

*This is the last Will and Testament of me Paul
Simons, of the City of Savannah, Merchant:*

First I will that all such Debts as I shall justly owe at the time my
decease, and my Funeral charges and expences be in the first place
paid by my Executors herein after named; and that my said
Executors do cause a marble slab to be placed over my Grave,
if I should depart this life in the City of Savannah.

Item To my brother Sampson Simons I give and bequeath the sum
of Five thousand Dollars, and one Negro Slave to be chosen
by him from such number as I may possess at the time of
my decease. I also give and bequeath to my said brother
Sampson my gold watch and chain, and the Seals at-
tached thereto.

Item I give, devise and bequeath my House and Lot in Bonifant
Street in the City of Charleston to my said brother Sampson
Simons so long as he shall live; and after his decease I give,
devise and bequeath the same to my brother Montague Si-
mons so long as he shall live; and after his decease I give,
devise and bequeath the same to my brother Somerville Si-
mons during his natural life; and upon the decease of my
said brother Somerville, I then give, devise and bequeath
the said House and Lot to my other brother Moses Simons;
it being my Will in this regard that, the said House and
Lot shall be enjoyed in succession by my said brothers agree-
ably to the order herein pointed out; and that the same shall
vest in fee simple in such one of my said Brothers as shall
survive all the others.

Item To my Brother Montague Simons I give and bequeath the
sum of Three thousand Dollars, and a Negro Slave to be cho-
sen by him from such as I may be possessed of, after my
brother Sampson shall have elected the one herein before be-
queathed to him.

Item To my brother Somerville Simons I give and bequeath the
sum of One thousand Dollars.

Item To Moses Simons my brother I give and bequeath the sum
of one thousand Dollars— notwithstanding his necessities, his
imprudent conduct prevents me from leaving him more.

Item To my cousin Sally Marks, widow of Charleston, I give and
bequeath two hundred dollars.

Item To my Cousin whose name was formerly Lucky Harris, but who
is now married to a gentleman in London whose name I do not

- Know, I give and bequeath three hundred dollars.
- Item To my cousin Lazarus Harris of London, I give and bequeath two hundred Dollars.
- Item To my friend Andrew Harris of Jacksonborough, in South Carolina I give two hundred Dollars.
- Item To the Hebrew Congregation in Charleston, South Carolina, I give one hundred dollars.
- Item To the Hebrew Congregation in this city of Savannah, I give one hundred dollars.
- Item To the Hebrew Congregation of the City of London I give two hundred dollars.
- Item To my nephew Moses Simons, who is now at college at New Haven; I give and bequeath the sum of fifteen hundred Dollars, to be paid to him by my Executors when he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years. And I also give and allow to him two hundred dollars per annum, for three years, to support him while completing his education; and for this purpose I will and direct that my Executors do hire out four of my negro slaves to raise the said annual sum for the support of my said nephew.
- Item To my House Keeper Hannah Lion I give and bequeath four hundred dollars, to be paid to her within three months after my decease. I also give and bequeath to her one of my best Beds, with parition, curtains, sheets, quilts, and all my bed furniture; also one set of dining Stables, six chairs, one pair of small Tea Tables one pair Three Legs and Stender, a half dozen of silver tea spoons, and one pair silver Sugar Tongs, and all my Kitchen furniture. I also give, devise and bequeath to the said Hannah Lion for her use during her natural life the small House and part of a Lot which I own in the neighborhood of the Presbyterian Church in the City of Savannah, and which abuts the the property of John R. Duke, and the estate of Joseph Roberts, deceased.
- Item To the children of the said Hannah, David Lion and Hetta Lion, I give and bequeath one hundred dollars each.
- Item To my Executors herein after named, I give and bequeath four hundred Dollars in trust to be laid out in the purchase of a negro Slave, for the use of my niece formerly named Sister Simons; but who is now married and her present name unknown to me; the said Negro so to be purchased, to

be for the sole and separate use of the said Hester of Jackson
borough, and not subject to disposal of her present or any future
husband.

Witness my brother Moses Simons Give and bequeath all my
wedding apparel.

Witness I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remain-
der of all my estate and effects, real or personal, whatsoever
and wheresoever, not herein before otherwise effectually dispos-
ed of, to my four Brothers, Sampson, Montague, Somer-
ville and Mowes, equally to be divided between them, share
and share alike. And for the purpose of carrying this Will
into effect, and for the payment of the legacies herein be-
queathed, if it shall be necessary, I will and ordain that the
Executors of this my last Will and Testament shall with all con-
venient speed after my decease, bargain, sell and alien in
fee simple all my real and personal estate, not herein
before specifically devised and bequeathed; for the doing
whereof I do by these presents give, grant, will and trans-
fer to my said Executors full power and authority to bar-
gain, sell, alien and convey the same to any person or
persons whatsoever; And I hereby nominate and ap-
point my Brothers Sampson Simons and Montague Si-
mons, Executors of this my last Will and Testament here-
by revoking all former Wills and Wills by me heretofore
made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal, this twenty second day of May, in the year one
thousand eight hundred Six

Saul Simons (S.S.)

