State of Georgia County of Muscogee

I Jane R Arendell of said State and County being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last will and testament.

Item 1st I desire after my death a decent and Christian like Burial and that all my debts be promptly paid and that a decent tombstone or monument with appropriate Inscription be placed at the grave of my self and my late husband Nath'l L. Arendell and that their Graves be enclosed with an Iron or wire fence said fence and monument not to exceed in cost One hundred and fifty dollars

Item 2nd I give bequeath and devise to my Servant Eliza Margaret Arendell One feather bed One bed Stead five Quilts one Spread one Sheet and One bureau and Organ

Item 3rd I Give bequeath and devise to my niece Hattie St. John fifty dollars

Item 4th I desire that all my property both real and personal Except the Articles mentioned in Item Second be Sold and the remainder after paying Expenses and Amounts and Amounts Set forth in Item first and third be Equally divided between my niece Jesse Turner and my Servant Margaret Arendell but I desire and direct that this Item that I here Give and bequeath to Margaret Arendell be not paid to her in person but to my friend Thomson B Ray to be held in Trust or be Invested for her and I direct that Thomson B Ray Act as Trustee for her the said Margaret Arendell in the management of the same

Item 5th I hereby constitute and appoint Thompson B Ray of this my last will and testament this day of 1897

Jane R Arendell

Signed declared and published by Jane R Arendell as her last will and testament in presence of us the Subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said testatrix and each of each other She signing in our presence and we signing in her presence

A N Johnson
L N Eldon
E O Mellich

Georgia Muscogee County

I Ho Coleman Clerk Thereof Do hereby Certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the last will of the within named Jane R Arendell Deceased as far as I know or believe and that I will keep and safely Execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State So help me God

T B Ray

Sworn to and duly entered before me

Dec 4 1897

John P Meldrim Ordy

State of Georgia Gwinnett County
In the name of God Amen. I William Garner of Said State and
County being of advanced age and knowing That I must shortly
depart this life deem it right and proper both as respects my self and
my family that I should make a disposition of the property with which
A Kind providence blessed me do therefore make this my Last will and
testament hereby revoking all others heretofore made by me

Item 1st I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian
like manner Suitable to my Circumstances and Condition in life
My Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it In hope for
Eternal Salvation Through the merits and Atonement of the blessed
Lord and Savior Jesus Christ whose religion I have professed and
as I humbly trust enjoyed for over thirty years

Item 2nd I desire and direct that all of my just debts be paid without delay by
my Executor hereinafter appointed as I am unwilling my creditors should
be delayed in their rights especialy as ther is no necessity for delay

Item 3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha Garner with whom
I have lived in the Strictest quiet for the last fifty five years all
my property money and effects both real and personal for her own
Spicial benefit during her natural life and widowhood only

Item 4th I desire that at the death of my beloved wife before mentioned that my
personal property be legaley disposed of by my Executors hereafter to
be named and a equal distribution of the proceeds to be made
among all my hiers Adolphus A Garner to be sure to be included and
recognized throughout the division of all my property as though
he had been a legitamate child except G W Garner and Children
W N Garner and Children and D L Garner and Children who have
had more of my property and effects than I am or will be able to
give the remainder of my Children Only as hereinafter mentioned

Item 5th I desire and bequeath to my Son George W Garner the entire use
and control of all my real Estate for and during his natural life
Solely for the purpose of him and his family that all with him
having a home and means of support Said George is not to pay
any rent to the other hiers but to have free and full use and Con
of the Same in every particular as though it was his own So far
As is necessary to making a living but not to Sell or dispose of at
any time Whatever I further more desire that any Crops of any
Kind raised on Said lands during the natural life of Said G W
Garner Shall not be Subject to Levy and Sale for any debts now
Owed by Said George or that he may hereafter Contract as the
Intention of this is that he and his family with him Shall have a
and Sustainance from the land

Item 6th I desire and direct that at the death of George W Garner
to be hereinafter appointed Executor of this my Last will that
be three of the Surviving hiers whose duty it Shall be to Sell
land belonging to my estate at private Sale and make a deed
to the Same and I further more desire that if any of my Children
or Grand Children want the land for their own use to pay a fair

And reasonable Valuation on the leased land if They will pay them
To let them have the Land in preference to any one else and those there
fore do Likewise Are empowered as appointees by three or more heirs
At-law of my estate to make and execute good and warranty titles
To the same just as though I were Living and personally present
And doing the the same my self I also desire that D L Garner receive
fifty dollars out of the Land and that and that to be his share of the
Estate in full G W Garners Heirs to have none of the proceeds of the
personal property or of the real estate more than above named nor
W T Garner nor his heirs are to have any more of my estate than they
have already had either personal or real as they have had as much
And more than the others will get

Item 7th I desire that my Executor to See to and have Suitable Towns and Slabs
put at And over mine And Marthas Graves I would say just such
as are over Larkin Baywell and wife at Camp Creek

Item 8th I hereby Constitute and appoint my Son George W Garner
Executor of this my Last will and testament
This the 14 day of July 1890 William Garner

Signed Sealed declared and published by William Garner
as his Last will and testament in the presence of us the Subscribers
who Subscribed our names hereto in the presence of Said testator
at his Special Instance and request and of each other
This 14 day of July 1890 Thomas Harris
Albird B Goza
James M Andrews

Codicil State of Georgia Gwinnett County
Whereas I William Garner did on the 14 day of July 1890
Sign Seal declare and publish my Last will and testament
in presence of Thomas Harris Albird B Goza and James M Andrews
who Signed the Said will and testament as witnesses and whereas
I am desirous of altering and changing a bequest and devise in
Said will I therefore make and publish This Codicil to Said will
First I revoke and annul the fifth Item of Said will from
natural life of George W Garner to One year only after my death
Second I revoke and annul So much of the Sixth Item of Said
will as Said at the death of G W Garner and insert at the
Expiration of One year after my death Third I revoke and annul
So much of the Seventh Item As refers to the Towns and day just-
Such as I have had put to my wife Marthas Grave
Eighth I hereby Constitute and appoint A A Garner my Grand Son
As one of my Executors with the Said G W Garner This Jan 13 1896
William Garner
Signed Sealed declared and published by William Garner
as the Codicil to his will and testament by the 14 day of July 1890
in the presence of us the Subscribers who Subscribed our names

Special Instance and request And of each other
This January 13 1896

Thomas Davis
James M. Davis
James M. Andrews

Codicil

Georgia Gwinnett County
I William Garner being of Sound mind and memory in addition
to the will hirtofore made by me do Give as a Special legacy and to
be paid before ther is General distribution of my estate to my Sons
W A Garner W S Garner the heirs of J H Garner and B H Garner the
Sum of One hundred dollars each To be paid to them in ten or fifteen
days after my death by my Executors Appointed in my will

W Garner

Signed in our presents by William Garner as a Codicil to his will
And by us as witnesses at his Special Instance and request And the
prunence of each other This 17 day of Sept 1896 H H Jukan
Robert Craig
R A Holt

Afidavit

Georgia Gwinnett County
In the Matter of the last Will of William Garner deceased
Personaly appeared before me James M Andrews and Thomas Davis
Who being duly Sworn Says that they as Albert B Goza Saw
the within named William Garner Sign and publish the paper
hereto attached as his last will and testament that we as the
Said Albert B Goza Subscribed the Same as witnesses thereto
at the Special Instance and request of the Said William Garner
And in his presence And in the presence of each other that Said
William Garner Signed the Same freely and Voluntarily and was
at the time of Such Signing of Sound and Disposing mind and memory
And deponants further Swears that they as well as James M Davis
Saw the Said William Garner Sign and publish the within attached
Codicil dated Jan 13 1896 as a Codicil to his Said will That we
as well as Said James M Harris Subscribed the Same as witnesses
thereto at the Special Instance and request of the Said William
Garner And in his presence And in the presence of Each other he
Signing in our presence and we Signing in his presence and that
the Said William Garner Signed Said Codicil freely and Voluntarily
And was at the time of Signing of Sound and disposing mind and
Memory Sworne to and Subscribed before me } J M Andrews
in Open Court Aug 2 1897 John P Webb Ordinary } Thomas Davis

Georgia Gwinnett County
Personally appeared before me R A Holt who being duly Sworn
Say That he as well as Robert Craig and H H Jukan Saw William
Garner Sign publish and declair The within attached Codicil
dated the 17 day Sept 1896 as a Codicil to his will and testament
That deponant and Said H H Jukan and Robert Craig Subscribed
The Same as witnesses thereto at the Special instance and
request of the Said William Garner and in his presence

And in the presence of each other that Levi William Garner
Signed the same freely and volenterily and was at the time of such
Signing of sound and disposing mind and memory
Sworne to And Subscribed before me in Open Court-Aug 2 1897
John D Webb Ordinary B F Holt-

Georgia Gwinnett County
I A A Garner do Solemny Swear that the within writing contains
the true Last will and Testament of the within named William-
Garner deceased So fare as I know or believe and that I will well
and truly Execute the same according to the law of this State
So help me God Adolphus A Garner
Sworne to And Subscribed before me
Aug 2 1897 John D Webb Ordinary

Will Georgia Gwinnett County
I David L Shull of said State and County
being of sound and disposing mind and Memory do make this
my last-will and Testament-
First- 1st-is my will and I direct-That my mortal remains be Interred in the
Snellville Cemetery in said County in a decent-and respectable
manner according to my circumstances in life likewise the same of
my wife and that a Suitable tomb be erected at our resting places
To designate the place
Secondly I Give bequeath and devise To my beloved wife Ann M Shell the
following real estate and personal property To wit-One Hundred and fifty-
Acres of land more or less embracing my place of residence and known
and distinguished As part of lot-No 54 lying and being in the 5th Land
district-And bounded by lands north by Lanier Estate East-by JJ Jones
South by John B Williams West-by Thomas McEver-more particularly discribed
in a deed from A J Flowers To D L Shull dated 26 December 1856 and
Appurtenances and all my personal estate at my death To have and
to hold the same in lieu of her right To Dower for and during her
natural life for the Maintenance and Support To use it-part-as
She pleases for the purpose mentioned
Third I give bequeath and devise To my beloved daughter Mary L McDaniel
the following real estate property To wit One hundred and Eighty five
185 Acres of land more or less known and distinguished As No 285 Two hundred and
Eighty five in the 4th District-of Originally Walton now Newton County lying
East side of little Haynes creek discribed in a deed from R A Stancell To
D L Shull dated the 30th day of March 1872 To have and To hold the same
To herself and her bodily heirs in fee simple for their own proper use
benefit-And behoof
Fourth I give bequeath and devise To my beloved daughter Georgia E J Jones
the following real Estate To wit-Fifty Acres More or less ninety Rod square
discribed by lot 54 five in the fifth Land district-lying the North East-
corner of Lot Owned by J B Williams And more particular discribed

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In a deed from John Holt to D L Shell dated Oct 11th 1860 To have and to
hold the Same from my death and at my wifes death to have and to enjoy
the real estate discribed in Second Item (to my wife) to herself and her bodily
heirs in fee simple for their own proper use benefit and behoof

Fifth I give bequeath and devise to my beloved son Richard L Shell the following real
estate property to wit One hundred and Ninety One and One half acres more or
less the Moore tract Known and distinguished by the number 50 in the 5th fifth
District and minutely discribed in a deed from W O Moore administrator
to D L Shell and dated the 29 Oct 1895 and the Hewett tract known by
No 33 in 6th Dist and Minutely discribed in a deed from A B Hewett to D L Shell
dated 1st day of Oct 1885 and also the Strickland tract known by the number 33
in the 6th land Dist and Minutely discribed in a deed from D L McDonald to D L Shell
dated 1st day of Oct 1891 To have and to hold Said tracts and appurtenances
to his own proper use benefit and behoof forever in fee Simple

