

State of Oregon } In the name of God Amen.
Berrien County }

I William Lamb of said State and County, being of advanced age and knowing that I must shortly depart from this world and my Right and proper both as Executor, myself and family, that I should make a disposition of the property with which a kind Providence hath blessed me, I therefore make my last Will and Testament, hereby Revoking and Annulding all other Wills heretofore made by me,
Auk 1st

I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner suitable to my Circumstances and Condition. My Soul I trust shall return to God, with God who gave it. As I hope for eternal Salvation through the merits and precious blood of Christ, whose Religion I have professed, and as I humbly trust have enjoyed, for thirty Years,
Auk 2nd

I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid, without delay by my Executors, herein after named, as I am indebted to my Creditors should be delayed of their Rights, especially as there is no necessity for delay.
Auk 3rd

I give and bequeath to my daughter Julianne Hale, and to Catherine Maria Carroll, and Anne M. Lamb, in addition to what I have already given them I give the sum of five dollar Current Money each,
Auk 4th

To my son John C. Lamb I give and bequeath the Lot of Land Number Four hundred and forty six in the tenth district of Berrien County, with all the Rights, Privileges and Appurtenances, free from all Charge, or Encumbrance, to his own proper use benefit and behoof forever. Also my Negro man Cato, about thirty eight Years old, and also my Negro Girl Senoch, about six Years old, also my Horse hauled by the name of White,
Auk 5th

To my daughter Elizabeth Jane M^{rs} Donald wife of David M. Donald I give and bequeath,
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One hundred and fifty Acre of Land, siting
part of Lot of Land, Number four hundred and
fifty five, in the South district of Berrien County,
boundary laid out and set forth in a deed, from
John Lee to myself, with all its Rights, Privileges and
Appurtenances, to her proper use benefit and
I also give to her my Negro Man Handy, about
twenty two Year Old, Also my Negro Woman
Nelly, about forty nine Year Old, and my Negro
girl Mary Jane, about the age of sixteen Yrs, all
ask to.

To My Son William Joseph Lamb, I give a
portion of Lot of Land four hundred and twenty six
And aff of the South East Corner of said Lot, accor-
to the following boundary, Commencing at the end of the
Previous line on the Milltown Road, and running with
end of the field known as the big field, to the head
of Poplar branch, thence with said branch to its
Creek, down said Creek to the East North & South
line, of said Lot, thence South with said line to the corner
thence West, on the East and West line of said Lot, to
the Milltown Road, thence with said Road to the lying
the Corner of said field containing twenty acre, more
or less, with all its Rights, Privileges and Appurtenances to his
Only proper use, benefit and use of forever, Also I
give him my Negro boy Jim, about twenty nine Year Old
and my Negro Woman, Minerva about twenty nine
Year Old.

To My Grand Son John Alexander McDonald
the Only Child of My daughter Ann Frances
McDonald, and wife of Daniel B McDonald
I give and bequeath to my Negro boy Aaron about
twenty Year Old, my Negro Woman Stella about
seventeen. And Negro Child Maria about a Year
old, to his own proper use forever by father the
said Daniel B McDonald to Control and manage
the said property, to the best advantage himself &
use of said Alexander.

Ark 8 To My Son Edwin Julius Lamb, I give and bequeath
my horse, mares, in being all of his mares, furnished and
sundry, except the parts of said 4th, already disposed
of, with all the rights, mares and appurtenances, is given
to his heirs, right heirs and behoof, also my slave Mary
Handy, about fifty years old, and my Negro boy all
about eleven years old, and my Negro girl Hannah
and my horse mares named Dick, and my Bureau and
Furniture, exclusive of Antiques,

Ark 9 To My Grand daughter Selina Lamb, I give
and bequeath my Negro Child Mary, for her own
use and behoof forever, her Father John C Lamb
managing and controlling said Mary, as the property
of said Selina to the best advantage, use and
use of said Selina Lamb his Daughter

Ark 10 To My two Sons William Jacob and Edwin
Julian, Lamb, I give and bequeath jointly, all mares
furnished and forty seven, to their own proper use
and behoof forever,

Ark 11 I further assign and direct that all my property
not already disposed of be exposed to public sale
and the proceeds thereof equally divided between my
following named Children to wit My Son John C Lamb
My Daughter Elizabeth Jane McDonald, wife of Daniel
McDonald, My Son William Jacob Lamb and
My Son Edwin Julius Lamb, for their own use
and behoof,

Ark 12 I hereby constitute and appoint My Son
John C Lamb and Daniel F. McDonald
Ex. ex. to this my last will and testament.
This the 8th day of May 1861

William Lamb
Signed Sealed, Published and attested
by William Lamb as testator and witness
In the presence of us the undersigned

Who subscribe our many bills, in the presence
of the said Notary and of each other
This the 8th day of May 1861

Subscribed and signed
Notary

William D. Griffin
J. G. Council
J. H. Hilly
A. H. Sumner

Court of Arden
Berrien County, Dec 11th 1862

The will of William Lamb, being produced
in open Court, for probate by the Executor Dugal
J. McDermott, who has filed his petition to prove
the same, and the Notary to said Will William
D. Griffin J. G. Council & A. H. Sumner, having
subscribed the following affidavit I ordered on
said Will, come into open Court at the Regular
Term. William D. Griffin J. G. Council A. H.
Sumner, and being duly sworn, each took they
saw William Lamb sign and publish the
within as his last will and testament, while of sound
and disposing mind and they subscribed the same
for him, at his request, and in his presence, and
of each other, and that the same was executed
voluntarily by him on the day & for the purpose to have been
executed.

William D. Griffin
J. G. Council
A. H. Sumner

Subscribed and signed before me
in open Court, Dec 11th 1862
Dec 1st 1862

J. J. Peeply County

Recorded Dec 9th 1862

J. J. Peeply

County