

Hancock County with the name of God Amen I Nathan
 Mallory of this County and State above
 written being of perfectly sound mind & memory do on
 this 18th of Nov. 1821 make & ordain this my last
 will and testament in manner & form following
 Item 1st I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Sally
 Morris all that tract of land which goes by the
 name of the Bishop tract to her & her heirs forever
 My will & desire is that the tract of land which
 I purchased of my father be sold for the payment
 of my just debts & should any be left of it
 I desire that it be saved for the benefit
 of my children Sally Morris & M. Jane Morris.
 Item 2nd It is my will that the balance of my property
 be kept together for the use and benefit of my
 wife & children jointly until they come of lawful
 age or marry & that when either of my children
 come to lawful age or marry that all my Negroes
 be divided between them equally with this proviso
 should either of the children die before she
 become of age or marries, her part is to go
 to the other, or should both die in their minority
 the whole of the property is to remain in the full
 possession of my wife for her disposal of as she
 may think proper.
 Item 3rd It is my will that each of my two children on
 coming of age, or marrying be furnished out of
 my estate with a good horse & saddle two cows
 & calves, one bed & furniture & that at the death
 of my wife the balance of my house-hold & kitchen
 furniture & stock together with the plantation
 tools &c be divided between my two children.
 Lastly I nominate & appoint my wife Sally Morris
 Henry Latimer & John Vearry Executors of this
 my last will & testament avowing & avouching
 all former Wills by me made & declaring this to be
 my last will & testament. In Witness whereof I
 do hereunto set my hand & seal this day &
 date aforesaid

signed sealed &
 in the presence
 Andrew B.
 Isaac But
 Elizabeth A.
 Georgia
 Hancock

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Inventory and
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- Negro man &
- Woman Charles
- Boy Hal &
- Blond son of
- Amel horse \$30
- Spoke of steel
- 13 round. Coir
- 55 head of
- 120 & 130 shot \$4
- 12th Feathers
- 2 square Tabl
- lot of China &
- Pine Chest \$3. 0
- lot of Books \$5.
- Shot gun \$15
- 2 Candlesticks &
- lot Canning pots

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in the presence of
Andrews Battle
Isaac Battle
Elizabeth H. Veazey

Nathan Morris Seal

Georgia
Hancock County

Inferior Court sitting for Ordinary
January 7th 1822.

The last will and testament of Nathan Morris deceased, being offered by Sally Morris & John Veazey two of the persons nominated in said will for the execution thereof for Probate &c. and Andrews Battle and Isaac Battle two of the attesting witnesses being sworn and proving the due execution of said will, it is ordered, that said will be admitted to registry, and the said Sally Morris & John Veazey be qualified as Executors and Executors of said will, and that letters testamentary issue to them accordingly. (Issued)

Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of Nathan Morris deceased taken the 10th of January 1822.

Negro man Matthew	\$600.	Do	Claborn	\$600	1200
Woman Charlotte	\$400.	girl Nancy	\$375		775
Boy Hal	\$275	Do	Alfred	\$100	375
Blind soned man	\$25.	Boy man	\$65		90
And horse	\$35.	Bay horse	\$50.	Bay Cows	\$50
Cows of team & Cows	\$85.	And then	\$5		43
Painted Cow & 2 yearlings	\$16.	White Cow & calf	\$10		26
50 head of Hogs	\$88.50.	100 & 13.50	\$40		128.50
100 & 13.50	\$45.	do & clop	\$40.	13.50	\$2.
12 th Feathers	\$6.	Wainut	Bark	\$16.	Pine
2 square tables	\$4.	Bofat & Crockery	\$25.50		29.50
Set of China & Wares	\$15.	Do	Glass Ware & Wares	\$2	17
Pine Chest	\$3.	Do	Do	\$3.	Do
Set of Books	\$5.	And Irons & Shovel & Tong	\$2		7
Shot Gun	\$18.	Navy Strap & Stone	2.50		20.50
2 Candlesticks	\$1.	Brass Kettle & Skillet	\$3		4
Set of Cutlery	\$10.50	Set Tin & Pewter	\$2		12.50
amt. forwarded					\$2034.00

In the name of God Amen. I James Miller Senr. of the County of Hancock and State of Georgia being in perfect health and in sound mind and memory do make this my last will and testament -

Item 1st. I give unto daughter Elizabeth one hundred pounds North Carolina Currency which money she hath already received

Item 2nd. I give unto my daughter Polly Townsend one hundred pounds North Carolina Currency which money she has already received.

Item 3rd. I give unto my son Samy Miller p one hundred pound North Carolina Currency which money he has already received.

Item 4th. I give unto my son John Miller one hundred pound North Carolina Currency which money he has already received.

