

Georgia }
 Henry County } I Carrie E Hardy of the state and county
 aforesaid being weak in body but of sound and perfect
 mind and memory do hereby make and publish my last
 will and testament in form following— After committing
 my body to the grave and my soul unto the hands of God
 who gave it I will and bequeath to my niece Francis E
 Dixon fifty dollars to be paid to her when she arrives at
 the age of eighteen years of age — All the rest of my prop-
 erty of whatever description I will to my beloved parents
 William W Hardy and Mary W Hardy during their natural
 life— and at their death I will to the children of my ^{beloved} brother
 William R Hardy one seventh part of my Estate that is left at
 the death of my parents and to the children of my beloved
 sister Sarah A E Dixon one seventh of said estate the balance
 I want equally divided between my beloved brother Sheldon
 O Hardy and my beloved sisters Charlotte E Kendrick
 Mary A E Beall Phoebe A E Gleason and Martha A S
 Hardy— If my parents should move out of the reach of
 Silveys husband and she wants to be sold to stay with her
 husband I leave her to be sold as they may think best
 I hereby appoint my beloved Father William W Hardy my
 executor to this my last will and testament— In testimony
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the
 twenty eighth day of November in the year of our Lord
 one thousand eight hundred and sixty two

Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of us
 whose names are hereunto affixed

William Berry
 James E Beall

Carrie E Hardy *EJ*

John Johnson Jⁿ D^r

Georgia } Court of Ordinary May 4th 1863
 Henry County } Into open court this day William W Hardy
 the nominated Executor of the last will & testament of Carrie
 E Hardy dead caused a paper purporting to be the last
 will & testament of said Carrie E Hardy to be propounded
 for probate in common form of law & also appeared
 William Berry James E Beall & John Johnson witnesses to said
 will who being duly sworn saith that they saw Carrie E
 Hardy sign seal publish & declare the foregoing instrument
 as her last will & testament— freely volun

are accord & without any compulsion or influence
 whatever — That at the time of the execution of said
 will said testatrix was of sound disposing mind and
 memory That ~~signed~~ deponents signed said will as
 witnesses in the presence of testatrix and at her special
 instance & request & in presence of each other
 Sworn to in open court

May 4th 1863

2 R Nolan Clerk

William Berry
 James E Beall
 John Johnson

Georgia }
 Henry County } Court of Ordinary June 1st 1863

Into open court personally came W W Hardy
 Executor of the foregoing last will & testament who being duly
 sworn deposes & saith that the foregoing writing contains
 the last will & testament of Garice E Hardy deceased late
 of said county so far as he knows or believes & that he will
 well & truly execute the same by paying first the debts &
 then the legacies contained in said will & the law charge
 one, That he will make a true & perfect Inventory of
 said goods & chattels

Sworn to in open court

This June 1st 1863

2 Nolan Clerk

W W Hardy

State of Georgia } In the name of God amen I Littleberry
 Henry County } Granman of the said State and county
 being of advanced age but of sound and disposing mind
 and memory knowing that I must shortly depart this life
 deem it right and proper both as it respects my family
 and myself that I should make a disposition of the property
 with which a kind Providence has blessed me

I do there, ore make this my last will & testament —
 hereby revoking and annulling all others by me heretofore
 made

1st I desire and direct that my body be buried in a
 decent and christian like manner suitable to my circum-
 stances and condition in life my soul I trust shall return
 to ~~God~~ rest with God who gave it — as I hope for salvation
 through the merits and atonement of the blessed Lord and
 Saviour Jesus Christ

Item 2nd I desire and direct that all my just debts be