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The State of South Carolina	}	
County of Anderson	}	
Ex Partee	}	Petition to appoint
John B Orr &	}	W. N. Rankins
Thomas H McCann	}	Trustee of Sarah A. Rankins
Trustees of	}	and to nominate
Sarah A. Rankins	}	<u>him for Same</u>

To **W. W. Humphreys** judge of Probate

The Humble Petition of John B Orr and Thomas H McCann Sheweth unto the Court as follows,

I That **Thomas Orr** by a deed of trust dated the **25th June 1854**, appointed your Petitioners trustees, of **Sarah A. Rankins, his daughter** and that under Said deed, that they have been acting Ever Sence.

That the children of Sarah A. Rankins or Some of them have obtained their majority, and that the Convenience of the family requires that Some one of them be appointed Said trustee, which is desired by the Said Sarah A. Rankins, and they therefore nominate **W. N. Rankins her Son** to be appointed trustee in the place and stead of your Petitioners with all the rights and powers confered in Said Trust deed a Copy of which is herewith filed and marked Exhibit "A"

and the Said W. N. Rankins consents to Such appointment.

Your Petitioners therefor ask to be relieved from the trusteeship of the Said Sarah A. Rankins, and nominate W. N. Rankins as their Successor, and that a reference may be had to ascertain the account with your Petitioners and Sarah A. Rankins and when ascertained that the Same be turned over to the new trustee W. N. Rankins when appointed and that his recpt Shall be a full discharge of all the liabilities of your Petitioners in the premises and your Petitioners as is duty bound will Ever pray etc.

John B. Moore
Sol. Pro. Pet

The State of South Carolina
County of Anderson

Personally appeared before me John B.
Mr. Thomas H. McCarver
Clerk, and on oath says that the statements contained
in the foregoing petitions are true where made
from his own information and they believe it
true where received from the information of
others

sworn to before me this 10th day of 1874
John B. Moore
Not Public

John B. Moore
Thos H. McCarver

I Sarah A Rankins ask for the
removal of Philip Orr, and Thomas H
McCaun, as my trustees and that my
son W. N. Rankins be appointed
in their places, Jan'y 10th 1874.

Sarah A Rankin

I W. N. Rankins do hereby consent to
be appointed trustee of my Mother Sarah
A Rankins, Jan'y 10th 1874.

W. N. Rankins