE TWELVE WAS WILLIAM DAVIS, JAMES THOMAS DAVIS' FATHER AND DOROTHY MAE AND BETTY JEAN'S GRANDFATHER.

WILLIAM MARRIED MAGGIE CASSIDY WHO DIED [REDACTED] THEIR CHILDREN WERE:

1) EDNA DAVIS AGETT, MRS. ALBERT THOMAS AGETT. HER DATE OF BIRTH : [REDACTED] HIS DOB [REDACTED] HIS DOD [REDACTED] THEY HAD NO CHILDREN. SHE LIVED IN CORNING, NY..

2) WILLIAM MCKINLEY DAVIS, DOB [REDACTED] DOD [REDACTED], MARRIED MARY JANE MCCOURT DOB [REDACTED]; DOD [REDACTED] THEY HAD THREE DAUGHTERS:

A) ADELAID DAVIS ROBB (MRS JAMES) WHO LIVED IN WHEATON, MD, AND WHO HAD NO CHILDREN

.B) & C) ARE UNKNOWN TO ME.

3) ROSS EDWIN DAVIS, SR, [REDACTED] WHOSE FIRST WIFE, HELENE, THE MOTHER OF ROSS EDWIN DAVIS, JR (THE SPOUSE OF HAZEL) , AND FLORENCE RUTH DAVIS RUSH, THE SPOUSE OF JOHN RUSH, WHO . DIED AT AN EARLY AGE. ROSS JR HAD A CHILD, PAUL EDWIN OF TUSCALOOSA, AL. FLORENCE HAS A CHILD, PAM, THE WIFE OF JACKIE VINES; PAM AND JACKIE HAVE A DAUGHTER LAURA ASHLEY VINES., OF BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA .

AFTER HELENE DIED, ROSS EDWIN DAVIS, SR, MARRIED THE SECOND TIME TO MARY SUE DAVIDSON DAVIS, THE MOTHER OF MARY SUE DAVIS BISHOFF, THE WIFE OF WILLIAM BISHOFF OF PITTSBURGH, PA. MARY SUE AND WILLIAM HAVE 2 CHILDREN: DAVID BISHOFF AND ANN BISHOFF DONNELLY (MS STEVEN)

4) JAMES THOMAS DAVIS , THE SPOUSE OF HELEN FRANCES OBRIEN DAVIS, AND THE FATHER OF DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES (MRS. JACK); AND BETTE JEAN DAVIS KILPATRICK, (MRS CHARLES).

THE FOLLOWING IS QUOTED FROM THE NABRICO NEWS OF 1958." ...FOREMAN OF BESSEMER GALVANIZING WORKS, NASHVILLE BRIDGE COMPANY, FOR 35 YEARS" LIVED WITH HIS SPOUSE, HELEN FRANCES O'BRIEN DAVIS, IN HUEYTOWN, AL. HE WAS DRAWN TO BESSEMER BY MR. W.M. RODGERS, WHO WHEN MR. RODGERS LEFT MEMPHIS STEEL CO OF GREENSBUR, PA TO WORK FOR NASHVILLE BRIDGE, INVITED ROSS EDWIN DAVIS, SR, JAMES THOMAS', BROTHER TO COME WITH HIM TO NASHVILLE BRIDGE.. ROSS DID AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER, JAMES THOMAS FOLLOWED TO NASHVILLE BRIDGE . ROSS LATER LEFT THE COMPANY TO WORK FOR THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY, AND JAMES THOMAS, "JIMMY" WORKED AT NASHVILLE BRIDGE, AS PURCHASING AGENT, DISTRIBUTOR OF DRAWINGS, AND MANAGER OF THE GALVANIZING WORKS. THE WORKS GREW WHILE JIMMY MANAGED IT. THE DEPRESSION BEGAN, AND JIMMY WORKED ONLY ONE DAY A WEEK. DURING WORLD WAR II THINGS IMPROVED AND JIMMY BUILT ON HIS HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION, NIGHT SCHOOL TIME, AND HIS VAST EXPERIENCE IN GALVANIZAING PROCESSES. HE WAS ACTIVE IN THE MEN'S CLASS OF THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, BESSEMER, AL, THE ELKS LODGE, AND WAS A FISHERMAN, BOWLER, AND AVID FOOTBALL AND BASEBALL FAN.

HISTORY OF THE O'BRIEN FAMILY- KELLY - HARRIGAN FAMILY CONDENSED
DOROTHY'S GREAT GRANDMOTHER, MARY CURRAN, MARRIED PATRICK DESALES

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O'BRIEN, AND THEY HAD FOUR CHILDREN: 1) MARY, 2) CECELIA ESTON, 3) ELIZABETH, AND 4) FRANCIS DE SALES - DOROTHY'S GRANDFATHER. DOROTHY HAS ONLY A DISTANT RECOLLECTION OF HER GRANDFATHER, WHO DIED AUGUST 15, 1934, BUT SHE DID ATTEND HIS FUNERAL IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, WHEN SHE WAS A MERE CHILD, IN THE FIRST GRADE AT ST ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL IN BESSEMER, AL. HE CAME TO BESSEMER ONCE, AND SHE REMEMBERS HIS COMING.

ELLEN KELLY MARRIED PATRICK HARRIGAN, AND THEY HAD FIVE CHILDREN:

1) ELLEN ("NELL") GERTRUDE HARRIGAN O'BRIEN SCHUMUCKER, (MRS. FRANCIS DE SALES O'BRIEN - SCHUMUCKER) WAS THE MOTHER OF MARION ELIZABETH ELLIOTT JONES; AND HELEN FRANCES O'BRIEN DAVIS. NELL WAS BORN [REDACTED] AND PASSED AWAY AT SELF'S NURSING HOME, HUEYTOWN, ALABAMA, 35023, ON [REDACTED] NELL WAS AFFECTIONATELY KNOWN TO HER SON IN LAW AS "PETE"; SHE WAS THE SISTER OF:

2) MARGARET "MAGGIE" HARRIGAN NALLEY, WHO CAME FROM PITTSBURGH, PA WITH MARION AND MACEY JONES TO DOROTHY'S WEDDING ON JULY 9, 1949, TO JACK KEYES, AT SAINT ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH IN BESSEMER, ALABAMA.. AUNT MAGGIE WAS A DELIGHTFUL PERSON TO KNOW.

3) KATE HARRIGAN PRENTICE

4) ROSE HARRIGAN AND

5) CATHERINE HARRIGAN.

