

Will of Jonathan Bacon

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In the name of God, Amen. I Jonathan Bacon of the County of Liberty & State of Georgia Planter & being in my usual state of health and of sound and disposing mind & memory. But knowing that I am at all times liable to be called suddenly away by death. - Do make my last will and testament as follows - I give devise & bequeath unto my children Elizabeth Way - Mary Stacy. & Eliza Amantia Bacon - the whole of my Estate both real & personal (with the exception of one horse & gig) to my said daughters & their children & the heirs & assigns of such children forever - The said property & Estate to be at no time or in any manner what subject to the debts of any husband of any or either of my said daughters - I give devise & bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Bacon her share of one of my horses and the gig that we may have in use at the time of my decease. She shall also have the privilege of living on and riding on my plantation & have the sole use of the dwelling house kitchen & partery houses during her widowhood and also the use of as much land for planting and as much timber and as many out buildings regularly with my children as to her shall seem expedient - So long as she shall remain in a state of widowhood I do not by this instrument make any further bequest to my said wife because ample provision has been made ^{in her} in our marriage settlement - Should any of my children die childless her share or proportion of such child or children shall go to and become the property of the survivor or survivors or of the children of such survivor I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my friends Nathaniel Barnard William Jones. Samuel Shanks & John W. Stacy together with my daughters Elizabeth Way, Mary Stacy, and Eliza Amantia Bacon, Executors & Executrices of this my last will & testament and I do hereby utterly revoke disannul & make void all former wills or testaments by me at any time heretofore made. and do hereby ratify & confirm this and no other to be my last will and testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 22 day of June in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & thirty five

Signed sealed and declared by the testator to be his last will & testament in

presence of us. Ezra Stacy, John Givens

Thos. J. Way, E. Baker

Jonathan Bacon

probation not back

George
Liberty County } Personally appeared John Girardeau
who being duly sworn depose & saith
That he is a subscribing witness to the within
last will & testament of Jonathan Bacon late of Liberty
County deceased & that he saw said Jonathan sign the
same as his last will & testament & that he was at the time
of said disposing mind and memory and that he also saw
Egan Stacy, Thos G. Way, & E. Baker the other subscribing witnesses
sign as such

John Girardeau

Court of Sidney }
July Term 1842 } The within last will and testament
of Jonathan Bacon being duly proven
at this regular term in open Court upon the oath of
John Girardeau ordered that the same be admitted to
record

Attest

Wm. W. Stacy Esq. &c

Recorded.

August 26. 1842

John W. Stacy Esq.

appraisement and Division of Est of J. Le Conte

You, Joseph Desautermain Jean Jones & Jm B. Hurdin
do swear that you will make a just and true
appraisement and division of all and singular
the goods and chattels (ready money only excepted)
of Louis Le Conte deceased ^{as shown by Sherris & Co. of the County of Liberty} and that you will
return the same catalogued under your hand into the
said John Le Conte Administrator within the time
prescribed by Law

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this tenth of March 1842
J. W. Desautermain J.P.

W. Jones
Jos Desautermain
Jm B. Hurdin

old Fanny	35	Killa	400
O. Hester	20	Joshua	450
Lue	275	William	200
Tenah	250	Lancaster	175
Bob	325	Prime	500
Ellick	500	Drannah	400