

State of Georgia ³ In the name of God Amen,
Carroll County ³ I R W Gair of said State & County being of advanced
age but of sound mind and disposing memory, now owing that I must
shortly depart this life deem it right and proper both as regards
my family and myself that I should make a disposition of the property
with which a kind providence has blessed me. I do therefore make this
my last will and Testament hereby revoking and canceling all others by
me heretofore made.

1st I desire and direct that my Body be buried in a decent & Christian
like manner suitable to my circumstances and condition in life my
soul I trust shall return to God who gave it, as I hope for salvation
through the merits and atonement of the blessed Lord & Savior Jesus Christ

2^d I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without
delay by my Executrix herein after named and appointed

3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Almada Gair (27) two
hundred and thirty acres of land it being the Smith Martin Mill
Place in the 4th District in said County to have and to hold during
Widowhood. In the event she marries the said property to be equally
divided among my heirs. I also bequeath and devise to my dearly beloved
Wife Almada during her Widowhood the following named slaves
One Woman named Jane and two children and one Girl named Martha
& one Girl named Emilie one boy named Green one Girl named Victoria
if she should marry the said property to be equally divided between
my heirs, and that at the death of my beloved Wife Almada the foregoing
property is to be divided equally between my heirs And if any of heirs
die without bodily heirs the property going to them shall be divided equal-
ly between my other heirs I also give and bequeath as above named to my
beloved wife all of my stock and farming utensils. I hereby constitute
and appoint my wife Almada Gair my Executrix of this my last Testa-
ment this 1st day of December 1864 R. W. Gair

Signed sealed and published by Russell W Gair as his last Will &
Testament in the presence of the undersigned who subscribe our names hereto
in the presence of the Testator at his special request and in the presence of
each other the December 1st 1864 R. W. Gair

R. W. Gair dated January 9th 1867

J. M. Dall A. C. S.

E. D. Moore
Henry Aberry