

Brought forward

further say that saids testator was at the time of
saids disposing mind and memory, and well
knew what he was doing, & done the same of his
own will, without any undue influence, & that was

Joseph B. Co. for
Atty. W. Johnston
Wm D. Bentley

known to and subscribed before me in open court
2^d March 1863.

Attest my hand & seal
J. Barker Esq.

a. th. I do solemnly swear this writing con-
tains the true last will of the deceased named
William E. Mills deceased so far as I know, or be-
lieve, and that I will make and truly execute the same
by paying first the Debts and then the legacies con-
tained in the saids will, as far as his goods and cha-
tels will thereunto extend, and the same charge me,
and that I will make a true and perfect inventory
of all such goods and chattels - so help me gods.
James E. Mills

known to and subscribed before me, 2^d March 1863.

Attest my hand & seal
J. Barker Esq.

Wm. Handrip's Will.

In the name of gods Amen,
I William Handrip of the County of Forsyth, & State
of Georgia, knowing that life is uncertain & that
all must die, and being of sound mind & disposing
memory, make the following disposition of my property
that I desire that my body be buried in a place
and decent manner.
I desire that all my Just Debts be paid, without
any unnecessary Delay.

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Item 3, I will & bequeath to my wife Mary Handing
fifty Dollars;

4th I will to my daughter Emily Cottonwood
four hundred Dollars;

5th I hereby will to Julius J Handing three lots
of land lying in Cherokee County, whereon the
said Julius J Handing now lives;

6th I will to Samuel M Handing the upper part
of my Plantation whereon I now live on
the Chattahoochee River in Forsyth County,
about the third part of the value of said farm;

7th I will to Julius J Handing my farm the mid-
dle part or third of the farm, whereon I now
live in Forsyth County, on the Chattahoochee
River;

8th I will to Charles B Handing the lower part
of the above described lands it being on the
Creek and River;

9th I desire that my lands lying & being in the
County of Abraham, Georgia, containing
two hundred & fifty acres be sold by my
Executor at private or public sale, & that the pro-
ceeds be equally divided between my four sons
Julius J Handing, Samuel M Handing, William
J Handing & Isaac B Handing, and that my Person
and Property be divided among & between
the four sons above named;

I hereby appoint Julius J Handing my Executor to
execute this my last will & testament;

(In testimony whereof I the said
William Handing have hereunto set my hand
& affixed my seal, this 20th day of August 1860.)
William Handing

A. P. Brown

J. A. Butchers

George W. Brown Jr.

Brought forward

That, I am so solemnly sworn that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named William Handing deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same, by paying first the Debts, and then the Legacies in the said Will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereto extend, and the same charge upon do help your goods.

Julius J Handing

Sworn to & subscribed before me, 6th April 1853.
By Clerk of said Court

Julius J Handing nominator

Copy of William Handing deceased Application to establish
Proposed: of the Will of Decedent.
Nady Handing & others
Signatures

Interrogatories to be exhibited to George H. & others
a Mutual meeting for preparation, & who is absent
from said society, in the following manner -
February

Int 1st Please look over the manuscript copy will
& say whether or not you subscribed the same
at meeting, whether you done so in the presence
at the request of the Testator, & who else, & how done
as a meeting or separately; and whether they done so
at Testator's request & in his Presence, and please say
whether he was an usual of deceased disposing mind
and memory.

Int 2nd Please state all your Power touching the
Execution of said will, and capacity of Testator
and whether or not he was at the time, and
how and well; free from Compulsion or unduly

Receipt for

Impenses

3^d December 1862,

Julius J. Harding

Proprietor

Received acknowledged copy of estate returned, let coming in office at any time.

4th Dec 1862,

Neddy J. Harding

Marshall J. Harding

John A. Harding Jr

Ad. Squire of William

J. Harding's nephew &

John J. Harding

William J. Harding

Ad. Squire of

nephew of Wobley & Thornton

Stat. of Georgia By H. Baker Judge and clerk
 Receipt for copy of the case of J. J. Harding in & for
 this County & State approved.

By W. C. Bentley & Wm. P. Williams and
 Secy of Court House.

Whereas there is an entire matter of Controversy
 made Pending in the ordinary Court for said
 County, between Julius J. Harding, the nominated
 Executor of William Harding deceased, Proprietor
 of Neddy J. Harding & others decedents; and whereas George
 A. Hutchins is a material witness, in said suit,
 and cannot attend on said Court, in person,
 owing to being in the Confederate Army, and
 that you, that are deposing affidavits in your
 presence and fidelity, have appointed you and
 your and your, and any two or more of you, or
 any of you, and requested to come before
 George A. Hutchins personally to come before you,
 and after being duly sworn, to examine him, and
 bring to said Court, amenable to the Court.