FRANCES DESALES O'BRIEN AND ELLEN (NELL) GERTRUDE HARRIGAN O'BRIEN SHUCKMER HARRIGAN O'BRIEN HAD TWO CHILDREN:

1) MARION ELIZABETH O'BRIEN ELLIOTT JONES (THE SPOUSE OF MR ELLIOTT - AN IRISH - AUSTRALIAN) WHO MARRIED FIRST MR. ELLIOTT, AND, AFTER HIS DEMISE, MARRIED MR. MACEY JONES. BY MR ELLIOTT MARION HAD TWO CHILDREN: NEVILLE AND JOHN THOMAS ELLIOTT. NEVILLE, AFTER HAVING A HARD TIME IN WWII AS A MEMBER OF THE AUSTRALIAN ARMED SERVICES HAS PASSED AWAY. JOHN THOMAS "JACK" ELLIOTT HAS BEEN TO OUR HOME IN BESSEMER, ALABAMA, AND IS NOW LIVING IN MCKAY, QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA, WHERE HE AND HIS BELOVED WIFE, NELL, WHOM DOROTHY, BETTY AND NANNY HAVE MET, HAD A SON JOHN, WHOSE WIFE AND HE HAD THREE SONS, MICHAEL, ANDREW, AND "LITTLE JOHN", ALL OF WHOM LIVE IN OR NEAR MCKAY, WHERE JOHN AND HIS WIFE PRACTICE LAW. THEY ARE NEAR JACK THERE.

1. HELEN FRANCES O'BRIEN DAVIS (MRS. JAMES THOMAS) IS THE MOTHER OF DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, AND OF BETTE JEAN DAVIS KILPATRICK. DOROTHY AND JACK HAVE TWO SONS: JOHN JAMES KEYES, III "JIM"; AND THOMAS DAVIS KEYES, "DAVE". JIM HAS FIVE DAUGHTERS: KELLEY, KIMBERLY, AMANDA, DOROTHY, AND KATIE. DAVE HAS TWO CHILDREN: MARY HEATHER KEYES, AND JOHN THOMAS KEYES.

JIM'S DAUGHTER, KIMBERLY KEYES BEARD, MRS. BRENDAN, HAS A CHILD, ELIZABETH AVERY BEARD, DOROTHY AND JACK'S ONLY GREAT GRANDCHILD AT THIS DATE.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS

MY ESTATE IS NOT LARGE. OUR COMBINED NET WORTH I ESTIMATE TO BE ABOUT \$500,000.00.

ONE: I WILL THAT MY DEBTS AND FUNERAL EXPENSES BE PAID BY MY EXECUTORS

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HEREINAFTER NAMED, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER MY DEATH.

TWO: MY GREAT GRANDFATHER, JAMES O'NEILL, DIED WHILE OWNING REAL PROPERTY IN SHELBY COUNTY, WHICH HE RECEIVED FROM JAMES BUCHANAN, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, ABOUT 1858. I HAVE GIVEN EACH OF MY GRANDCHILDREN A PART OF THIS LAND, EXCEPT MY BELOVED GRANDDAUGHTER, KATIE JACQUELINE KEYES, WHO WAS NOT BORN AT THE TIME I GAVE IT TO THE OTHERS. I GIVE, DEVISE, AND BEQUEATH, AS MUCH OF THE LAND AS I HAVE GIVEN TO THE OTHERS, AND I REQUIRE THAT MY EXECUTORS SEE TO THIS MATTER, WHICH IS VERY IMPORTANT TO ME.

THREE:
AT HER DEATH, MY MOTHER, HELEN JANE O'HARE KEYES, (MRS. JOHN JAMES KEYES, SR.) LEFT HER PERSONAL RESIDENCE TO MY BELOVED WIFE, DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES. THIS HOUSE IS LOCATED AT 1916 31ST AVENUE NORTH, HUEYTOWN, ALABAMA, 35023. MY WIFE HAS WILLED ME A LIFE ESTATE IN THIS HOUSE, AND DESIRES, AND HAS WILLED, THAT MY SON, THOMAS DAVIS KEYES, (NAMED AFTER HIS GRANDFATHER, JAMES THOMAS DAVIS), BE GIVEN THIS HOUSE AT HER DEATH, SUBJECT TO MY LIFE ESTATE THEREIN. **WITH MY UNQUALIFIED CONCURRENCE**, SHE WILLS THIS HOUSE TO "DAVE" BECAUSE WE GAVE JIMMY, OUR OLDER SON, THE HOUSE NEXT DOOR AT 3105 NORTH 19TH STREET YEARS AGO.

FOUR:
DAVE HAD A PIECE OF FURNITURE, A KITCHEN CABINET WHICH BELONGED TO MY PARENTS FOR OVER FORTY YEARS, REFURBISHED. IT WAS A PLEASURE TO KNOW THAT HE DID IT, AND IN APPRECIATION THEREOF, I WILL THAT HE HAVE IT, ABSOLUTELY.

FIVE: I HEREBY GIVE, DEVISE, AND BEQUEATH THE ENTIRE RESIDUE OF MY ESTATE, REAL, PERSONAL, AND MIXED, OF WHICH I DIE SEIZED AND POSSESSED, OR TO WHICH I AM, OR TO WHICH I AT MY DEATH MAY BE ENTITLED, OR TO WHICH I MAY BECOME ENTITLED, IN THE FUTURE, WHEREVER SITUATED, ABSOLUTELY AND FOREVER, TO MY BELOVED WIFE, DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES.

SIX: IF MY WIFE, DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, PREDECEASES ME, OR DIES WITH ME IN A COMMON DISASTER, I GIVE, DEVISE, AND BEQUEATH, THE ENTIRE RESIDUE OF MY ESTATE, REAL, PERSONAL, AND MIXED, OF WHICH I DIE SEIZED AND POSSESSED, INCLUDING ALL OF MY ESTATE TO WHICH I AM AT MY DEATH ENTITLED, OR TO WHICH I MAY BE OR MAY BECOME ENTITLED, AT ANY TIME AS FOLLOWS:

A. I GIVE ONE HALF TO MY BELOVED SON, JOHN JAMES KEYES, III, "JIM", ABSOLUTELY. AND IF HE PREDECEASES ME, OR DIES WITH ME IN A COMMON DISASTER, I GIVE THIS ONE-HALF ABSOLUTELY TO HIS WIFE, MARION BERNEICE NORRIS KEYES, AND HIS FIVE CHILDREN, SHARE AND SHARE ALIKE, ONE-SIXTH TO EACH OF THEM/

B. I GIVE ONE HALF OF MY ESTATE TO MY SON, THOMAS DAVIS KEYES, "DAVE", AND IF HE PREDECEASES ME OR DIES WITH ME IN A COMMON DISASTER, I GIVE THIS ONE HALF TO HIS SPOUSE, TONI SHIRLEY HOLMAN KEYES ;AND HIS CHILDREN, MARY HEATHEN KEYES AND JOHN THOMAS KEYES, SHARE AND SHARE ALIKE, ONE THIRD TO EACH OF THEM.

SEVEN: , THE CHILD TO RECEIVE THE SHARE MUST BE AT LEAST TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE. IF THE CHILD IS NOT TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE, THE SURVIVING SON, SHALL SERVE FOR THE CHILD OR CHILDREN, AS TRUSTEE UNTIL THE YOUNGEST CHILD REACHES TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE.

