

State of Georgia.
(Page 1) Richard Wayne, of Savannah,
Merchant, do make this my last will & testament, in manner
form following, &c.

First. I will and bequeath, and it is my particular desire & request
that my son James Moore Wayne, and William Clifford Wayne,
shall each of them be allowed, and paid out of my estate, in addition
to any such I may hereafter leave them, the sum of Four Hundred
and Fifty Dollars, each, per annum, for their schooling and edu-
cation, cloathing and maintenance, out of my real and personal
estate, or out of the income thereof, from the time of my decease, to the
day they arrive to the years of twenty one.

Second. It is further, my will and real meaning and intention,
that no part of my Estate, either real or personal, shall not
be sold, exchanged, or in any way disposed of or conveyed,
away, until my son William Clifford Wayne is twenty
five years of age. Being my express will, wish and desire
that my Negroes, Plantations, Houses, wharves, &c. be kept
together and improved in the most productive manner
possible, with the only exception of my Household Furni-
ture, which I do hereby allow them to sell or dispose
as my heirs and Executors may agree amongst themselves,
until my said son William Clifford Wayne shall ar-
rive to the years of twenty five years of age. It is my will,
wish, order and desire, that the Crops, profits, rents and
emoluments arising yearly from my said estate (after the
necessary improvements, negroes wages and provisions are
deducted) shall be yearly divided, between my children
as herein expressed, ordered and intended by me, such
part as may belong to my son James Moore Wayne and
William Clifford Wayne, shall be kept and maintained
in the hands of my Executors, until they arrive to the year
of twenty one (as the four hundred and fifty dollars
each above and herein mentioned will be amply sufficient
to maintain them, until they arrive at the age of

Thirdly, I give and such part of my estate as is left me after
the use, benefit and education of the four children
my son Richard Wayne, shall be under the
(Page 2) and management of the Trustees hereafter named
do hereby and herein solemnly approve & confirm
H. M. Ellis, and my son James Moore Wayne
Trustee for the purpose of taking care of the same.

income is left to my son Richard children - say one fifthth part of the profits, rents, and emoluments as within expressed.

Item I will and bequeath to my daughter Eliza Clifford Anderson (the wife of George Anderson, Esq.) to her and the heirs of her body, all the two parts of the profits, rents, emoluments, as within expressed.

Item I will and bequeath to my daughter Mary Stiles, wife of R. M. Stiles, Esq. and to the heirs of her body, all her part of the profits, rents, emoluments, as within, on the first page, expressed.

Item To my son James Moore Wayne, all his part, all his part of the profits, rents, emoluments, as within, on the first page, expressed.

Item To my son William Clifford Wayne, all his part of the profits, rents and emoluments, as within on the first page expressed.

Item Whereas my son Richard has been unfortunate in his mercantile transactions, and is involved in debt, which I am determined no part of Estate shall go to pay, (I do therefore hereby give and bequeath such share of my Estate which my said son should otherwise have received) unto George Anderson W. M. Stiles, Esq. and my son James Moore Wayne, and the survivors of them, & to the heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns of such survivor, in trust nevertheless to and for the following uses and purposes, to wit: That the proceeds and profits thereof, shall be applied to the support and maintenance of my son Richard's four children, at the direction of the said George Anderson and Richard M. Stiles, Esq. and James Moore Wayne, or the survivor of them, their heirs, executors or assigns, and in case of the death of any one of my said children, before they become of age, such child's share shall be equally divided between the remaining surviving children but not until (page 3) they arrive at the years of twenty-one, but until that period, their persons and their property so therein devised, are to be under the immediate care and direction of the said George Anderson & M. Stiles, and James Moore Wayne, their heirs, executors and assigns, in trust as herein expressed, for their maintenance, clothing and education, until they arrive at the years of twenty-one; But should either of the girls marry, before they are twenty-one, or at any other period, my said Executors are to require, order and insist that a marriage settlement be made, before their marriage, in such girl's marrying, to her and the heirs of her body, of any part or parts of property she may be intitled to from my estate as expressed in this my Will. But should either of the

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Girls, be obstinate or run counter to these, my directions
to the applications, order and directions of my Executors
George Anderson, N. M. Stiles and James Moore Wayne
then and in that case it is my Will and directions that
either, or both of the Girls, (the daughters of my son
Richard) so neglecting to comply with the above direc-
tions, shall forfeit such part of my Estate, which shall
go to and be divided between the other children of my
son Richard, share and share alike, hereby declaring it
as my Will and Intention, that no part of my Estate, real or
personal, real or personal or the proceeds, profit or labor of the
same, shall go or be applied in any manner towards the
discharge, satisfaction, or payment of either or any part
of my said son Richard's debts, already contracted, or that
may hereafter be contracted - And, in case any attempt
should be made by the said Creditors or any of them, or by my
son Richard, or any one else, to make answerable and liable, or
to sell, incumber or dispose of any of my property, real or personal
at whatever, for the satisfaction or discharge or payment of
any such so due, or that may become due by the said Rich-
ard Wayne, said

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charge and said the said George Anderson, N. M. Stiles,
and James Moore Wayne of my Executors to this my Will
(Page 4) or either of them, their heirs, executors, or assigns, and the sur-
vivor of them, to take into their care, custody and possession
all and every part of such property, real and personal (so
bequeathed in trust to his children,) that they themselves may
intend in this regard may carry the same into effect, and
do manage and conduct with the proceeds thereof, in that
they conceive to be my wish and desire, and that the child-
ren of the said Richard Wayne, Jun. may be deprived
means be deprived of said property, or any part thereof.