Sixth And I direct that all my personal property or the residue thereof that
may be gained or acquired at my wifes death disposed of by Sale or otherwise
and equaley divided between my three children without any administrators
or Court Expenses in case any expence do occur each Child to bear it
equally I hereby Constitute and Appoint my Son Richard L Shell Executor
of this my last will and Testament This the 8 Day of July 1893

D L Shell

Signed declared and published by Daniel L Shell as his last
will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers who Subscribed
our names hereto in the presence of Said Testator at his Instance
and request and of each other he signing in our presence and we
Signing in his presence

Thomas Pate
T A Clower
Andrew J Webb

Georgia Brooks County
I Thomas A Clower do Swear that I as well as Thomas A Pate
and A J Webb Saw the within named Daniel L Shell Signe and
publish the within attached paper as his last will and Testament that
we Subscribed the Same as witnesses thereto at the Speciel Instance
and request of the Said D L Shell and in his presence as did also
Thomas A Pate and Andrew J Webb in the presence of Testator and
of each other That the Said Daniel L Shell Signed the Same freely
and voluntarily and was at the time of such Signing of Same
and Disposing mind and memory

T A Clower

Sworne to and Subscribed before me
this 4 day of Oct 1897

John W Webb Notary

Georgia Gwinnett County

I H H Duncan being Leond in Mind and memory but suffering bodily Afflictions which tell me that I must Soon dye deem it Best proper and right that I make Some disposition of the property which a kind providence has blessed me with I therefore make this my Last will and Testament hereby annuling and revoking all Others heretofore made by me

1st I desire And direct that my body be buried in a plain and decent like manner suitable to my Circumstances in life

2nd I direct that all my just debts be paid by my Executrix Herein after named

3rd I will And bequeath to my beloved wife Josephine for and during her natural life All the land that I now Owne or possess wherever it may be the Same Containing About two Hundred acres more or less with all the rights members or Appurtenances to Said land in any wise Appertaining or belonging I also will to my beloved wife all my perishable property of every Kind Wharever or whatever it may be This Item And Bequest I make Subject to the Support maintanance and Education of my Children

4th It is The death of my wife I will and direct that All the property that She may Own or Possess by virtue of the Third Item of this will be Equally divided among the hearing Children to wit Mary Mulinix One Share James Russell One Share Thomas One Share John L One Share Georg Washington One Share Alma One Share Josephine One Share Ollie One Share

5th I Constitute and appoint my beloved wife Josephine Executrix of this my last will and testament this Aug 12 1897 H H Duncan.

Signed Sealed declared and published by H H Duncan as his last will and testament in the presents of us the Subscribing witnesses who Subscribe our names hereto in the presents of Said Testator and in the presence of each other Aug 12 1897

J C Hays
J K Elmsbury
W M Duncan
E H Langford

Georgia Gwinnett County

I E H Langford do Swear That I saw and heard J C Hays J K Elmsbury and W M Duncan Sign the within named H H Duncan Sign and publish the within attached paper as his Last will and testament That we Subscribed the Same as witness thereto at the Special instance and request of the said H H Duncan and in his Presence as did also J C Hays J K Elmsbury and W M Duncan in the presence of Testator and of each other That the said H H Duncan Signed the Same freely and Voluntarily and was at the time of such Signing of Sound and disposing mind and memory

E H Langford

Sworn To and Subscribed before me
This 6 Day of Dec 1897 John P Webb Ordinary
Recorded Dec 20. 1897

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Georgia Gwinnett County

In the Name of God Amen I Ezekiel P Harvy of said State and County being of Sound and disposing Mind and Memory do make this my Last will and testament-

Item 1. I will and bequeath that-all of my just debts be paid Doctor Bills and Burial Expenses out of the proceeds of my estate first.

Item 2nd I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Winifred Harvy my Buggy & Harness 1 Wagon & Harness and One Tenth of my Effects after Item first-is Equal ones-

Item 3rd I will that my Executor hereinafter named Shall sell in pursuance to Law my household effects and other property both personal and real

Item 4th I will and bequeath that-my daughter Eliza Ann Rockmore One half of the remainder after wifes Interest-1st fourth in Item 2nd

Item 5th I will and bequeath that-remaining part-be equaly divided between J A Harvys Deceased) four minor Children to wit-James Carley, Mandis, Chester A and Joseph P Harvey to be awarded To each of them as they become of age or Marry

Item 6th I hereby Constitute and appoint-J E Rockmore Executor of This my last will and Testament-this the 6 day of June 1897, Ezekiel his mark P Harvy

Signed Declared and published by Ezekiel P Harvy as his last-will and testament-in the Presence of us the Subscribing witnesses who Subscribed our names hereunto in the presence of Said testator at-his Special Instance and request-And of Each Other he signing in our presents and we signing in his presence-

J C Hawthorn
L A Williams
E P Ethridge
J M Ethridge

Georgia Gwinnett County

I J C Hawthorn do Swear that-I as well as L A Williams E P Ethridge and J M Ethridge I saw the within named E.P.-Harvy Signe and publish the within attached paper as his last-will and testament-That-we Subscribed the Same as witnesses thereto at-the Special instance and request-of the Said E P Harvy and in his presence as did Also L A Williams E P Ethridge and J M Ethridge in the presence of testator and of each other That-the Said E P Harvy Signed the Same freely and voluntarily and was at-the time of Such Signing of Sound and disposing mind and memory

J C Hawthorn

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
This 8 day of Dec 1897

John D Webb Ordinary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

This Dec 11 1894 To all whom it may concern I Harrison Arnold being of sound mind and wishing and being desirous to dispose of my worldly effects do make this my last will and Testament (first) After my death and the death of my wife Rebecca Arnold I want all of our just debts paid

(Second) I do will and bequeath to my two daughters Francis C Hamilton and Nancy P Arnold all of my Personal property and real estate consisting of One Hundred Acres of land it being part of Lot No Two Hundred and Thirty Six the place on which I now reside to have and to hold in their own right and title so long as they both shall live for their own use and benefit my daughter Francis C Hamilton is to have full control of every thing both of my personal property and real estate so long as she lives

(Third) any personal property that I may have at the time of my death my daughter Francis C Hamilton may dispose of the same as she may think best

(Fourth) my daughter Nancy P Arnold is to share equal with my daughter Francis C Hamilton and of the proceeds of the property that I leave them in this my last will but as stated above my daughter Francis C Hamilton shall have absolute control of every thing pertaining to the above discribed property above mentioned in this my will during her life time (Fifth) After the death of my two daughter Frances C Hamilton and Nancy P Arnold then the above discribed real estate to be sold at public sale and the proceeds to be equaley devided among my bodily heirs (Sixth) I hereby affix my seal and signature to this my last will and Testament this the year and date above written

Harrison Arnold (L.S.)

I George A Clemans Alston Martin and Joseph S Dobbins do witness the above will in the presence of each other George A Clemans (L.S.)

Joseph S Dobbins (L.S.)

Alston Martin (L.S.)

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

I G A Clemans do swear that I as well as Joseph S Dobbins and Alston Martin saw the within named Harrison Arnold publish the within attached paper as his last will and Testament that they subscribed the same as witness there to at the special instance and request of the said Harrison Arnold and in his presence as did also Joseph S Dobbins and Alston Martin in the presence of Testator and of each other that the said Harrison Arnold signed the same freely and voluntarily and was at the time of such signing of sound and disposing mind and memory George A Clemans

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of April 1898 John P Webb Ordinary

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State of Georgia Gwinnett County
In the name of God Amen I Nancy Bradford wife of Robert-
H Bradford of said State and County being possessed of a disposit
Estate and being desirous of Making a disposition of it-during my
life in order that it may not be disposed of according to the laws
of distribution of said State do make this my last will and testament
hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me
1st I give my Soul to God Who made it-and desire that my body
receive the usual Cristian Burial
2nd 2nd I desire all my debts be paid if there be any out standing at the
time of my death
3rd 3rd I desire that all of my property be Sold under the usual requirements
of legal Sales as soon as possible and the proceeds be divided as follows
three fourths of my estate be Equaly divided between my Brothers and
Sisters to wit-Rachel Fuller of Cobb County Martha Hill of Lowndes
County The Heirs of William Covins late of Clayton County deceased
the Children of James and Elizabeth Stanley of Gwinnett County
deceased the Heirs of Sarah Hughey wife of Lewis Hughey of Clayton
5th 5th I give and bequeath to the Church or Society at New Hope church
Gwinnett County being a member of the Methodist-Episcopal
Church South the remaining one fourth Interest of my estate
Said Amount-to be turned over to the trustees of said Church
and to be by them applied to keeping the Church in repair the
whole of said Amount-or only the Income to be used for the purpose
aforesaid in the discretion of the Trustees of said Church In witness
whereof I have hereunto set-my hand and affixed my seal (L.S.)
July 28 1892 Nancy Bradford
Signed Sealed declared and published by Nancy Bradford by
as her last-will and Testament-in presence of the undersigned who
Subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said Testator at
her special Instance and request and in the presence of each other
July 28 1893. James D Spence
attest-James D Spence Mary Betts
Samuel P Harris

Georgia Gwinnett County
Before James D Spence do swear That-I saw as well as
I now James D Spence do swear That-I saw the within Nancy Bradford
Mary Betts and Samuel P Harris Sign the within attached paper as her last-will and Testa-
sign and publish the within attached paper as the last-will and Testa-
ment-he signed the same as written Thereto at the Special Instance
and request-of the said Nancy Bradford and in her presence
as did also Mary Betts and Samuel P Harris in the presence of
Testator and of each other That-the said Nancy Bradford signed
the same freely and voluntarily and was at the time of
signing of same and disposing mind and memory James D Spence
Sworn to and subscribed before me This 17 Day of May 1898

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

Last will and testiment of Anna Perkins

In the Name of God Amen

I Anna C Perkins of said state and county being of sound disposing mind and memory do make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me

Item 1 I give and bequeath to my beloved Daughters Malica and Ella Perkins My entire estate that is my real estate To wit ninty three acres of land more or less being parts of lots Nos 186-199-200 as shown in my Deed from John R Hopkins Executor George H Hopkins Deceased To me Anna C Perkins in testimony where of I hereto set my hand and seal this July 28 1898

Anna C Perkins
her mark

Signed and published by Anna C Perkins as her last will and testament in the presents of the undersigned who subscribed our names as hereto as Witnesses at the instance and request of said Testator and in her presents and the presents of each other July 28th 1898

B R Bolton

J A Cain

John R Cain

Georgia Gwinnett County

I John R Cain do swear that two as well as J A Cain and B R Bolton saw the within named Anna C Perkins sign and publish the within attached paper as her last will and testament that she subscribed the same as witness thereto and at the special instant and the request of the said Anna C Perkins and in her presents as did also B R Bolton and J A Cain in the presents of testator and each other that the said Anna C Perkins signed the same freely and voulantary and was at the time of such signing of sound and disposing mind and memory.

