

Lewis W. Garrison

In the name of God - Amen!

I, Lewis W. Garrison of the County of Newton
and State of Georgia being of sound and disposing
memory, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs
while I have strength so to do, do make and publish
this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all
prior wills by me at any time heretofore made.

And first I commend my soul to God who gave it,
and my body I desire to be buried.

And my worldly estate I dispose of as follows.
My entire estate both real and personal I give and
bequeath to my beloved Wife Mary E. Garrison during her
widowhood, or if she should not marry again after my
death, then for and during her natural life, to have my
said Estate and the absolute control of the same in every
respect even to the conveying of the same by sale or otherwise
as she may deem proper and right and I have ever said prop-
erly during my life, without her being required to account
to or be retained to any court or any person whatever -
so long as she may live as a widow. But in the event
that she should marry again after my death then I desire
and will that upon the happening of such event, my
Estate to be equally divided between each of my Children
now or may be living.

In witness whereof I the said Lewis W.
Garrison to this my Will consisting of this & the foregoing
pages have set my hand and affixed my seal this
December the twelfth Eighteen hundred & twenty three.

L. W. Garrison

Witness, sealed, published & declared
by the above named Lewis W. Garrison as
his last Will & Testament in presence of us,
who at his request in presence of each other
have subscribed our names as Witnesses hereto.

Robt. P. Wood of Newton County

John S. Henderson "

J. P. Sevier "

of the Board of Pioneers
at Charleston Sept 29th 1880

Before me on the 1st of Pioneers was on the day & that he
has L. H. Garrison, Esq. had published some edition of
freedom of state of blood describing some & saying
that he himself subscribed the same in a volume
the purpose of state at his private instance and
request and in the presence of Robert R. Wood and
John F. Thompson who also subscribed the same
in witness whereof in presence of state & of each other
that said three were executed freely and voluntarily
by state on the 1st day of December 1879

Given to me subscribed
before me the 29th 1880
D. H. Aubrey (Witness)

I am in common form of law and admitted
before at the 1st term of the Court of Pleading
of the County of Georgia.

D. H. Aubrey

(Witness)

Recorded October 16th 1880

D. H. Aubrey

(Witness)