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EIGHT: I HEREBY NOMINATE AND APPOINT MY SPOUSE, DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES, AS AND FOR THE EXECUTRIX OF THIS MY LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT; IT IS MY WILL THAT SHE NOT POST BOND OR ACCOUNT TO ANY COURT FOR HER ACTIONS AS SUCH.

I HEREBY GRANT TO MY EXECUTRIX, TO HER SUCCESSORS OR ALTERNATES, AND ALSO TO THE TRUSTEES OF ANY TRUST ESTABLISHED HEREUNDER, THE CONTINUING, ABSOLUTE DISCRETIONARY POWER TO DEAL WITH ANY PROPERTY, REAL, PERSONAL OR MIXED, HELD IN MY ESTATE, OR IN TRUST, AS FREELY AS I MIGHT IN HANDLING MY OWN AFFAIRS. SUCH POWER MAY BE EXERCISED INDEPENDENTLY AND WITHOUT PRIOR OR SUBSEQUENT APPROVAL OF ANY COURT OR JUDICIAL AUTHORITY, AND NO PERSON DEALING WITH THE EXECUTORS OR TRUSTEES HEREUNDER NEED INQUIRE AS TO THEIR AUTHORITY.

IF SHE IS UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO SERVE, I NOMINATE MY SONS, JIM AND DAVE OR THE SURVIVOR TO SERVE UNDER THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS. THEY SHALL HAVE THE SAME POWERS AND DUTIES AS ARE HEREBY GIVEN TO ANY OF THE NAMED EXECUTORS AND TRUSTEES WITH NO INTENTION TO DECREASE THE POWERS GIVEN IN THE PRECEDING PARAGRAPH, THE EXECUTRIX, HER ALTERNATES, AND THE TRUSTEES SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING SPECIFIC POWERS:

1. TO COLLECT THE INCOME THERE FROM.
2. TO COMPROMISE, ADJUST, AND SETTLE ANY CLAIM.
3. TO HOLD ANY PROPERTY OR SECURITIES ORIGINALLY RECEIVED BY THEM AS PART OF THE TRUST.
4. TO SELL AUCTION, CONVEY, EXCHANGE, LEASE OR RENT FOR A PERIOD BEYOND THE POSSIBLE TERMINATION OF THE TRUST, OR FOR LESS PERIOD, FOR SUCH PURPOSES, OR TO OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF, ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE TRUST, IN SUCH MANNER AND UPON SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS THEY MAY APPROVE.
5. TO INVEST AND REINVEST THE TRUST AND THE PROCEEDS OF SALE OR DISPOSAL OR ANY PORTION THEREOF IN SUCH LOANS, BONDS, STOCKS, MORTGAGES, COMMON TRUST FUNDS, SECURITIES OR OTHER PROPERTY REAL OR PERSONAL OR TO PURCHASE OPTIONS FOR SUCH PURPOSES OR TO EXERCISE OPTIONS RIGHTS, OR WARRANTS, TO PURCHASE SECURITIES OR OTHER PROPERTY, AS TO THE TRUSTEE MAY SEEM SUITABLE.
6. TO HOLD, RETAIN OR ACQUIRE PROPERTY OR SECURITIES WHICH IN THE EXECUTOR'S OPINION IS FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE ESTATE, WITHOUT REGARD TO ANY STATUTORY OR CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITATION APPLICABLE TO THE INVESTMENT OF ESTATE FUNDS.
7. TO VOTE ANY CORPORATE STOCK HELD HEREUNDER IN PERSON, OR BY SPECIAL, LIMITED, OR GENERAL PROXY, WITH OR WITHOUT POWER OF SUBSTITUTION, OR TO REFRAIN FROM VOTING THE SAME, AND TO WAIVE NOTICE OF ANY MEETING AND TO GIVE ANY CONSENT FOR OR WITH RESPECT THERETO.
8. TO CONTINUE OR DISPOSE OF ANY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE WITHOUT LIABILITY THEREFORE, WHETHER SUCH ENTERPRISES BE IN THE FORM OF A SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP, PARTNERSHIP, CORPORATION, OR OTHERWISE, AND TO DEVELOP, ADD CAPITAL TO, EXPAND, OR ALTER THE BUSINESS OF SUCH ENTERPRISE, TO LIQUIDATE, REORGANIZE, MANAGE OR CONSOLIDATE THE SAME, OR CHANGE ITS CHARTER OR NAME, TO ENTER INTO, CONTINUE OR EXTEND ANY VOTING TRUST FOR THE DURATION OF OR BEYOND THE TERM OF THE ESTATE TO APPOINT AGENTS (INCLUDING ANY EXECUTOR) AND TO COMPENSATE AND OFFER STOCK OPTIONS AND OTHER EMPLOYEE OR FRINGE BENEFITS TO THEM, AND IN EXERCISE THE POWERS IN RELATION TO SUCH BUSINESS ENTERPRISE, TO RECEIVE EXTRA OR EXTRAORDINARY COMPENSATION THEREFOR.
9. TO SUBDIVIDE OR OTHERWISE DEVELOP, AND TO CHANGE THE USE OR PURPOSE OF ANY REAL ESTATE CONSTITUTING A COMMERCIAL, CEMETERY, OR OTHER USAGE, TO CONSTRUCT, IMPROVEMENTS LOCATED THEREON, TO RELEASE, PARTITION, VACATE, ABANDON, DEDICATE OR ADJUST THE BOUNDARIES AS TO ANY SUCH PROPERTY.

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10. TO OPERATE FARMS AND WOODLANDS WITH HIRED LABOR, TENANTS OR SHARECROPPERS, TO ACQUIRE REAL ESTATE, CROP ALLOTMENTS, LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, AND ANY OTHER ITEMS OF PRODUCTION IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, TO CLEAR, DRAIN, DITCH, MAKE ROADS, FENCE AND PLANT PART OF ALL SUCH REAL ESTATE, AND TO EMPLOY OR ENTER INTO ANY PRACTICES OR PROGRAMS TO CONSERVE, IMPROVE, SELL, AUCTION OR EXCHANGE CROPS, TIMBER OR OTHER PRODUCT THEREOF, TO LEASE OR ENTER INTO OTHER MANAGEMENT, CUTTING, PRODUCTION OR SALES CONTRACTS FOR A TERM BEYOND THE POSSIBLE TERMINATION OF THE ESTATE, OR FOR A LESS PERIOD, TO EMPLOY THE METHODS OF CARRYING ON AGRICULTURE, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, AND SILVICULTURE WHICH ARE IN THE VICINITY OF ANY SUCH REAL ESTATE OR WHICH THE EXECUTOR DEEMS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE IN SUCH OPERATION OF FARMS AND WOODLANDS.