John R Cain

Sworne to and subscribed before me this 14 day of September 1898

John D Neff Ordinary

Will

In the Name of God Amen

I Olmins Remean of the city of Atlanta Fulton County Georgia being of sound and disposing mind and memory and being mindful of the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and desiring to make a suitable and just disposition of the property and interest belonging to me do hereby make ordain and establish this my last will and testament hereby expressly revoking any and all former wills by me at any time made

Item 1 To my beloved wife Mrs Nancy J Remean I give and bequeath for the full term of her natural life all property real and personal which may belong to me at the time of my death This bequest is to cover not only real estate and my personal property but also any moneys which may be then on hand belonging to me and any insurance money arising from policies of insurance upon my life after the payment of such moneys of all just debts which I may then owe I give to my said wife power to sell any property left by me and reinvest the proceeds of the sale of such property in other similar property to be held by her for her life except that she shall not sell my interest in a farm in the state of Indiana belonging jointly to my Brother Norris Remean and myself within five years from the date of my Death without the consent of said Norris Remean.

Item 2 I direct that if my said wife shall not survive me as in case she does survive me that after her death all my property real and personal or the proceeds of such property shall be provided into four equal shares for the benefit of my four children and that one-fourth thereof shall be paid to my daughter Mrs A B Andrews if she be then living and in case she be not then in life her said shair shall be paid to her children or to a guardian for them if they be minors at the time and one fourth shall likewise be paid to my Daughter Mrs H M Bentley if she be then living and if she be then not in life such shares one fourth shall be paid to her children or to a guardian for them if they be minors at the time and that one share of one fourth interest in my said estate shall be paid to A. B. Andrews H M Bentley my son-in-law as trustee for my son Lewis O Remean and the remaining shar of one fourth shall be paid to my said son-in-laws as trustees for my said son Jessie L Remean this trust is created as to both my said sons on account of their intemperate habits For this reason I direct that my said son-in-laws shall as Trustees the interest of each of my said sons for their

interest each year to my said sons I direct that
the trust shall continue as to my each of my sons
until either of them shall satisfy my said son-in law
as Trustee that he has abstained from the use of
Ardent spirits for five years at which time the
trust shall cease as to the one who shall so abstain
and the principal of his interest in my estate shall
be paid over to him such payment to be paid to either
as both of my said sons when they shall satisfy
their said Trustee of abstinence as hereinbefore Stated

Item 3 I further will and direct that in case either of my
said sons shall die before receiving his distributive
share of the remainder interest in my said estate.
leaving no wife or children that the share of my
estate which would otherwise go to such son so dying
shall be equally divided between my said daughters
and the one of my sons surviving I also direct that
if either of my said sons should die before receiving
his distributive share of my said estate and
leaving a widow or child a widow and children then
the share of my estate that would otherwise go to
my son so dying shall go to the widow and child
or widow and children as the case may be

Item 4 My son Russell R Remsen by will made on the 30th day
of March 1893 left to my son-in-law Amsby B Andrews
his whole estate in trust after the payment of his
just debts for the application of the interest
income and Profits of all kinds arising from the use
of his Property to the care and support of my self and
said wife or the survivor of us might in our discre-
tion dispose of the corpse of his said estate by will
leaving it in that event to all or such of his brothers
and sisters or descendants of his brothers and sisters
as may be most worthy of it and most in need of it at
the time such will is made. By such to cover this
contingency I direct that in the event I shall survive
my said wife that at the time of my Death the
Property so left by my said son Russell R Remsen
in Trust as aforesaid shall be divided into four equal
parts and one share each paid to my two said Daughters
or their children as the case may be & the other two
shares paid to my said son-in-law A B Andrews
and H M Bartell as Trustee for my said sons Lewis
C Remsen and Jesse L Remsen to be held for their
use on the same terms as hereinafore said directed
as to their use on the same terms as property
belonging to them from my estate proper.

Item 5 I hereby appoint and Constitute my said countrymen A B Andrews and H M Beautell Executors of this my last will and testament and in case both of them should not survive me the one surviving me shall act as sole executor and also as sole trustee for my said sons

Almus Rennan [L.S.]

The foregoing four Pages of typewriting manuscript has been signed sealed published and declared by Almus Remeay as his last will and testiment in our presents and we hereby witnessed the same in his presents and in the presents of each other and at his request as his last will and testiment

This the 17 day of October 1896 at Atlanta Fulton county Georgia

H E Rogland
G H Davis
J A Andrews

Recorded Nov. 14 1898

John D Hutt Ordinary

Georgia Gwinnett County

James A Anderson and Archbald D Davis do swera that they as well as H E Rogland saw the within named Almus Renean sign and publish the within attached paper as his last will and testament that they subscribed the same as witnesses thereto at the special instance and request of the said Almus Renean and in his presents as did also the said Hudson E Rogland in the presents of testator and of each other that the said Almus Renean signed the same freely and voluntarily and was at the time of such signing of sound and disposing mind and memory Deponent further stated that Hudson E Rogland one of the subscribers witness to said will is dead and that his signature appearing to said will is the genuine signature of said Rogland James A Anderson A H Davis Sworne to and subscribed before me This 7 day of November 1898

John D Hutt Ordinary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County
I William A Hooper of Said State and County
being of Sound and disposing mind and memory
do make this my last will and testament
First and I do bequeath and devise to my three Children
Mena Bell Danforth Liggie P Brand and William A Hooper
the following property to wit- Sixty Acres of land off of Land Lot-
no Two Hundred and Sixty Two it- being on the East Side of Said Lot-
in the Seventeenth dist- of Original Henry County now Fulton
County Georgia also One fifth undivided Interest in Lots of
Land Nos Two Hundred and Eighty nine and Two Hundred and
ninety in the 6th Sixth dist- of Gwinnett County Georgia also
Two fifths undivided Interest in One Hundred Acres off of Lot-
of Land no Two Hundred and Thirty Eight- it- being the South
half of Said Lot- and Situated in the Sixth dist- of Gwinnett
County Georgia also all of my household and Kitchen
furniture also all of my Interest in a Steam Sawmill now
owned by myself and my Brother Thomas A Hooper also all
of my wagons Carts Buggies Horses Mules Hogs Cattle Sheep
Goats Hogs and any and all property of every kind real and
personal free from all Charges or limitations Whatsoever to
their own proper use benefit- and behoof- except- that- my
wife Louisa A Hooper Shall have a Support- from and out- of
Said above mentioned and described property as long as She
Lives or during her natural life provided That- if the event- Shall
die before She does and She should marry again She Shall no longer
have a Support- from and out- of my Said property but- her Interest-
in the Same Shall cease as Though She had departed this life
it- is further Directed and understood That- in the event- any one or
more of my Said Children Mena Bell Danforth Liggie P Brand
William A Hooper Should die leaving no Legal born Child or Children
then the interest- of the deceased Child or Children Shall go to
and vest- in the Surviving Brother and Sister or Sisters as
the case may be with the further understanding and Direction that-
after my death all of my property above mentioned Shall be kept-
together and the proceeds or profits thereof equally divided between
My Wife Louisa A Hooper Mena Bell Danforth Liggie P Brand and
William A Hooper as long as my said wife Live or remain a widow
at- the death or Marriage of my said wife Louisa A Hooper all of my
property Shall be devided up and distributed between my said
Children or their Legal Born Children or Kept- to Gether if they be pi-
and proper to do so this the 29 day of Jan 1896
Signed Sealed and published by William A Hooper as his last will and
Testament in the presence of us the Subscribing witnesses who Subscribed
Our names hereto in the presence of said Testator at his Instance and
Request and each at the signing in our presence and we Sign in the presence

E M Hopkins
J H Hopkins

E William A Hooper (Seal)

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...legacy & devise
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Georgia Gwinnett County

I James D Spence of said county and state being of advanced age but of sound and disposing mind and memory and it wise and proper while in such condition to make a will so that the same be of effect should I be called home without time to do so Do make letter and publish this as my last will and testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made

Item 1 I Will and direct that after death that my remains be intered a plain Manner in a Cement Vault shaped in manner after my first wife

Item 2 I Will and direct that I should die possed of a stock of Goods (Merchantdise) or of other property real or personal shall be sold to the Very best advanage for Cash by my Executor or Administrator he shall collect all my outstandings solvent debts Notes accounts and all evidence debts due me in any way and that the proceeds arising from such be applied first to the payment of all just debts against me

Item 3 I Will and bequeath to my beloved wife Alice Cates Spence all of my said estate during her natural life or Widowhood Should she marry then and in that case I will and direct that my estate be directed into three shares share and share alike between Cora L McClung my daughter (wife of J C McClelled Clara Ona Spence my Grand Daughter (daughter of my Deceased Son John H Spence and my beloved wife Alice Cates Spence

Item 4 I will bequeath and direct that my said wife shall have possess and enjoy all of my said estate after my death should Should she not marry again during her life but her death what she possess of my estate I direct divided between my two heirs as indicated above share and share alike Whatever she owns arising from the Cates estate she certainly has a right to do with as she pleases As this time I desire what I Claim as the estate of J H Spence deceased I Conider as my own Claim as Executor of being an Administrator of J H Spence estate having supported my Daughter in law and Granddaughter for ten years paid for building them a home

Item 5 I hereby constitute and appoint Anderson H Spence if in life my Executor to Carry into effect this my last will and testiment This Nov 13 1895

Starting before signing

Signed sealed declared and published by James D Spence (Seal)
James D Spence as his last will and testament in the presents of us the subscribers who at his

Our Names hereto in the presents of testator at his instance and request and each of each other he signed in our presents and we in his presents and in the presents of each other Nov 18 1894

J H McKee
J G F Haney
B F McKee

"Georgia Fulton County

I Mary M Goodwin of the County of DeKalb and said State being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last Will and testament

Item 1 I give and bequeath devise to my beloved daughter Liggie P Webb all of my Property both real and personal whatever kind and Character for and during her natural life remainder to her bodily heirs in fee

Item 2 It is my will and desire that the said Liggie P Webb shall support and maintain herself and Children from the proceeds of the real estate left to them under this will and that the interest on all my bonds shall be used by my executor hereinafter to be named in the education of the Children of my daughter Liggie P Webb

Item 3 It is my will and desire that my executor hereafter to be named shall collect up all the debts due me at the time of my death and after Paying any and all debts due by me to invest the remainder judiciously and that the interest on said investment be used together with the interest on my bonds mentioned in the 2d item of this will in the education of the Children of my said daughter Liggie P Webb

Item 4 It is my will and desire that all of my Property be kept together and that the corpus of my estate shall not be encroached upon until the youngest child which my said daughter has or may hereafter have becomes twenty one years of age at which time if my said daughter be living I want it all to remain together until her death at the death of my said daughter Liggie P Webb and the arrival of her youngest child at the age of twenty one I desire that all my Property of whatever kind and character be divided equally share and share alike between said Children heirs of the body of said Liggie P Webb and at no time do I want the husband or any husband which the said Liggie P Webb has or may have to have any control whatever over any of said property nor is any of my Property whatever to be used in the payment of any debts of Liggie P Webb or her husband which they now owe or may owe.

Item 5 I hereby constitute and appoint my brother Edwin D Little executor of this my last will and testament Mary M Goodwin
This March 15th 1895

Signed declared and published by Mary N Goodwin as her
last will and testament in the presence of us the subscribers who
subscribed our names hereto in the presence of testator
at her request and of each other she signed in our presence
and we signed in her presents Geo L Bell
C L Camp
T J Galloway.