Excesses amongst the dancers to the same.
being plainly and distinctly written; gave rise to some
ridicule. It needs repetition your words and deeds to
ever gain credit to be held on the first Monday in
April next, 1863. Long then with this month.

Wetump. Ch. Barker ordinary and clerk
of said Court this 4th day of June 1
1860. Ch. Barker ordinary
and clerk of said Court

Under Friendship Vessels
 1/20 Wine Friendship
 1/20 Proper
 1/20 Roddy Friendship &
 other Legation

Georgia, By Virtue of 2 Commisions
Haleyth County's Clerks directed from the Home
Court of Ordinary of Haleyth County, Georgia,
we have caused Geo A Hutchins, to come
before us, and after being duly sworn depose
and sayth as follows; - I Geo A Hutchins
Answer 1st Q^y, He discusess to have subscribed the
Original will, as a witness, he signed it in
the presence of the testator, and at his request, A B
Brown and Geo W Brown signed the same as next
witness. He signed the will as witness, at the request
and in the presence of testator. He considered
testator as being in possession of a sound & disposing
mind and memory, at the time testator, made
the will, as aforesaid;

transiently. He considered him capable of making a will, & that so far as estate & income tax of his own free will free from compulsion or undue influence in the making of the will concerning the case.

Draft for
 In view to the fact that
 on this December 26th 1862, } Janga & Hitchens
 Wm. D. Smith, Commissioner
 Wm. R. Williams, Commissioner

Chas. D. Smith
 Resolved up of Application to establish the will
 William Smith of Decade in solemn form
 Decade Proposer of the County of Ordinary
 of the County of Ordinary
 of the County of Ordinary

Ordinary claims to be submitted to Aaron P. Brewster
 a Notary Public for propounder, & who is Absent
 from said County in the Military Service of the
 Confederacy.

Chas. D. Smith look on the annexed copy bill
 & say whether or not you have received the original
 as a Notary Public. Whether you have or in the presence
 at the request of the Ordinary, and who else subscribed
 as a Notary Public, and whether they have or
 or not at the Ordinary's request, & in his presence, & please
 say whether he reads or does not of records disposing
 them and the same.

Ord. D. Please advise me your answer. Teaching the
 reputation of said will. A copy of the Ordinary, and
 whether or not he received the same, of his own
 will free from Compulsion; or consider in person
 Chas. D. Smith
 Propounder
 8 December 1862.

Brought forward
and acknowledged before me, at the County Court
at any time 4th December 1862,

Roddy Hendrix
Monsieur the Sheriff
John H. Henshaw Esq

Ad litem of William
H. Hendrix nephews and
sons of Hendrix

William H. Henshaw Esq
John Ad litem of the

Officers of the County Court

State of Georgia, By Andrew Jackson Tamm
County Court, of said County,
to William H. Henshaw, William H. Henshaw and
George W. Hallmark Esquires;

As a certain matter is now in controversy
now pending, in the ordinary court for said
County, between Charles J. Hendrix the son of
William Hendrix deceased, Proprietor of
Roddy Hendrix & other legals;
and whereas the said H. Henshaw is a material
party in said suit, and cannot attend our said
Court in Person:-

have known you that we reposing special trust in
your Prudence, and fidelity, have appointed you to
you and you, and any two or more of you in
lawfully authorized and required to cause the said
H. Henshaw personally to come before you
and after being duly sworn, to examine him concern-
ing the said suit, and to the interrogatories known
to annexed, and the answers to the same, being
plainly and distinctly written, you are to send the
said. Close up under your hand and seal, to our
said Court to be held on the first Monday in April
next together with this writ.

Witness H. Henshaw Judge & clerk of said

Oral Exam

Went This 5 day of December 1888.

A. Barker and

A. Barker Clerk of the Court
of Probate of Forsyth County Geo

Indorsed & Handing

for of Wm Handing Deced.

propounding

Application to Establish

last Will of Deced

in solemn form

By (Handing & others)

Arranged Has then by virtue of a commission
from Probate Court of Forsyth County, we have
with us to come before us and
after having duly sworn to make to
the Master of the Court, to said commission
attached, deponent and answers as follows: viz;
Ans to 1st Inty: He answers he subscribed Original
Will as I witness; he signed said will, in
the presence and at the request of Testator
George F. Hutchins and Geo W Brown who
subscribed the same, as witnesses, they done
so at Testator's request, and in his presence;
he regards Testator as being of sound
Mind and Memory.