Signed, Sealed, Published & declar-
ed by the above named Saul Simons
as and for his last Will & Testament
in the presence of us who have hereunto
subscribed our Names as Witnesses in
the presence of him & of each other
(The word "and" in the foregoing from
the bottom of the third page first inter-
line)
John Poller, S.S.
J. Robertson.
H. J. Hymaning.

Present John F. Williamson, Edward Harden & John
Bolton.

Chambers, 5th Decr. 1809.

Personally appeared John Foster, one of the subscribing Witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Paul Shumate, deceased, who being duly sworn, saith, that he was present and did see the said Testator, sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed, to be his last Will and Testament, and that he was of sound mind at the time to the best of his deponent's belief; and that Thomas Robertson and Thos. F. Glynn together with this deponent subscribed their names as Witnesses at the request and in the presence of the said Testator and of each other, Sworn to this, 5 Decr. 1809.

John Foster

Edward White, C. C. O.

Decem^r 11. 1809. Thos Sampson Montague Sumers were
qualified Executors.

In the name of God, Amen: I Grace Farley, of
Chatham County, in the State of Georgia, do make this
my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all others
that have been by me heretofore made. First, I give de-
vise and bequeath unto my nephew William Farley, his
heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, all the property
whichever real or personal of which I may die possessed
and of what nature or kind soever, the same may be in
trust and to, for the only use, benefit and behoof of my
daughter Ann Johnston, wife of Mr Alexander Johnston,
to the sole, separate and exclusive use, benefit and behoof
of the said Ann Johnston, her heirs and assigns forever,
or to such person or persons as she by her last Will and
Testament, or by any instrument duly executed by her and
purporting to be her last Will and Testament may devise
or bequeath the same, excepting only my negro slave cal-
led Maria, whom I do hereby give, devise and bequeath
unto my beloved grand daughter Ann Farley Johnston, to
her own proper use and behoof, and to give, devise or bequeath
as she shall see fit; and lastly I do hereby nominate
and appoint my daughter Ann Johnston, of Chatham Coun-
ty, State of Georgia, to be sole Executrix of this my last
Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have here-

Present John F. Williamson, Edward Hardin & John
Bolton.

Chambers, 5th Decr. 1809.

Personally appeared John Foster, one of the subscribing Witnesses to the last Will and Testament of Paul Sumner, deceased, who being duly sworn, saith, that he was present and did see the said Testator, sign, seal, publish and declare the annexed to be his last Will and Testament, and that he was of sound mind at the time to the best of this deponent's belief, and that Thomas Robertson and Th. J. Silymring together with this deponent subscribed their names as Witnesses at the request and in the presence of the said Testator and of each other, Sworn to this, 5 Decr. 1809.

John Foster

Edward White, C. C. C.

Decr. 11. 1809. Thos Sampson & Montague Sumners were
qualified Executors.

In the name of God, Amen! I Grace Farley, of Chatham County, in the State of Georgia, do make this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all others that have been by me heretofore made. First, I give devise and bequeath unto my nephew William Parker, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, all the property whether real or personal of which I may die possessed and of what nature or kind soever, the same may be in trust and to, for the only use, benefit and behoof of my daughter Ann Johnston, wife of Mr Alexander Johnston to the sole, separate and exclusive use, benefit and behoof of the said Ann Johnston, her heirs and assigns forever, or to such person or persons as she by her last Will and Testament, or by any instrument duly executed by her and purporting to be her last Will and Testament may devise or bequeath the same, excepting only my negro Slave called Maria, whom I do hereby give, devise and bequeath unto my beloved grand daughter Ann Farley Johnston, to her own proper use and behoof, and to give, devise or bequeath as she shall see fit; and lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my daughter Ann Johnston, of Chatham County, State of Georgia, to be sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have here

and set my hand seal, the second day of October, in
the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred & nine
signed, sealed and delivered in } Grace Harley (L.S.)
the presence of Sarah Johnston, }
Joseph Maxwell, & David Mat- }
thews, and of the Testatrix and }
of each other, who have hereunto }
subscribed our Names as Witnes- }
es thereof.

Sarah Johnston,
Joseph Maxwell,
J. Matthews.

Georgia } Before the Honorable the Court of Ordinary
for the County of Chatham, and the State
aforesaid, personally appeared Joseph Maxwell, Physician,
one of the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing last Will
and Testament of Grace Harley, dec'd. who being duly sworn,
saith, that he was present and did see the said Testatrix sign
seal, publish and declare the same to be and contain her last
Will and Testament; and that she was of sound mind at
the time to the best of this deponent's belief; and that Sa-
rah Johnston and David Matthews together with the
deponent subscribed their names as Witnesses at the re-
quest and in the presence of the said Testatrix and of
each other. Joseph Maxwell.

Sworn in open Court 2^d July 1810.

Edw. White, Clerk for Ordg.

In the name of God, Amen! I, John Brickell, of the
City of Savannah, in the State of Georgia, Physician, being
weak in body, but of sound disposing mind, memory and un-
derstanding, do make and publish this my last Will and
Testament, in manner and form following, that is to say:
In witness Whereof I, and I do desire that as soon as conveniently
may be after my decease, my just debts be paid.

Item. I do hereby give, devise and bequeath the whole of my real
and personal estate, unto my brother (now with me) James
Brickell, including Lands, negroes or other slaves estate, house-
hold Furniture, debts due me, or any other effects I am possessed of.