Record March 17 1899 John D Webb Ordinary

Will State of Georgia Gwinnett County
I Marquette Lankford of said State and County being
of Sound and disposing mind and memory do
make This my last will and testament
2 Item 1st Upon the following conditions I give and bequeath
all my earthly effects both real and personal at my
death to Robert L Lankford the conditions are as
follows R L Lankford is to give me a home at his
house furnish me with a sufficiency of Clothing
Shoes provision Medicin &c. for and during my
natural life and after death I am to receive a
decent Burial and a Tomb Stone over my Grave
at the expense of The said R L Lankford and for
so doing The first part of This The first Item is to go
into effect
2 Item 2nd I hereby appoint my friend and nephew
Wm P Lankford my Executor to carry This my last
will and testament out in full as set forth
This the 22 of Sept 1890 Marquette + Lankford
Signed declared and published by Marquette Lankford
as her last will and testament in the presence of
us the Subscribers who subscribed our names
hereto In the presence of said testatrix at her
Instance and request and of each other Sheltering
in our presence and we signing in her presence
James A Andrews
Thomas Davis
Abial B Lyon

Oath of Executor Georgia Gwinnett County
I do Solemnly Swear that this writing Contains
the true last will of the within named Marquette
Lankford deceased so far as I know or believe
and That I will well and truly execute the same in
accordance with the law of the State so help me
God W P Lankford
Sworne to and Subscribed before me This 17 day
March 1899
John D Webb Ordinary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

In the Name of God Amen

I Nathan B Bates being of sound and disposing Mind and Memory feeling That it is right and proper That I should while in life dispose of the little effects of what a divine providence has bestowed upon me, do make this my last will and Testament-

Item 1st I will That at my death That I have a Burial Suitable to the Circumstances of my estate to be paid by my Executor hereinafter named

Item 2nd I will That all my just debts be paid by my Executor as fast as Circumstances will permit-

Item 3rd I will Give bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Laura Wilks Bates and my little Son Wm Simmons Bates to them and any other heirs I may have by my last wife Laura Wilks Bates all of My estate in all form Real and personal evidences of debts notes Accounts all and every thing I possess on earth to them a lone to share and share alike

Item 4th I will direct and appoint my beloved wife Laura Wilks Bates my sole executrix trusting to her the full management of my estate

Item 5th I desire to Give as a reason why I have made the foregoing will that the Children of my former wife are now about grown and have Cost me more than they will Get-

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this September 21 1895 N B Bates Seal,

Signed Sealed and published by Nathan B Bates as his last will and testament in the presence of us the Subscribers who subscribe our names hereto in the presence of the testator at his instance and request and in the presence of each other subscribing in our presence and we have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

James S McGee
A S Robinson
M S Cowart

State of Georgia Gwinnett County } James S Spence

Personally came Laura Wilks Bates who being duly sworn on oath says that the writing contains the true last will of the within named Nathan B Bates deceased as far as she knows or believes and that she will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State so help her God

Laura Wilks Bates

Sworn to and subscribed before me in Open Court July 8 1899

John D Ethridge Ordinary

Recorded in Book [illegible] page [illegible]

John D Ethridge Ord

Georgia Gwinnett County
In the name of God Amen
I Andrew J Harris being of sound and disposing mind
and memory do make while in life to make disposition
of the property with which a kind providence has blessed
me do make declare and publish This my last will
and Testament I desire that my body shall be decently
buried according to my conditions in life
Second I desire and direct that all my debts be paid
as early as can be practically done
Third I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Ethis
Almanora Harris for and during her natural life The following
real estate to wit Twenty five acres of land more or less
being on the west side of lot No 59 in the 5th land district of
Laird County and lying on the north side of the road leading
from Lullville to Logansville and adjoining the old Holmes
lands on the South and west Thomas Cooper on the North
and the East half of said lot on the East
I also give and bequeath to my dear wife Ethis all my
personal property of every kind consisting of horses mules
cows hogs wagons buggies farming tools corn cotton and all
other farm products on hand at my death and all
money notes and accounts to be collected and used in
the payment of the debts and for the use of the family dec
If there should be any personal property for which she should
have no use She is authorized to sell the same and use the
proceeds in the payment of the debts and for the use of the
family and in the event there should not be sufficient
of the personal property that the said real estate without to pay
the debts Then and in that event She is hereby authorized
and empowered to sell so much of the above described land
as will pay the debts and expenses of same said title to the
purchaser all to be managed as in her judgement she is
the best interest of the estate and I hereby appoint my two
sons Winford L and Thomas L Harris as Executors to serve
with their mother and said two in the management
of the property and I desire the desire to sell any of the
above property for the purpose stated she is authorized to
do either at public or private sale In witness whereof I
do my last will and testament This 3rd day of Sept
The above instrument was signed by A J Harris the
and declared and published in our presence and we
each at his special instance and request in the presence
of said testator and in the presence of each other this
the same

Leroy Knowles
Addie Knowles
J C Cooper

State of Georgia Gwinnett County.

In The name of God amen I James R Jackson of said State and County being of advanced age and of sound mind and Memory and knowing that I must shortly depart this life do make ordain and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

Item 1st I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and christian like manner suitable to my circumstances and condition in life my Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it and I hope for eternal Salvation through the merits and atonement of the blessed Lord and Savior Jesus Christ whose religion I have professed and as I hope and trust enjoyed for fifty three years

Item 2nd I direct and request that all my just debts be paid by my executor hereinafter appointed as soon as soon as the same can be conveniently done

Item 3rd I desire that my wife Martha E Jackson have and retain all my lands both in Gwinnett and DeKalb Counties during as the time of my personal property I desire that she has my Mule Jack and also one Cow Coney also all my Hogs Corn fodder and every thing of that nature All the Household and Kitchen furniture also my Buggy and Harness and my Buggy and Harness and my one horse wagon and harness also all my farming tools and Mechanical tools

Item 4th I direct that my books be divided among my children in this way such as I desire each one to have his or her name will be found on the book in my hand writing and the date 1897

Item 5th I desire that my Grandson James Edgar Jackson be given my watch which has so long been a cherished one and may he live long and serve as much Comfort from the use of watch as his Grand Pa did

Item 6th I desire that all my effects not herein enumerated be disposed of according to Law and the proceeds thereof together with all money notes and accounts that I may be possessed of at the time of my decease be to pay my debts. If there should be any surplus the surplus to be equally divided among my children

I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved son W R Jackson Executor of this my last will and Testament this 20 day of May 1897

J R Jackson

Signed Sealed declared and published by granted Jackson as his last will and Testament in the presence of us the subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said Testator at his special instance and request this 20 day of may 1899

J T Jordan
B C Jackson
J M Andrews

Proven in common form and Recorded Sept 14 1899
John P Webb Ordinary

will

Know all men by these presents That I William P Dickens of the County of Gwinnett and State of Georgia considering the uncertainty of this life and being of sound Mind and memory do create declare and publish This my last will and testament

I Give and bequeath to my beloved wife Caroline the use and Improvements of the lands on which She now resides together together with the Income of the same Also all my mules cattle and all the Stock which I now have or may have at my death and my farming implements and all other property which I now own or hold or to which I may be entitled at the time of my decease as long as she shall remain unmarried and my widow but on her decease or marriage Then the whole estate to be sold and the proceeds there of divided as I herein direct

To my Son James T I have already given fifty acres of land worth three hundred dollars To my daughter Mary Elizabeth I have already given fifty acres of land and a Milk Cow together worth two hundred and twenty five dollars Owing to her treatment to me I do hereby deprive the said Mary Elizabeth of any further benefits of the property mentioned or implied in this will To my Son John M Dickens I have already one horse worth twenty five dollars To my daughter Letitia C. I have given nothing To my daughter Sarah E. I have given one cow worth Twenty dollars To my Son Wm H I have given nothing To my Son Henry T I have given nothing To my daughter Isbel I have given nothing To my Son Eli I have given nothing after my decease and when my present beloved wife Caroline shall cease to be my widow if it be by marriage it is my will that the whole of my property shall be sold as aforesaid and the proceeds be divided between my present wife Caroline and my children Those of my children who have received Amounts as before said is to receive no part until those of my children who have not received anything together with my wife shall have received Amounts equal to those of the first named children then the wife and all the Children to share the property equally except Mary E whom I have

already Got- be it- so positively understood That- it- is my will
& testy beloved wife Caroline to have the full control of all
my property during her widowhood and when she ceases to
be my wife either by death or marriage Then I do hereby
command and appoint my Sons James T and John W Dickens
To be sole executors of this my last will and testament-
In testimony whereof I herewith set my hand and seal
and publish and decree This to be my last will and
testament- in presents of the witnesses named below this 6 day
of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty one

William P (his mark) Dickens

Signed sealed and published by the said William P Dickens as and
for his last will and testament at the presents of us he who at
his request and in his presents and in the presents of each other
have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto. E G McDaniel
W C Cofer
John A Jarden

It is my Desire that this my will be read publick at my burial

W P Dickens

State of Georgia Gwinnett County.

Whereas I William P Dickens did on the Sixth day of July 1881
sign seal declair and publish my last will and testament in the
presents of E G McDaniel W C Cofer and J A Jarden who signed the
said will and testament as witnesses and whereas I am desirous of
altering a change a bequest & devise in said will I therefore make
and publish this codicil to said will
first as to my son Eli I desire and direct that he rein with us
(that is myself and wife) during our nachel lives look after take
care of and do such things for us as is necessary for and during our
nathural lives and as a compensation for the same he is to
have free and full control of my whole estate the same to be
entirely free from accounting for to me in life or to the other
heirs after our death
Second after our death in addition to the above and for
compentation for performing and carring out the above first
Article of this codicil I desire and bequeith To him Eli fifty
acres of land off of the south side of my lot of land the
line to run east & west clear across the lot. He the said
Eli is to have this fifty acres of land extra over and above
an equal share of my estate with the other heirs I desire
that this codicil does not alter or change any part of this
my last will and testament except as to my son Eli this the
6th day of June 1888

W P (his mark) Dickens

Signed sealed declaired and published by William P Dickens
as his codicil to his last will and testament as the 6 day of July 1881

Special instants and request and of each other this the day of 1899

W R Leich
D W Ewing
W R Henderson

Georgia Gwinnett County
I John M Dickens do swear that this writting contains the true last will of the within Named W P Dickens deceased so fare as I know or believe and that I will well and truly execute the same in accordeance with the law of this State so help me God.

his
John M Dickens
mark

Sworne to before me Oct 9 1899

John P Webb Ordinary

Will

State of Georgia Gwinnett County
I W R Simpson of Said State and County being of Sound and disposing mind and Memory do make this my last will and testament hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me

Item 1st I desire That my body be buried in a manner Suitable to my circumstances in life and That my executors hereinafter named Shall have Such a fence put around my Grave and The Grave of my wife Susan M Simpson and have Such monuments erected over our Graves as They may Think appropiate and pay for Them out of my Estate

Item 2nd I desire That if I Should owe any debts at The time of death That They be paid by my Executors hereinafter named as Soon as possible

