

State of Georgia
Effingham County May 1796

Granted Marriage License unto Mr Joshua
Lant with Miss Catharine Steiner, license
directed to the Reverend John C. Bergman
Minister of the Gospel at Ebenezer
Salem May the 9th 1796.

Record of the Last Will and Testament of
Abraham Mowat Esq: late of this County Dec:

State of Georgia } In the Name of God Amen,
Effingham County

County aforesaid being Weak of body yet of sound
and perfect Understanding and Memory, do make
Constitute and appoint this my last Will and Testa-
ment in the manner and words following, Vizt First
I give and bequeath my body to the Earth from whence
it was taken in full assurance of its Resurrection
from thence, at the Last day as for my House &
estate it may be decent at the direction of my exe-
cutors or executrix and as touching my worldly goods
wherewith it is blessed good to ~~be~~ come with I desire it
may be as follows (Viz) the whole of my Estate, that
one acre & half in the Town of Milledgeburgh in the
State of South Carolina, (No) my Horse kind,
Cattle, hogs, sheep, Wells and a bedding furniture
Plantation Tools Carriages & much more in
the whole all that to me doth appertain the same
to be sold if possible about one month after my
Death at publick outcry giving one year Credit
the purchaser giving approved security for all sums
above three hundred dollars all sums under three
hundred to be paid Cash down then my Heirs
(John Over)

Accounts and Obligations in my Possession to be Immediately put in Suit if not Discharged in due time, as soon as Monies Collected are Lawfull & Just Debts to be paid, then the Remaining part I give & bequeath as follows, first I give and bequeath unto my dear beloved Wife Mary Ravot one third part of the Residue of my Estate, unto my Daughter Henrietta Ravot but now by Marriage Henrietta Porter, my Chest of Drawers and three Pounds Specie to her, her Heirs for Ever; the third part above mentioned bequeathed to my beloved wife Mary Ravot is her right and Property during her Natural life time and at her Death to be Revert and become the sole Right and property of my dearly beloved Daughter Margarette Mary Ravot to her and her heirs for ever, and all the rest and Residue of my Estate I give and bequeath unto my Dearly beloved Daughter Margarette Mary Ravot, to be her right and property to her her Heirs for Ever, I give and bequeath unto my Two Daughters in law born Mary Michell & Elizabeth Michell, Twenty Shillings Specie Each to be their rights & property for ever, I do acknowledge this and Confirm this to be my last Will and Testament and no other Innominate and appoint my beloved Wife to be Executrix to this my last Will & Testament also my Trusty friend David Hugenin of South Carolina to be Executors of this my last Will & Testament in Testimony I have hereunto Set my Hand and Seal this Sixteenth day of July 1795. N.B. Note that this my last Will Doth not Touch nor Concern with any of the property that my beloved Wife had or did own when we were Married

[Carried Forward.]

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As by agreement it was to be and Remain
her right and property for herself and Children
or for whom she might think proper.

Witnesses.

M^{rs} Davot.

David Morgan
Charles Ryall
John Frickinger.

State of Georgia } Personally appeared David
Effingham County } Morgan and John Frick-
inger, and made oath on the
holy Evangelist of Almighty God, and Declared
that they Signed the above Will as Witnesses and
saw Charles Ryall sign his Name as Witness there-
to and saw the within Named Testator sign it
and verily believed him to be in his proper senses at
the time.

Sworn to before me
this 25th day of May 1796.
W^m Kennedy, R. P. C. C.

David Morgan
John Frickinger.

Granted Letters Testamentary unto M^{rs}
Mary Davot also Warrant of Appraisement
dated May 28th 1796. on the Estate of Abraham
Davot Esq^r deceased.

June 6th 1796.

Issued Citation unto M^{rs} Judith Buntz on the
Estate of Henry Lewis Buntz late of this County
Deceased, the admonished to appear on or before
the 18th Instant to shew Cause if any why Letters
of Administration should not be granted. . . .