

to make to you, that is, that you will, cause to be placed over
my remains in the Church-yard in "humanity" - but then
a stone, as much like the one you had erected over the
remains of your Dear Wife M^r M^r as possible. The
Dawson will point out the spot to you when the remains of
my poor Wife now lies; I wish my grave alongside of my
Dear Wife; but not to disturb her grave; my on the North side
there is some things still remaining that is not embodied
in my Will, and which I wish my Executors to attend to; my
bedroom furniture beds and set furniture, wine, brandy
and gin; there is one horse and of blood in the yard, I have
had it this year, it is recommended as very fine - these articles
I wish all sold at auction as part of my estate - my
carriage & boxes saddles and saddles and two double barrel
guns is also to be sold as part of my estate; - my old Col-
loman July alone I wish to have is not to be considered
as any part of my estate by my Executors, she now lives
with her daughter, where I wish her to remain, without paying
any wages - the Westbury Pass, which contains my blood plate
is to go with the plate to John Dunstun - my negro boy
Richard who is now learning the Carpenter Trade with John V. Webb
my wish is, that he remain with them until he is three years
with them counting from the day he first started - I request
John Dunstun to take him in charge.

W. Wallace

Decided 6th January 1840.

In the name of God Amen, I William Colon of the County of
Chatham State of Georgia being aged and mindful of death,
but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this
my last will and testament -

I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Zilpha
and during the term of her natural life her hundred acres of
the tract of land on which I now live including the dwelling house
and all outbuildings and in hundred acres to be taken off and sold
from that part most contiguous to the dwelling house including
all the land in said tract under cultivation also all my
household and kitchen furniture plantation tools and utensils
horses, carts, and cattle of every kind and description, hogs,
and all granges and provisions which shall be on the place at

the time of my death also my negroes Sambo, Cush or Harshin, Stamuk, hale and Fanny and the issue of the females to be enjoyed by her during her life without impeachment of waste with authority to kill and use such of the stock as she may want and after her death I give devise and bequeath the same and every part and parcel thereof and all increase to my son Jacharink and to my daughter Mary Wilton and my and every other child which my said wife may bear or be of which she may be pregnant at the time of my death share and share alike to them their heirs and assigns forever and in case of the death of all my children by my said wife Riltha without issue before the death of my said wife Riltha then and in that case I give devise and bequeath the whole of the property, appertaining after her death to my sons Richard & Thomas and to my daughter Charity, Fanny & Zaida last to them their heirs and assigns to be equally divided between them share and share alike.

I give and bequeath to my son Richard his heirs and assigns forever my woman Lett & my male child Boy James for a term of years which he is acquainted with. It is my will that she said two negroes last & former remain with my wife during her life or until that purpose can be accomplished and that they be well clothed but with full power to my said son Richard to take them out of his possession whenever he shall think proper.

I give and devise to my said son Richard his heirs and assigns forever my fifty acre lot of land situated near the Augusta road bounded on the east by R. B. Bates on the north by Jordan and on the south & west by Stamuk which said tract or lot of land is in no other and is liable to be deducted from my said son Richard share of the residue of my estate.

The remaining then hundred acres of the tract of land on which I reside and all other movable and real personal not herein before specifically given, devised or bequeathed, I give leave and bequeath, whether the same be in possession, expectancy or in action, of whatsoever nature or description it may be, to my son Richard and

Thomas and to my daughters Charity Nancy wife of Robert
H. Harvey and Zaida last wife of Gabriel East to them
their heirs and assigns forever to be equally dividing among
them share and share alike. It is my will that the
property here given to my daughters Charity and Zaida
be settled and secured to them their heirs and assigns
so that the same shall not be liable or subject to the
debts, contracts or control of their respective husbands.

I give and bequeath to each of my two sons William
and David the sum of five dollars as their full and only
portion and interest to my estate.

I nominate constitute and appoint my son
Richard O'Brien the executor of my last Will and
Testament & the guardian of my son Zachariah & of my
daughters Mary Willers until they shall respectively be of
age. 17 September 1835.

William & David

Spice sealed published and delivered by the testator who
was not ill and Testament his ninth day of September
publick witnesses thirty five in our presence, who signed
the same as attesting witnesses in the presence of the
testator and of each other. W. H. Gordon Not Pub.
John Pitt. P. M. Davis.