11. TO DRILL, EXPLORE, TEST, MINE, OR OTHERWISE EXPLOIT OIL, GAS OR OTHER MINERAL OR NATURAL RESOURCES, TO ENGAGE IN ABSORPTION, REPRESSORS, AND OTHER OPERATIONS, TO INSTALL, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN STORAGE PLANTS AND PIPELINES OR OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES, TO ENGAGE IN ANY OF THE ABOVE ACTIVITIES DIRECTLY UNDER SUCH BUSINESS FORM AS THE EXECUTOR MAY SELECT OR TO CONTRACT WITH OTHERS FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THEM, AND TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASES, DIVISION AND TRANSFER ORDERS, GRANTS, FARM-OUT, POOLING OR UNITIZATION AGREEMENTS, AND SUCH OTHER INSTRUMENTS OR AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AS THE EXECUTOR DEEMS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE.

12. TO BORROW MONEY FOR SUCH TIME AND UPON SUCH TERMS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AS THE EXECUTOR DEEMS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE.

13. TO ADVANCE MONEY TO ANY PERSON FOR ANY PURPOSES OF THE ESTATE, AND THE EXECUTOR SHALL BE REIMBURSED FOR THE MONEY SO ADVANCED WITH REASONABLE INTEREST THEREON FROM THE PERSON OR FROM ANY FUNDS BELONGING THERETO.

14. TO HOLD MONEY IN THE EXECUTOR'S CUSTODY WHILE AWAITING DISTRIBUTION OR INVESTMENT UNDER THE TERMS HEREOF, EVEN THOUGH SUCH MONEY BE COMMINGLED WITH THE EXECUTOR'S FUNDS (IN WHICH CASE THE EXECUTOR SHALL KEEP A SEPARATE ACCOUNT OF THE SAME ON ITS BOOKS), AND THE EXECUTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PAY INTEREST THEREON. COMMINGLING WILL BE AVOIDED.

15. TO APPOINT, EMPLOY, REMOVE AND COMPENSATE SUCH ATTORNEYS, AGENTS AND REPRESENTATIVES, INDIVIDUAL OR CORPORATE, AS THE EXECUTOR DEEMS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE, AND TO TREAT AS AN EXPENSE OF THE ESTATE ANY COMPENSATION SO PAID.

16. TO HOLD PROPERTY OR SECURITIES IN BEARER FORM, IN THE NAME OF THE EXECUTOR, OR IN THE NAME OF THE EXECUTOR'S NOMINEE, WITHOUT DISCLOSING ANY FIDUCIARY RELATION.

17. TO KEEP ANY PROPERTY CONSTITUTING A PART OF SAID ESTATE PROPERTY INSURED AGAINST HAZARDS, TO PAY ALL TAXES OR ASSESSMENTS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER LIENS NOW OR HEREAFTER RESTING UPON SAID PROPERTY, AND TO CREATE RESERVES FOR DEPRECIATION, DEPLETION OR SUCH OTHER PURPOSES AS THE EXECUTOR DEEMS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE.

18. TO DETERMINE WHETHER ANY MONEY OR PROPERTY COMING INTO EXECUTOR'S HANDS SHALL BE TREATED AS PART OF THE INCOME. HE CAN APPORTION BETWEEN PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ANY LOSS OR EXPENDITURE IN CONNECTION WITH THE ESTATE AS THE EXECUTOR MAY DEEM JUST AND EQUITABLE; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT SUCH POWER SHALL BE EXERCISED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE ALABAMA PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ACCOUNT.

19. TO PAY FROM INCOME ANY EXPENSES REASONABLY NECESSARY FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE AND IN THE EVENT THE INCOME IS INSUFFICIENT FOR SUCH PAYMENTS, THE SAME SHALL BE PAID FROM THE PRINCIPAL THEREOF.

20. TO EXERCISE ANY POWER HEREUNDER, EITHER ACTING ALONE OR JOINTLY WITH OTHERS.

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21. TO PAY THE FUNERAL AND BURIAL EXPENSES OF ANY BENEFICIARY FROM THE PRINCIPAL OF THE ESTATE FROM WHICH INCOME HAS BEEN PAYABLE TO SUCH BENEFICIARY.

22. THE TRUSTEE SHALL HOLD AND MANAGE THE TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF MY CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN, INCLUDING AFTER-BORN AND AFTER-ADOPTED CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN, AND ALL SHARES THEREOF WITH THE POWERS GIVEN HEREIN.

23. THE TRUSTEE SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO: PAY OVER THE ENTIRE NET INCOME FROM THE TRUST ESTATE TO THE INCOME BENEFICIARY, OR TO OR FOR THE USE OF THE INCOME BENEFICIARY, IN SUCH INSTALLMENTS AS MAY BE CONVENIENT AND SATISFACTORY TO THE TRUSTEE IN THE TRUSTEE'S SOLE DISCRETION.

24. THE TRUST SHALL END ON THE YOUNGEST OF THE CESTI QUE TRUST'S REACHING THE AGE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS, AT WHICH TIME THE TRUSTEE WILL PAY OVER THE BALANCE IN THE TRUSTEE'S HANDS AT THAT TIME TO THE CESTI QUE TRUST AND STAND DISCHARGED.

24-A. TO PAY OVER THE ENTIRE NET INCOME FROM THE ESTATE TO THE BENEFICIARY, OR FOR THE USE OF THE INCOME BENEFICIARY, IN SUCH INSTALLMENTS AS MAY BE CONVENIENT AND SATISFACTORY TO THE EXECUTOR IN THE EXECUTOR'S SOLE DISCRETION.

25. WHENEVER THE WORD "TRUSTEE" OR "TRUSTEES"; "EXECUTOR" OR "EXECUTORS" IS USED HEREIN, THE TERM SHALL BE CONSTRUED EITHER AS SINGULAR OF PLURAL, MASCULINE OR FEMININE WHICHEVER IS PROPER IN CONTEXT.

26. DURING THE CONTINUANCE OF THE TRUST, THE TRUSTEE SHALL PAY TO OR FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE BENEFICIARY SO MUCH OF THE INCOME AND PRINCIPAL OF THE BENEFICIARY'S SHARE AS THE TRUSTEE MAY DEEM NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE TO PROVIDE FOR THE HEALTH, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT AND EDUCATION OF THE BENEFICIARY. ANY PART OF THE NET INCOME NOT SO USED SHALL BE ACCUMULATED AND ADDED TO THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID SHARE BEING THEREAFTER INVESTED AND TREATED IN ALL RESPECTS, AS PART THEREOF, OR MAY BE DISTRIBUTED IN SUCH MANNER AS THE TRUSTEE DEEMS TO BE IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE BENEFICIARY.

