

to my soul, and all that is within
me bless his holy name.
Having before me the names of my
and grand children as well as
bondslaves, and pray that Jesus
may guide them through life and
save them in Heaven.
Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of
February 1874.

W. H. Whitworth
Sandy R. Mitchell
A. H. Whitworth

Richard D. Wimer

Georgia, Sumner County. Personally before me and
witnesses to the within writing, purporting
to be the last will of Richard D. Wimer,
and being duly sworn says that he is together
with W. H. Whitworth and M. H. Whitworth did
at the request of Richard D. Wimer and in
his presence subscribe his name as
a witness to the within writing which
Richard D. Wimer will, that the same
was signed and published by Richard
D. Wimer in his presence as his will,
that he was at the time of said estate
and signing by himself of said will and
disposing thereof, and that he executed the within paper testifies
Sworn to and subscribed Sandy R. Mitchell,
before me Jan. 28, 1874.

W. H. Whitworth
Obedience
Recorded Feb. 8, 1874.
W. H. Whitworth
Obedience

State of Georgia.

Sumner County.

I, Matthew D. Wimer, of said State and County
being of sound mind disposing of said and
testament, do make this my last will and
testament.
Item first I give bequeath and devise
to my wife, Martha D. Wimer all my entire per-
sonal estate, such as cash, and all
all kinds, also wearing apparel, stock of
milk, slaves, negroes, clothing, and
all fixtures attached to said premises, and
of different kinds, also all immovables
except land, such as houses, machinery,
etc. I furthermore require my wife
my death to take charge of all my property
to pay all my indebtedness to the best of
that she or may be due to my estate in
any way, to see and be bound to see
my place in my particular, such as
selling property, making deeds, signing
note and contracts, etc. to secure all re-
sponsibility as guardian administrator
and which I am under obligations to
fulfill. Furthermore I require my wife
Martha D. Wimer to pay to all of my heirs
which are lawful the sum of \$1000.00
Four thousand Dollars, as soon as they
become of age, which will make them
an equal share to those of my heirs who
have already come of age, and married,
except my daughter Emma Hill and I
request a deed to be made to her to the
house and lot where she resides which
will make her an equal share with the
rest of the heirs.

This will be sworn out for, and after
 giving the usual form, and after
 my wife Martha Berry, of Guilford
 County, my wife Minerva Berry, of Guilford
 County, and my wife Sarah Berry, of Guilford
 County, as near as she possibly
 can, I furthermore will that at the
 death or intestacy of my wife Martha
 Berry, and of her children, and of her
 appointed heirs, their eldest sons of living
 name, John T. Berry, James Berry, and
 Oliver Berry, as executors of
 this my last will and testament
 to give bond to secure all property
 to take share of all my property
 at the death or intestacy of my wife
 Martha Berry, and all real property
 at public or private sale, and to
 all his equal, and then the remain-
 der to be equally divided among
 the heirs. This the 23 day of April 1874.
 William T. Berry.

So given, declared, read, published by
 William T. Berry as his last will and
 testament, in the presence of the subscribers
 who subscribe our names here in the presence
 of said testator at his instance, and
 request, and of each other, he signs in
 our presence, and we signing in his
 presence.

James O. Hawthorne
 J. E. Pate, C. M.
 J. C. Berry
 D. L. Berry
 W. Berry
 James B. Whitworth

Recorded June 3, 1874.
 C. B. Whitworth
 Clerk

In the House of Delegates
 I, James Berry, of said County, being
 asked and choosing to be sworn, do
 swear, and I declare of body and
 substance that it is my intent, will, and
 desire, that I do give as respects my
 family, that I should make no bequest
 of the property with which I am provided
 here blessed God, I do hereby make this my
 last will and testament, hereby bequeathing all
 other estate by me owned
 I do give and desire that my body be buried in
 a decent and Christian manner in my
 family burying ground by my children, who
 have good lives, and my good conduct
 after the common and stable of their
 I do give that all my just debts be paid
 by my Executors hereafter appointed, without
 unnecessary delay, or paying to that purpose
 the price of any note or interest and
 cash on hand so far as may be and
 in case there shall be not sufficient
 for the purpose, I desire the sale of my
 interest in the tract of land now owned
 by myself and Wm. H. Berry, whereon
 we now reside.
 I do give and desire that all the balance
 of my property and estate of every description
 whether personal real or mixed
 shall be kept together and managed as
 was my custom, as near as may be, the
 rent, issues and profits thereof as much
 as may be necessary, to be employed and
 used for the support and maintenance
 of my well beloved wife Mary and Sarah
 and our common children, and those of