

term of the Court, comes S. J. Harris executrix named
in said will, and moving for the admission to record
of said will. It is therefore ordered that said will be
admitted to record as the last will & testament of James
D. Harris and that letters testamentary do issue to Sarah
A. Harris executrix named in said will, she having
qualified as such
J. B. Hill Ordinary

In the name of God. Amen

I Charles Kinsler
of the State of Georgia and County of Floyd, being
of Sound mind and memory, and being mindful
of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death
do this the twenty fifth day of February in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty one
make this my last will and testament in the
following manner-

1st I will - I resign my Soul into the hands of
Almighty God, hoping and believing in a remission
of my Sins by & through the merits of Jesus Christ
and my body I commit to the earth to be buried
at the discretion of my friends; and my worldly
estate I give and bequeath as follows-

First - I will that all my just debts
and funeral expences be paid; I then give and
bequeath to my daughter Fessia Ann Taylor wife
of John Taylor and Negro Girl named Catherine
aged nine years & valued at four hundred and fifty
Dollars, the sum to hold her, heirs and assigns.
The same not to be subject or made liable for the debt
of her husband or other persons -

Then I give and bequeath to each of my other
children or their heirs, money or property to the
amount of four hundred and fifty dollars each, provided
my estate shall be worth that amount; if not each
of my children or their heirs are to receive an amount
or share alike; And if my estate should be worth
more than four hundred and fifty dollars for each child
then after each one has received the amount of
four hundred and fifty (dollars) the remaining part
is to be divided between all of my children or their
heirs, each receiving share and share alike -

I will that in case of the death of any of my
children, their heirs or offspring of their bodies
shall inherit that part of my estate which their
fathers or mothers (as the case may be) should have
inherited, And in case any of such Legatees

Should be under age or minors guardians
are to be appointed for them during their mi-
nority.

I also will and devise to my wife a share
of my estate equal to each one of my children
or their heirs, she to receive a share equal to a
child.

I then will and appoint my Son John
Knowles as executor of the above my last will
and testament.

Signed in the presence of
G. W. Martin Charles Knowles
W. C. Brandon
Silas Embury

State of Georgia } I John F. Morton of County
Chattooga County } and State aforesaid being of
sound mind and disposing ^{mind} ^{with} ^{reason}
orig. but conscious of the uncertainty of my life and
wishing to dispose of my property and effects, while in
life do make and publish this my last will and tes-
tament.

Item 1st As soon as convenient after my death I desire
my executors herein after mentioned to pay my fune-
ral expences together with all debts I may owe out
of my ~~land~~ money or cash on hand at the time of my
death or out of the proceeds of sale of any proper-
ty not herein specially bequeathed.

Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my son
Thomas F. Morton the following described land
to wit Lot No (262) two hundred and sixty two in the
sixth district and four the section Chattooga Coun-
ty known as the Ogilvie lot and valued to him
at sum of thirty two hundred dollars upon the follow-
ing limitations and restrictions that is to say for
life to him the said Thomas F. Morton and then to his
children in fee and should the said Thomas F. die
leaving no children at his death then to his lawful heirs.
I desire however in the event my said son should deem
it to the interest of himself and children to sell
said land and reinvest in other land that he be
permitted to do so under the direction of the Chancery
Court upon his filing in such court, such bonds
as will insure the reinvestment and having hereto-
fore advanced to the said Thomas F. Morton the sum
of five hundred in Cash and charged up to him
making with the aforesaid land the full sum
of thirty seven hundred dollars bequeathed to him in