

Georgia Chatham County
City of Savannah

I Robert Godin Guerard of the
city of Savannah & State aforesaid do hereby make
publish & declare this to be my last will and testament
hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me

After the payment of all my lawful debts I give &
bequeath to my dear wife Emily Barmwell Guerard
all of my estate both real & personal for & during her
natural life and after death to all of my children
then living or any which may be born ^{hereafter} share and share
alike.

I do hereby request and direct my Executors & Exec-
utor hereinafter mentioned to give my children the best
education the means of my estate may admit of.
My sons I wish to pursue the profession,
calling or trade they may think best adapted to
their capacity.

I do seriously recommend and advise my
dear wife at my death to sell & dispose of all of her
planting interests viz: her lands & negroes as settled
by our marriage settlement, retaining such of the
negroes as she may require as a house servants
and those who have been faithful to us. And I with-
vise my Executors & Executor hereinafter mentioned
to sell and dispose of such as the negroes belonging
to my estate as my wife may not wish (from causes
above alluded to) to retain, reinvesting the proceeds of
sale as they may think most profitable to my family.

I do hereby nominate my beloved wife Emily
Barmwell Guerard Executrix and my long tried friend
Robert Milledge Charleston Executor of this my last will
with an earnest request that he will qualify as
such.

Signed sealed & published by the
said Robert Godin Guerard as & for
his last will & testament, in presence
of us, who in his presence and in
presence of each other and at his re-
quest have hereto subscribed our
names as witnesses at Savannah this
22nd August 1845.

Robert Godin Guerard
(L.S.)

G. S. Owens
John F. Guilmarin
B. N. Daniell

State of Georgia
Chatham County

Court of Ordinary

In Chamber Nov 2nd 1845.
Present John M. Miller Esq. Ordinary for the
County of Chatham.

Personally appeared John F. Guilmarthin as subscri-
ber witness to the annexed instrument of writing pur-
porting to be the last Will and testament of Robert G.
Guillard late of Chatham County deceased, who being duly
sworn deponeeth & saith that he was present & did see the
said instrument of writing duly executed by the said Rob
G. — and deponent further saith that the said Rob G.
at the time of executing the said instrument of writing
was to the best of deponents knowledge & belief of sound
and disposing mind, memory and understanding and
that John F. Guilmarthin the deponent and G. S. Owens
and B. R. Daniell in the presence of each other and of
the said Robert G. — and at his request signed their
names as witnesses to the due execution of the same.

Sworn to before me
this second day of November 1853 In J. Guilmarthin
John M. Millen
O. C. C.

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
true last will of the within named Robert Godin
Guillard deceased as far as I know or believe and
that I will well & truly execute the same by paying
first the debts & then the legacies contained in the said
Will as far as his goods & chattels will thereto
extend and the law charge me and that I will
make a true & perfect inventory of all such goods
and chattels — So help me God.
Sworn to before me E. B. Guerard

The twenty second day of
November 1853

John M. Millen
O. C. C.

In the name of the Supreme Creator and Ruler, I
Elias Fried of the City of Savannah, in the State of Georgia do
make and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.
I direct that all debts due by me be paid at
an early day — except as much as may be due the
estate of Jacob Wood, to do which, my Executors to
be hereafter named, will collect as speedily as pract-
icable, all debts due to me, and if the amount so
collected be found insufficient then the deficiency
may be made up by a sale of any part of my property
real or personal, with or without an order of court
at public or private sale, as my Executors in their
discretion may deem best.

The will which may be due the late of Jacob
Wood must remain under the controul of my Execu-
tors as a contingent trust during the life of the