Item 3rd Should my wife Susan M Simpson Survive me at The time of my death I give and bequeath to her for and during her natural life to live on as a home together with Such of my Children as may be living with me at The time of my death all of The farm That I have recently bought from Mrs Nancy Young containing Consisting of 215 Acres off of Lot No 229 also 50 Acres off of Lot No 196 and 30 Acres off of Lot No 198 Containing 295 Acres more or less in The 6th Dist of Gwinnett County and more fully discribed in The deed for Title from The Nemeda Camp Ground dated August 22 1892 in addition to The above I give and bequeath to my said wife for life all The Crop of every kind and Stock Hogs Cows Horses or mules Wagon Buggy farming tools and all The household and Kitchen furniture That I may own at The time of my death And after The death of my wife I give and bequeath and devise to my Daughter Hannah Lou Ann my Two Acres of Simpson and M M Simpson

described plan Table together with all the improvements thereon Each to have and own a third interest therein with the said right to divide the same among themselves the above devise is made to my wife in lieu of dower and Testamentary support She to have the right to sell any of the personal property and reinvest the proceeds other of like character said farm and improvements I value to Hannah Kent B F Simpson and O O Simpson at Two Thousand and five Hundred dollars ($2500) or $833 33⅓ each to each they to take the same subject to the life estate of my wife

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my daughter Hannah Kent all the household and Kithen furniture provisions farm products farming tools that may be on the place at the death of my said wife also the best horse or mare to be selected by her the Buggy wagon Cow & calf that may be on hand at the death of my wife in the event that she should out live me this bequest is not to be accounted for my daughter for the reason that she and her children have done more work for me than the other children

Item 5th I desire that my executors herein after named dispose of all other property I may own at the time of my death at public or private sale for cash or on time as they may think best and to collect all debts that may be due me and after paying debts and expenses to divide the same so as to make each child receive an equal share after each have accounted for all advancements that I have made to them I have already advanced to the following of my children the following advancements which they are to account for in the division of my estate to wit my son John T Simpson Two Hundred and fifty dollars to my Son W P Simpson Four Hundred and fifty dollars To my Son B F Simpson Two Hundred and fifty dollars To my son O O Simpson Two Hundred and Fifty dollars and to my Daughter Laura Webb Four Hundred and fifty dollars To my daughter Almeda McLauchlin Four Hundred and fifty dollars To my daughter Mary Lidell Four Hundred and fifty dollars To my daughter Lala Simpson One Thousand dollars the same being the One half undivided interest in the Hopkins place which I have heretofore deeded to her

It is my intention and desire that Hannah Kent B F Simpson O O Simpson and Lala Simpson have the fourth undivided interest in my estate herein Provided for them in this with which the other children have received as much as

Their property is returned to them at-ire this wife Lizzie
me event-ure my daughtis Hannah Kind-and Lula Simpson
to be required to pay back any thing to my estate on account
of the property given to them and mentioned in this will

Item 7th I hereby give bequeath and devise to my Son O B Simpson
in trust-and as trustee for my Son J T Simpson and his present
wife Lizzie and the Children of the said J T Simpson by the
said Lizzie if any and I hereby direct-That-my Executors
pay over to said Trustee what-ever would be the share of
J T Simpson under this will and by said Trustee held and
managed or invested as he may think best-for the use and
benefit-of said J T Simpson his said wife and the Children by
her if any and to pay over to them issue rents and profits
arising from said funds from time to time as they may
need it-and should the said J T Simpson die without
wife or children by the said Lizzie then and in that-event
said fund to be by said Trustee equally divided among the
Brothers and Sisters of the said J T Simpson Then living
This bequest is not-to be subject-to the debts contracts-Contds
or liabilities of the said J T Simpson I hereby relieve said
Trustee from making returns of his acts-unless he chooses to
do so

Item 8th I hereby constitute and appoint-Sons W P Simpson and
B F Simpson the Executors of this my last-will and testament
And relieve them from the necessity of applying to and
Receiving orders from the Ordinary to do any act-from having
my estate appraised from making annual returns in Carrying
out-the provisions of this will except-to have will proved
and the letters testamentary issued on testamony whereof I
have hereunto set-my hand this 8 day of Sept-1892

William A Simpson

Signed declared and published by W A Simpson as his
last-will and testament-in the presence of us the
Subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the
presence of said testator at his instance and request-
and of each other he signing in our presence And we
signing in his presence W P Butchell
L Lawson
Pvt Hazen A.P.V. G.O

Will In The Name Of God Amen
I John M Spencer of the Town of Bryers Gwinnett County
State of Georgia being of Sound Mind and Memory
do make and Publish This my Last will and Testament
Revoking Explicit Confidence in my wife Mary A
Spencer That She will not make away with or Squander
any part of my estate only Sufficient for her Support
or Maintenance I will and bequeath unto my
Wife Mary A Spencer all my property both real and
personal That I May Die possessed of During here life
or widowhood And here death or Marriage I wish my
property to be divided as follows as I Inherited One
Thousand Dollars from my Fathers estate I will That
at The death or Marriage of my wife Mary A Spencer
That One Thousand Dollars of my estate be taken
out and after The said One Thousand dollars is taken
out from my estate That One half of The remainder
That is left be added to The said One Thousand Dollars
And The Amount That both Sums make is to
Constitute The Sum That I will hereafter divide as
my estate The remainder to be disposed of by my
Wife by will Or Otherwise as She may See proper
I will and bequeath unto Johny The Son and at This
Time only Son Child of Thomas A Maynard
One Thirteenth part of above Mentioned Sum
The remainder to be equally divided between
my Twelve Neices and Nephews Children of my
Brother Calvin Spencer and Sister Nancy J Evans
Said in Case That any Mother Should be Living at
The death or Marriage of my wife my estate is to
be kept together and my Mother to receive all rents
And Income from it Until her death and if She
be dead and my brother and Sister be Alive
They Shall Divide The Income equally between them
Share And share alike With The rest of The estate as
Above And I hereby appoint

William A Wood my Nephew and Thomas N Maynard
my Partner in Business Executors of this my will and it is
my will that They and their Successors if They be dead
or refuse to serve shall serve and this will as soon as
possably without recourse to Law or Lawyers always having
discretion given to settle all differentities that may
arise as I do not want my property squandered
in Courts and in offices over Lawyers fees
John A Spencer
Signed Sealed declared and published by the said
John A Spencer as and for his last will and in
presents of us who at his request and in the presence
of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses
hereto This 9th day of January 1888 J A Higgins
Leonard P Pattillo
A E Maynard

Georgia Gwinnett County
I A E Maynard do swear that I saw J A Higgins
and Leonard P Pattillo See the within named J A Spencer
Sign and publish the within attached paper as his last
will and testament that I Subscribed the same as witness
thereto at the special instance and request of the said
John A Spencer and in his presents as did also J A Higgins
and Leonard P Pattillo in the presence of testator and
of each other that the said John A Spencer signed
the same freely and voluntarily and was at the
time of such signing of sound and disposing
mind and memory A E Maynard
Sworn to and Subscribed before me June 4 1900
John P Webb Ordinary

Georgia Gwinnett County
We Thomas N Maynard and Wm A Wood do solemnly
swear that this writing contains the true last
will of the within named John A Spencer deceased
so far as we know or believe and that we will
well and truly execute the same in accordance
with the law of this state so help me God
Thomas N Maynard
Wm A Wood
Sworn to and Subscribed before me June 4 1900
John P Webb Ordinary

Drawn in common form and admitted to
record June 4 1900 John P Webb Ordinary

Georgia Fulton County

In the name of God Amen

I Jennie P Rowell of the County of Fulton and State of Georgia being of sound and disposing Mind and Memory and being desirous of settleing my worldly affairs while I have strength do do do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all wills by me at any time heretofore made and first I commit my Soul to God who Gave it and my Body I desire to be Buryed in my lot in the Cemetery at Salem Virginia by the side of my Husband Jacob L Miller and my worldly Estate I dispose of As follows First I will and bequeath to my Sister Mrs Mary Ruff my Farm Situated in Bedford County Virginia Known as the Cobb place also the farm my father Gave me I will her this free from the debts of her Husband or her own to be hers absolute and in fee simple with all my rights and Entirest therein with absolute power to Control and enjoy proceeds therefrom in as free a manner as I have done during her lifetime at her death This property is to become the property of her Children jointly and held as such until the youngest one shall become twenty One years Old should either or both of the Girs at that time be unmarried they or her as may be is to own and control the place having full benefits of all incomes therefrom until she is Married that is until both the Girls is Married or dead after that period the place is to be Sold and the proceeds thereof is to be equally divided between all my Sister Marys Children share and share alike this property cannot be sold during Mary Rosiborough Ruffs life time Only by decree of Court and the money arising therefrom to be at once reinvested in real estate and deeds made according to my will above

Second I Give and bequeath to my youngest Sister Mrs Sophia Ruff my property in Bedford County Virginia known as the Deerdorff and the one adjoining known as the Jim Ewing place I will her this property free from the debts of her Husband and any of her owne to be hers absolute in fee simple with power to absolute Control and enjoy the proceeds therefrom free from any Claims from her Husband for her lifetime after her death it shall become the property of her Children to be theirs jointly until the youngest one becomes twenty one years old Then if Either of the girls or all of them are unmarried it shall be theirs Controled and managed by them all the proceeds therefrom being theirs until the last one is Married (or one of the Girls) the One or more then remaining then simple is to have all the income from the property as long as they [illegible] after all the Girls

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Share and Share alike
Third I will and bequeath to my beloved niece Una Temple
Sperry whom I have raised from childhood free from the debts
of any Husband which She may hereafter have to her Sole
And in fee simple my property Situated on magnolia Street
in Atlanta Known to us as The Henderson property
Also all The Interest I may own in The Southern Dental
And Dental Colleges and at any time The Colleges choose
to buy This Interest or She may desire best to Sell This Interest
to other parties She is to reinvest The Same in Other real
Estate to hold possess and enjoy as I shall hereafter state
I also Give and bequeath her my entire Stock in The
Bonsack Machine Co with all my rights And Interest
Therein with power to Control Sell and collect in
As ample and compleet And full manner as
I myself have This is all for her Own Individual use
And Special benefit My property known as No 68 Fryor
Street which I partly inherited from my husband holds
a Claim against Et Ivins by him for $7000.00 money loaned him
with Interest thereon since May 1894 and which he and I
Considered Our property jointly Una as to hold This property
As hers Getting The rents Therefrom paying All Insurance
on it Taxes and any other expenses until it has become
Sufficiently valuable to be Sold for not less Than
$20,000.00 Then it is to be Sold by her and She is to pay
each of my Sisters Mrs Sperry Mrs Dan Ruff and Mrs
Sophia Ruff each of The Three Sisters $5000 five Thousand
dollars each to be Theirs as States in The bequest for The
Land except That The money can be paid to each One
Individually to be used and managed without The
necessity of a Trustee And Should They die before it
is Spent it is to be divided among Their Children in The Same
way and Manner as The Land That is left Them on The Same
Terms and Conditions it is expressly directed That This money
Shall not be used for in paying for property Any Kind
Already bought or hereafter bought by Their Husbands
Fourth my property as Northeast Spring I desire Sold
when it Can be done for $25,000 not less Than That Sum
for One Hundred Acres Including The Spring and Dwelling
And Orchard and The land Adjoining To The Amount
of One Hundred acres all on The East side of The Public
Road That The buildings are located on I Direct for
which The aforesaid Lands Sold I desire paid to my Three
Sisters as follows To Mrs Margaret Sperry The Sum of One
Thousand dollars To Mrs Mary Ruff Another Sister Sophia
Ruff Five Thousand Each on The Same Terms And Conditions

