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Last Will and Testament of Jesse Gurne, Dec'd Record

In the name of God - Amen,
I Jesse Gurne of the County of Harris State of Georgia do make
at this time, my last Will and Testament, my body being
feeble, but my mind sound

I will and desire all my just debts paid as soon after
my decease as practicable

I give and bequeath to my beloved Sister Sally B. Bradsher
wife of Vincent Bradsher of Caswell County State of North
Carolina, for and during her natural life, and for her sole
and separate use, free from the debts, contracts and liabilities
of her husband, all my Estate both real and personal, and
the remainder, after the termination of the life estate herein
created in said Sarah B. Bradsher, I give and bequeath to the
grand children of said Sarah B. Bradsher now in being, and
such as may be born of the children of said Sarah B. to be
divided equally amongst them share and share alike,
and should any of said grand children die, without child
husband or wife surviving them, then their shares are to
be equally divided share and share alike between the sur-
viving grand children of said Sarah B.

It is my intention to bring home the body of my son Theophilus
J. Gurne who died in the service of his Country in the
State of Kentucky; should I die without doing so, then
it is my will that enough of my Estate be appropriated
to that purpose

Signed Sealed published and declared in the presence
of the witnesses whose names are hereto subscribed

D. N. Ramsey
T. V. Walker
G. W. Gordon
A. P. Walden

Jesse Gurne (S)

Georgia Harris County

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last Will of the within named Jesse Gurne 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;

Sworn to & subscribed before
me in open Court
January 6th 1868
Geo. W. Mellier
Ordinary

G. W. Gordon

Last Will & Testament of Jesse Gunn de^d Continued

State of Georgia | Personally appeared in Open Court - Geo W.
 Harris County | Gordon and brought into Court a paper writing
 purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Jesse
 Gunn deceased late of said County; And also personally
 came before me Nathan P. Weldon one of the subscri-
 - being witnesses to said paper writing and being sworn
 says that he saw the said Jesse Gunn, sign, seal, de-
 - clare and publish the said paper writing now presented
 in Open Court - as his last Will and Testament - freely vol-
 - untarily without any compulsion or any undue in-
 - fluence whatever - that at the time of the Execution
 of said paper writing, said Jesse was of sound
 disposing mind and memory - that deponent signed
 said Will as a witness in the presence of said Testator
 at his request and in the presence of the other subscribing
 witnesses, and that he saw Jas N. Ramsey, J. V. Walker
 and G. W. Gordon the other subscribing witnesses, sign
 said paper writing in the presence of the Testator and
 at his request -

Sworn to and Subscribed
 before me in Open Court -
 This 6th day of January 1868
 Geo. W. Phillips
 Ordinary



N. P. Weldon