

Georgia; On the Name of God Amen.

Bucks County 3d, Oliver H. P. Newton being, of sound mind, and in good health as usual for me, but knowing that it is appointed unto men to die, think it due to myself and family that I should make a disposition of the things entrusted to me by a kind providence, do therefore make this my last will and testament - hereby revoking all others made by me.

Item 1st I desire and direct that my body may be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition in life, my soul I trust, shall return to rest with God who gave it, as I hope for eternal life, through the merits and atonement of our blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Item 2nd I desire and direct, that all my just debts be paid without delay, by my executors, hereinafter appointed, the money to be raised from the proceeds of the crop, and sale of the land, on which I now live, and all the stock I may own at the time of my death, together with all the plantation tools, said sale to be made either publicly or privately, as shall seem proper at the time, by my executors.

Item 3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Susan P. Newton, a negro woman by the name of Mary, aged about twenty five years, and her child Auster, one and a half years old, and a negro boy, Alfred, about nineteen years old, a negro boy Edmund, about nineteen years old, a negro boy Augustus, about four years old, a negro girl Elizabeth, about thirteen years old, - all of the above to be for her sole and separate use, (with the exception of the provision below) during her widowhood - and, in the event of her marriage, it is my will, that the whole of my estate be equally divided between my wife Susan P. Newton and my son Lucian Newton - my wife Susan P. Newton shall enjoy one half of the above property during her natural life: not subject, in any way, to any debts or liabilities, of any future husband she may have, and at her death, the same to go, or revert, to my son Lucian Newton, and I also desire and direct that my executors hereinafter appointed, shall pay over to the guardian of my son Lucian Newton, from the proceeds of the above property during my wife's widowhood, Fifty dollars annually, for the purpose of paying for tuition, books &c.

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my son Lucian Newton, my silver watch and pocket Bible.

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Item 5th In case my son Lucien Newton, should die during minority, then the property given him in the third Item, also the reversing of the property at the death of my wife, to be equally divided between my brothers and sisters who may be living at the time of his death, share and share alike.

Item 6th And to avoid all misconstruction, I will further say - In case my son Lucien shall die before he comes of age, and my wife Susan P. Newton, shall afterwards marry at the time of her marriage, a division of the property is to take place, and the one half that was to go to my son is to go immediately to my brothers and sisters, and be equally divided, among such as may be living, at the time of his death, share and share alike.

Item 7th I hereby appoint James M. Newton, and Charles J. Newton, my Executors, to carry into effect this my last will and testament - giving them discretionary powers in all matters that will not violate the spirit of this Testament.

Oliver H. P. Newton

Signed Sealed and Delivered and published by Oliver H. P. Newton as his last will & testament, in the presence of us the subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said testator and each other -

Bryan W. Collier

William P. Farrar

William H. C. Mickelberry

Butts Court of Ordinary September Term 1849.
In open Court personally came James M. Newton and C. J. Newton Executors of the last will & testament of Oliver H. P. Newton late of said County dec'd. and produced before us this the last will and testament of said Oliver H. P. Newton, and the witnesses of said will, (to wit) Bryan W. Collier, and W. H. C. Mickelberry, which witnesses being duly sworn deposed and say, that they saw O. H. P. Newton the testator sign seal declare and publish, this instrument now presented, as his last will and testament, and that he signed the same freely voluntarily and of his own accord and without any compulsion whatever, that at the time of the execution of said will he was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and that the said witnesses signed the same at his request, in his presence, & in the presence

of each other, and that they saw William P. Farrar, sign the same
in presence of these witnesses, and in presence of the Testator.

September 3rd 1849.

Bryan W. Collier

Mr. H. C. Nickellberry

John W. McCord J.S.C.

J.W. Thompson J.S.C.

John Andrews J.S.C.

Butts Court of Ordinary September Term 1849.

Ordered by the Court that this will be admitted
to record.

John W. McCord J.S.C.

John Andrews J.S.C.

J.W. Thompson J.S.C.

Recorded this 5th Sept. 1849.

John McCord C.R.

State of Georgia, Sept. 1st 1849. The estate of John P. James esq to
Butts County. 3 John Hail adm't.

leash paid John Hail for funeral expenses	No. 1.	\$ 18	80
" " Wolff & Horbis for Coffin	" 2.	8	00
" Joseph C. Moseley	" 4.	17	10
" John McCord	" 5.	71	50
" James C. Thrastor note	" 6.	10	70
" Lat. Tucker "	" 7.	21	35
" " " Interest .	.	6	54
" Burrel & Wolley & Joseph C. Moseley note, principle & interest .	" 8.	125	79
" Henry Warner on fife .	" 9.	120	58
" James M. Bledsoe on note	" 10.	57	20
" " " " " .	" 11.	22	26
" " " " " .	" 12.	33	58
" Mr. Dunn .	" 13.	45	00
" Levi Kereur note .	" 14.	6	55
" John Grantham by settlement	" 15.	270	00
" J.C. Moseley for B. Wolley	" 16.	2	25
" Cotton Bagging .	" 17.	5	00
" H. W. Green for selling land	" 18.	1	00
" J. Hail .	.	55	17
" for sugar Coffee salt for family .	.	10	00
" Andrews & Little on note	.	9	57
Money spent in selling land in Cobb County	.	2	51
		\$ 880	44