

presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names on
witnessed thereto. To. Miller.

Saml. S. Pitts.

Josephine Forrest.

Whereas John Henry De Butts has made and duly executed a
last will and testament in writing, bearing date the nineteenth day of Janu-
ary, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty one, which said
last will and testament and every clause bequest and devise therein
contained, I do hereby ratify and confirm, and being desirous of making
an addition thereto, do therefore hereby make this my Codicil, which I will
and direct shall be taken and held as part of my said will and testa-
ment, in manner and form following, that is to say: Having consti-
tuted and appointed John P. Tatum to be the Executor of my last will
and testament, and Guardian for my children, and having in like confi-
dence in him, do therefore by this my Codicil, direct that said named
Executor and Guardian, shall act as such without the form of giving
the usual bond in such cases as required by law.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my
seal the nineteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and thirty one.

Ino. To. De Butts.

Lead.

Signed, sealed, published and de-
clared by John Henry De Butts the
above named testator, as and for a
Codicil to his last will and testa-
ment in the presence of us, which
his request, in his presence, and in
the presence of each other, have sub-
scribed our names as witnesses
thereto. To. Miller.

Saml. S. Pitts.

Josephine Forrest.

I John Henry De Butts do hereby make this a Codicil to my last will
and testament, wherein I have directed that I will and direct shall be
taken and held as part of my said will and testament, in manner
and form following: I will and direct that the following
negroes shall be sold to persons for their own use, and not to be removed
out of the State of Maryland, unless their owners be such as to desire
it: To wit: Jim and Mary and their children, Rachel, and
her children, with the exception of her eldest child Margaret, pro-
vided she does not wish to take it with her. George, a boy bought
of Henry R. Galtis. The residue of my negroes I wish to be kept
for the use of my children until my Executors think it necessary.

Ministry, Patey, Maudie, Margaret (Rachel's child), Julia, (Eldest child
child) and Edward, two of the girls to be put out to milk, rooted up, and
the other two house servants and scamp shipped.

I advise and beg, call to Susan De Butts, five hundred Dol-
lars, in consideration of her faithful services. In testimony where-
of, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal the nineteenth day
of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred
and thirty one.

John H. De Butts.

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Signed, sealed, published and declared
by John Henry De Butts the above named
testator, as and for a Codicil to his last
will and testament in the presence of
us, who at his request, in his presence, and in
the presence of each other, have subscribed our
names as witnesses thereto.

Edward Hall.

Margaret C. Hereford.

John B. Hereford.

By it remembered, that on the 10th day of January, 1832, before me,
Alexander Moore, register of wills for Alexandria County in
the district of Columbia, came Elizabeth Miller, Samuel S.
Pitts, Edward Hall, Margaret C. Hereford and John B. Hereford,
witnesses to this last will and testament of John H. De Butts
deceased, and proved the same in due form of law.

Teste A. Moore.

Reg. wills.