

and in the presence of each other and they believe the Testatrix to have been of sound mind and memory at the time she executed the above
sworn to in open Court this 1st day of June 1837
W^m Edwards ordinary
A. J. Mathewz
James Nash

Georgia } Court of ordinary June Term 1837 The within will of Eliza
Elbert County } The Nash Deceased having been proven on the oaths of W^m Edwards
A. J. Mathewz and James Nash The Subscribing witnesses to said will at this
regular Term of the Court It is therefore ordered by the Court that said
will be recorded This first day of June 1837

W^m Edwards ordinary
Recorded the first day of June 1837
W^m Edwards ordinary

Will of William Alexander

State of Georgia } In the name of God Amen - I William Alexander
Elbert County } of the State and County aforesaid being of advanced
and knowing that I must depart this life, deem it right and proper
that I should make a disposition of my property with which a kind Providence
has blessed me - I therefore make this my last will and Testament
hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me. -
Item 1st I desire that my body be buried in a decent and Christian
like manner

Item 2nd I desire that all my just debts be paid -

Item 3rd I desire that my beloved wife Anna shall have the Negro Boy
named David and the Negro Girl called Judah and so much of the
Household and Kitchen furniture as may be thought necessary for her
comfort, and if she chooses to live on the plantation during her natural
all of which at her decease to be disposed of as hereafter mentioned.

Item 4th It is my will and desire that my Executor make sale of decedent
property of all my other Estate both real and personal to be disposed of in the
following manner, to wit, one equal share to my son George Alexander, and
one equal share to my son Robert D. Alexander, and one equal share
to my son William A. Alexander, to be paid to him in money, one equal
share to my daughter Nancy Sullivan, one equal share to my daughter
Mary T. Watt and her children, and do hereby appoint F. J. Sullivan
and Robert Alexander trustees for my said daughter Mary T. Watt and
her children. -

Item 5th I desire that my daughter Sarah Brown have one dollar in
addition to what she has heretofore received

¹⁶³ Item ^{the} At the decease of my wife Anna, It is my will and desire that
the Land, ~~my~~ boy Daniel Elbert County Georgia Wills 1839 to 1860 now named and household
and Kitchen furniture be immediately sold and divided precisely in the manner
stated in the fourth item of this ^{my} Will husband

stated in the fourth item of this will
 Item 1st I do hereby appoint Kelly Sullivan, ~~husband~~ ^{husband} of my daughter Nancy and
 my son Robert & Alexander my sole Executors to this my last will and testament
 and I do utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all and every other former
 testament conforming this and no other to be my last will & Testament.

I do request my executors to permit my Negro woman Eddy to select her owner, and give her out of my estate one Hundred Dollars

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
Signed sealed and pronounced and declared to be his last
will and testament in the presence of us this May the 16th 1854
James S Cunningham William Alexander
Jefferson S Barnes
Thomas Cawdell

Georgia } Court of Ordinary Adjourned Term July 24th 1857
 Elbert County } Personally appeared in open Court Jefferson J. Gaines
 who being duly sworn says he saw William Alexander deceased sign the
 foregoing Will at the date thereof, that at the request of said deceased
 this deponent signed the same as a witness in his presence, and saw from
 S. Cunningham and Thomas Bowdell likewise sign the same as witnesses,
 in the presence and at the request of said testator; that this deponent
 believes the said Testator at that time to have been of sound mind and
 disposing mind and memory; that said testator then declared to said
 witnesses the said paper to be his last Will & Testament—
 Sworn to and subscribed in open Court } Jefferson J. Gaines
 July 24th 1857

W. H. Edwards Ordinary
Edward Leavitt

Adjoined Term 1857

In the matter of the will of William Alexander propounded by Kelly Sullivan and Robert B Alexander named therein as executor and caveat filed by James Brown and Sarah his wife.

The said Will having been duly propounded and proved and the controversy pertaining thereto have been settled by the parties. It is ordered that the caveat be removed and that the said will be admitted to Record

Further, it appearing to the Court that the persons named as Executors in said Will are Citizens of the State of South Carolina and George Alexander a Citizen of said State of Elliott applying therefor it is ordered that temporary Letters of Administration with the Will annexed be granted to him on his giving bond and security in Terms of the Law.—

Recorded The 24th July 1837 Wm W Edwards ordinary

Georgia } Court of ordinary July Adjourned Term 1837
Elliott County } held the 24th day of July 1837

For Value Received in Full Settlement of this Caveat and all of our rights against the Estate of William Alexander Deceased we have abandoned the same and Consent to have it marked on the Records of said Court and bind our selves never to renew it

Thomas W Thomas atty for
James Brown & Sarah his wife

The Will of Alexander Hughes Decd 1837

State of Georgia }
Elliott County } In the name of God amen
I Alexander Hughes of the County and State aforesaid being weak of Body but of sound disposing Mind and memory and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs whilst I have thought and Capacity so to do do make this my last will and Testament
First I Commit my Soul into the hands of my Creator who give it and my Body to be Buried in a Christian manner
Second I give and bequeath to William P Pembert in Trust for Daughter Frances M Dubose and her Children Born or to be Born the following Negro Slaves to wit Dick and his wife Abby Martin and his wife Ariane with her children Dennis Westly Harry & Julian Frank & his wife Nalida with her children William Ben Prudence and Abaca also Tom and Mariak also The following Tract or lot of Land Beginning on Broad River and running from thence to a large Mulberry which I have marked with a cross mark on the opposite sides and is a short distance above my upper Field on the River from thence by a straight line to a pine marked in the same manner as the Mulberry and standing near the Broad River Road between my two upper Fields from