Item. When the period shall arrive that my son, Willard
Ford Wayne, is twenty five years of age, it is then my
wish, order and desire, that all my property real and
personal of every kind and denomination whatever shall be
sold by three respectable, prudent and experienced free
White planters, the Negroes in particular shall be
into five lots of as near value as possible, and the
and valuation of my Negroes shall be put into
the said appraisers with the names of
Lots to be drawn out of a state by

of age. The Trustees of my son Richard's children drawing first my other children drawing first my other children drawing in rotation agreeable to seniority, with such draft or drawing out of the hall, they must be content and satisfied with and when they are in possession of each their shares of Negroes so drawn out of the hall, they are to employ them as they see proper, excepting such Lot of Negroes which may fall to my son Richard's children, it is my wish that my Trustees herein appointed for the said children, do keep the Negroes together, on a Rice or Cotton plantation, and work them to the most possible advantage for the benefit of the said children of my son Richard. And it is my further will, wish and desire, the Trustees herein mentioned, would employ my said son Richard, as manager, or overlooker, of the said Negroes & Plantation, so settled for the use and benefit of my four grand children - the Children of my said son Richard, and that the Trustees George Anderson, R. M. Viles, and James Moore Wayne, are fully authorised to make such compensation or allowance for his services in managing & overlooking the interest (Pages) of my said Grand children, as they or their Executors may see proper, and which shall be binding, and that they shall in no respect be liable to my heirs, my Grand children, the children of my son Richard) for any such contracts or allowance they may see proper to make.

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Item. When the period shall arrive that my son William Clifford is twenty five years of age, it is then my will, wish, order and desire, that all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed property of every kind and denomination, shall be appraised by three respectable, prudent and experienced freeholders (Rice planters) which done and properly certified by the said freeholders so appointed, It is my Will, order and directions, to my Executors herein mentioned, to advertise a sale of all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed Property in the Savannah and Augusta Newspapers, to advertise at least three months previous to the sale, and the sale to take place at the Court House in Savannah, (on the days of sale appointed by law for Sheriffs Sales) And then and there to put up to sale and sell all my Houses, Stores, Wharves, & Landed Property, at the credit of one, two three and four years credit on Bond, with two good securities and more

gave on the property. The net proceeds of the Sales thereof shall be equally divided as herein after mentioned and set down, viz.

Third I will, give and bequeath to George Anderson, R. M. Stiles, and James Moor Wayne, (in trust nevertheless) for my four Grand Children (the Children of my son Richard) the Lot of Negroes, as herein before mentioned. Also, I will, give and bequeath to the said Trustees above named, in trust for the four Children, (the Children of my son Richard) one fifth part of the Sales or Net proceeds of all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed Property, of every kind and denomination, to be immediately under the care, management and control of the Trustees above named. And to be subject to my directions and restrictions as is particularly described and declared by me in that part of my Will respecting the appraisement and division of my Negroes.

Page 6.) Third I will, give and bequeath, to my Daughter Elizabeth Clifford Anderson, the wife of George Anderson, Esq. and to the heirs of her body forever, the Lot of Negroes as herein before mentioned. Also I will, give and bequeath to my said daughter, Elizabeth Clifford Anderson, the wife of George Anderson, Esq. and to the heirs of her body, one fifth part of the Sales or Net proceeds of all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed Property of every kind and denomination.

Fourth I will, give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Stiles (the wife of R. M. Stiles, Esq.) and to the heirs of her body for ever, the lot of Negroes as herein before mentioned. Also I will, give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Stiles (wife of R. M. Stiles, Esq.) and to the heirs of her body, one fifth part of the Sales or Net proceeds of all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed Property of every kind and denomination.

Fifth I will, give and bequeath to my son James Moor Wayne the lot of Negroes as herein before mentioned. Also I will, give and bequeath to my son James Moor Wayne one fifth part of the Sales or Net proceeds of all my Houses, Stores, Wharves and Landed Property of every kind and denomination.

Sixth I will, give and bequeath, to my son William the lot of Negroes as herein before mentioned. Also I will, give and bequeath to my son William

Fifth part of the Sales or not proceeds of all my Houses, Stores
Furniture and Landed Property, of every denomination
I will give and bequeath to George Anderson, W. M. Stiles,
and James Moon Wayne, their Executors, their and as for as
my Negro woman Minny, with her three children, Emory,
Jen. Rachel, with her and their future increase (in trust
nevertheless) to and for the like use, benefit and behoof of
the Children, say the four children of my son Richard, as
herein before particularly limited and expressed.
I will give and bequeath to my daughter Eliza
both Clifford Anderson (the wife of George Anderson, Esq)
and to the heirs of her body, my Negro woman Sarah, my
Negro woman Amy, and my Negro boy Cuffee, with their
Children, earnings and increase forever, which Negroes
are in her possession.

