

Known to & Subscribed before
me this 6th Feb, 1854
D. N. Nolan Ordng -

Allen Rape
Jeremiah ^{the} Palls
W. H. Newman

Gen^l Henry } I Mary Ann Craig do solemnly swear
County } that this writing contains the true & last will
& Testament of the within named Frederick L. Craig deceased
so far as I know or believe and that I will well & truly
execute the same by paying first his debts & then the legacies
contained in said will as far as his goods & chattels will
thereunto extend and the law charge me & I will make
a true & perfect inventory of all such goods & chattels so
help me God.

Known to & Subscribed before me
in open Court this 6th Feb 1854

Quince R. Nolan Ordng -

Truly Recorded by me
D. N. Nolan

Ex off C.C.O.

State of Georgia In the name of God, Amen,
Henry County } I Maryella Milner of said County state
being of advanced age & knowing that I must shortly depart
this life deem it right & proper both as respects my children
& myself that I should make a disposition of the property with
which a kind Providence has blessed me, do therefore make this
my last will & Testament hereby revoking all others heretofore made
by me

Item 1st I desire & direct that my body be buried in a decent
& Christian like manner suitable to my circumstances & condition
in life - My soul I trust shall return to rest with God
who gave it as I hope for eternal salvation through the merits
& atonements of the blessed Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ whose
Religion I have professed and as I humbly trust enjoyed
for sixty two years -

Item 2nd To my Son John H. Milner & Daughter Eliza Maria
Milner I give & bequeath all that tract or parcel of Land
(belonging to me by my husband Pitt Milner) lying & being
in the County of Monroe & State of Louisiana & on the east side
of the Road marked by the State Lands leading from Hattiesburg to
Gaffin Also to my Son John H. Milner I give &
bequeath my Gold & Silver Jewels -

Item 3^d To My daughter Penelope Eason I give & bequeath Five
Negroes - viz Eady a woman Thirtly one years of age
her four Children William a boy Twelve years old - Ann a girl
seven years old Pleasant a boy four years old & Anthony a boy one
year old, And the increase of the aforesaid negro woman
Eady -

Item 4th To My daughter Susan W. Johnson I give & bequeath
(in addition to six hundred & fifty five dollars which I have hitherto
from time to time given her) the one half of my money & the half
of the promissory notes belonging to me which may be left in my possession
at my death after deducting the Expenses of my burial &c.

Item 5th The other half of my money & notes I give & bequeath to
be equally divided among the Children of my daughter Mary Calloway
& the Children of my son Pitt W. Milner -

Item 6th To My granddaughter May E. Buckner & the heirs of
her body I give & bequeath my Negro girl Harriett Martin seven
years with the condition namely that she the once named
Granddaughter May E. Buckner shall pay over to her sister
Nancy M. Sims My Granddaughter the sum of Two hundred &
fifty dollars in Cash And If My Granddaughter May E.
Buckner should refuse to pay over to her sister Nancy M.
Sims the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars - it is my will
that the aforesaid Negro girl Harriett shall be sold & the money she
may bring be equally divided between them,

Item 7th To My granddaughter Susan A. Miller I give & bequeath
one bed Bedstead - one pair of sheets one Counterpane one Bed quilt
& Bolsters - The aforesaid Bed & furniture I give in trust to my
Granddaughter May E. Griffith to deliver to her sister Susan
A. Miller when she arrives at lawful age or marries -

Item 8th To My three daughters Elizabeth Sims, Penelope Eason
& Susan W. Johnson I give & bequeath all my bed clothes (with
the exception of one suit already willed to my Granddaughter
Susan A. Miller) And all my wearing apparel I wish them
to divide between themselves as they may think proper

Item 9th All the rest remainder & residue of my Estate
of what kind & nature soever not hitherto mentioned &
will to be equally divided between my four Children

John H. Milner Elizabeth Sims Penelope Eason, and Susan M. Johnson and the Children of Mary Galloway & the Children of Rebecca O. Gorman and the Children of Pitt M. Milner - My Son John H. Milner to have one share - My daughter Elizabeth Sims to have one share - My daughter Penelope Eason to have one share My daughter Susan M. Johnson to have one share and my Grand Children - The Children of my daughter Mary Galloway to have one share - The Children of my daughter Rebecca O. Gorman to have one share And the Children of my son Pitt M. Milner to have one share Making altogether seven shares -

Item 16th And having the utmost Confidence in my son John H. Milner & my son in Law Porter Eason I do hereby constitute them my lawful Executors of this My Last will & Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal. this 15th day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred & fifty three

Signed sealed & declared in presence of us
 James M Bosfield
 Christopher H. Nixons
 Luther M Nixons
 Agrella M Milner

Georgia } Court of Ordning May Term May 1st 1854
 Henry County } Into open Court this day came personally James M Bosfield & Luther M Nixons two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument who being duly sworn depose & testify that they saw Agrella Milner sign seal publish & declare the within instrument as her last will & Testament freely voluntarily & of her own accord & without any compulsion or influence whatever - That at the time of the Execution of said last will said Testator was of sound & disposing Mind & Memory: That they signed said will as witnesses in the presence of the testator & at her special instance & request & in the presence of each other Sworn to & subscribed before me this May 1st 1854 O.R. John Nixons } James M Bosfield
 Luther M Nixons

Georgia } Court of Ordning May Term May 1st 1854
 Henry County } Into open Court Personally came John H. Milner & Porter Eason & propounded the last will & Testament of Agrella Milner for Probate in Common on Horned who being duly sworn depose & testify that the within writing contains

The true last Will & Testament of the within named Mary Ann
Milnes so far as they know or believe & that they will well
truly execute the same by paying first her debts & then
the Legacies contained in said Will as far as her goods &
Chattels will thereunto extend & the Law Charge us & that
we will make a true & perfect inventory of all said goods
& Chattels
Given to in open Court the 14th May 1854
Duncan R. Nolan Esqy
John H. Milnes
Parker Esqy

Duly Recorded by me J.N. Nolan Esqy

I In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Owens
Hwy County } of said State & County being of advanced age
& knowing I must shortly depart from this world
deem it right & proper both as respects myself & my family
that I should make a disposition of the property with which
a kind Providence has blessed me & therefore make this my
last Will & Testament hereby revoking and annulling all
others heretofore made by me
Item 1st I desire & direct that my body be buried in a
decent & christian like manner suitable to my circum-
stances & condition - My soul I trust shall return to rest
with God who gave it as I hope for eternal Salvation
through the blessed Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ whose Religion
I have professed & as I humbly trust enjoyed for 21 years -

Item 2^d I desire & direct that all my just debts be paid
without delay by my Executors hereinafter named as I
am annulling my Creditors should be delayed of their rights
especially as there is no necessity for delay -

Item 3^d I give & devise to my beloved wife Nancy with
whom I have lived in the strictest quiet & love for
16 years the third part of all my property during her
natural life and at her death to go to my five
last Children - the bequest made to my wife
in view of her whole dower

Item 4th I desire & direct that my son James
Owens be paid Five dollars I also desire that
William Owens my son be paid Five dollars
by my Executors