

by virtue of this present.

Witness the Honorable Leroy B. Valliant Judge of Probate Court of said County the fourth Monday of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & sixty six Issued the 3^d day of April A.D. 1866

S.S.

W. A. Hayscraft, clerk

State of Mississippi
Washington County

By the Probate Court of said County at the April Term A.D. 1866 thereof.

Be it remembered that at a regular term of the Probate Court of said County held at the house of Louis Caffal in the town of Greenville that being the place provided & designated by the Board of Police of said County for the courts of said County to meet there being no court house in the County according to law, among other orders then & there made was one in the words & figures following to wit

In the matter of the last will & testament of Wm Hunt dec

Be it remembered that on this day Prudence B. Hunt one of the executors named in said will came into open Court, and took the oath presented by the statute in such case and thereupon the Court doth order adjudge & decree that letters Testamentary of said will be and the same are hereby granted and ordered to be issued to said Prudence B. Hunt in connection with George B. Hunt and Wm E. Hunt who have heretofore been qualified as Executors of said Will.

The State of Mississippi
Washington County

By the Probate Court of said County Whereas William Hunt deceased late of said County made in his lifetime his last Will & testament which at a term of our said Court begun & held at the Court house of said County on the fourth Monday of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & sixty six was proved, approved & admitted to record in said Court and probate thereof granted to Prudence B. Hunt at the April term 1866 thereof she being one of the executors thereof and therein appointed, and the said Prudence B. Hunt having complied with the provisions of the statute in such case made & provided, therefore to the intent that the said will may be well & truly performed we do grant & commit unto the said Prudence B. Hunt the administration of all & singular the goods chattels & credits of and belonging to the estate of said Testator with full power to

the same into his hands & possession and to ask & levy recover & receive the same wherever they may be in this state, hereby requiring & enjoining upon the said Prudence B. Hunt to make a true & perfect inventory of all & singular the goods chattels and credits which have or shall come to her hands possession or knowledge or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for her to exhibit the said inventory to our said Court within the time limited by law, to well & truly administer the said goods chattels & credits according to law, to make a just & true account of her actings & doings therein when there required by our said Court, and to well & truly pay & deliver all the legacies contained & specified in the said will, so far as the said goods chattels & credits will extend and the law shall charge her hereby confirming the said Executrix with full & ample authority to dispose of all & singular the said goods chattels & credits according to the tenor of the said last Will & testament and the true intent & meaning of the said testator by virtue of these presents

Witness the Honorable Leroy B. Valliant Judge of Probate of said County the fourth Monday of April in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & sixty

Issued the 27th day of April A.D. 1866

S.S.

W. A. Hayscraft Clerk
By W. Whigg D.C.

State of Mississippi
Washington County

I, J. B. Gray Clerk of the Probate Court of said County do certify that the foregoing is a true & perfect copy from the papers filed in my office of the said will & testament and of the Probate of said Will.

Given under my hand and official seal this 25th day of January A.D. 1867

S.S.

J. B. Gray Clerk
By B. H. Offutt, D.C.

State of Mississippi
Washington County

I, R. L. Dixon Sole & presiding Judge of the Probate Court of said County do hereby certify that J. B. Gray whose signature is affixed to the foregoing certificate is & was the Clerk of said Court at the date of said certificate is & was duly qualified and commissioned according to law, that his attestation is in due form of law and entitled to full faith & credit in judicature & out, and I further certify that W. A. Hayscraft whose signature is affixed to the part of the foregoing record was at the date of the

clerk of the said Court duly qualified & commissioned, that his attestation is in due form of law and entitled to full faith & credit. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 19th day of February 1867

I.S.S.

R. L. Dixon
Seal
Clerk

State of Mississippi
Washington County

I, J. B. Gray Clerk of the Probate Court in & for the County & State aforesaid do hereby certify that R. L. Dixon whose genuine signature ^{is on} certificate appears on the certificate was at the time of signing the same and now is the sole and presiding Judge of said Court and that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit.

Given under my hand & seal of said Court this 20th February A.D. 1867

J. B. Gray Clerk

The Commonwealth of Kentucky - To the Judge of any Court or any Justice of the Peace or any Notary Public or Commissioner of Deeds for Kentucky of the State of Mississippi Greeting You are hereby authorized to examine on oath George J. Blackburn and J. B. Gray touching the execution & publication of the last Will and testament of Wm. Hunt dec'd late of the state of Mississippi, a copy of which said Will and testament is hereto attached. You will cause them and each of them to state & say whether the testator executed & published the will admitted to probate in Washington County Mississippi as & for his last will, & acknowledge the same as such in their presence and whether they witnessed the same at his request and in his presence and whether said testator was of sound mind & disposing memory at the time, that they also state & prove whether the paper herewith purporting to be a copy is a true copy of said will as certified by the Clerk of the Probate Court. All of which you will certify in due form under your hand & seal up and direct the same with the copy aforesaid and mail the same addressed to the clerk of the Franklin County Court, Frankfort Kentucky.

Given under my hand as clerk of the County Court of Franklin, 7th Feb'y 1867

A. H. Renick c f c

State of Mississippi
Washington County

Be it remembered that on the

eighteenth (18th) day of February, A.D. 1867 by virtue and in pursuance of the commission herewith annexed to be read in the probate of the last Will & testament of William Hunt deceased in the County Court of Franklin County & State of Kentucky, the deponent being of sound mind and over twenty one years of age before me at my office in the town of Greenville county and state aforesaid, who being by me first duly cautioned, sworn & examined, the truth the whole truth and nothing but the truth to testify in answer to said interrogatories did depose & say as follows To wit

Answer of J. B. Gray

Answer to Interrogatory No 1

The testator did personally execute & publish the Will admitted to probate in Washington County State of Mississippi as & for his last will; further he did acknowledge the same as such in my presence. Answer to Int No 2. It was witnessed & signed by Mr Geo. J. Blackburn & myself as subscribing witnesses on the day of its making, at the request of said testator in his presence and that he was of sound mind, disposing memory & understanding.

Answer to Int. No 3. The paper herewith annexed purporting to be a copy, is a true & correct copy of the Original now on file in the office of the clerk of the Probate Court in & for said County of Washington & State of Mississippi in Book - of Wills & Bonds, pages 35 & 39 J. B. Gray

The State of Mississippi
Washington County

The depositions of George J. Blackburn & J. B. Gray taken on the 15th day of February, A.D. 1867. At my office in the town of Greenville county of Washington & State of Mississippi aforesaid in pursuance of the commission herewith annexed to be read in the probate of the last Will & testament of William Hunt deceased in the County Court of Franklin County State of Kentucky. The deponent being of lawful age and first duly sworn depose & say as follows to wit

Interrogatories propounded to & answered by George J. Blackburn &c

1st Did the testator execute & publish the will admitted to probate in Washington County Mississippi as & for his last will and did said testator acknowledge the same as such in the presence of said G. J. Blackburn & J. B. Gray

2nd - Was the same witnessed at the request of said