

Henry Butts. Will

Miller County Wills 1871-1925

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In The name of God Amen,

I Henry Butts, of Sound Memory and Discretion and also of Sound mind and being of advanced age and knowing that I must shortly depart this life, deem it right and proper, both as respects myself and family, that I should make a disposition of my property, with which a kind providence has blessed me, I do therefore make this my last Will and Testament, hereby Revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me.

Item - I desire and direct - that my body shall be buried in a decent and Christian like manner. Suitable to my circumstances and condition in life. My soul shall I trust Return to God who gave it, as I hope for salvation through the merits and atonement of the blessed Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Item - I direct - That all my just debts be paid by my my Executors hereinafter named out of any money or property left by me at my death -

And I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Louisa Butts, and my three children Henry Butts, James Butts and John Butts One Thousand Acres of land and a body and including

181 in the 8th District of Early County, and
201-203, and 240 and 70 acres of lot of
land number 241, in the 13. District of
Miller County, all of said land to lie
in body, to adjoin and be laid off. as
nearly as possible, so as the lines will run
North and South, East and West.
Also give Shares in The Bainbridge
Cuthbert and Columbus Rail Road.
Also all my stock of horses, mules,
Colts, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and goats.
Except one Colt I give to Charles H Paramore,
One Colt I give to Robert J. Paramore,
my grand children, And one horse
or mule I give to Sarah A Paramore,
to go at her death to Everett Paramore,
and except the cattle, I give to Charles H
Paramore, Also I give and bequeath
to my said wife, and my said three
children, all other personal property
of which I may die possessed of. After
the payment of my debts, with the exception
before named, consisting of many notes
and accounts, Wagon, harness, buggy,
Household and Kitchen furniture and
other things.

11. Item - If either my wife or said three
children should die before the others,
their share, or shares to go to the survivors,
if none survive them, then the property
mentioned in the 3rd Item

and the heirs of W. A. L. Batts, Shore and
Shore Alike, Only the heirs of W. A. L. Batts to
receive as they said W. A. L. Batts would, were
he alive.

5. Item = I give and bequeath to my daughter
Sarah A. Paramore and her children,
Charles H. Paramore, Robert J. Paramore,
and Wm E. Paramore, four hundred acres
of land, as follows, One hundred acres of
land 280, and 130 acres of land number
241. and 120 acres of lot of land, number
242. All of said land lying in the 13th District
of Miller County. The above
lands are to be run off. To as to lie in
one body. Said lands are not to be sold
or divided, until said Wm E. Paramore
becomes of age.

Item = I give and bequeath to my daughter
Martha Matilda Shinn, and the heirs
of my deceased son, to wit, Henrietta
Batts, Stella Batts, and Wm A L Batts, The
following property, viz. numbers 238-
239- and 130^{off} acres off of lot of land
number 243. all lying in the 13th District
of Miller County, to be divided as follows
to wit, M. M. Shinn to have the north half
of the above described land. to wit - 315.
to the part heretofore given
to the heirs in items 3, 4, and 5, of this
will my three grand children
to wit, Stella Batts, Stella Batts and W. A. L.

and the heirs of W. A. L. Batts, share and share alike, only the heirs of W. A. L. Batts to receive as the said W. A. L. Batts would, were he alive.

5. I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah A. Paramore and her children, Charles H. Paramore, Robert J. Paramore, and Wm E. Paramore, four hundred acres of land, as follows, One hundred acres of land 280, and 130 acres of land number 241. and 120 acres of lot of land, number 242. All of said land lying in the 13th District of Miller County. The above lands are to be run off. So as to lie in one body. Said lands are not to be sold or divided, until said Wm E. Paramore becomes of age.

Item - I give and bequeath to my daughter Martha Matilda Flinn, and the heirs of my deceased son, to wit, Henrietta Batts, Stella Batts, and Wm A L Batts, The following property, viz. number 238-239- and 130^{off} acres off of lot of land number 243, all lying in the 13th District of Miller County, to be divided as follows. To wit - M. M. Flinn to have the north half of the above described land, to wit - 315.

and next to the part heretofore given to my heirs in items 3, 4, and 5, of this will, and my three grand children to wit, Henrietta Batts, Stella Batts and W. A. L. Batts.

of said lands, ~~with~~, 375 acres lying directly South of the lands, given to my daughter M. M. Flinn.

1 Item - I give and bequeath to my three grand children, Henrietta Buttz, Stella Buttz and Wm A. Le. Buttz, all the lands lying on the East side of Spring Creek in said County, which belonged to my deceased son W. A. Le Buttz, at his death, with the exception of the ten acres, on which the Residence of J. B. Scott, now stands, and if I am owing them any thing at my death, this body of land shall go to satisfy that debt. and if I owe them nothing, they shall have it - any how, when these three grand children all die in case they die before marriage and without heirs, said land shall go to my other heirs, share and share alike. There shall be no sale, or division of said lands, until Wm A. Le. Buttz becomes of age.

2 Item - I desire, and direct that my said wife and her three children Henry Buttz, Acoma Buttz, and John Buttz, remain on the lands given them, until one of them shall marry, and keep all of the said property together. If my said wife shall marry after my death, she may take her part of

in item 3. but my executors are Required
to see that nothing she receives is wasted.
and at her death to Return The sume to
her three children - If she marries she
shall have no land.
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