as That-heretofore Given and The balance of The Money I Am
to Come Upon it is to be
Fifth The balance of The Land at Rotborough Springs with The
Dame place The Johnson place and all The lands That I poses
and Own in fulton and DeKalb Counties and The City of
Atlanta not-heretofore mentioned I bequeath to Una Lpary
Sixth I Give and bequeath to Cynthia Buskins The propity
I Own in Gwinnett County Containing 50 Acres more or Less
known As The Black place
Seventh I will and bequeath to My Niece Una Lpary all
The balance of my property both real and personal Consisting
Partly of The Salem property and The Alleghaney County
in Virginia property and all Other real estate I may own
in Virginia or may hereafter Owne as well as in the State
of Georgia Florida or Elsewhear and also all my notis
Bonds Household and Kitchen furniture farm Implements
Stock on farms Carriages Harness and Horses Including
pictures and all Other personal property of every Character
and Kind except my Silver which is to be divided between
herself and my Three Sisters as I Shall Direct-her and also
my Jewelry and Clothing and my encyclopedia and
Dr Powells Gold watch and One Hundred dollars in Money
which I Will and bequeath to Mr James D Massey
Eighth I will and bequeath to James Powell Sone of Dr Powells
Brother Fayett Powell of Sparty Ga One Thousand dollars to be
paid by my Executrix herein after named out of The money
Arising from The Sale of The real Estate which She is
Directed to Sell or Otherwise
Ninth I will and bequeath to Una Lparry after The Sale
of my No 63. Pryor Street-property and The Sale of Rotborough
Spring property and after the payment of The Sums named to my
Three Sisters all The balance of proceeds of These Sales after The
Erection of a monument hereinafter provided for and the Sum
named to Jennie Powell as Legacy Mentioned to be hers absolute
Tenth it is my will and direct That-if Una Lpary Should die
without-a child or children Then-The property Given to her by
This will shall Go to and be the property of my Three Sisters
being Equally divided between Them Share and Share alike
Una has full and free Legacy of all I have given her the
Control The property Given to the Corpus of the estate for
Maintenance Support and pleasure but-Should She die
without-Children or Child Then The property shall go
As I have directed
Eleventh I direct my Executor as hereafter named
to Erect a Granit-Monument in my lot in Salem Virginia
at The head of my husbands Grave to Cost not-less Than
Three Thousand Dollars, I direct a Harmon Marker
of Granite at Each Grave Each marker to Cost One Th dollars the Marker

Slet now at hest of Mr Miller wife who is buryed by the
Dr's side the Slab can be laid on the Grave
Twelfth I appoint Una Sperry my executrix And release
And release her from Giving bond And Security & not
returns to the Ordinary and of procuring Orders for the Sale
of Property from the Court of Ordinary Giving her full power
to Sell and Dispose of property —— Order of Court And direct
That Immediately at my death That the assent to Pecuniary
Legacy named in this will And I direct That the Legatee
enter into the possession of the property possession of the
property Given by this will without the payment of Commission
or other Expenses And I further provide that the Letters of
Executorship shall not abate by the Marriage of Una
Sperry but in case she Marries before my death or before
She fully administers the estate after my death That
She shall qualify as executrix and act as such
until my will is fully Carried Out I further direct
That Una Sperry pay for legal advice in the Administration
of the estate out of the property Given to her I further direct
That Una Sperry apply to Thomas M Latham as her legal
Counsellor and Adviser unless She Marries a Lawyer
And prefers to be Governed by his Counsel

Mrs Jennie P Powell

Signed Sealed published and
Declared by Mrs Jennie P Powell as her last will and
testament in presence of us who at her request and
in presence of Each other have subscribed our names
hereto Mar 11 1898

Charles F Rice
R E Ripley
Thomas M Latham

State of Georgia Fulton County
By W H Hulsey Ordinary for said County
Know all whom it may Concern That on the 6th day of
August 1900 the last will and testament of Jennie P Powell
Deceased at the time of her death a resident of said
County was legally proven in solemn form
a copy of which is Annexed duly certified and on the 6th
day of August 1900 at a regular term of the Court of
Ordinary said will was admitted to record by Order
And Una Sperry named Executrix in said will
allowed to qualify and upon so doing Letters Testamentary
Ordered to be issued to her as such Executrix
Now Therefore the said Una Sperry having taken the
Oath of Office and complied with all the necessary
pre-requisites of Law is legally authorized to discharge
all the duties of an executrix on the will of said
deceased to administer the property of said deceased
which is directed According to the Direction and the Law

Given Under my hand and The Official Seal This 6th
Day of August 1900 C T D Dalsey Ordinary

State of Georgia County of Fulton Ordinarys Office
I Charles F Rice Clerk of The Court of Ordinary of Fulton
County State of Georgia That The foregoing is a true Copy
of The Last will and Testament of Jennie P Powell
deceased and of The Letter Testamentary Issued to Ina Story
as Executrix of Said will as same appears of file and of
record in This Office in Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my Official Signature and affixed The Seal of The
Court of Ordinary of The City of Atlanta County and
State aforesaid This The 27 Day of Sept in The year of
our Lord 1900 Charles F Rice Clerk of The Court
of Ordinary Fulton County Ga.

State Georgia Gwinnett County
In The Name of God Amen I Margaretta Graves
of Said State and County being of advanced age and
of Sound mind and Memory Knowing That I must
~~shortly~~ must Soon depart This Life do make This my last will and testament
revoking all other wills heretofore made by me
Item 1st I desire That my body be decently in a decent and
Christian like manner and That my Sole return
to God who Gave it—
Item 2nd I direct That my outstanding debts if any be all
Settled as Soon as possible
Item 3rd I direct That my Graves be fixed up just like my
deceased Husbands is fixed also That one half acre
of land including The family Graves yard be
properly laid off and not Sold but be Reserved
And known as The James Graves & Margaretta
yard
I have & I desire during my Lifetime to have the family
Graves moved in & where the same is to be done out
of any effects after my death
Item 4th I do Give That of my household & all my feather beds
Pillows Bolsters and thirty of my best linen Sheets
Counterpanes Coverlets and blankets be Letter out
Equally between all my Children & they Com
to be equally Lotted if not put in Lumpsum and
Let Each Get all the Lot is equal Valuation I desire
That all my daughters Get out The articles they is
to be Divided by The Boys
Item 5th I desire That any Goods That That have not been
Spoken for mentioned to be Sold to The best Bidder
Cattle Sheep and personal Sold after all expenses
are paid & that shall remain Divided as Equal

assigned distribution among them all provided all of this my last will and testament can be carried out satisfactory to all parties concerned otherwise if there should be one or more them one who are ~~dissatisfied~~ disposed to be contrary or troublesom and dissadisfied I desire that he or she be cut entirely out of any part or parcel of my effects and it all to be equally divided among those who can agree and are agreed to this my last will & Testament

Item 6th 11 I hereby nominate and appoint my Two beloved sons viz Darlin L Garner and Edd Garner as executors of This my last will and testament in witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 18 day of May 1897

Margarette E Garner (Seal)
her mark

We The Undersigned do hereby certify that we saw The Testator Sign the above as her last will and testament She signed in our presents and we in hers and in the presence of each other and at her instance and request Signed and sealed This 18 day of May 1897

James M Henderson
Levi A Carter
Wm Mc Phillips

Georgia Gwinnett County
Last will and Testament of John L Verner
I John L Verner of said State and County being of Sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me

Item 1st I will That my executors do soon as possible after my death
10 pay all of my debts

Item 2nd 11 I wish my executors to take charge and hold as long as property together do long as my beloved wife Mary E Verner shall live except such personal property in their judgement as may not be necessary for ~~their~~ support of my wife and children Two Cows and which personal property may be sold by them either by public or private Sale

Item 3rd 11 I give to the Trustees of the Rock Spring M E Church Twenty five dollars to Maintain and repair the Church Building and Cemetery

Item 4th 11 I direct my executors if it becomes necessary in their judgement to sell any of my property either at public or private Sale for the purpose of the support of my wife and daughters

Item 5th 11 At the death of my wife I desire that my Executors shall divide whatever personal property there may be equally between my children

To L L Werner I will That-They deliver one Three To
Edith E and Emma W They will deliver each a Third
of my personal property and I wish to each a life estate
in a Third of my real estate with remainder interest
To Their Children and if either or both die without
living Issue or Issue die without reaching Majority
then Their to go to my other heirs
Item 6th I hereby appoint my Son L L Werner and my
Brother H T Werner Executors of this my will
In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand
And This 22 day of Sept 1900 John L Werner
Signed and published by John L Werner
as his last will and testament in the presence
of The Undersigned who Sets each our names hereto
As witnesses at The instance and Request of said
Testator and in his presence and in the presence
of Each other Sept 22, 1900 James W Burris
R M Atkinson
J T Baxter

Proven in Solemn form and admitted to
Record This Dec 3, 1900 John P Webb Ordinary

Georgia Gwinnett County
In the name of God Amen I Cynthia Bowles of the State and
County aforesaid being of Sound mind and disposing
memory do mak and declare The following to be my last will
and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all other wills
made by me It is my will and desire that Sisters daughters
shall have my whole effects- Mary Ann Hills and Louisa Atkins
Ten dollars a piece I want Granite Rocks put to mine and
my Childrens Graves This Aug 4 1890 Cynthia Bowles
Witness William H Lindsey
J M Miller
R J Miller

Probated in Common form This Jan 7 1901
J P Webb Ordinary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

Last will and Testament of joseph j Wilson

I joseph j Wilson of Said State and County being of Sound and disposing mind and memory realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of Death and deeming it right and proper that I should direct the disposition of the Goods and Chattels Lands and tenements with which God has so Graciously blessed me I do make this my Last will and testament resigning my body to the Ground from whence it came and my Soul to God who Gave it

Item 1. I wish my Executor as Soon after my death as practicable to pay my debts If a Sale of property Shall be necessary I wish him to Select for Sale That which can be most advantageously used for that purpose

Item 2nd I Give to my beloved wife Melvina all of my effects both real and personal to have and to hold during her natural life And after her death I bequeath it to my bodily heirs by her to be equally divided between them

Item 3rd I do hereby appoint my friend John C McElreath Executor of this my last will and testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand this the 26 day of Feb 1901 Joseph J Wilson

Signed and published by Joseph J Wilson as his last will and testament in the presence of the undersigned who Subscribed our names hereto as Witness at the request of Said Testator and in his presence and in the presence of Each other this 26 day of Feb 1901

J M Paul
W A Dodd
J F Lowery

Georgia Gwinnett County

I do Solemnly Swear that this writing contains the true last will of the within named Joseph J Wilson deceased So far as I know or believe and that I will well and truly Execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State So help me God

J C McElreath

Sworne to and Subscribed before me this April 1 1901

John R Webb Ordinary

Probated in Common form April 1 1901 John R Webb Ordinary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

Last Will and Testament of James J Ross

I James J Ross of said State and County being somewhat
advanced in age but of sound and disposing Mind and
Memory realizing the uncertainty of life and the certainty
of death deem it right and proper both as respects my
family and my self that I should make and dispose of the
property with which kind providence has blessed me I do therefore
make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all
others by me heretofore made

Item 1. I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent
and Christian like Suitable to my circumstances in life my
Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it
as I hope and trust for Salvation through the merits
and Atonement of the blessed Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ

Item 2 I desire and direct that all my just debts if any there
be at the time of my demise be paid by my Executors
hereinafter named and appointed

Item 3 I bequeath to my wife Virginia L A Ross the following
property to wit One Hundred and fifty acres of land
adjoining the One Hundred acre lot bought by me from the
Camp land including my present dwelling and other
out buildings designated as lot number four
during her lifetime or widowhood at her death or
remarriage to be sold and equally divided among
my three living children if more of them living
to their bodily heirs I also bequeath to my said wife
her choice of One Mule One Milk Cow and One Brood Sow
of those possessed by me at my death Also the One horse
wagon the Organ and two Hundred Dollars in money
The foregoing provision is intended to be in lieu of Dower

Item 4 I bequeath to my daughter Willette Ross during her natural
life a certain tract of land designated as lot number five
adjoining the land bequeathed to my wife deed described
by a plat to the same at her death the said tract shall be
divided among the bodily heirs of mine if dead leaving
any child and be equally divided among any other heirs or
or their representatives

Item 5. To my Daughter Lillie Abbott I bequeath during her natural
life a certain parcel of land, designated as lot No six, adjoining
lands of J E Raymond, W E Flanigan, and lot number five and
described in a plat to the same, At her death the said parcel
of land shall be divided among her bodily heirs; if none, it
shall revert to my estate, and be equally divided among my
bodily heirs, or their children.

