

Bishop signed, published and declared said instrument as he
last will and testament on the 1st day of Jan'y 1846, the day of
the date of said instrument, in the presence of the deponents
and that the said testator was then of sound disposing mind
and memory, and twenty-one years of age, and that these deponents
subscribed and attested said instrument, as witnesses to the
signature and publication thereof at the special instance and
in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each
other, on the day and year of the date thereof.
Sworn to and subscribed on this, the 13th day of } J. A. Covington
Aug. 1845, J. D. Martin & Co

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Copiah County, State of Mississippi.

In the name of God Amen. I, Mary Winston
of feeble health, but sound mind, make this my last will & tes-
tament, I bequeath unto my son, Edward Winston, forty acres
of land, where his house now stands, beginning at the Southwest
corner on the Highway & Port Gibson road & running East
hundred & twenty yards, thence North Eight hundred & forty
yards, thence West two hundred & twenty yards, thence South to
place of beginning. I bequeath unto my son Andrew Win-
ston forty acres of land, the South Party of the land I
bought of Mrs. & Mr. J. J. Holliday, If one or both of
my above mentioned sons should die, without any male
heir, then the above mentioned land is to go back to the
Winston Estate & If one or both of them should have male
heirs they are not to have possession until they are turn-
ty one years old, but in case of death of one or both
of my sons & the survivor or both, should remain
single they are to have & control the above mentioned
property until they are of age, I bequeath unto
my son John Winston (deceased) the North Party of land of the land I bought
from J. J. Holliday, & my husband the
said Winston his heirs & assigns control it until they
become of legal age, In case of his death there is to
be managed & controlled by one of my sons, who is
to be selected by my executor whom I will hereaf-
ter mention. I bequeath unto my husband one hun-
dred & seven one acres of land my residence now
is on a portion of said land, & all of my personal prop-
erty consisting of one horse & my household & kitchen of-
fets, or any other property I fail to mention, I appoint Mr.
M. W. & E. E. Brown, Executors without bond to enforce
this my last wish. Given under my hand & seal this
7th day of December 1845. Mary Winston

In the Name of God Amen. I Mary Winston
of feeble health, but sound mind, make this my last will & tes-
tament, I bequeath unto my Son, Edward Winston, forty acres
of land, where his house now stands, beginning at the South West
Corner on the Hozhust & Port Gibson road & running East two
hundred & twenty yards, thence North Eight hundred forty
yards, thence West two hundred & twenty yards, thence South to
place of beginning. I bequeath unto my son Andrew Win-
ston forty acres of land, the South forty of the land I
bought of Mrs. & Mr. J. J. Holliday, If one or both of
my above mentioned sons should die, without any male
heirs, then the above mentioned land is to go back to the
Winston Estate & If one or both of them should have male
heirs they are not to have possession until they are turn-
ty one years old, but in case of death of one or both
of my sons & the wives of either or both, should remain
single they are to have & control the above mentioned
property until they marry again. I bequeath unto
my three grand children (children of Charles Winston de-
ceased) the North forty acres of land of the land I bought
from J. J. Holliday & wife. but my husband An-
drew Winston is to manage & control it until they
become of legal age. In case of his death there is to
be managed & controlled by one of my sons, who
is to be selected by my executors whom I will hereaf-
ter mention. I bequeath unto my husband one hun-
dred & seven & one acres of land my residence, now
is on a portion of said land, & all of my personal prop-
erty consisting of one horse & my household & kitchen ef-
fects & any other property I fail to mention. I appoint Mr.
M. L. & E. Broom, Executors without bond to enforce
this my last wish. Given under my hand & seal this
7th day of December 1874. Mary Winston

The State of Mississippi, Chancery Court.

Copiah County, In vacation, A.D. 1895.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the within instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Winston deceased of Copiah County.

I do hereby remember that before Chancery Clerk of said County, State, on the 28th day of Sept. A.D. 1895, personally appeared J. B. Groome & M. M. West, who subscribing witnesses to a certain instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary Winston deceased, late of Copiah County, who having first been duly sworn, deposed & said that the said Mary Winston signed, published and declared said instrument as her last will and testament on the 7th day of December 1894, the day of the date of said instrument in the presence of the deponents, and that the said testimony was then of sound disposing mind & memory, & that they deponents subscribed the attested will & instrument, as witnesses to the signature & publication thereof, at the special instance and in the presence of the said testator, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year of the date thereof given to & subscribed before them. I

J. Q. Martin Clerk

J. B. Groome

M. M. West.

State of Mississippi, I, Abraham Kramer of said County, Copiah County, and State, do make and constitute