

J. Johnston,

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John M. Hef. Ordinary,

State of Georgia I, John M. Morton, of said State & County
Chattooga County, being of sound mind and memory,
and considering the uncertainty of this
life, do therefore, make publish and declare
this to be my last will and testament; That is
to say, First, after my burial expences, and
all my lawful debts are paid and disch-
arged, the residue of my estate, I give, bequeath
and dispose of as follows. To wit:-

I give and bequeath to my three sisters Ida E. Bailey
Laura McGorrough, and Emily A. Morton, each a third
interest in my farm on Chattooga River in the Con-
nty aforesaid. Containing two hundred and fifty-
eight acres more or less, being lot number fifty eight
(58) and part of lot number (57) eighty seven, in
the sixth District and fourth section, to be held by
said legatees, in jointure untill partition of said
farm be made which may be done by the consent
of as many as may own two thirds of said farm
which farm I value to the legatees herein named
at Forty-five hundred Dollars (\$4500.00) &
is to be held under the following conditions
and restrictions viz: That in the event either
of my said sisters die leaving no heir of her body
then interest in my estate, aforesaid goes to her
surviving sister or Sisters of blood, or if there be
no surviving sister, then to their heirs at law
per stirpes; But if either of them die, leaving an
heir of her body, then said interest in my estate
vests in such living heir, for ever, But in the event
of a partition of said farm, and all or any part
thereof be sold or exchanged by any legatee, herein
named, and said legatee die, leaving no heir of
her body, then the value of the property, willed her
by me as valued in this will - is to be charged
against her estate, and paid equally to the surviving
legatees, or legatees of this will. or if either be dead.

then to the living legatee and to the heirs of the deceased in any per ships. Provided the estate of said deceased should not be so impoverished by the bequest of this provision of my will, as not to leave of it a sufficient amount for decency and becomingly entombing her grave.

(Item 2)

It is my will and desire that Lura M. and Emily A. represent pay into the estate of said Ida E. each one hundred dollars (\$100) so soon as their interest in my estate, makes said amount - This in consideration of her unfortunate condition

(Item 3)

It is my farther will and desire, that should my son Nathaniel Thomas R. Morton, at any time be in want of the necessaries and comforts of this life, that my said sisters or their heirs per them contribute equally to his maintenance and comfort out of my said estate, so long as he lives with either of them.

(Item 4)

Should any legatee of my last will and testament alienate or attempt to alienate, all or any part of the property, bequeathed by her under my said will, or property subsequently substituted for it, as by said purchase or otherwise, by gift, grant, feoffment, or in any way except for its market value, to any person or persons benevolent corporations excepted, such legatee forfeits the entire amount without her, the forfeited property, to go first to the other legatee of this will, equally and if either be dead, to the surviving legatee, and to the heirs of the deceased; Per Shaper, But if on any account, they or either of them fail to accept it then the unaccepted property, only is to go to Chattooga County (County Georgia) to be turned by said County into, U.S. currency, if it be not already currency, as soon as practicable, by public sale, duly advertised, the proceeds to be placed in the Treasury of said County and expended with the County tax, Should any legatee succeed as above in alienating said property, such gift, grant, feoffment is totally void and the forfeiture complete.

(Item 5)

All personal property of which I may die seised I bequeath to my sisters before named to be divided equally and leguitably between them

(Item 6)

I hereby constitute and appoint, Joseph T. Hamilton William H. (son) and W. B. Scott all of Chattooga County, Executors of this my last will and testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name the 2nd day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty six

The above written instrument now subscribed by
The said Joel W. Morton, in our presence, and acknowledged
by him to each of us; he at the same time
published and declared it to be his last will and
testament, and we at the testator's request, and in
his presence have signed our names as witnesses here-
unto, and written opposite our names our respective
places of residence.

Williams Dy Subligna P. 94
H. C. Hamilton Subligna 44
W. D. Dy Subligna 44

Georgia Chabroge & I Joel Walker Perry, a resident of
County I said county being advanced in age,
but of sound mind and disposing memory
make public and declare this my last will and
testament
Item 1st I desire to be buried in a plain and
decent manner, and that my executors pay all
my just debts as soon as possible after my
death,
Item 2nd My beloved daughter, Martha C. Philips
having no issue, three hundred dollars of my estate
I desire that my beloved wife Elizabeth Perry, Henry
J. Germaine, H. and John P. Perry, each have three
hundred dollars worth of property out of my estate
which will make them three and three alike, I desire
that after this amount of three hundred dollars
having been paid that the remainder be equally divided
to three my beloved wife, Elizabeth, Henry J. Germaine,
H. and John P. Perry - Each twenty three dollars
which I desire paid to my son, Edward P. Perry,
which will make them equal with my wife,
Elizabeth, Martha C. Philips, Henry J. Germaine & my
John P. Perry
Item 3rd Having every confidence in my two sons,
Henry J. Germaine, H. P. Perry, I hereby appoint & constitute
them my sole & entire, the carry out this my last
will and testament
Witness my hand and seal this 7th day of August
1875

Joel Walker Perry
his mark

Attesty, Shopshire,
J. E. Deal.
H. H. Lawrie
(J. P. Johnston)