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George Alexander Mice 1839

State of Georgia, ^{Elbert County, Georgia Wills 1836 to 1880} I George Alexander of God Amen

Elbert County ^{www.georgiapioneers.com} of the County
a forsaide being of sound mind and

disposing Memory but Weak in body and Calling to mind
The uncertainty of human Existence and The Certainty of
death have thought proper to make and ordain This my last
Will and Testament in Manner and Form following to wit
as Touching my Spiritual Concerns I design my Mortal
body to its Mother Earth from whence it came to be buried
in a decent manner at The discretion of my Executors here
after named and appointed my immortal Soul to God
Who give it Trusting in The Merits of my Redeemer for
The remission of all my sins and as Touching my World
Estate which it hath pleased God in his great goodness
to bless me with I give and dispose of in The following
Manner to wit

Item 1st let all my Just Debts funeral and burial Expenses
be paid

Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Elizabeth
Alexander the whole of my Estate real and personal
for use and benefit to have manage and control
during her Widowhood with liberty of giving off to
any of my children any part or portion of the property
that she please and when she please so she dont give one
child more than it distribution share would be of
my Estate

Item 3rd it is my Will and I do hereby declare it to be so
That when my Wife Elizabeth Alexander does
Marry that the whole of my Estate real and personal
together with the increase be equally divided between
all of my children after accounting for what they have
had before if my Wife should Marry to have Childs
part

Item 4th I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son William
M. Alexander and my Wife Elizabeth C. Alexander and
my Son George W. Alexander my Executors to this my
last Will and Testament hereby revoking all Others and
Ratifying and Confirming this and this only in Testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal This Third
day of November 1839

Will of George Alexander continued

Signed sealed and attested
before us and by us witnessed
and subscribed at the request

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of the Testator

Francis Gaines

Flaming Daniel

Thomas M. Turner

George Alexander

Georgia } Court of ordinary December Term 1859
Elbert County } Personally came into Open Court Francis
Gaines and being duly sworn said that
he saw George Alexander sign the within Instrument
of Writing as his last Will and Testament and he together
with Flaming Daniel signed the same as witnesses in the
presence of the Testator and at his request and in the
presence of each other and this deponent believes the
Testator to have been of sound mind and disposing memory
at the time he executed the same
Sworn to and subscribed in }
Open Court this 6th day of } Francis Gaines
December 1859 }
Attest M. H. Edwards ordinary }

Georgia } Court of ordinary December Term 1859
Elbert County } Personally came in to Open Court Thomas
M. Turner and being duly sworn said that he believes
George Alexander now dead did sign the within Instru-
ment of Writing as his last Will and Testament and he
signed the same as a witness in the presence of the Testator
and at his request and this deponent believes the Testator
to have been of sound mind and Memory at the time he
executed the same
Sworn to in Open Court the 6th } T. M. Turner
day of December 1859 }
Attest }
M. H. Edwards ordinary }

Executed the 7th day of December 1859

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Georgia } Elbert County, Georgia Wills 1838 to 1860
Elbert County } The will of George Alexander died
having been proven at this regular Term
of the Court on the Oaths of Francis Gaines and Thomas
M. Turner Two of the Subscribing Witnesses It is ordered
by the Court that said Will be recorded This 6th day
of December 1839

Attest W H Edwards ordinary
Recorded The 7th day of Dec 1839
W H Edwards ordinary

Joseph Ferrys Will 1860

Georgia } In The Name of God Amen
Elbert County } I Joseph Ferry of the county
aforesaid being of Sound mind and disposing
memory but weak in body and calling to
mind the uncertainty of human existence
and the certainty of Death have thought
proper to make and ordain this my last
Will and Testament in manner and form
following to wit, as touching my spiritual
Concerns I resign my ^{mortals} body to its Mother
Earth from whence it came to be buried
in a decent manner at the discretion of my
Executor herein after named and my immortal
Soul to God who gave it—Trusting in the
merits of my Redeemer for the remission of all
my sins and as touching my worldly Estate
which it hath pleased God in his great
goodness to bless me with I give and dispose
of in the following manner to wit,
Item 1st let all my Just Debts be paid funeral
and burial Expenses be paid
Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife
Judeth Ferry one tenth part of all my Estate
Real and Personal
Item 3rd I give and bequeath to my son Wm Ferry
after accounting for forty dollars heretofore given
one tenth of my Estate Real and Personal