I will give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Stiles (the
wife of Richard M. Stiles, Esq) and to the heirs of her body
my Negro woman Molly, my Negro woman Mariah and
my boy Adam, with their increase forever, which Negroes are
now in her possession.

I will give and bequeath to my son James Moon Wayne
my Negro woman Sarah and my Negro boy Titus, with
their earnings, and increase forever.

I will give and bequeath to my son William Clifford
Wayne my Negro woman Cloc, but not her increase hitherto
but any increase she may have after the date of this my Will,
Also my Negro boy Jamaica forever.

I will give and bequeath to my Grandson George Wayne
Anderson, my Negro girl Louisa with her increase forever
which girl has been in possession of his father and mother
for years past.

I will give and bequeath to my grand daughter Elizabeth Mary
Anderson, my Negro girl Moll, with her increase forever,
which girl is in possession of her father and mother.

I will give and bequeath to my grandson John Wayne
Anderson, my Negro girl Matilda, (Long Harry's daughter,
with her increase forever.

I will give and bequeath to my Grandson Richard
Wayne Stiles my Negro girl Fuchey, to him and his heirs
forever, with her increase, which girl has been a length
of time in his father and mother's possession.

I will give and bequeath to my Grand daughter Elizabeth

Clifford States, the daughter of my daughter Mary
States, my negro girl Venus, to her and the heirs of her
body, which girl is in her father and mother's possession.
Item. Swift, girl and bequeath to my grand daughter, Sa-
rah Anderson States, my negro girl Andy, (body cany's daugh-
ter, cany's daughter,) to her and the heirs of her body for-
ever, with her earnings and increase.

Item (Page 5) Swift, girl and bequeath to my grandson, Jam-
es William Anderson, (the son of my daughter Eliza "Cliff-
ford Anderson, my negro girl Eliza (body cany's daugh-
ter by Munnia) with her earnings and increase forever.

Now Should it please the Almighty to take to himself either
of my sons James Moore Wayne or William Clifford
Wayne, before they are twentyone years of age, then and
in that case, may will order and direct, that the portion
by him left by me to such son so dying before he is
twentyone years of age shall go and be equally divided
share and share alike, between my surviving children,
for the use and intension as herein before expressed.
Finally & Lastly, I hereby appoint my ^{dear wife} worthy
friends, ^{James Moore Wayne} James Moore Wayne, Esq and James
Moore Wayne, my lawful Executors, revoking all other
Wills prior to this my last Will & Testament.

In Witness whereof I have signed and sealed
the same, this twenty first day of October, in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred & eight, and
in the Year of the Independence of our
rightly of the United States of America.

Signed, sealed and deliv-
ered by the Testator, as his
last Will & Testament.

in the presence of us,

John W. Cooper

Sam. J. Lightbourne,

Henry Tucker

R. Wayne Esq.

Georgia } Before the Honorable the Court of
County of Chatham }
aforesaid, Personally appeared the
the subscribing witnesses to the

and Testaments of Richard Wayne, deceased, who being
duly sworn saith that he was present and did see the said
Testator sign, seal, publish and declare the same to be and
contain his last Will and Testament, and that he
was of sound mind at the time to the best of thy de-
ponents belief, and that Ephraim Cooper, and Samuel
H. Lightbourn together with the deponent, subscrib-
ed their names as Witnesses, at the request and in
the presence of the said Testator, and of each other.
Given in open Court. Henry Tucker
13th July 1809. Ed. White Clerk

George Anderson and R. M. Miles appeared
and were qualified Executors. 7 May 1817 Saml. M.
Wayne Esq. qualified as Executor -

(Translation)

I the Subscriber, Jacques Philippe Rossignol de Grandmont,
inhabitant of St Domingo, have done and written the present
Will, and Testament containing my last dispositions rela-
tively to all that I possess in the United States of America.
Article First. I do hereby confirm in all its contents
the Testament of my hand writing that I have done in this
City of Savannah, the twenty fourth day of the month of
October of this present year one thousand eight hundred
and eight, which Testament is relative only to the several
properties that I possess in the island of St Domingo & France.

Article Second. I name by the present my wife Ma-
rie Madeline Henrietta Rossignol de Belknap, my Tes-
tamentary executrix for all that I possess in the United
States of America.

Article Third. I give and bequeath in all property to
my said Wife, Marie Madeline Henrietta Rossignol
de Belknap, all that I possess without any exception in the
United States of America, moveable and immovable
property, negroes, ready money, bills, linen, beds and every
other effects, whatever, to the charge by my said wife, to
pay to my mother what I owe her, and also to the
charge of paying to Mr. Puet de Florivier the sum
of fifteen hundred and fifty Dollars that he has loan-
ed me, with the interest thereon from the twelfth of July,
last of this present year, one thousand eight hundred eight of