

Georgia.

In the name of God amen! I, William Henry Spencer of the County of Chatham in the State aforesaid being sick and weak in body but of sound mind memory and understanding praise be to God and considering the uncertainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof to the end that I may be the better prepared to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me from it I therefore make and declare this my last will and testament in manner following; that is to say, first and principally I commend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God my Creator, and as to such worldly estate where with it hath pleased God to intrust I dispose of the same in the following manner. In the first place, My will is and I do hereby direct that the Executors of this my last will and testament who is herein after to be mentioned and appointed do as soon after my decease as conveniently may be sell and dispose of all that my fourth part of a certain Tract of land situated on the River Altamaha in the County of McIntosh and State of Georgia.

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apportioned which fourth part of the said tract of land, full and entire to be
given my father's estate together with my negro man George and my negro woman
Betty and her future issue and increase and also all that the eastern half
part of a tract of land on which I have usually resided situated and be-
ing in little Cyrenah district in the County of Chatham aforesaid and also
my negro woman do hereby the proceeds arising from the sale of said
fourth part of the said tract of land, full and entire of the said tract
of the said tract of land last mentioned and of the aforesaid lands, to
the payment and discharge of such of my just debts as may be required
and due by me at the time of my death and of my funeral expenses
Then I do hereby give, devise, and bequeath unto my son James John
Whittendal Spencer his heirs and assigns forever All those the two eastern land
parts of that tract or parcel of land aforesaid last mentioned and
described that is to say the tract of land on which I have usually
resided situated and being in little Cyrenah District in the County of
Chatham aforesaid together with all and singular the buildings
rights members and appurtenances unto the said two eastern third
parts of the said tract of land aforesaid and belonging, to have
and to hold the said two eastern third parts of the said tract of land
together with all and singular the buildings rights members and
appurtenances thereon and thereto appurtenant and belonging
unto the said James John Whittendal Spencer his heirs and assigns
forever subject nevertheless to the disposition of the said two eastern third
parts of the said tract of land aforesaid to be made and con-
tained - and I do also hereby give leave and bequeath unto my
said son James John Whittendal Spencer his heirs and assigns forever
my negro male slave Lumpster, Harford an old boy and my negro
female Harphell with her future issue and increase to have and to hold
unto him the said James John Whittendal Spencer his heirs and assigns
forever. Then, I do hereby give leave and bequeath unto my daughter
Elizabeth my male negro slave Harry and my female negro slave
Nancy with the future issue and increase of the said female slave
to have and to hold unto the said Elizabeth Spencer her heirs and
assigns forever. Then I do hereby give leave and bequeath unto
my son William Spencer my male negro slave George (now a boy)
and Charles to have and to hold the said negro slaves unto him
the said William Spencer his heirs and assigns forever. Then I do
hereby give leave and bequeath unto my beloved wife Inocentia
Spencer my female negro slave Flora with her future issue and
increase to have and to hold the said female negro slave and
her future issue and increase to and for the use and behoof of her and

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to the best of their respective knowledge and belief that he the deponent
and William Clarendon & Benjamin W. Perry Esquires subscribed their names
as witnesses thereto at the request of the testator, in his presence
and in the presence of each other.

Given to us open Court
this 8th day of April 1817.

Jno Drysdale

Attestation

6th to Lady

8th of April 1817. Then appeared Mr. Jacobin Spencer and qual-
ified as Executor of the foregoing will of William Henry Spen-
cer deceased by taking the oath prescribed by law.

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