Item 5th. I give unto my son Elijah Miller one hundred pound North Carolina Currency which money he has already received.

Item 6th. I give unto my daughter Susannah Miller one hundred pound North Carolina Currency which money she has already received.

Item 7th. I give unto my son Thomas Miller one hundred pound North Carolina Currency which money he has already received.

Item 8th. I give unto my daughter Nancy Mad. four hundred dollars together with the one hundred dollars she has already received - ^{my} ~~her~~ ^{share}.

Item 9th. I give unto my daughter Hester Rottel four hundred and eleven dollars on the following conditions, to wit, I or my estate do not have to pay a certain note of hand given by me to said Rottel on the 19th day of August 1820. made payable one day after date for six hundred dollars taken as his part of my estate as a legatee taken when I was out of my senses the above sum of four hundred and eleven dollars to be paid at my death on the above conditions.

Item 10th. I give unto my daughter Rhoda Canton five hundred dollars which money she has already received

Item 11th. I give unto my daughter Lucy Epton five hundred

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Item 19th. At my wife's death the whole of the property I had her both real and personal is to be sold and the money equally divided between her children but, provided nevertheless should the legatee not get their proportion agreeable to the tenor of this will it must be made up out of those last dividends and then the balance divided equally between her children -

Item 20th. I constitute ^{and} appoint Mark Gonder, Henry H. Salmer, Solomon Miller and Tho^s. J. Salmer my Executors, to this my last will and testament, and I do hereby disannul and make void all other wills or wills made by me, prior to this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of February 1821.

Signed and Sealed
in Presence of
William C. Smith
Edward Salmer
Sittston Belcher

James C. Miller Sr. (Seal)
Mark

Georgia } Inferior Court - sitting for ordinary purposes
Hancock County } 15th May 1822.

The last will and testament of James Miller dec was duly proved in Open Court by the oaths of William C. Smith and Edward Salmer who also testify that they saw Sittston Belcher subscribe the same as a witness in presence of the testator - whereupon it is Ordered that said Will be recorded and that letters testamentary be granted to Thomas J. Salmer one of the nominated Executors by said dec. in said Will - To whom after being duly qualified, letters were granted accordingly -

An Inventory and appraisement of all the goods and chattels belonging to the estate of James Miller dec taken this 8th day June 1822.

1 yoke Oxen appraised to	50
1 Brindle Cow & Yearling	10
1 Red "	12
1 white "	10
and forwarded -	\$ 82

- 1 White face H.
- 1 Small Red
- 25 Head Eggs
- 1 Bed & furniture
- 34th Sept 1874
- 1 Set Plow Ho
- 4 Green Cow Hie
- 3 Bands & 2 RB
- 1 Green & Pot
- 1 Table 150
- Apakay a Neg
- Shovel "
- 1 Small Maw
- 1 Small Maw &
- 1 dark bay man
- 3 1/2 Plow Gr

An Appraisement of
by Will.

- 1 Bed & furniture
- 1 Trunk 200
- 1 Dressing Table
- 1 Table 200
- 1 Looking Glass
- 1 Set Knives & Fork
- 1 Spinning Wheel
- 1 Hothead 100
- 1 Pot 200
- 1 Brown Maw
- 2 Sows & 5 Pigs
- 2 Water Pails 10

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my H. Salinger,
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Chatham Co. Will Bk B 1788-1791

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Am: bro: forward 82-

1 White face Hiccup	7.
1 Small Red " \$4. 1 Cart \$25	29.
25 head Eggs \$12.50. 1 Sewing Wheel & Machine \$18.50	55.
1 Bed & furniture \$30 1 Do \$25	63 1/2
34 th Sept 1874	7.
1 Set Plow Hogs 3.00. 1 Cutting Box & Knife	4.
4 Green Cow Hides 3.00. 1 Log Chain 1.00	1.
3 Bands & 2 Broad Traps	7.
1 Stone & Pot \$5. 1 Chain 2.00	2 25
1 Table 1.50 1 Pewter Basin 75	100
Analogy a Negro woman	100
Siml " " Child	61 50
1 Sound Man \$60. 1 Axe 1.50	70
1 Small Man & Cat \$40. 1 Sound Cat \$30	120
1 dark bay mare \$60. 25 head Hogs \$60	4
3 1/2 Plow Gun	62

An Appraisement of the widow Miller's property left her
by Will.

