

Zeistus Mariah Robinson, James Robinson, Rachel Adamson, Emeline Robinson, Caroline Adamson, and Joseph Child; and to effectuate these purposes, I hereby power to take charge of, and manage for her benefit, the legacy herein bequeathed to her, and to appoint the same, from time to time, as she together with herself may determine according to her necessities.

Item 8 Oliver Johnson, who was the wife of John Johnson, was one of the children of my sister Letty Crew; and I give, and bequeath to her children the part thereof which their mother would have been entitled to, living, as described in Item 5th of these, and herein name and appoint the said John Johnson as trustee for the minors among said children, who may be so at my death, to take charge of and manage their proportional parts to their own proportions thereof; as he may deem fit and right until they become of the age of twenty one years.

Item 9 I hereby constitute and appoint my trust worthy friends, Chas. Walker, and Garrett Oglesby Executors of this my last Will, and Testament.

James Russell. 

Signed, sealed, decreed & published by James Russell as his last Will, and Testament of the persons of us the undersigned, who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said Testator, at his special instance and request, and in the presence of each other. This May 6, 1869.

W. R. Brown
24. m. Crookshank
B. L. Harper

The above Will was proved in common form of law by the oath of B. L. Harper, W. M. Brookhouse, & A. R. Brown, on the 8th day of August 1870, and Charles Walker and Barrett Oglesby qualified as ex-cutors, and the will was ordered and admitted to Record.

Geo. M. Nolan, Ordinary

State of Georgia
Henry County.

Whereas J. Richard H. Anderson, on the 17th day of April, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eight, did, said, publish & deliver my Book entitled "Testament in 4 Parts, 1st Part, 1st Line, 2nd A. Vangelist & Andrew R. Moore, who signed the book, to the witnesses of a calling & changing a bequest & devise in said will, & therefore said, File.

and whereas I am desirous of altering & changing a bequest & devise in said will, & therefore make & publish this codicil to said will.

Item I do revoke and annul the first clause of said will, in so far as relates to the appointing of my sons, Robert Henderson, & Andrew Henderson, as my executors of this my last will & testament. And in lieu of them, I hereby constitute and appoint my friend John M. Ponder, as my executor of this my last will and testament of which this codicil is a part.

Item 2^d I reserve and annex the second lot of said Mill, so far as relates to Lake and River
at the Half-day place, in said town, and in like things, I give bequeath & devise to
my wife Rebecca Anderson, for and during her natural life, one third part of my land
whereon I now live, including the building, and this I expressly give her in lieu &
dower.

3^d I revoke and annul third item of said will, so far as relates to the bequeathing to his beloved wife, Rebecca Henderson, for & during her natural life, or while she remains unmarried, In ~~case~~ lieu thereof, I give & bequeath to my beloved Rebecca Henderson, during her natural life, my negro man, Pheasant, about forty five years of age, his wife Cord about forty two years of age, their child Elizabeth about five years of age, and also Can live also under about forty two years of age, & her sister, Precious between four and six years of age, & but after the death of Rebecca Henderson, I desire that the above negroes be sold by calling on Martin, Clark & Elizabeth be sold in one lot together, & Dauline & Martha he sold his one lot.

This the twenty first day of March 1861.

Richard Henderson

Richard ^{his} Henderson ^{mark} Esq

Witnessed, sealed, published and declared, by Richard Henderson, on the
 behalf of his last will & Testament of the said deceased, of April eighteen hundred and
 sixty eight. in the presence of us the subscribers, who subscribed our names
 hereto in the presence of said Testator, at his special instance and request, and
 of each other, this 21st day of March 1861.

Wm. C. Lamb

Wm R Owen
Esq. & Adams.

Thomas G. Barnett J.P.

State of Georgia
Chadwick County

I Richard Henderson, of said state and county, do hereby make & declare this my, last will & testament, thereby revoking all others, which I have heretofore made, I hereby constitute and appoint my sons, Robert Henderson, and Andrew

and appoint my son, Robert Henderson, and Andrew Henderson, and the carrier of them, executors of this my last will & testament. After payment of my just debts I dispose of my estate as follows.

Item 1st I give to my beloved wife Rebecca Henderson, one horse, and then come to choose
by herself, two beds and a sufficient quantity of bed clothing, such as she may select
for both beds &c &c &c.

