

1838 in presence
of Eli Warren
John Woodard
J. McBain
D. P. Robinson

John Woodard

Georgia
Laurens County } Inferior Court sitting for
ordinary purposes July 6th 1840

This day appeared David P. Robinson and John
Woodard in open court and after being duly
sworn said that they saw John Woodard
sign seal and acknowledge the within to
be his last will and testament and that he
was of sound mind and memory and
that they subscribed the same as witnesses
and saw Eli Warren and Newman
McBain do so likewise and the same
was ordered to be recorded

Thomas Thorne clerk

Recorded July 7th 1840

In the name of God Amen.

I Elizabeth Mary Ann McCall wife of Thomas
McCall of Laurens county planter being and of sound
in health, but of disposing mind and memory
commend my soul to Almighty God and my
body to the dust. Whereas, under a provision in
my marriage settlement with my beloved husband
Thomas McCall dated the sixth day of July in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and ninety eight which deed of marriage settlement
was recorded in the clerk's office of Chatham County
in Book I folio 18th on the 27th day of July
aforesaid, a power was reserved to me to make
such disposition of the property vested or deemed
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My Husband Thomas McCall for and during his
life, but free and clear from all debts and
he hereafter to be constructed, and for which purpose
I do constitute my Executors hereinafter named
my Trustees to keep the same and apply the
said amount for his maintenance and use
during his life - the following property to wit
The lands whereon is ^{in which there is}
consisting of the Swamp plantation and the
settlement I claim if my said husband shall
choose to occupy them for life or any
Eliza M. McCall

shorter time; and if at any time he chooses to
decline the occupancy of the Swamp plantation
and settlement ~~and~~ either of them then one or both
are to be sold or otherwise ~~to be~~ disposed of, and
the proceeds of such sale or disposition, to be paid
me, if he so chooses, otherwise to be equally divided
amongst my daughters or their heirs. - The follow-
ing negro Slaves to wit, Charles and Agnes
his wife and Charles their son Alexander and
Richard; one third part of my stock of cattle
and sheep; all the Hogs; two Horses or Mares
; plantation Tools; and two beds mattresses, bolsters
pillows and bedsteads, with six pairs of pillows
cases, four pairs of Sheets, four pairs of Bl. skirts,
four Counterpanes and twelve Towels Kitchen
Furniture; the Stock of wine or brand at the
time of my decease, and the things in the store
room and smoke house and give and
bequeath all the said property after the death
of my said husband, and all the other property
that I now am entitled to and possess or hereafter
may possess to my Executors hereinafter to be
named, or Trust to and for the said several
purposes herein expressed, with all the power
of Trustees for a further and full perpetuity
of the said Trust. I give to my daughter Sarah
Georgiana Spivey, the following property - to wit
Negro Charles and his wife Agnes and their
son Charles, Betty, Emily and Louis the three first
named ~~children of Charles and Agnes~~ the three first

my said husband's personal property, of my house hold goods and cattle
except such as Elizabeth M. McCall are
herein otherwise disposed of - To and for the use
and sole benefit of the said Sarah Georgiana
Spivey for and during her life, and after her
death to and for the use of all her children upon
their coming of age be marriage untill then
such to be the heir of the other, which said
negro and property is to be free and clear from
the debts due and contracts of my husband
the said Sarah Georgiana now has, or hereafter
may have; and further, the legal right is vested
in my said Trustees for the purposes expressed in
this my said bequest. Fourth. To my daughter
Elizabeth Smith Moore the following property
to wit - Negroes Cumberland and Alexander the black
Carmellin & Millen her child, and Paris, seated
mattress, bolster pillows and bedstead, and an equal
division of any other house hold goods and cattle
& of such articles, as are herein otherwise
disposed of, together with a marble slab; but
the negro Alexander to remain with my husband
till his death. This property Negroes & the rest, to
be subject to all the provisions contained in the
preceding bequest to Sarah Georgiana Spivey
Fifth. My daughter Maria Moore Mizzell the
following property to wit - Negroes Little James
March Frederick & Prosser Richard, Adeline
and old Louisa (Horn) Richard to remain with
my husband during his life; likewise my
wardrobe and in equal division of my
house hold goods and cattle with one young
negro slave. The said negro and other property to be
subject to all the provisions, embraced and contained
in the preceding bequest to Sarah Georgiana
Spivey and Elizabeth Smith Moore. Sixth. To
my daughter Janet Maria Standley the
following property to wit - Negroes Mistrato George
Horn (Horn) Richard, for and

hold goods and cattle - The said Eliza and
 other property to be subject to all the provisions
 contained in the preceding bequest to Sarah
 Georgia and Spicy Elizabeth O. Moore and
 Harriet Moore Mijell. Seventh To my daug-
 ter Margaret Sanders Goff, the following
 property - to wit - Negro - Will Loomis (Lige)
 deceased Antoinet. Tony, big fring, Vartan
 and Laram; and to an equal division of my
 house hold goods and cattle, not otherwise
 disposed of: - The said negro and other property
 to be subject to all the provisions contained
 in the preceding bequest to Sarah Georgia
 Elizabeth Smith, Harriet Moore, and Janet
 Haris. And Lastly, I hereby name and appoint
 Neil Munroe and Eli Warren to be the Executors
 and Trustees of this my last will and testa-
 ment In witness whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal this 29 day of December
 in the year one Thousand eight hundred and
 thirty being written on four pages and part
 of a fifth, at the foot of each Eliza M. A. McCall
 I have subscribed my name
 signed, sealed, pronounced and Eliza M. A. McCall
 declared to be the last will and
 Testament of Elizabeth Mary Ann
 McCall the day before last
 above written in presence of
 John Lowther
 Charles B Gentry
 Isaac W. Munroe

Georgia }
 Laurens County } Court of ordinary 3^d of January 1832
 appeared in open court John Lowther Charles
 B Gentry and Isaac W. Munroe who being
 duly sworn depose that they saw Eliza M. A. McCall
 sign seal and publish this writing to be her
 last will and testament that at the time she was
 of sound disposing mind and that they signed this
 as witnesses