1 Bed & furniture Appraised to	40-
1 Trunk 2.00. 1 Clock 1.50	3 50
1 Dressing Table 50. 1 Chest 3.00	3 50
1 Table 2.00. 1 Cupboard Glass 1.00 & Crockery \$18	20 00
1 Looking glass 75. 1 Room 3.00	3 75
1 Set Knives & Forks & Pewter	3 75
1 Spinning Wheel 1.00. 1 Do 5.00	4.
1 Hogshead 100. Ann a negro girl \$500.	501.
1 Lot Pot ware 5.75. 2 Cow & calves \$26.	29 75
1 Brown Mare	75.
2 Sows & 5 Pigs \$10. 1 Pie Gun 2.00	12.
2 Water pails 1.50. 1 Side Saddle 8.00	4 50

\$705 75

674 62.

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We do certify upon Oath that as far as was pro-
duced to us by the test the above and foregoing con-
tain a true appraisement of the goods, chattels
and credits of the test & James Miller decd

to the best of our Judgment and understanding

John Salomon
William Dickson } Appraisers
Joel Salomon

I do certify that the above Appraisers were sworn to perform this duty as Appraisers according to law this eighth day of June 1822.

J. H. S. Salomon J.P.

An Inventory of the personal property of James Miller sold at public sale on the 21st day June 1822. at twelve months credit.

1 large Pot & Hooker	Lewis Atkinson	2.75
3 Mending Hoes	Rogon Curston	.50
1 Log Chain & Iron Wedge	Samuel Smith	81 $\frac{1}{4}$
2 Empty Barrels	William Dickson	16 $\frac{1}{4}$
2 Axes	Rogon Curston	87 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Churn	Henry W. Salomon	2.-
1 Linen Wheel & Hackles	Melchus Howell	3.87 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Broad Tray	Abram Miles	31 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Basin & Spoon	Charles Williams	37 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Oven	Melchus Howell	50
1 set Plough Gear	Lewis Atkinson	62 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Cutting Box & Knife	John Dickson	1.31 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 set Plough Hoes	Henry W. Salomon	.62 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 " Do	Do	68 $\frac{1}{4}$
4 Iron Hides	Lewis Atkinson	3.91 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Axe	Do	1.62 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Bar Gout	Henry W. Salomon	1.66 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 " Do	John Hollomon	1.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Bed & furniture	John Salomon	20.-
10 " Do	Joel Salomon	16.75
6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Bacon 20 $\frac{1}{2}$	Jeffrey Bartendale	15.75
1 Jar Lard 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	Henry Kendall Jun.	2.59
1 " Do 16 $\frac{1}{4}$ @ 20	Do	7.25
1 set Sticks for	Rogon Curston	1.50
10 Bushels Corn @ 20 $\frac{1}{2}$	Eleph Davis	70.10
4 $\frac{1}{2}$ do do @ 18 $\frac{1}{4}$	Do	8.20
1 Ance a Negro Bench	Mrs Miller	50

am. forwarded \$165.04

1 Ance a Negro
1 Bay Mare
1 Small Mare
1 Do Colt
1 Small Bay Ma
1 York Oxen &
1 Small Do
1 Red Heifer
1 White face Do
1 Brindle Cow
1 White Cow &
1 Yellow Do
5 Hogs 1st Choice
5 Do 2nd "
6 Do 3rd "
6 Do 4th "
10 head Louse
10 " Do
6 " Do
1 Ox Cart & 2
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1 Negro Child	Am. bro. forward	165.08 1/2
1 Bay Mare	Mrs. Miller	50.
1 Small Mare	Wm. Humphrey	76.00
1 Do Colt	Thos. Jackson	70.-
1 Small Bay Mare & Colt	Polley Miller	30.50
1 York Oxen & Yoke	Rogon Curston	32.25
1 Small Do	Henry Kendall Sen.	71.-
1 Red Heifer	James Curston	18.-
1 White face Do	Jeffery Bartisdale	6.12 1/2
1 Brindle Cow	Henry Kendall Sen.	10.12 1/2
1 White Cow & Yearling	Fredrick Robinson	10.
1 Yellow Do	Elbert Atkinson	14.-
5 Hogs 1st Choice	Jeffery Bartisdale	15.75
5 Do 2nd "	Henry Kendall Sen.	20.75
6 Do 3rd "	Do	19.87 1/2
6 Do 4th "	Lewis Atkinson	18.75
10 head Geese	Do	18.-
10 " Do	Do	5.-
6 " Do	Elbert Atkinson	5.-
1 Ox Cart & 2 Matlocks	Lewis Atkinson	2.20
	Do	15.75
		\$667 40 1/2
1 Due bill on H. & H. Kendall due 16th Feb'y 1872		\$60.50
1 Due bill on Rogon Curston bearing date 20 May 1871		22.00
Interest on the above due bill		8.95
1 Note on Solomon Miller for \$500. due 1st Jan'y 1872.		500.00
Interest on the above note up to 21st June 1872.		18.60
Land sold 5th Nov. 1872. on a credit of twelve months		610.45
275 Acres land Johnson Mr. Miller lives	Henry H. Salimus	1097.-
106 " " " John Curston "	Henry H. Salimus	61.-
106 " " the fork Plantation	Polley Miller	300.-
260 " " where Atkinson Johnson lives	Bert Salimus	151.-
Property sold 28th Decr. 1872.		
20 Bushels Corn a 76	So Solo. Miller	15.50
20 " do " 77	" Richard Strother	15.50
20 " do " 76	Do	15.50
20 " do " 75	Do	15.-
20 " do " 75	Mrs. Miller	15.-
7 1/2 " do " 75	Do	5.75
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amt. bro. forward \$2576.05 7/8
10/78. Incl. Cotton & 228 to Henry Kendall dew. 24.25
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Shaddock family } Tho^s L. Salmer Ex^r of James Miller dec^d being
duly sworn say that the above and foregoing ac^t. Sales
of the estate of said dec^d is just and true -
Sworn to & subscribed before
me this 4th March 1823
James H. Jones Clk C.O. } Tho^s L. Salmer

