

and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that Thomas Eden (the deponent) and Daniel Lanner and John Hinton in the presence of each other, and of the said Cornelius and at his request, signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same

Shewn to before me this

14th day of Nov. 1854

John M. Millen,
C. C. C.

Thos. Eden

You do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named Cornelius Brennan deceased, so far as you know or believe; and that you will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in the said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will therewith extend and the law charge you; and that you will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels - So Help you God

Shewn to before me this

day of 1854.

"State of Georgia"

In the name of God amen! I Mary Ann Grimball of Savannah Chatham County State of Georgia, being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last Will and Testament; hereby revoking all others heretofore made by me!

First: I direct that my lawfull debts be paid.

Secondly: I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth Mary Ann Chaplin the following Slaves; namely Sally, Josephine, Caroline, Doll, Belinda, and Nancy with their future increase, to have and to hold the same for her sole and separate use, and not subject to the debts contracts or engagements of any other person.

Thirdly: At the death of my daughter I direct that the above named slaves with their increase shall be the property of the heirs of her body for their sole and separate use to share and share alike if more than one.

Fourthly: I give, devise and bequeath unto my son Francis Grimball, the following Slaves - namely; Sam Abby, Joe, Thomas, William and Sarah, for his sole and separate use during this life and at his

187 death the said named Slave shall be for the lawful heirs of his body

Sixthly: I give, devise, and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth, M. A. Chaplin and my son Francis Grinnall all the rest and residue of my Estate real, personal, or mixed, and debts due me to be equally divided between them, they to share and share alike

Seventhly: Should my son Francis Grinnall die leaving no lawful children, I direct that the portion of my Estate which I have given to him, both personal real or mixed shall be the property of my daughter E M A Chaplin

Eighthly: Should my son Francis Grinnall die before his wife Anna Grinnall I direct that she shall receive from the portion of my Estate which I have given him, Two hundred dollars

Ninthly: I direct that my Estate be valued and equally divided between my daughter E M A Chaplin and my son Francis Grinnall, they to share and share alike, and their respective portions to be disposed of as before mentioned.

Tenthly: I nominate and appoint Elizabeth Mary Ann Chaplin, Francis Grinnall and William E Chaplin as the Executors of this my last Will and Testament, and also as the Trustees for the legacies and devises before named in any part of my Will, who are minors or married women and for the property therein mentioned -

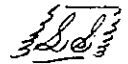
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of Nov: in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and Fifty -

Signed Sealed published and declared by the said testator on the day and year above mentioned as and for the last Will and Testament in our presence and we in her presence at her request and in the presence of each other have hereunto set this our hands as witnesses thereto

J. Stickley

Richard D. Arnold

Geo. Mount

M. A. Grinnall 

State of Georgia } Court of Ordinary
Chatham County } In Chambers Nov 18th 1854

Present J. M. Miller Esq Ordinary Chatham County

Chatham Co. Wills 1850-1862

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Personally Appeared Richard D Arnold a solemnly sworn witness to the annexed instrument of writing, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Mary A Kimball late of Chatham County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposes, and swears that he was present, and did see the said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Mary A

And deponent further swears that the said Mary A - 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 Richard D Arnold (the deponent) and J. Chickling and Loo Mount in the presence of each other, and of the said Mary A. and at her request, signed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same. Sworn to before me this 18 day of Nov 1854

John M. Willen,
C. C. C.

Richard D. Arnold

You do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named Mary A Kimball deceased, so far as you know or believe; and that you will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in the said Will, as far as the her Goods and chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge and that you will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels -
So Help you God

Sworn to before me this

11 day Dec 1854

John M. Willen
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H. F. Chaplin
J. Kimball

Georgia
Chatham County.

In the name of God, Amen
I, John Hunter, of the city of Savannah in said County and State of Georgia being of advanced age and diminished strength and health of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, whilst I have sufficient strength and capacity, do make and publish this, my last will and testament, hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

In the first place, I desire and direct that my body shall be buried in a decent manner