27. THE INCOME OF THE ESTATE HEREIN CREATED SHALL ACCRUE FROM THE DATE OF MY DEATH, AND UNTIL THE TRUSTS ARE ESTABLISHED, I AUTHORIZE MY EXECUTORS, IN THEIR SOLE DISCRETION, FROM TIME TO TIME AND AT ANY TIME, TO PAY OUT INCOME OF MY GENERAL ESTATE TO THE RESPECTIVE INCOME BENEFICIARIES OF SUCH TRUSTS. THEY MAY PAY ADVANCE PAYMENTS OF INCOME, SUCH SUMS AS IN THE TRUSTEES SOLE DISCRETION ARE NOT IN EXCESS OF THE INCOME WHICH SUCH BENEFICIARY PROBABLY WOULD HAVE BEEN ENTITLED. ANY SUCH SUM PAID FROM THE PRINCIPAL OF MY GENERAL ESTATE SHALL BE REGARDED MERELY AS A TEMPORARY ADVANCE TO BE RESTORED TO THE PRINCIPAL FROM INCOME OTHERWISE PAYABLE TO THE BENEFICIARY TO WHOM SUCH ADVANCE SHALL HAVE BEEN MADE.

28. AS TO THE NET INCOME WHICH BY ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS WILL MAY BE PAYABLE TO ANY PERSON, HE OR SHE SHALL HAVE NO RIGHT OR POWER, EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO ANTICIPATE, CHARGE, MORTGAGE, ENCUMBER, ASSIGN, PLEDGE, HYPOTHECATE, SELL, OR OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF SAME, OR ANY PART THEREOF, UNTIL SAME SHALL HAVE BEEN ACTUALLY PAID IN HAND TO HIM BY THE TRUSTEE. NOR SHALL SUCH INCOME, NOR THE PRINCIPAL OR CORPUS OF ANY TRUST ESTATE, NOR ANY PART THEREOF, OR INTEREST THEREIN, BE LIABLE FOR OR TO ANY EXTENT SUBJECT TO ANY DEBTS, CLAIMS, OR OBLIGATIONS OF ANY KIND OR NATURE WHATSOEVER, OR TO ANY LEGAL PROCESS IN AID THEREOF, CONTRACTED OR INCURRED BY OR FOR SUCH PERSON, BEFORE OR AFTER MY DEATH.

29. ANY PAYMENT OF INCOME OR DISCRETIONARY PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL FROM ANY TRUST TO OR FOR ANY BENEFICIARY MAY, IN THE DISCRETION OF THE TRUSTEE BE MADE TO ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION (INCLUDING THE BENEFICIARY OR ANYONE HAVING CUSTODY OF THE BENEFICIARY WHO SHALL APPLY SUCH PAYMENT FOR THE

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USE AND BENEFIT OF THE BENEFICIARY AS PROVIDED HEREUNDER. UPON MAKING ANY DISCHARGE AS TO SUCH PAYMENT OR TRANSFER WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR THE SUBSEQUENT APPLICATION THEREOF, AND WHEN THE FINAL PAYMENT OR TRANSFER IS MADE FROM THE PRINCIPAL OF ANY TRUST, SUCH TRUST SHALL TERMINATE AND THE TRUSTEE SHALL BE FULLY DISCHARGED AS TO SUCH TRUST. ANY ADOPTED PERSON INCLUDING ANY PERSON ADOPTED BY ME, AND HIS OR HER DESCENDANTS, SHALL BE CONSIDERED TO BE DESCENDANTS OF THE ADOPTIVE PARENTS AND OF THE ANCESTORS OF SUCH ADOPTIVE PARENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES HEREUNDER, WHETHER SUCH ADOPTION OCCURS BEFORE OR AFTER THE EXECUTION OF THIS LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT.

30. I DIRECT THAT MY EXECUTORS AND TRUSTEES SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO GIVE BOND AND TO FILE AN INVENTORY OR APPRAISAL OF MY ESTATE, OR OF ANY TRUST OR SHARE THEREOF IN ANY COURT, AND THEY SHALL MAKE OUT AND KEEP AN INVENTORY AND SHALL EXHIBIT THE SAME TO ANY PARTY IN INTEREST AT REASONABLE TIMES, AND DIRECT THAT THEY SHALL ALSO BE FREE FROM THE CONTROL AND SUPERVISION OF ANY COURT. I HEREBY VEST IN MY EXECUTORS THE SAME FULL POWERS OF MANAGEMENT, CONTROL AND DISPOSITION OF MY ESTATE AS ARE GIVEN TO THE TRUSTEE HEREUNDER.

31. IF IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO HAVE ADMINISTRATION OF MY ESTATE OR ANY TRUST OR SHARE THEREOF IN ANY STATE OTHER THAN ALABAMA, MY EXECUTOR MAY NOMINATE AND APPOINT ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION AS ANCILLARY ADMINISTRATOR THEREOF, AND MAY COMPENSATE SUCH ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE ADMINISTRATOR'S SERVICES. SUCH ADMINISTRATOR SHALL COMPLETE THE ADMINISTRATION AND MAKE SUCH DISPOSITION OF THE PROPERTY ADMINISTERED BY IT AS MY EXECUTOR MAY REQUIRE, AND IN DOING SO SHALL HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS, POWERS, DUTIES AND DISCRETION HEREIN CONFERRED UPON THE EXECUTOR AND TRUSTEE.

ITEM FIVE

(A) MY EXECUTOR SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO EMPLOY AND COMPENSATE SUCH APPRAISERS DEEMED BY ME EXECUTOR NEEDFUL FOR THE PROPER APPRAISAL OF THE ASSETS OF MY ESTATE AND TO DO SO WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY NEGLECT, OMISSION, MISCONDUCT OR DEFAULT OF THOSE RETAINED WITH REASONABLE CARE. ANY PENALTY ASSESSED WHICH RELATED TO THE VALUATION OF ANY ASSET SHALL BE PAID FROM MY ESTATE SO LONG AS MY EXECUTOR SELECTED SUCH APPRAISER WITH REASONABLE CARE.

(B) MY EXECUTOR SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DETERMINE, IRRESPECTIVE OF STATUTE OF RULE OF LAW, WHAT SHALL FAIRLY AND EQUITABLY CHARGED OR CREDITED TO INCOME AND WHAT TO PRINCIPAL, NOT WITH-STANDING ANY DETERMINATION BY COURTS OR DEPRECIATION ALLOWANCES.

(C) IN ADDITION TO THE INVESTMENT POWERS CONFERRED IN ARTICLE ABOVE, MY EXECUTORS ARE AUTHORIZED (BUT NO DIRECTED) TO ACQUIRE AND RETAIN INVESTMENTS NOT REGARDED AS TRADITIONAL FOR ESTATES, INCLUDING INVESTMENTS THAT WOULD BE FORBIDDEN BY THE "PRUDENT PERSON" RULE. MY EXECUTORS MAY IN THEIR SOLE DISCRETION INVEST IN ANY TYPE OF PROPERTY, WHEREVER LOCATED, INCLUDING ANY TYPE OF TANGIBLE OR INTANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, AND IN ANY MANNER INCLUDING DIRECT PURCHASE, JOINT VENTURES, PARTNERSHIPS, LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS, CORPORATIONS, MUTUAL FUNDS, OR ANY OTHER FORM OF PARTICIPATION OR OWNERSHIP. IN MAKING INVESTMENTS MY EXECUTOR MAY DISREGARD ALL OF THE FOLLOWING FACTORS:

(i) Whether a particular investment, or the estate investments collectively, will produce a reasonable rate of return or result in the preservation of principal.