The estate of James Miller

To Tho^s L. Salmer Ex^r Dr
1822
May 25 To account with Solomon Allen \$1. 44 3/4
13 " James H. Jones Receipt " 2. 6. 87 1/2
1823
March 26 " Ac^t. with Isaac Tenn " 3. 5. "
Feb^y 3 " Paid John Hall for crying the land " 4. 2. "
May " " account with John L. Salmer dec^d " 5. 8. 00
" 2 " Paid C. B. Minims for crying the personal property 6. 5. 00
March 4 " James H. Jones receipt " 7. 1. 50
May " " Note with Edw. Salmer Print & Int^r " 8. 10. 18 7/8
June 21 " Account with Shadham Bryant " 9. 1. 00
" " do " Thomas Humphrey " 10. 7. 31 1/4
" " do " Edw. Salmer " 11. 5. 25
Oct^r 13 " do " John Salmer dec^d " 12. 6. 75
Nov. 5 " Note of hand fr^m Benjⁿ F. Salmer " 13. 198. 25
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" 1 do " do " 17. 3. 43 1/8
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" 13 " 1 do " do " 20. 69. 50
Oct^r " " Account fr^m Mrs M^r Alister " 21. 3. 00
Nov. 6 " Note fr^m John Potter " 22. 20. 61 1/2
" " " Philip L. Simons Clk Receipt " 23. 7. 67 1/2
" 20 " Account with Jonathan Turner " 24. 3. 25
amt. forwarded - - - \$1084.00

1824 Paid Henry M
Jan^y 4 " R. Giddens
12 " Account
" " 1 Note paid
1825
Oct. 29 " Account
" " Tax for
April 10 " paid do
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July 3 " Account
Dec. 28 " do
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" 4. 2.00
" 5. 8.00
Property 6. 5.00
" 7. 1.50
" 8. 10.18 1/2
" 9. 1.00
" 10. 7.31 1/2
" 11. 5.25
" 12. 6.75
" 13. 198.25
" 14. 30.00
" 15. 25.50
" 16. 81.25
" 17. 3.43 1/2
" 18. 65.62 1/2
" 19. 70.75
" 20. 69.50
" 21. 3.00
" 22. 20.61 1/2
" 23. 7.62 1/2
" 24. 3.25
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and bro. forward \$1084.00
1824 Paid Henry M. Latimer for building House at Newell No. 25 86.37 1/2
Jan 4 " A. Giddeslaw for Printing advertisements " 26. 2.81 1/2
" 12 " Account with Henry Wendall Sum. " 27. 7.00
" 21 Note paid Henry Wendall Sum. " 28. 137.00
1825 Dec. 29 " Account with John Curston " 29. 20.00
" " Tax for the year 1822 " 30. 3.93 1/2
April 10 " Paid Joel Parsons on Note " 31. 28.93 1/2
" 4 " Paid Joel Parsons do " 32. 99.18 1/2
July 3 " Account with Wm. Latimer Hg " 33. 81 1/2
Dec. 28 " do " John Dickson " 34. 3.50
1825 Feb 9 " Note " John Bird " 35. 5.46
" 10 " do " James Dickson " 36. 74.68 1/2
" 15 " Philip L. Simons Receipt " 37. 7.62 1/2
" " James H. Jones Receipt " 38. 1.12 1/2
\$1562.46

Georgia, Hancock County.

Thomas L. Latimer Esq. of the last will & of James Miller
de. being duly sworn says the foregoing acc. of monies
paid out of said estate amounting to fifteen hundred &
sixty two dollars & forty six cents is just & true.
Sworn to & Subscribed before me this 15th Feb 1825
James H. Jones cco

Thos. L. Latimer