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Magee, Mississippi,

March 17th. 1913
St. Patrick's Day.

Dear Mama:-

I am enclosing you the answers that I received from the County Clerks of Liberty County & Jefferson County Texas. You will see what they say about the matter of the Will of Judge Douglas. I guess that the Will will be recorded later on and then we can obtain copy of it. I understand that some one in this county - a Mrs. Brown or a Mrs. Gibson has a copy of the Will she obtained from some one over there, - possibly it came from Dan Banks. L.A. McCaskill saw the Will or the copy that this person had and he says that it was a very simple will, devising his real and personal property to one Mrs. Davis and his race horses to his negro jockey.

If I can procure a certified copy from the Clerk of Liberty County later on I will do so and send to you.

I had intended being with you all some the latter part of this week or first of April, but I am in receipt of decree from Chancery Court of Covington County appointing me special commissioner to examine into the affairs of the Bank of Seminary and report my findings to the Court by May 1st. The Bank is some ten years old and to review its workings from the beginning will entail a lot of work and time. I shall begin the work at once. I need the work and the money. I have letter from Nettie saying that she is on way to Terry. I am glad to say that she is muchly improved in health.

With much love to you and all home folk,

Mims