

State of Georgia I Birchens McKirney of said County and
Marion County) State being of sound mind and disposing
memory knowing that there is a time appointed unto all
men for to die, and being unmindful and disposed to make
such a disposition of my worldly effects as to me seems
meet and proper do ordain and declare this to be my
last will and testament hereby revoking all others
hereunto made

Item 1st It is my will and desire that all of my just debts
be paid-

" 2nd" It is my will and desire that all of my estate both real &
personal be kept together as it now is until my young
est child now living or that may be born is of age
and be left it to this provision that at they become of
age or my Daughter Mary Francis McKirney Shall
Marry that they shall receive an equal share of my
estate焉 and than alike with my wife Nancy H.
McKirney and if my wife Nancy H. Shall Marry before
any youngest child living shall become of age
then I will and desire that my Executrix hereinafter
to be named shall advance to her future husband two
thousand dollars and that she shall receive no other
or further part or portion from my estate and I further
will that the two thousand dollars above named be
paid which manner by my said Executrix as without
embarrass or cause any of my estate to be held but
to be paid out of the proceeds arising from
my farm-

Item 3rd It is further my will and desire that my childrens Harry
Frances William H. and Eliza Ruth be educated and
maintained by my said Executrix out of the proceeds of my
estate and that my wife Nancy H. McKirney also be
maintained during her widowhood out of my said estate

Item 4th I do hereby constitute and appoint Vincent O'Brien
and my wife Nancy H. McKirney my executor and
executrix hereby revoking in them all of my property
and estate both real and personal to the end and
for the purpose aforesaid-

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my seal this 22nd day of December
A.D. 1852

Signed, sealed and
delivered in of us, and we
do witness subscribe the same
in the presence of Birchens McKirney
the testator

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James Duke

Birchens McKirney