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furniture held as soon as may be convenient, with three hundred acres of
land adjoining Washington and Mayors Savills fifty acres adjoining land
of Mr. Healden and John Houston, and four and half lots of land in
Springburg, the whole to be sold and the money so arising to be paid
to the paying my debts, and lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and
appoint my Brother Lewis Bourquin Heall, my sole and only
Executor to this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former
wills by me at any time heretofore made. In witness whereof I have
to this will and testament, hereunto set my hand and seal, this
fourteenth day of November, in year of our Lord one thousand seven
hundred and eighty ^{three} four and in the eighth year of American independence
signed, sealed, and delivered David Heall

in the presence of John Heall, Frederick Rehn, } David Heall (S)

Provd 3^d April 1784

Ordinary's office } I do hereby certify the within to be and
Baltimore District } contain a true copy of the original will of
David Heall, of record in this office

Samuel Hay

Clerk

State of Georgia

The annexed Instrument purporting to be my last will and testament
was written at a period when I was flattered with the hope of my dear
wife, now deceased, out living me, but it having pleased the supreme
disposer of events to take her from this world, whilst I am permitted to
exist, it became necessary that I should make and execute another will
but alas that neither love nor more in whom to confide the education

Religion and morals of my children; I must depend on their relation
and friends, and the strong impressions already made upon their young
minds by the excellent advice and example of their dear departed mother

and I particularly request of my children to read the annexed expression
of my will which was to have been of force had their mother survived
me it will instruct them how amiable and virtuous she must have
been to have so entirely commanded my confidence and my
father continues to hope that they will endeavor to imitate such virtues

I do declare and pronounce the following to be my last will and testament
I give that all my just debts / a schedule of which is hereto annexed / be
discharged equitably and with as little delay as possible.

It is my particular desire that my children do receive a perfectly liberal
and finished education, and that the boys do be brought up to some gentle
and useful profession, by which they may be enabled to advance themselves
with merit in society, and their labours and attention to which will
promote health, temperance and usefulness.

I give to and amongst my dear children the whole of my estate real and
personal to be divided equally share and share alike, and as by deed some part
thereof was secured to them to be divided in the same way, there will be no interference
whatever, but a corresponding and equitable division throughout, unless as to
respect the reversion of Bonaventure, which by deed goes to the other male
child, the issue of M^{rs} F. and myself.

To the negro woman named Bess who has had the care of all our children
from their infancy to the present time and who has discharged the trust reposed
in her with affectionate attention, and exact conduct and attachment
to her Master's service in her last illness entitled her to such reward
I leave her entire freedom and manumission from the time of my death,
and it is my particular request that my executors do take the necessary
steps under the laws to place the said faithful negro woman Bess
in her full Liberty, free and unshackled by slavery, by which merit will
receive its deserved reward.

It is my particular desire and I request the pointed attention of my executors
therein that two Slaves be placed in the burial ground at Bonaventure near
my dear relations similar to that placed over M^{rs} F. with the
inscription to each annexed to the Margin of this instrument, it was my intention
to have had them placed there before I sailed for Europe, but the stress
of business compelled me very reluctantly to defer it, I have therefore
to solicit of my executors that the cost be defrayed out of the proceeds of my
first Crop.

And whereas it is my intention very shortly to embark for Europe with
my family and as it is possible the whole of us be lost upon that
dangerous Element the Ocean, and as in such event I had one of my
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children being spare to inherit my estate) I would wish to declare my intention
with respect to my estate I do therefore pronounce the following as my will and
desire to wit my family becoming by any means extinct, before the arrival
of age of any or either of them the whole of my estate real and personal to revert
to and belong to the children of my deceased brother Jos^{ph} T^{all}mall to share
& share alike, subject however to the following legacies and bequests to the
children of the late Martin Campbell Esq^r Viz^t Maria Holbeck Sarah
Campbell Martha Campbell, Harriet, and Edward Campbell, each the
sum of eight hundred dollars - to the Charitable institution termed the Savannah
Female Asylum the sum of five hundred dollars - to the Charitable Institution known
by the name of the Review Society the sum of five hundred dollars, and it
is my desire that the aforesaid several legacies be paid out of the
of my Estate soon as possible, and before the same shall be any way
divided or disbursed unless by consent of all concerned.

Lastly I leave George Jones, Nichol Turnbull, W^m
Stephens, Ches Jackson and my Nephew Josiah M. Tallmall Executors to
this my will and testament signed and sealed this thirteenth day of
February eighteen hundred and three at Savannah state aforesaid.
signed and sealed in

presence of } Josiah Tallmall Jun^r
Jos. Habersham.
Barack Gibbons.
Jas. Hunter.

Georgia } Before the honorable the court of ordinary for the county of
Chatham in the state aforesaid personally appeared James
Hunter one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing
last will and testament of Josiah Tallmall Jun^r
who being duly sworn swears that he was present
and did see the said testator sign, seal and publish
and declare the same to be and contain his last will &
testament and that he was of sound mind at the time
to the best of this deponents belief and that Joseph
Habersham & Barack Gibbons together with the
deponent subscribed their names as witnesses to the same

at the request and in the presence of the said testator and such other persons as open and

James Houston

Witness My hand
at New York City
this 1st day of July 1863

In the name of God Amen.

I, Peter Sebastian of the city of Savannah in the county of Chatham, and state of Georgia. Watch maker, although suffering under some affliction, yet being of perfect sound and disposing mind, and considering the uncertainty of this weak and transitory life, do make my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say, -

First, according to the Ancient, good and laudable custom of which my heart and understanding recognize the propriety, I bequeath my soul to God, its maker, hoping for his mercy through the only merits of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ; my body, I desire to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors herein after named, in all humility praying that I may a part in the resurrection of the just.

And as to the worldly property which it has pleased God to bestow on me after all my just debts and funeral expenses are fully paid and satisfied, I do by this my last and only will, devise, bequeath and bequeath unto my much respected Friend John Henry Dupont thirty watches. I give devise and bequeath unto the said Susannah Telford one hundred and fifty dollars. The residue of my property of what nature or kind soever I hereby give and bequeath to the said John H. Dupont, say about four hundred ninety dollars in cash exclusive of my outstanding debts amounting to about two hundred dollars, subject nevertheless to my just debts and funeral expenses as above mentioned, to hold the said bequests unto them separately, their heirs and assigns to and for their separate use and benefit forever.

I desire that all matters or other matters which may remain in my possession at the time of my decease finished or unfinished, may by my Executors, or even as committed after my decease, be given up to the respective owners and not profiting to the same, trusting that no words herein