Stenn 2^d I give beneath & so long as she may remain unmarried, my plantation

known as my Halliday place, and this I expressly give her in lieu of dowry.
Item 3. I give the right to my beloved wife Rebecca Henderson, for the
duration of her natural life, or while she may remain unmarried.

my dear man Martin, about forty years of age, his wife Clark, about forty years of age, and their child Elizabeth about three years of age, and also Caroline a woman about forty years of age, and her child Martha between four & five years of age. Provided, my wife shall accept of my Halliday plantation unless offered, but should she prefer to take her dower, then the negroes hereinafter provided as to other property, all my children to share alike. I being already ad named my Grand-daughter Mary Brooks, knowing her father's will as to the residue of my property, both real & personal, wherever and whatever it may be, including the land and negroes growth my beloved wife, during her natural life or while she may remain unmarried, (after her estate therein is over) I give, bequeath & leave to my children, Robert Henderson, Andrew Henderson, Rebecca Moore, James and Sally, Edward to be equally divided between them forever, in Witness whereof, I the said Richard Henderson, to this my last will & Testament, contained in this and the two preceding pages of this sheet of paper, setting hand and seal on this third and last page, this 17th day of April 1858 - Richard Henderson

1. foregoing Will, signed, sealed, published & declared by the said Henderson, as his last will & Testament in the presence of us, who in his presence, and at his request, and in each others presence, have hereunto set our names, as Witnesses, this 17th day of April 1858 -

J. Gray
Harry Rice
Wm. F. Taulner
Andrew R. Moore

The above Will and Codicil to the same proved in conjoined form of law by the oath of Harry Rice, proving the Will, and the oath of Thos. A. Adams proving the Codicil, they being two of the subscribing witnesses to the said Will & Codicil respectively, on the 9th day of November 1868 - and R. A. Henderson qualified as executor of said Will & Codicil, and the same was ordered and admitted to record.

Geo. W. Hobart, Ordinary

State of Georgia In the name of God, Amen.
Henry County I, Andrew Brown of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound disposing mind and memory, but weak in body, and knowing that all men must die, do make this my last Will & Testament, hereby revoking all others heretofore made - I will my soul to God who gave it, and my body to the dust from whence it came to be buried at home, in a decent & Christianlike manner - I will and bequeath to my beloved son Sheridan R. Brown, the following property to wit: one lot or tract of land, consisting of the following lots & parcels, to wit: lot of land and two hundred & forty four (244) in the third District of Henry County, Georgia, containing two hundred two & one half acres, more or less, and thirty acres, more or less, of the lot number two hundred and forty three (243) in said third District; also lots of land number two hundred and seven (207), and number two hundred and eight (208), in the second District of said county of Henry & State of Georgia, containing two hundred two hundred and one half acres each, the whole tract containing six hundred and thirty seven & one half acres, more or less, to him & his heirs, to have forever in fee simple - I also, one note of hand I hold on said Sheridan R. Brown, for four hundred & eighty dollars - Also my Devon cow & calf.

I will & bequeath to my beloved daughter Matilda M. Elliott, one piece of land number one hundred and twenty six (126) in the 4th District of originally Monroe, now Marion County, in the State of Georgia, to her and her heirs forever in fee simple. Also sixteen hundred dollars in money of my solvent notes, also my robes, houses, & things; also my young Devon cow, Mayflower, & calf - I will & bequeath to my beloved son William Andrew Brown, and Thomas J. Brown, sons of my son Sheridan R. Brown, one hundred and ten acres, to be the west part of lot of land number two hundred & thirty (230), in the second District of Henry County, Georgia, to them & their heirs forever in fee simple.

I, Jane Brown, freed woman, having served me during the war and since faithfully, I will & bequeath to my son Sheridan R. Brown, in trust for said freed woman Jane Brown, and her four youngest children to wit: Sarah, Edmund, Emma & Elizabeth, lot of land number one hundred and twenty seven (127), situated in the second District of Henry County, and State of Georgia, & containing two hundred two & one half acres, of land, more or less, for their own use benefit & behoof, forever in fee simple. Also I will to said freed woman Jane & before named, one cow & calf, to be the four youngest children as aforesaid, to wit: Jack, also my two horses, one aged & old buggy & harness.

I will & bequeath to my beloved son Sheridan R. Brown, my entire library & clothing - I will that all my property not otherwise disposed of in the foregoing I have said, & that after paying my just expenses, to wit: the proceeds be equally divided between my beloved son, Sheridan R. Brown, and my daughter Matilda M. Elliott, share & share alike.

I do constitute and appoint my beloved & trustworth son Sheridan R. Brown, my Executor to execute & carry this my last will & Testament - Signed, sealed & declared to be my last will & Testament.