

In the name of God Amen V. C. 1
I Frances Shiftall of the City of Savannah
in the State of Georgia widow do make this my
last Will and Testament in manner and form follow
ing that is to say

I give and bequeath unto my daughter
Esther all the property that I have purchased since
her fathers death all the negros found belonging to
me after my decease Isaac Abby, Glaunde Rosella
& Watkinson with the future issue of the female slaves
eight silver spoons one silver Milk pot one Bed one
Matrass one set Bed Curtains one set window curtains
and all the household linen sheets table cloths and tow
els and Bed spreads & the whole of the goods in the Shop
subject to the payment of one hundred dollars which
I give to my son Shiftall Shiftall and one hundred
dollars which I give to my daughter Pella Shiftall
which said last two legacies to be paid by my daugh
ter Esther as soon as she can make up the same from
the Shop sales and she is to act with in the prob
this left her as she thinks fit

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I give and bequeath unto my son Dr. Moses Sheffall and
my daughter Julia Sheffall during their natural
lives the annual interest of my Dutch Shares on the
Bank in Charleston equally to be divided between
them and at their deaths respectively said shares
are to go to my said daughter Esther to be disposed
of as she shall see fit.

I give to my son Dr. Moses Sheffall
a pair of silver shoe buckles containing my gold
fleur de lis and a gold piece of fifteen dollars value
to make a seal to remember me.

And as to my said
shares in the said Bank I will it to be sold and
the proceeds equally divided among my four
children.

As to my household furniture I give the
same to my daughter Julia Sheffall my daughter also
the carpet and as to the house and lot whereon
I live it is my desire that it may be divided
amongst my said four children and as to my
money found at my death my wish is to have
it equally divided amongst my said four chil-
dren.

My wearing apparel to be equally
divided among my two daughters Esther and
Julia.

And lastly I appoint Dr. Moses Sheffall
& Charles Hargrave and John Bolton Esq.
Executors of this my last Will and Testament
truly executing all former wills and seal with
my seal this fourth day of January one thousand
and eight hundred and fifteen.

Witnessed sealed published by the
said testator Francis Sheffall
and for his last will and Testa-
ment in our presence when in her
presence & in the presence of each
have subscribed our names as
witnesses here.

Richard Leake
John Anderson
Johnna Leake

Witnessed to the will of Mrs. Francis Sheffall deceased
August 2 1816

I give and bequeath to my son Dr. Moses Sheffall
and a legacy all my shares in the Savannah Bank
and Office or Company for the convenience of
his sister.

Witnessed and attested The signature of Francis
in presence of
Richard Leake
James H. Walker

Given
Chatham County 31st December 3 1820
Present the Honorable John P. Williamson &
George S. Coyle

Jurors of the Inferior Court of
Chatham County having taken and sworn
truly to have appeared Richard Leake
a subscribing witness to the annexed last Will
& Testament of Mrs. Francis Sheffall late of
Savannah Widow deceased who being duly sworn
did declare and say that he was present and did
see the said Francis Sheffall deceased sign & seal
and heard her pronounce publish and declare the
said annexed Instrument of writing to be and cor-
rect her last Will & Testament that the said
Francis Sheffall died was at the time of execu-
ting the same of Sound Mind and Memory to the
best of their disponent knowledge believing that he
the said disponent and John Anderson & Johnna
Leake subscribed their names as witnesses to the
said execution of the said Will at the request of
the Testatrix in her presence and in the presence
of each other.

Sworn in Open
Court this 31st
December 1820
J. M. Bond
6th Dec 1820

Richard Leake