(ii) Whether the acquisition or retention of a particular investment, or the trust investment

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collectively, is consistent with any duty of impartially as to different beneficiaries. I intend that no such duty shall exist.

(iii) Whether the estate is diversified. I intend that no duty to diversify shall exist.

(iv) Whether any or all of the estate investments would traditionally be classified as too risky or speculative for trusts. The entire estate may be so invested. I intend that my executors have sole discretion in determining what constitutes acceptable risk and what constitutes proper investment strategy.

MY PURPOSE IN GRANTING THE FOREGOING AUTHORITY IS TO MODIFY THE PRUDENT PERSON RULE INsofar AS THE RULE WOULD PROHIBIT AN INVESTMENT OR INVESTMENTS BECAUSE OF ONE OR MORE FACTORS LISTED ABOVE, OR ANY OTHER FACTOR RELATING TO THE NATURE OF THE INVESTMENT ITSELF. ACCORDINGLY, MY EXECUTORS PROCEDURES IN SELECTING AND MONITORING THE INVESTMENT ARE PROVED BY AFFIRMATIVE EVIDENCE TO HAVE BEEN NEGLIGENT, AND THAT SUCH NEGLIGENCE WAS THE PROXIMATE CAUSE OF LOSS

THIS ARTICLE SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE ACQUISITION OF AN INVESTMENT (OTHER THAN TRANSFER FROM ME) WITHOUT THE WRITTEN CONSENT TO SUCH ACQUISITION OF THE ADULT BENEFICIARIES TO WHOM MY EXECUTORS ARE AUTHORIZED OR DIRECTED TO PAY NET INCOME OF THE ESTATE AT THE TIME OF ACQUISITION. DURING A PERIOD WHEN NO SUCH PERSON IS LIVING (AND COMPETENT), NO SUCH CONSENT SHALL BE REQUIRED. CONSENT SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED FOR THE RETENTION OF AN INVESTMENT. THE INDIVIDUAL OR INDIVIDUALS WHOSE CONSENT IS REQUIRED TO MAKE AN INVESTMENT SHALL HAVE NO RESPONSIBILITY TO ANY BENEFICIARY IN CONNECTION WITH GIVING OR WITHHOLDING CONSENT.

MY EXECUTOR MAY RETAIN OR CONSULT SUCH EXPERTS, INCLUDING SPECIALIZED INVESTMENT COUNSEL, APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS, AND ATTORNEYS, AS THEY IN THEIR SOLE DISCRETION DETERMINE WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR ADVICE IN THE SELECTION, MAINTENANCE AND DISPOSITION OF INVESTMENTS, WITHOUT REGARD TO ANY DUTY OF NON-DELEGATION, AND MAY PAY THE FEES OF SUCH EXPERTS, AS WELL AS ALL EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE ACQUISITION, STORAGE, MAINTENANCE AND DELIVERY OF INVESTMENTS, FROM INCOME OR PRINCIPAL OR BOTH OF THE ESTATE.

EXAMPLES OF THE INVESTMENTS AND FORMS THAT I INTEND TO AUTHORIZE BY THIS ARTICLE INCLUDE SECURITIES OFFERED BY NEW VENTURES, COMMODITIES, GOLD, SILVER, AND OTHER PRECIOUS METAL, WORKS OF ART, ANTIQUES, FOREIGN CURRENCIES, COINS, JEWELS, POSTAGE STAMPS, RARE BOOKS, HEAVY EQUIPMENT, OIL, GAS, MINERAL, TIMBER AND OTHER INTEREST IN NATURAL RESOURCES, BREEDING ANIMALS, FUTURE CONTRACTS, SPOT CONTRACTS, CLAIMS, PUTS, CALLS.

ITEM SIX

NO CONTEST

THIS WILL REFLECTS MY CAREFULLY CONSIDERED OBJECTIVES FOR HE DISPOSITION OF MY ASSETS. THIS SECTION IS INCLUDED IN THIS WILL TO PREVENT A POTENTIAL CONTESTANT FROM FRUSTRATING MY INTENT, AND CREATING EXPENSIVE AND DIVISIVE LITIGATION. TO ASSURE THAT MY TESTAMENTARY PLAN IS ACHIEVED, INTEND TO DISCOURAGE ANY CONTEST BY COMPLETELY DISINHERITING ANY CONTESTANT, AND HIS OR HER ISSUE WHO WOULD RECEIVE ANY DISPOSITION IF THAT CONTESTANT PREDECEASED ME. THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO ANY DISPOSITION TO A CONTESTANT'S ISSUE, UNLESS THAT DISPOSITION TO A CONTESTANT'S ISSUE IS CONTINGENT UPON CONTESTANT'S SURVIVING.

1. WILL CONTEST. THE TERM "WILL CONTEST" MEANS A DIRECT OR INDIRECT ATTEMPT TO CHALLENGE ANY PART OR ALL OF THIS WILL. IT INCLUDES ABETTING, BECOMING PARTY TO, COMMENCING, CONDUCTING, AND INCITING ANY ACTION, EVENT,

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CLAIM, DEMAND, DISPUTE, PROCEEDING SUIT: (a) TO RESIST, OPPOSE, UPSET OR OBJECT TO ADMITTING THIS WILL TO ORIGINAL OR ANCILLARY PROBATE OR TO OTHERWISE ADJUDICATING IT TO BE VALID: (b) TO ASSERT, FILE OR RAISE AN OBJECTION TO THIS WILL BASED UPON AN ALLEGATION INCLUDING FORGERY, LACK OF CAPACITY, DURESS, FRAUD, UNDUE INFLUENCE OR FAILURE OF DUE EXECUTION: (c) TO IMPAIR, INVALIDATE, MODIFY, SET ASIDE OR PREVENT CARRYING OUT ANY PART OF THIS WILL: WRITTEN OR ORAL AGREEMENT: (e) TO ASSERT ANY CLAIM AGAINST MY ESTATE: (f) TO ATTEMPT TO IMPOSE A CONSTRUCTIVE TRUST ON ANY OTHER THAN THE EXECUTORS, IN A FIDUCIARY CAPACITY: (h) TO ATTEMPT TO VACATE, NEGATE, RESCIND OR OTHERWISE SET ASIDE A FINAL ORDER, DECREE OR JUDGMENT ENTERED BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION ADMITTING THIS WILL TO ORIGINAL OR ANCILLARY PROBATE OR OTHERWISE ADJUDICATING IT TO BE VALID. THE TERM "WILL CONTEST" INCLUDES AGREEING WITH, OR THE PROCURING OF, ANY OTHER PERSON TO DO ANY OF THE FOREGOING ACTS. THAT TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE A DISCLAIMER, A RELEASE OR GOOD FAITH PROCEEDING TO CONSTRUER ANY PROVISION OF THE WILL, OTHER THAN THIS SECTION. AFTER THIS WILL HAS BEEN ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