Ans to 2nd Inty: He answers so far as he knows
Testator required said will at his own
instance, free from compulsion or
influence of others. Considered Testator
perfectly Capable of making a will.
Ans to 3rd Inty: He answers

Answer to the 4th Inty: He answers

26th 1888.

A. P. Williams

H. D. Smith

Brought forward

about acknowledging a copy of the same, but I cannot find
it at any time. At December 1862,

Roddy Handing
Monsie Mc Handing
John Handing

Ad. letter of William
H. Handing nephew and
Chase H. Handing

William L. Handing
John Ad. letter of the

Deputy of Robby L. Handing

State of Georgia, By Subscribed Clerk - trading
through County of De Kalb County,
to William D. Butler, William C. Williams and
George W. Hallmark Gentlemen

As a certain matter is now in controversy
now pending, in the ordinary court for De Kalb
County, between Charles H. Handing the nominated ex-
ecutor of William Handing deceased, Proprietor of
Roddy Handing & other legacies;
and whereas Aaron P. Brown is a material in-
terest in said suit, and cannot attend our said
Court in Person;

Now know ye that we reposing special trust in
your Prudence, and fidelity, have appointed you
you and your, and any two or more of you re-
sponsibly authorized and required to cause the said
Aaron P. Brown personally to come before you
and after being duly sworn, to examine him concern-
ing the said suit, Equitable to the Interrogatories from
the complainant, and the Answers to the same, bring
plainly and distinctly written, you are to send the
same, closed up under your name, to and sealed, to our
said Court to be held on the first Monday in April
next together with this writ.

Witness at Rockwell Georgia 7 days of said

Brought forward
Grant this 5 day of December 1862.

A Justice ordinary
of Superior Court of the County
of Bulloch of Georgia County Geo

Julius J. Hendrix manuscript

Exe of Wm. Hendrix Presd.

propounded

Application is made
with Will of Deced
in solemn form;

Ready (Hendrix & others) to be

Presented this 10th day of December 1862
The Court being duly assembled for a session
and the said Will of Deced being presented from the
Hon. Justice of the Court of said County, we have, as
usual, heard the said Will of Deced, and after
being duly examined, the said Will, make to
the said Court, the said Will, as follows: viz;
Ans to 1st Inty: The Answer is subscribed Original
Will as I recd it; he signed said will, in
the presence and at the request of Testator;
George F. Hutchens and Geo W. V. Boon also
subscribed the same, as witnesses, they have
be at Testator's request, and in his presence;
he regards Testator as being of sound
Mind and Memory;

Ans to 2nd Inty: The Answer is as far as he knows
Testator executed said will at his own
volition, free from compulsion, or
influence of others. Considered Testator
perfectly Capable of making a will.
Answer to 3rd Inty:

Answer to 4th Inty: The Answer is as far as he knows
Testator executed said will at his own
volition, free from compulsion, or
influence of others. Considered Testator
perfectly Capable of making a will.
Answer to 5th Inty:

W. F. Williamson
W. O. Butler

Colours J. Hendrix nominated
Exr of William Hendrix deceased
Propounder
vs
Rody Hendrix & others
Legatees
Application to Escheat
the Will of said
decd in solemn form
in Hargett Court
of Ordinary

Interrogatories to the Exhibited to George W. Jones
a Material witness for Propounder, who is Ab
sent from said County in the Military service
of the Confederacy.

Ant. 1st Please look on the annexed copy
Will & signification in law given & subscribe the
qual. of a witness, whether given done so in the
Presence, & at the request of the Testator, and who
has subscribed as a witness, or witnesses, and
whether they have so or not, at Testator's request
& in his Presence, and Please say whether he
was not of sound disposing mind at the
time.

Ant. 2nd Please state all gave known touching the execu-
on of said will, & capacity of Testator, and whether
or not he executed the same, of his own will, free
from compulsion or undue influence.

Colours J. Hendrix
Propounder

3rd December 1862.

State of Georgia, By H. Barker Judge of the
Hargett County & Ordinary Court, for the County
and State aforesaid.

To William H. Mitchell John A. Wayne and
Nelson J. Young. Whereas there is a certain
matter of controversy now pending in the Ord-
inary Court for said County, to-wit: the execution of
the Will of the deceased of William
Hendrix deceased, Propounder, & Rody Hendrix and
other legatees and when George W. Jones is

March the 5th day of December 1862.

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to the foregoing Antagonism, to wit:
Ans to Q. 1st I did begin the original of the will
if within 20 years is available, I shall pay it up