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Item 1st I devise and direct that all my just debts be paid as soon as possible after my decease by my executor hereinafter named

Item 2d The property which I may have at my death consisting of water accounts, money on hand, horses, hogs, cattle, sheep, farming utensils, household & kitchen furniture, wagons, carts, carriages & buggies, and all effects whatsoever I have, I direct to be equally divided between my children, Mechlada Hampton & daughter Nancy Elbanor Wofford, wife of Wm. H. Wofford, John Barham, son of Lindsey Barham, Samuel Allen, son of Elmira Elliott, & Samuel Wilmot & Hewlett Lanier for my wife Mary in trust for her for her use as hereinafter mentioned

Item 3d The part to which my wife Mary is entitled, I give to Samuel Wilmot & L. H. Hewlett Lanier in trust for said wife & for her own use & for the use of any child or children she may have by any future husband, free from the control of any future husband & free from the debts or liabilities of any future husband, and if said wife Mary should die without having any child or children by any husband, the same shall go, or should she die during the minority of Elmira Ann, I direct that the aforesaid trustees shall give to the children of Samuel Wilmot the property & effects of whatever kind before bequeathed to the aforesaid trustees for the use aforesaid, or so much thereof as they may have left after supporting said wife Mary, the provision so intended in lieu of dower, as

[illegible] to have by my wife Mary & L. H. Hewlett Lanier for my wife Mary

Item 4th I direct & devise that the profits of the crop which may be raised out by my executor hereinafter named, according to the division, that is to say, if they shall not have a sale of the property, for the purpose of an equal division between the aforesaid children & the aforesaid trustees for the use as aforesaid, all to do so

Item 5th I hereby constitute & appoint L. H. Hewlett & Samuel Wilmot executors of this my last will

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 8th day of April 1867 — Brown Hewlett (L.S.)

Signed & published by Brown Hewlett as his last will & testament in our presence & witnesses thereto by his request this 1867

Thomas J. Walker
John Fisher
Lewis Lanier

Recorded

State of Georgia April 8th 1867

Hewlett Lanier at the time of the same came John Fisher & Lewis Lanier two of the subscribing witnesses to the last will of Brown Hewlett, deceased, and being duly sworn said that they saw Brown Hewlett the testator sign, seal, publish and declare the within writing to be his last will & testament & that Thomas J. Walker witnessed the same as a witness in the presence of the testator & we also signed as witnesses in the presence of the testator & in the presence of each other, and we believe the said testator was then of sound disposing mind & memory

Sworn to & subscribed in open court April 8th 1867 before me
E. T. Rodgers Clerk

John Fisher
Lewis Lanier

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Georgia } State of Ordinary's Office
Burke County } March 1st 1868 }
Personally appeared before me Thomas J. Walker and
the subscribing witnesses to the last will of Bean
Hewitt Deceased & have been duly sworn that the
said Bean Hewitt the testator signed publish
and declare the within writing to be his last will
and testament & that John Fisher & Lucal Lawson
assigned the same as witnesses in the presence of
the testator & we all signed as witnesses at the
request of the testator & said testator was then of
sound disposing mind and memory and we
witnesses the same in the presence of each other
& saw no undue influence
Before me this March 1st 1868 } Thomas J. Walker
T. T. Rabestean Ordinary }

Georgia } State of Ordinary's Office
Burke County } April Term 1868
Mr. Singleton S. Hewitt & James
J. Wilson, executors named in a certain
instrument purporting to be the last will and
testament of Bean Hewitt deceased
come in open Court and pray that the said will may be
admitted to record, and that we may
be qualified as executors thereof by paying into the
hands of the Ordinary the legacies contained in said will
so far as the personal estate will thereto extend
and the law charge us
& we will be ready to do & perform
Before me this April 6th 1868 } Singleton S. Hewitt
T. T. Rabestean Ordinary } James J. Wilson

Georgia } I, T. T. Rabestean Ordinary of
Burke County } said County do hereby certify
that the foregoing is a true copy of the last will
of Bean Hewitt duly proven before me in
common form on the oath of Thomas J. Walker
at chambers on the 6th March 1868 and upon
the oath of John Fisher & Lucal Lawson the
other two witnesses to said will at the April
term 1868 at the regular term of the Court
of Ordinary & that S. S. Hewitt & James J. Wilson

named therein as executors duly qualified before me
at said term and to wit when will file nothing
to revoke but will & have duly issued to them Letters
testamentary annexed to said copy of will
In testimony whereof I the said Ordinary have hereunto
set my hand and seal of office this 6th day of April 1868
T. T. Rabestean Ordinary
& Ex Officio Clerk

Recorded January 4th 1869
James L. Lewis Ordinary

State of Georgia } I, the undersigned of said State,
Burke County } being in full health and
mind of disposing mind & memory but of sound
1st It is my desire that my beloved wife Jane S.
Hewitt with whom I have lived in perfect peace
for over two years should have and possess
her own right and title all of the property
possessed, and that it has pleased God
to bless me with, and at her death or marriage
all the property that I have bequeathed to her
to equally divided between my two children
Ellen and Harrison Hewitt
This July 6th 1867 } Harrison Hewitt
Signed sealed and delivered in presence of
Thos W. Alexander
A. J. Shaffer
T. H. Mitchell

Georgia } Before James L. Lewis
Burke County } Ordinary of said county
in person came A. J. Shaffer and T. H.
Mitchell, two of the subscribing witnesses to
the original will of Harrison Hewitt, deceased
and being duly sworn say that to the best
of their knowledge & belief the above is
a true copy of said will, and that said
was executed.

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