Item 6 I desire and direct that immediately after my death, or
as soon thereafter as practicable my executors hereinafter

named here an appraisment of all my property, both real and personal
except that bequeathed to my wife Virginia L. A Boss, and that an equal division
of the amount of said appraisment be made among my then surviving
Children, or their bodily heirs; Provided, however, that if the lands be
-queathed respectively to my daughter Alletha Boss, and Lillie A Black shou
upon said appraisment be found to be of greater Value than their equal
shares. In that event to entitle them to said bequest, they shall be required
to execute to the other heirs a lien upon their undivided interest in and
to their Mothers estate for the amount of the excess of their shares, over the
of the shares of the other heirs. I further direct that if the lands bequ
-eathed respectively to my daughters Alletha Boss and Lillie A Black
of less value than their equal shares arising from said appraisment
than the other heirs to entitle them to share in the division of my
estate shall pay amounts from their respective shares sufficient
to make the shares of the said Alletha Boss and Lillie A Black equ
to their shares.

Item 7. I will that as soon after my death as practicable my Executo
advertise and sell all of my property, both real and personal, exce
that bequeathed in items 3, 4 and 5 of this will, and that
the proceeds, after paying burial and debts and expenses
including the ($40.00) Forty Dollars of item 8 of this will, be equ
in equal divisions among my bodily heirs then living, if de
them to their bodily heirs.

Item 8- I will and direct that my son William G Boss have ($40.
Forty Dollars of the proceeds of the Crops raised on my farm in the
year A D 1901 as extra Compensation, aside from his equal
division.

Item 9- I will and direct that the Contracts between myself and
my Croppers, or tenants for the Crop year 1901 be, and remain un
-changed, or unmolested.

Item 10- I wish and appoint my daughter Alletha Boss, and J A Boss J
be, and act as Trustees, and guardians of my daughter Emma
A Boss who is of unsound mind;

Item 11- I do hereby appoint my son Geo W Boss and Wm G & Emmons
as Executors of my will as recorded herein-

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand, this
day of Nov 1900.

Signed and published by James J Boss as his last Will
and testament in the presence of the undersigned who sub
-scribe our Names hereto as Witness, at the instance and
request of said testator, and in his presence, and in the
presence of each other. This 10th day of Nov 1900-

Witness. W. E. Flanigan
" J. H. Williams
" D. T. Farmer

J. J. Boss

Oath- I do solemnly swear that the foregoing contains the
true last will of the within

as far as I know or believe, And that I will well and truly execute
the same, in accordance with the laws of this State. So help me God

This 2nd day of Jany 1901.
Sworn to and subscribed
before me This Jany 2nd 1901
John A Webb
Ordinary

George W Bass
W O & Adams

Probated in Common form - Jany 7th 1901.
John A Webb - Ordinary

Will

Georgia Gwinnett County
I D L McDonald of said State and County
being of sound and disposing mind and memory
do make this my last will and testament-

Item 1st
Item 2nd

I desire that at my death all my just debts be paid
I give and bequeath and devise to my wife Mary A-
McDonald all the property both real and personal that-
I may have at my death for and during her life or
widowhood except such property as is necessary to be sold
to pay my just debts and funeral Expenses
I desire that at my death my Executor hereinafter named
shall sell such personal property that I may possess
that my said wife and said Executor finds is not needed
by my said wife to run the farm or that may
deteriate in value and that there is an expense
in keeping and to use the proceeds in improving my
farm purchasing other property needed or for the
support of my said wife if not needed for either of the
purposes foregoing object then to be divided among
my legal heirs as hereafter direct as to my other property

Item 3rd

I direct that at the death or marriage of my said wife
that all my property be sold and the proceeds thereof
to be divided into six Equal shares my Son
William R McDonald to receive one share and my
Daughter Eliza J Brooks to receive one share the children
of my deceased son John A McDonald to receive one share
my son L F McDonald to receive one share the children
of my deceased daughter Edna F Gresham to receive one
share and my daughter Eugenia F Grizzard to receive
one share

Item 4th

I make and direct that the taxes of my Estate given
to the children of John A McDonald and Edna F Gresham
before mentioned be held by my son L F McDonald as
Trustee for said children and to pay the same to them
when they become of age I am by this Item that-
that said Executor is given to either of the children
of my said son John A McDonald and my Daughter Edna
said children of said children to pay

Sept That Said Childs Share be held by my Son L F McDonald
as Trustee for them until They become of age and then pay Over
Same to them

Item 5th I hereby ~~appoint~~ Constitute and Appoint my Son L F
McDonald Executor of This my last will and Testament - This the 25th day
of July 1895.

D L McDonald

Signed declared and Published by D L McDonald as his
last will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers
our names hereto in the presence of said Testator at his Instance
and Request - and of each other he signed in our presence and
we signed in his presence.

Thos McLean -
W H McLean -
J P Williams

I do Solemnly Swear That - This writing contains the true
last will of the within named D L McDonald deceased
So far as I know or believe and that I will well and
truly Execute the same in accordance with the laws of
This State So help me God L F McDonald
Sworne to And Subscribed before
me This May 6 1901 John P Webb Ordinary

will Georgia Gwinnett County
In the name of God Amen
I John Carroll of said County
Believeing in years but of Sound and disposing mind
Desiring to make such disposition of my estate among
my Family as seems just and equitable do make
and publish This as my last will and Testament

Item 1st It is my will and direction That my just debts if any
exist at the time of my death and the expenses of my last
illness and burial be paid as Soon as practicable

Item 2 I hereby Given as advancement to the Children of my
former Marriage the property contained in the following
Account with the values affixed Said Children Could
reasonably expect more and are therefore excluded from
any further share or interest in the division of my
Estate to wit - To Delany Ellen Carr

One Bed bedding and Bedstead	$50.00
Cash to begin Housekeeping	25.00
One Horse Bridle and Saddle Cow & Calf	100.00
Provisions Meat - Corn wheat &c	125.00
One Negro Boy	400.00
Total	$700.00

To Henry Carroll

One Bed Beding and Bedstead	$50.00
One Horse Bridle and Saddle	100.00
One Cow and Calf	

	Amount to Live A year of Land at $5.00 Peace	$875.00
	Cash in Lieu of Negro	300.00
	Total	$840.00

To Hopson Everett

One Bed Bedding and bedstead	$50.00
One Horse Bridle and Saddle	115.00
One Cow and Calf	15.00
One Negro woman	700.00
Total	$880.00

Item 3rd I do hereby will to my wife Harriet O. and her Children by me all of my Estate both real and personal of every Description to be kept together raised and Controled by my Said wife for the benefit Support and Maintenance of herself and Said Children as a family and for the Education of the Children until Such Time Thereafter as She may deem proper and Best for the Interest of all to divide it among her Said Children

Item 4th I nominate and appoint my Said wife Harriet O. Carroll Executrix of This my last will and Testament And Guardian of her Said Children and Desire and Direct That She be not required to make Annual Returns except on Inventory and Appraisment of my property either as Executrix or Guardian So long as The family remain together In Testimony whereof I hereunto Set my hand and Seal This Jan 7 1882

John + Carroll (L.S.)
his mark

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by John Carroll The Testator as his last will and Testament in our presents and We Signed The Same as Witness at his request in his presence and in The presence of each Other This Jan 7 1882

N L Hutchins
A M Orrison
J M Patton

I do Solemnly Swear That This Writing contains The True last will of The within named John Carroll deceased So far as I know or believe And That I will well and truly Execute The Same in Accordance with The Laws of This State So help me God This Jan 1901

State of Georgia Lowndes County

I Lempson Ethridge of said State and County above named being of sound and disposing Mind and memory Do create This my last will and testament-

Item 1. I give to my two daughters Viola Ethridge and Maggie Thomas Equal Interest in fifteen Acres of land where I now reside known as The Frances Ethridge place Lying Equal Interest mentioned Above to Maggie Thomas if She lives apart from her husband W H Thomas Otherwise The title to The same reverts to said Viola Ethridge Mentioned Above

Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my two daughters Viola Ethridge and Maggie Thomas my Horses and Buggies provided The said Maggie Thomas remains apart from her Husband as mentioned in Item first otherwise The title and possession to be in Viola Ethridge

Item 3. I give and bequeath to my daughters Viola Ethridge and Maggie Thomas all of my Household and Kitchen furnatures of every Kind Except furnatures mentioned in Item 4 of this will The equal title to remain in Maggie Thomas if she lives apart from her husband Otherwise the right entitle shall be in Viola Ethridge

Item 4th to my daughter Viola Ethridge her Piano bureau and bedsteads of her own property and she is to be given a cow to equal her with other Children.

Item 5th I will all The residue of any property be equally divided Among my Children and The heirs of The deceased to be in Equally Their Mothers equal part-

Item 6th I do hereby appoint Emanuel And Dr W Ethridge Executors of this my last will In testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand This 16 day of March 1901

Lempson Ethridge (L.S.)

