

State So Help Me God -
Sworn to and subscribed before
me this the 6th day of Feb'y 1899 J. P. Russell
Thos. A. Wilson
Ordinary

Having appeared
this July 24th 1899 -
J. P. Russell
W. W. Linnick

Georgia Haralson County -
In the name of God Amen I John A. Russell
of said state and County being of advanced age
and knowing that I must shortly depart from
this world I deem it right and proper to as
respects myself and family that I should make
a disposition of the property with which a kind pro-
vidence has blessed me therefore make this my
last will and testament hereby annulling all
former wills heretofore made by me I then find
I desire that my body be buried in a decent and
Christian like manner suitable to my
circumstances and condition. My soul I trust
shall return to rest with God who gave it
and I hope for eternal salvation through the
Blessed Word and Saviour Jesus Christ whom
religion I have professed and as I humbly trust
enjoyed for my years - I then second I desire
and direct that all my just debts be paid by
my Executors herein after named as I am
willing my Creditors should be delayed in their
rights. I then third I give and bequeath to the
Members of the Methodist Episcopal Church
two acres of land a lot of land Number one
Hundred and seventy seven in the town of
Deer Creek originally Cornell now Haralson County
on the South side of said lot of land which the
said lot is situated between my present residence
and the land of the Haralson County which said premises

I give and grant to the said members of said mem-
ber of said Methodist Episcopal Church so long
as the Church may continue but in the event the
Church shall be dissolved the said premises to
revert to my Estate. I Item Fourth I give and be-
queath to my beloved wife Susan Holland with
whom I have lived in the strictest quiet and love
for many years and my beloved Children which
my said wife bear me the plantation on which I
now reside it being on lot of land one Hundred
and Seventy Seven 77 and Lot Number one Hundred
Seventy Eight 178 in the Seventh District of origin-
ally Carroll New Harbors County each lot con-
taining two Hundred two and one half acres more
or less with the reservation of two acres mentioned
in the Third Item of this will - I desire and direct
that my said wife and children remain on the prem-
ises and cultivate it and raise my minor chil-
dren until the youngest one attains the age of
Twenty one years and should my family raise
anything on said farm over and above a support
and titillation that the surplus be divided amongst
agreeable to the labor bestowed by each one of them
and when the youngest Child becomes twenty one
years of age that the said premises be equally di-
vided by sale or otherwise as they may agree between
themselves I Item Fifth I desire that my Executrix herein
after named sell a sufficient quantity of stock
such as my family can best spare to pay all my
just debts and that the remainder of my stock
together with all my house hold and kitchen furniture
remaining on said plantation together with all
my farming utensils for the use of said plantation
and benefit of my said wife and children together
with all other property whatevers or whomever either
real or personal are to be divided amongst
my said wife and children when the same
said Child becomes twenty one years of age in
the land mentioned in the first

I Herewith I Constitute and appoint my be-
 loved wife Susan Harrington to this my last
 will and testament in Dec 9th 1857
 Patton Halland
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Signed sealed declared and published by Patton
 Halland 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 and of each other this Dec 9th 1857
 Lindsey Halland
 Wm Burrow

James H. Williams
 Georgia Haralson County I E R Hamilton
 Ordinary of said County do Certify that the above
 and foregoing is a true and complete copy of the
 last will and testament of Patton Halland late
 of said County deceased as appears from the
 Probate of said will at the January Term of the Court
 of Ordinary 1859 Given under my hand and
 official signature E R Hamilton

On Ordinary
 Georgia Haralson County - By the Honorable the
 Ordinary of said County To all to whom these pres-
 ents shall come Greeting: I read ye that on the
 tenth day of January in the year of our Lord
 one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine
 the last will and testament of Patton Halland
 of said County was exhibited in open Court and
 in common form of law proved and admitted
 to Record a copy of which is herewith annexed
 and administration of all and singular the
 good Charles Credits lands and Tenements
 of said deceased was granted to Susan Halland
 in Execution in and by said Will named and
 appointed she having first taken the and performed
 all oth. request required by law She is bound
 by said Court and Virtue of these provisions
 to a Discretion to give

By said deceased according to the Tenor and effect
 of said will and Testament and according
 to law and she is hereby required to render
 a true and perfect Inventory of all and
 singular the goods Chattels Credits Land
 and Tenements of the said deceased apprais-
 ed and returned to this Court according
 to law and to render a true and correct account
 to the Ordinary of said County of her said
 doings yearly untill the Administration
 is fully completed In witness whereof I
 have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
 seal This 10th Day of January 1859
 J. R. Hamilton

Ordinary
 Copy Recorded Nov 29th 1899
 Chas. A. Duckman

Examined & approved J. R. Latimer
 Jan. 16 - 1900. A. Mauldin }
 J. R. Hamilton }
 Ordinary