2. EFFECT. THE TERM "CONTESTANT" MEANS ANY PERSON INTERESTED IN OR CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN MY ESTATE, WHO PARTICIPATES IN A WILL CONTEST, REGARDLESS OF PROBABLE CAUSE, GOOD FAITH, RELIANCE ON COUNSEL OR SUBSEQUENT WITHDRAWAL OF THE CONTEST. A CONTESTANT SHALL BE PRESUMED TO HAVE PREDECEASED ME FOR ALL PURPOSES MATERIAL TO THIS WILL. ANY APPOINTMENT OF A CONTESTANT AS A FIDUCIARY SHALL BE REVOKED. ALL DISPOSITIONS IN THIS WILL TO A CONTESTANT, OR FOR A CONTESTANT'S BENEFIT, MADE IN THIS ARTICLE FOR WHICH THERE IS NO ALTERNATE DISPOSITION IF THE CONTESTANT DOES NOT SURVIVE ME, SHALL BE ADDED TO MY RESIDUARY ESTATE TO BE DISPOSED OF PURSUANT TO MY RESIDUARY ESTATE. MY RESIDUARY ESTATE SHALL BE DISPOSED OF AS IF THE CONTESTANT PREDECEASED ME. IF A CONTESTANT'S ISSUE WOULD RECEIVE ALL OR ANY PORTION OF MY RESIDUARY ESTATE IF THAT CONTESTANT DOES NOT SURVIVE ME, MY RESIDUARY ESTATE SHALL BE DISPOSED OF AS IF THE CONTESTANT HAD PREDECEASED ME WITHOUT SURVIVING ISSUE. NO CONTESTANT SHALL BE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE ANY OF MY ASSETS; PASSING UNDER THIS WILL; OF ANOTHER PERSON; BY INTESTACY STATUTE; OR OTHERWISE. REGARDLESS OF ANY OF MY ASSETS; PASSING TO A CONTESTANT IN ANY MANNER OUTSIDE OF THIS WILL SHALL BE APPORTIONED AGAINST THOSE ASSETS, PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW.

3. TAXES AND EXPENSES. THIS SUBSECTION 3 SHALL APPLY IF A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION FINALLY DETERMINES THAT SUBSECTION 2 OF THIS SECTION IS WHOLLY OR PARTIALLY INEFFECTIVE. ALL EXPENSE INCLUDING COSTS, ALLOWANCES LEGAL FEES AND DISBURSEMENTS INCURRED IN DEFENDING A WILL CONTEST SHALL BE DEDUCTED FROM THIS DISPOSITION TO A CONTESTANT, OR FOR A CONTESTANT'S BENEFIT, AND SHALL NOT BE PAID AS AN EXPENSE OF ADMINISTERING MY ESTATE. IF THERE ARE TWO OR MORE CONTESTANTS, THOSE EXPENSES SHALL BE DEDUCTED PRO RATA FROM THE DISPOSITIONS TO THEM OR FOR THEIR BENEFIT. REGARDLESS OF ANY CONTRARY PROVISION. ALL ESTATE TAXES ON ALL ASSETS PASSING TO A CONTESTANT UNDER THIS WILL OR IN ANY MANNER OUTSIDE OF THIS WILL SHALL BE APPORTIONED AGAINST THOSE ASSETS, PURSUANT TO APPLICABLE LAW.

4. SEVERABILITY. IF A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION FINALLY DETERMINES THAT ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION IS VOID OR UNENFORCEABLE, FOR ANY REASON, THAT PROVISION SHALL BE IGNORED, AND THE REMAINING PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL REMAIN FULLY EFFECTIVE.

5. RECOMMENDATION. I STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT THE EXECUTORS COMMENCE ACTION FOR ABUSE OF PROCESS AGAINST EACH CONTESTANT WHO

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PARTICIPATES IN A WILL CONTEST. IF MY ESTATE PREVAILS IN A WILL CONTEST, I ALSO RECOMMEND THAT THE EXECUTORS CONSIDER NAMING AS A DEFENDANT IN EACH OF THOSE ACTIONS EACH ATTORNEY WHO REPRESENTED EACH CONTESTANT IN A WILL CONTEST.

I, JOHN JAMES KEYES, JR., "JACK", THE TESTATOR, SIGN MY NAME THIS 17TH DAY OF MARCH, 2004, AND BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, DO HEREBY DECLARE TO THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY THAT I SIGN AND EXECUTE THIS INSTRUMENT AS MY LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, AND THAT I SIGN IT WILLINGLY, THAT I EXECUTE IT AS MY FREE AND VOLUNTARY ACT FOR THE PURPOSES THEREIN EXPRESSED, AND THAT I AM 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER, OF SOUND MIND, AND UNDER NO CONSTRAINT OR UNDUE INFLUENCE.

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AND Cathy D McLean AND Jackie R. Cobb THE WITNESSES, SIGN OUR NAMES TO THIS INSTRUMENT, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, AND DO HEREBY DECLARE TO THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY THAT THE TESTATOR SIGNS AND EXECUTES THIS INSTRUMENT AS HIS LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT AND THAT HE SIGNS IT WILLINGLY, AND THAT EACH OF US, IN THE PRESENCE AND HEARING OF THE TESTATOR, AND THAT TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE THE TESTATOR IS 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER, OF SOUND MIND AND UNDER NO CONSTRAINT OR UNDUE INFLUENCE.

Cathy D McLean
Jackie R Cobb

STATE OF ALABAMA
JEFFERSON COUNTY

SUBSCRIBED, SWORN TO AND ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME JOHN JAMES KEYES, JR., "JACK" THE TESTATOR AND SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME BY CATHY D. McLEAN AND JACKIE R. Cobb, THE WITNESSES, THIS 17th DAY OF MARCH, 2004.

Kenny Lee
NOTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: 12/27/2009

Filed in office this the 1st day of July, 2014, for probate and record.

Alan L. King
Judge of Probate

CERTIFICATE TO THE PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Alabama
JEFFERSON COUNTY
BESSEMER DIVISION

CASE NO. 2014-046616

I, Alan L. King, Judge of the Court of Probate, in and for said State and County, 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 copy of the Last Will and Testament of **John James Jack Keyes, Jr. aka John James Keyes, Jr.**, deceased and that said will together with the proof thereof have been recorded in my office in Judicial Record, Volume _____, Page _____.