Signed and published by Lempson Ethridge as his last Will and Testament in the presence of the undersigned who have hereunto set their names hereto as witnesses at the instance and request of Said Testator and in his presence and in the presence of each other This The 16 day of March 1901

B O Cosby
T A Fowler
Jethro T Mayes
J B Mann

Georgia Lowndes County

We E J Ethridge and W M Ethridge do solemnly Swear That the writing contain The Last Will of the within named Lempson Ethridge deceased As We know or believe And That we will well and truly Execute The same in accordance with the Law of The State to The best of our ability So help us God E J Ethridge

W M Ethridge

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21 day of March 1901

Jethro T Mayes Notary

State of Georgia Gwinnett County

In The name of God amen I Mary M Davis of Gwinnett County and State of Georgia being of Sound and disposing Mind and Memory and being desirous of Setting my worldly affairs while I have Strength So to do do make and publish This my last will and testament hereby revoking all will by me made at any time heretofore first- I Commit my Sole to God who Gave it- and body I desire to be buried in decent Manner at Prospect Church Gwinnett County Ga and my worldly Estate I dispose of as follows I want my Executor to Settle all my just debts as Soon as practicable

Item 2nd I Give and bequeath to my daughter Milly Emma Davis during her natural life The place wherein we reside Containing (125) One Hundred and Twenty five Acres more or less adjoining Lands of Nathan Teagle W Mitchell & W Bradford B T Ethier and O B Davis to be ruled by her after Milly Emma Davis Death to be Equally divided among all the other children of mine share and share alike

Item 3rd I Give and bequeath to my daughter Milly Emma Davis all of My Personal Property of all Kinds Household and Kitchen furniture and farming tools for her perusal

Item 4th I will and direct- That my Executor be not required to make any return of his acts or doings to The Ordinary of Said County All That I require is That she has This my last will and Testament recorded in The proper Court of Said County

Item 5th I Appoint my daughter Milly Emma Davis Executrix of my will

In witness whereof I The Said Mary M Davis to This my will Consisting of The foregoing One Sheet of paper have Set my hand and Seal This 14 day of Dec 1901

Mary M Davis
her mark

Signed Sealed published
and Declared by The above named Mary M Davis
as her last will and testament in presence of us who at
her request in presence of Each other have hereunto our names
as witnesses hereto

W A Mitchell
J D Hannah
W A Bradford

Milly Emma Davis being duly Sworn Says That This writing Contains The true last will of The within named Mary M Davis deceased So far as I know or believe and That I will well and truly Execute The Same in accordance with The laws of This State So help me God Milly Emma Davis
her mark

Sworn to and Subscribed before me This 12 day of Dec 1901

John P Metts Ordinary

Will

Georgia Gwinnett County

I Hiram M Whitworth of said State and County being of
Sound and disposing Mind and Memory do make This
my Last-Will and Testament

Item 1st I will That-all my just debts and burial Expenses be paid
by any Executor herein after named

Item 2nd I will bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Nancy-
Whitworth the place I live on containing Three Hundred and Twenty
Acres part of Lots no 162 170 and twenty Acres more or less bought of
The Est John Martin place for and during her life and at her
Death I will and bequeath The same to my daughter Matilda
J Whitworth in fee simple

Item 3rd I will bequeath and divise all The personal property I
own at my death to my beloved wife during life and The same
to go after her death to my daughter Matilda J Whitworth

Item 4th I will bequeath and devise That-The residue of my estate
at my death consisting of notes and accounts and one Third
Interest in the McElreny Mill property consisting of Grist-mill
and Gin and Machinery said Mill tract-containing Three
Acres more or less be Equally divided between my Son
James B Whitworth and my daughter Mary S Oliver
wife of Denill B Oliver

Item 5th I will and direct-That-my Burial Expenses be
paid off The place That-is of such property as would suit
my beloved wife best to part-with

Item 6th I will and desire That-in The event-That-I should
Survive my beloved wife That-at my death That-my
Daughter Matilda J Whitworth shall have all That-is Given
by This will to her and her another without reason my
reason for Giving my daughter more of my estate arises
from the fact-The Others have had more Than the and
further That-She has remained with her parents in
Old age and assisted in making what we have

Item 7th I hereby constitute and appoint-my Son
James B Whitworth and my Friend James D Spence
my Executors of This my Last-Will and Testament-
This The 15-day of December 1893 Hiram M Whitworth
Signed declared and published by Hiram M Whitworth
as his Last will and Testament-in the presence of us
who Subscribed our names hereto in the presence of Each
Testator at his Special Instance and request and of
each other he signing in our presence and we
Signing in his presence William E Brown
James D McGee
J M Hudson

Georgia Gwinnett County

Writing Contains The true last will of the within
named Hiram M Whitworth deceased so far as I know
or believe and that I will well and truly Execute the Same
in accordance with the Laws of this State So help me God
J B Whitworth
Sworn to and Subscribed before me this Nov 16 1901
John D Webb Ordinary

Will State of Georgia Glynn County
In the name of God I Miles M Mason of Said State
and County being of Advanced Age and knowing that I
must Shortly depart this life Deem it both right and
proper both as respects myself and family that I should
make a disposition of the property with which a Kind
providence has blessed me do therefore make this my last
will and testament hereby revoking all Others heretofore made
by me First I direct that my body be buried in a decent
and christian like manner
2nd I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without
delay by my Executors hereinafter appointed
3rd I Give bequeath and devise to my son Ellery J Mason
a tract or parcel of land lying and being in the South District
Origonally Henry now Glynn County and parts of
Lots No 5 and 6 containing One Hundred and forty Acres
more or less Valued at Eight Hundred Dollars
4th I Give and bequeath to my daughter Mrs Georgia S Kennedy
and her bodily heirs a certain tract of Parcel of land lying
and being in the Sixth Dist County of Glynn part of
Lots (15) and (18) containing containing Two Hundred
and Twenty five Acres more or less Valued at One
Thousand Dollars I also desire and direct that She
with the assistance of her agent hereinafter appointed
be allowed at any time they think best to sell said tract
or parcel of land and Invest the same in other Lands
to be held for her and her bodily heirs I appoint
E J Mason as her agent in this matter
5th I Give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth E Thomas
All of my interest in a House and Lot in the Town known
known as the T B Thompson House my interest in said
house being Eight Hundred Dollars I Give and bequeath
said interest in said House to her and her bodily heirs
I also desire and direct that said Mrs E E Thompson
with the assistance of her agent herein appointed be
allowed at any time they think best to sell said
interest in said house I appoint John L Johnson
as Mrs E E Thompsons Agent in this matter

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lying and being in the fifth District of said County of Gwinnett-Known as the Hugh Hutchens old home place adjoining lands of Andrew J Webb on north West-and J Tom and Pink Ethridge on the South containing containing One Hundred and fifty Acres more or less valued at-Fifteen Hundred dollars

7th I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Mrs Melvina Watson a certain tract or peice of land lying and being in The State of Alabama and in Morgan County to north west Quarter of Section Thirty Containg One Hundred and Sixty Acres Valued at-Six Hundred Dollars

8th I Will and direct-That-My Daughters Mrs Mary S Stanton and Mrs Georgia S Kennedy to pay to my other Three heirs named in the above will a Sufficient Sum of money to make with the Amount already willed to them the Sum of Nine Hundred and forty dollars this making all equal and all having their full share of my Property To each each one of my heirs except Mrs Mary S Stanton will have to pay into the hands of the Executors five hundred and Sixty Dollars and Mrs Georgia S Kennedy will have to pay into their hands Sixty Dollars this I direct-to be done

9th I hereby Constitute and appoint-Elery J Mason and Josh D Stanton of this my last-will and testament-This The 27 day of May 1897
Witness my hand and Seal E M M Mason
in Presence of E L McDaniel
J H Kilgore
J le DeLaperriere
Georgia Gwinnett County
I E J Mason do Solemnly Swear That-The is writing Contains the true last will of the within named M M Mason deceased to [illegible] or believe and That-I will truly Execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State
So help me God E J Mason
Sworne to and Subscribed before me Feb 12 1901
John P Webb Ordinary

Georgia Gwinnett County

I James H Brazeil of The State and County aforesaid being in good health and sound mind do make this my Last will and testament - It is my will that after my death That all my just debts be paid if There be any and The balance of my property both real and personal or money notes and accounts I will and bequeath to my wife Leleta Brazeil and it is my will That she have and use The same as she may elect for her support and comfort during her natural life or widowhood and That at her death or remarriage That all of my effects That be left be Loked and divided between my bodily heirs and it is my will That my Two Sons Robert G Brazeil and Tandy J Brazeil Execute this my Last will and be That There is a fair and Equal Divide made among my children after The Expenses of the Burial of their Mother Leleta Brazeil is paid and any decoration of the Graves of James H and Leleta Brazeil That There my Executors may proper to place at Said Graves March 9 1901 James H Brazeil

Signed in Presence of
Walton M Chandler
S S Burell
Willie Schuessler

Georgia Gwinnett County

We do Solemny Swear That This writing contains The true last will of the within named James H Brazeil deceased So fare as we know or believe and That we will well and truly Execute the same in accordance with The laws of This State So help us God

R G Brazeil
T J Brazeil

Sworn to and subscribed before me Feb 3 1902
John D Webb Ordinary

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State of Georgia Gwinnett County

Last will and Testament of James T O Beard

I James T O Beard of said State and County being of sound and disposing Mind and Memory do make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all wills heretofore made by me

Item 1. I wish my Executors as soon as possable after my death to pay my just debts and if a Sale of property be necessary I direct them to sell such property That which can be most advantageously used for That purpose and I authorize to sell at public or private Sale as They may deem fit

Item 2. I Give to my beloved wife Esther The following property to wit All of the household and Kitchen furniture including Clock Gun and pistol and all The hogs and cattle on hand at my death Except The Iron Safe in the house and That She remain during her natural life in The house we now Occupy and have The use of all Out buildings Said property to be hers absolutely

Item 3 And to provide for my wife Esther for her natural life I direct my Executors at my death to take full and complete control of all my real estate One Hundred and fifty acres more or less my home place Cotton Gin Saw Mill Engine Grist Mill and all other appurtenances Thereto belonging my said Executors using The proceeds of the farm and machinery for the Maintenance of my said Wife Esther during her natural life as comfort and repair They being allowed The use of all timber on said farm for fire wood and repairs Necessary in any and all respects and further provides That said proceeds are not Sufficient for said uses Then I authorize and direct my Executors to Sell at public or private Sale a sufficiency of said real estate to meet said demands and make Executors Deeds to The same and That my Executors be allowed a reasonable Compensation for all Services rendered from the annual proceeds with legal costs

Item 4. I will and direct at The death of my wife Esther That my Executors without being required to make bond Sell The residue of my property at public or private Sale and without An Administration and after all Expenses having been paid be Equally divided among my Children a Child or Children of a deceased Child taking per stirpes but before The division is made I direct That each Child That Become fully for all property or money They have received Respectively of The Estate of The Same

Item 5. I do hereby appoint As my Executors my Sons William J and Jonathan H Beard In testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand This 23 day of December 1901

James T O Beard

Signed and published by James T O Beard as his last will and Testament in The presence of The undersigned who Subscribed our names hereto As Witnesses at The Instance and request of Said

Posted and published in this presence in the presence of each other
This, The 23 day of December 1902 H H Corley
U M Beard
H H Beard

Georgia Gwinnett County
We do Solemnly Swear That this writing Contains The true last-
will of The within named James T Beard deceased so far as
we know or believe And That we will well and truly execute the
same in accordance with The laws of This State so help us God
W J Beard
J H Beard
Sworn to and subscribed before me Feb 3 1902
John P Webb Ordinary

Will. Georgia Gwinnett County
2nd Disperg I John Bennett of said State and County being of sound
Mem 1st mind and Memory do make This my last will and Testament
I Give bequeath and devise to my wife Mary E Bennett
during her natural life The following described property
to wit The farm on which I now reside in said County of
Gwinnett the said land being The same I purchased of
Joseph Linsey of said County Containing Two Hundred
and fifty Acres more or less and fully described in a
deed from said Joseph Linsey to my self dated and
Executed on the 26 Dec 1892 and Recorded in deed Book
no 4 Page 291 in The Clerks Office Superior Court of said
County I also Give bequeath and devise to my said wife
Mary E Bennett during her natural life all my personal
property in said County of Gwinnett Including Horses
Mules Cows Hogs plantation Tools Waggons Buggies
Harness Household and Kitchen furniture and all other of
my personal property in said County whether Enumerated
or not for her own use and benefit during her natural
life. And at her death All of my said property
Enumerated above both real and personal to be sold
and equally divided among my Children This bequest
2nd Mem is made to my said wife in Lieu of her whole Dower
All my property not enumerated above and located in
any other County but said County of Gwinnett I desire
to be sold at my death and divided Equally among
my Children according to the laws of Georgia
John Bennett
Signed Sealed Declared and published by
John Bennett as his last will and Testa-
ment in the presence of us the subscribers our names hereto
and the presence of said Testator at his Instance and
request and of Each other he signing in our