State of Georgia Chatham County Court of Ordinary
January Term 1843. Present John H. Brown Clerk Recd.
James D. Smith & W. H. Gordon

Personally appeared W. H. Gordon a
subscribing witness to the annexed instrument of writing,
purporting to be the last Will and Testament of William
Solow late of Chatham county deceased, who being duly
sworn, deposed and said that he was present and did
see the said instrument of writing such executed by the said
William Solow and deposed further said that the
said William Solow at the time of executing the said
instrument of writing was to the best of his recollection
and belief of sound and disposing mind memory and
understanding; and that he W. H. Gordon the deponent
and Cha. Pitt and P. M. Davis in the presence of each
other and of the said William Solow and at his request
signed their names as witnesses to the foregoing of the same. W. H. Gordon

And to before us we presented this 1 day of January 1840
 that the said ~~James~~ Francis Lord of the
 St. Peter of the said

By this instrument of record to my will and testament, I
 revoke the second item or clause of my said Will, and
 instead of the bequest therein made of my two negroes
 Doll & James, it is my will that my said two negroes
 Doll & Moulatto (James) be by me given to my said
 wife Zippa for and during her natural life, and after
 her death to my children Zachariah & Mary Villars
 share and share alike between them and a sign forever.
 Also the income and issue of the said Moulatto Doll if any
 she have after this day. It is my Will that if my
 wife Zippa survive, that she have that care all the
 property given by me to her for life, at once vest in my
 said two children Zachariah and Mary Villars their heirs
 and assigns, and that she here after have no further
 interest in my property or estate from the day of the
 marriage.

I revoke the sixth item or clause of my said Will, and
 thereby I constitute and make my wife Zippa my
 sole and lawful guardian and by order of this my
 last Will and Testament and appoint my wife Zippa
 sole guardian of my children Zachariah & Mary Villars.
 In witness whereof I have signed and sealed and have hereunto
 this my last Will and Testament in the presence of the following
 witnesses.

Witness my hand and seal this 1 day of January 1840.
 Signed sealed & published in the presence of the said witnesses
 all the said witnesses of which I am the owner of all the
 in my possession or in my power. I give and do with to
 my wife Zippa to be invested for and use during life and
 widowhood and on her death to survive for my children
 Zachariah & Mary Villars. At what time.

Witness my hand and seal this 1 day of January 1840.
 State of Georgia Chatham County Court of Ordinary January 1840
 Present the Honorable Justices of the Peace (Lord & C.)
 Before me personally appeared J. St. Gordon a subscribing
 witness to the aforesaid instrument of writing, purporting
 to contain the last Will and Testament of William Lord

late of Chatham County deceased, who being duly sworn depose
and swear that he was present and did see the said
instrument of writing duly executed by the said William Polk
and deponent further saith that the said William Polk
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was
to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief of sound
and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and
that he W. Gordon the deponent, in the presence of
the said William Polk and at his request signed his
name as witness to the due execution of the said will.

W. Gordon

Given in sight and open court this 8 day of January 1840
this deed J. H. B. Francis Bond J. H. B. B.

J. H. B. B.

And W. Gordon being so sworn further saith that in the
Summer or fall of the year 1839 he was sent for by the said
William Polk and was by him requested to add another
codicil to his will by which to provide for the death of
his daughter Mary Polk and to set in his son's hands
all the interest which under his will had been given to
his deceased daughter Mary Polk. Deponent does
not remember whether such codicil was or was not prepared
or given & executed by the said William Polk, but is
strongly of the impression that it was, but deponent
does not know what has become of it or whether it was
or not given to him into the will for safe keeping.

W. Gordon

Given in sight and open court this 8 day of January 1840.
Francis Bond J. H. B. B. J. H. B. B.
recorded 7th January 1840.

Georgia Chatham County. In the name of God Amen:
I, John A. Smith of the State of Georgia and County
of Chatham being sick in body out of sound & disposing mind
& memory think it to be for the same and well knowing
the substance of the matter to make and publish
this as my last will and Testament
I give that all my just debts and funeral expenses
be paid out of my estate
After the payment of all my just debts funeral expenses