In witness of all which I have hereto set my hand, and the seal of the said Court, this date July 1, 2014.

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IN THE MATTER OF:

THE ESTATE OF:

JOHN JAMES JACK KEYES JR. aka
JOHN JAMES KEYES, JR.,
DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA
BESSEMER DIVISION

CASE NO. 2014-046616

ORDER ON FILING AND PROBATING THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

This day came **Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes**, filed a petition in writing, under oath, therewith producing and filing in this Court an instrument of writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of **John James Jack Keyes, Jr. aka John James Keyes, Jr.**, deceased, said will bearing date, the 7th day of March, 2006, attested by Cathy D. McLean, Jackie R. Cobb, and Kenny Joe Ausman; praying that the same be probated as provided by law; that the petitioner is the **daughter** of said deceased, and is named in said Will as executor thereof; and the next of kin of said deceased are as follow, to-wit: **Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, spouse, Bessemer, AL; John James Keyes, III, son, Hoover, AL; and Thomas Davis Keyes, son, Hoover, AL** who are over nineteen years of age and of sound mind.

And thereupon comes each of the above named next of kin expressly waiving all notices of the petition to probate said will and consenting that the same be probated at once, and the court having ascertained by sufficient evidence that the signatures affixed to said waiver of notices and acceptance of service are the genuine signatures of said next to kin; now on motion of said petitioner, the Court proceeds to hear said petition; and, after due proof and hearing had according to the laws of this state, the court is satisfied and is of the opinion that said instrument is a the genuine Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and that such instrument should be probated as the Last Will and Testament



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of said deceased. It is, therefore,

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Court that said instrument be duly admitted to probate the Last Will and Testament of said **John James Jack Keyes, Jr. aka John James Keyes, Jr.** and **ORDERED** to be recorded together with the proof thereof and all other papers on file relating to this proceeding. It is further **ORDERED** that petitioner pay the costs of this proceeding.

Done this the 1st day of July, 2014.

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Judge of Probate


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DECEASED.

) PROBATE COURT OF
) JEFFERSON COUNTY,
) ALABAMA

) CASE NO. 2014-046616

PETITION FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

TO THE HONORABLE ALAN KING, JUDGE OF PROBATE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY,
ALABAMA:

Comes your petitioner, Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, and, upon information and belief, respectfully shows unto your Honor the following facts:

1. In the last will and testament of John James "Jack" Keyes, Jr., Deceased, which said will has been or shall be duly probated and admitted to record in this Court, your petitioner is named as Executor thereof.

2. Your petitioner is an inhabitant of the State of Alabama. Your petitioner is above the age of twenty-one years, and in no respect disqualified under the law from serving as such Executor.

3. Under said will your petitioner is exempted from giving bond as such Executor. The said decedent died seized and possessed of certain real and personal property, the value of which is estimated, in the aggregate, to be approximately less than \$50,000.00. The value of the personal property is estimated to be less than \$10,000.00.

Wherefore, to the end that the properties constituting said estate may be collected and preserved for those who appear to have a legal interest therein, and that said will may be executed according to the requests and directions of said decedent, your petitioner prays that your Honor will take judicial notice of the probate of the will of the decedent, and will grant letters testamentary to petitioner in this matter-without entering into bond, as is provided by the terms of said will.


DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES

Petitioner

Address: 809 Milgray Lane
Bessemer, AL 35022

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STATE OF ALABAMA
JEFFERSON COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said county in said state, personally appeared Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, who being first duly sworn, makes oath that she has read the foregoing petition and know the contents thereof, and that she is informed and believes, and, upon such information and belief, avers that the facts alleged therein are true and correct.

Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes
DOROTHY MAE DAVIS KEYES

Petitioner

Address: 809 Milgray Lane
Bessemer, AL 35022

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June, 2014.

Cathy D. M. Lear
NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires: 7-30-17

Filed in office this the 1st day of July, 2014, approved,
prayer granted and ordered recorded.

John L. King
Judge of Probate



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IN THE MATTER OF:

THE ESTATE OF:

JOHN JAMES JACK KEYES, JR. aka
JOHN JAMES KEYES, JR.,
DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA
BESSEMER DIVISION
CASE 2014-046616

ORDER GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY WITHOUT BOND

Now on this day came Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes, and files in this Court her petition in writing, under oath, praying that Letters Testamentary upon the Will of John James Jack Keyes, Jr. aka John James Keyes, Jr., deceased, be issued to her.

It is therefore **ORDERED** and **DECREED** by the Court that Letters Testamentary upon said Will be granted to Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes 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 in this behalf be recorded.

DONE this date, 1st day of July, 2014.

Alan L. Krug

Judge of Probate



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LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Will of the above-named deceased having been duly admitted to record in said county, **Letters Testamentary** are hereby granted to **Dorothy Mae Davis Keyes**, the Personal Representative(s) named in said Will, who have complied with the requisitions of law and is authorized to administer the estate. Subject to the priorities stated in §43-8-76, Code of Alabama (1975, as amended), the said Personal Representatives, acting prudently for the benefit of interested persons, has all the powers authorized in transactions under §43-8-843, Code of Alabama (1975, as amended).

WITNESS my hand this date, July1, 2014.

Alan L. King

Judge of Probate

I, _____, Judge of the Court of Probate of Jefferson County, Alabama, Bessemer Division, 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 still in full force and effect.

WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court this date, the _____.

Judge of Probate
Bessemer Division



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JEFFERSON COUNTY

I, S. J. RHODES, Chief Clerk of the Probate Court of said County and State, do hereby certify

the foregoing papers to be, and contain a full, true and correct copy of the PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, CERTIFICATE TO THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, ORDER OF FILING

AND PROBATING THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, PETITION FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY, ORDER

GRANTING LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND LETTERS TESTAMENTARY

_____ as appears on file and of record in this Court.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this the 16TH day of JUNE, 20 15.

S. J. Rhodes
Chief Clerk

The State of Alabama

JEFFERSON COUNTY

I, Alan L. King, Judge of the Probate Court of said County and State, do hereby certify that,

S. J. RHODES whose name is signed to the preceding certificate of exemplification, is the

_____ Chief Clerk of the Probate Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, duly appointed and sworn, and that said Court is a Court of Record, and that full faith and credit are due to her official acts.

I further certify that the seal affixed to the said exemplification is the seal of the said Probate Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, and that the attestation thereof is in due form of law.

This the 16TH day of JUNE, 20 15.

Alan L. King
Judge of Probate

The State of Alabama

JEFFERSON COUNTY

I, S. J. RHODES, Chief Clerk of the Probate Court of said County and State, do hereby certify that Alan L. King, whose name is signed to the foregoing certificate, is the Judge of the Probate Court of Jefferson County, Alabama, duly elected and sworn, and that the signature of said Judge is genuine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this the 16TH

day of JUNE, 20 15.

S. J. Rhodes
Chief Clerk



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