

Georgia

Henry County } I Thomas Pair in view of the certain-
-ty of death and being possessed of some worldly
property and being now possessed of sound mind
think fit to make this my last will and testament-
revoking all others

= Item 1st I will and bequeath my body to the
earth from whence it was taken and my spirit to
God who gave it-

= Item 2nd That out of my effects all my just-
debts be paid and my funeral expenses be deducted

= Item 3rd I will and bequeath my land as follows
to wit I will and bequeath to my son William I
Pair the parcel or tract of land whereon he now
lives containing one hundred acres (the East half
of lot number 247 in the 1st Dist of Henry County-

I will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth & Adair
Fifty acres of land in the south west corner of
lot number 250 in the second Dist of Henry County

- said fifty acres to be so laid off as to commence the
North line to commence where the Linhouse branch leave
John Dickson's East line and run thence down the said
stream on the south side of the Linhouse until it-
strikes the cross fence then take a south course along
said fence as to inclose the land cleared by William
I Adair and then to so run as to strike the 50 acres
of land known as the Gardner land Also 50 acres
of land more or less known and distinguished as the
East half of the North half of lot number 231 in the
second Dist of Henry County- The above named lands
I will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth & Adair
and her bodily heirs to have and to hold for her and
their sole benefit-

I also will and bequeath to my daughter Mary & Pair
fifty acres of land number not known but designated
as the Johnathan Ellis fifty acres the same being the
place that was deeded to me by Allen W Turner

Also fifty acres in the South East corner of lot 250
in the second Dist Henry County the above named lands
bequeathed to Mary & Pair and her bodily heirs for her
and their sole use and benefit-

I will and bequeath to my wife Sarah Pair all of

Lot of land number 250 not otherwise disposed of
I will and bequeath to my wife Sarah my negroes
Ben and Eliza also all my money notes and accounts all
my horses cattle hogs sheep &c all my plantation tools and
all tools and implements of all kinds all my household and
kitchen furniture to have and to hold for her use and
benefit during her life time

I will and bequeath that at the death of my wife all of the
above named property left to her by this will and testament
be sold and the proceeds be equally divided between my
three children viz to William J Pair one third to Elizabeth
H Adair and her heirs one third to Mary H Pair and her
heirs one third

I will and bequeath to my wife all my present cotton corn
fodder wheat oats &c

This September the 20th in the year of our Lord Eighteen
hundred and sixty one (1861)

Signed in presence of

Jackson Lowrey }
J. F Davis }
Archibald Brown }

Thomas Pair

Georgia Henry County } Court of Ordinary May term May 5th 1862
Into open court this day personally came
Sarah Pair & propounded for probate in common form of
law the last will & testament of Thomas Pair decd late of
said County & also brought into open court Archibald Brown
& Jackson Lowrey two of the witnesses to said will who
being sworn said that they saw Thomas Pair sign seal
publish & declare the foregoing instrument as his last will
& testament freely & voluntarily & of his own accord &
without any compulsion or influence whatever that at the
time of the execution of said will said testator was of sound
disposing mind and memory That deponents signed said
will in presence of Testator as witnesses & at his special
instance & request & in presence of each other & saw Thomas
J Davis the other witness do likewise Archibald Brown
Sworn to in open court this }
May 5th 1862 J. R. Nolan Cld } Jackson Lowrey

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May 5th 1862 Into open court this day personally came

Sarah Pair administrator cum testamento annexo of
Thomas Pair decd who being duly sworn saith that the
foregoing instrument contains the last will and testament
of Thomas Pair decd late of said county so far as she knows
or believes & that she will well and truly execute the same by
paying first the debts & then the legacies contained in said will
& the Law charge her that she will make a true and perfect
Inventory of said goods & chattels
Sworn to in open court
This May 5th 1862 L R Adam Cdy } Sarah Pair

State of Georgia } In the name of God amen I Christopher
Henry County } Kimbell of the county and state aforesaid
being of sound disposing mind and memory but weak
and feeble in body knowing that all men have to die do
make this my last will and Testament thereby revoking all
others heretofore made
— Item 1st I will & bequeath my soul to God who gave it
and my body to the dust from whence it came to be buried in
a decent & Christian like manner
— Item 2nd I will that my Executor pay all my just
debts as soon as can consistently be done
— Item 3rd I will and bequeath to my beloved wife
Mary Kimbell the following seven negroes to wit Bill a
man about twenty two years old Maryann a woman
(Bills wife) about twenty two years old and their four children
Elmira a girl about ten years old Still a boy about six
years old Jerry a boy about four years old and Alice a girl
about two years old and Lucinda a woman about forty
years old together with their increase and two thousand ^{dollars} \$2000
in money to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of my
property not otherwise disposed of to her and her heirs
forever I also will to my said wife two horses or mules
such as she may choose from my stock two cows & calves &
two sows and pigs & one bed and furniture such as she
may choose and enough provisions out of the crop which may
be on hand at my death to do her and her family for
twelve months and as much of the plough utensils as she
may want & one of my buggies & harness whichever she
may choose and one two horse wagon and gear