

Georgia
Monroe County

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last will of the within named Jeremiah Headle deceased, so far as I know or believe, that I will well & truly execute the same, by paying first the debts & then the legacies contained in the said will as far as his goods & chattels will thereunto extend the law charge me, & that I will make a true & perfect inventory of all such goods & chattels. So help me God.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court this 1st day of July, 1844
E. C. Cabanis G. C. C. Rebecca ^{her} Headle
Recorded July 2nd 1844 E. C. Cabanis G. C. C. mark

I make this my last will & Testament

I give & bequeath to my wife Obedience Dunn the following negroes to wit, Henry, a man about fifty years old, Joe, a man about thirty five years old, Lucy a woman about fifty years old, Sally a woman about twenty eight years of age, Adeline a woman about twenty seven years old, Mariah, a woman about twenty five years old, Alfred a boy about twelve years old, Edmund a boy about one year old, also the house and lot where Mr Bourr now lives, the lots containing seventeen acres more or less being all the lots that grow where the Dwelling stands, also my plantation containing two squares and a half lying south of Forsyth with all of the working tools, five mules & waggon, two yokes of oxen & last my draft man, the pair of little bay horses and carriage and the team wagon, two Beds & furniture all complete and all of her wearing clothing, all of cattle & hogs, sheep & goats that is not brought Given to the children in this my will, and a years provisions, 1 set of Mahogany Tables, 2 Doz. Chairs, 1 Side Chair, 2 Benches, 1 Bed Case, 1 Doz. Silver Table Spoons, 1 Doz. Silver Tea spoons & 2 Doz. Silver forks and 1 set of Castors, all of the glass ware and crockery as she wants, and the Cooking stove, one pair large gilt looking glasses, Two large Chests & work stand and candle stand and my late Dress.

I give and bequeath to my son in law Stephen B Martin and my daughter Rebecca N Martin, Dan, a man about thirty four years old and Philips, a man about thirty years old, together with the negroes I give them before, and other property.

I give and bequeath to my son David A. Deane, the following negroes, to wit, Anderson, a man about twenty two years old, and Gabe, a man about twenty one years old, Milley a woman about thirty years old, and her child which is not yet born, but fully & ally with it in two months or less.

old, Metilda, a girl about six years old, the grey mare called the Andrew mare, with two beds & furniture, one cow & calf and a sow & pigs, I leave this property in the possession of Stephen B. Martin as trustee for my son David A. Dunn and his heirs, this property is not subject to any of the debts of my before mentioned son he is to have the income yearly, and the balance of his part that will be mentioned here after I wish to go into possession of the said Stephen B. and managed as the above named property.

I give and bequeath to my son-in-law Robert L. Roddey & his wife my daughter Ann E. C. Roddey the following negroes, to wit, Gater, a man thirty two years old, Sam, a man twenty eight years old, Mary, a woman seventeen years old, and her child two weeks old and Emily, a girl about ten years old, Simon a boy about seven years old, one sorrel filly, one cow & calf, one sow and pigs, two beds & furniture

I give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah E. Dunn the following negroes to wit, Ben a man about twenty seven years old, and Peter, a man about twenty six years old, Louisa, a girl about sixteen years old, Rachel, a girl about ten years old, Remos, a boy about ten years old, Jack, a boy about five years old, and a Colt, called the Hamilton Filly one cow & calf, one sow and pigs two beds and furniture, and when she arrives to the age of sixteen years old she is to have a gold watch, worth one hundred and fifty, to be paid for out of the proceeds of the property, her part of the property to remain in the possession of her mother until she Marries or become twenty one years old, without her mother paying any hire, or the Sarah paying any board or clothing

I give and bequeath to my son Amos J. Dunn the following negroes, to wit, John a boy about thirteen years old, Benny about thirteen years old, Milley a girl about ten years old, Daniel about two years old, Washing, about two years old, Ellen a girl about 10 months old, also when he arrives to the age of twenty one he is to have two beds and furniture, one cow & calf & one sow and pigs, one horse to be worth one hundred and fifty dollars a saddle & bridle Martingales to be worth thirty two two dollars, my watch & chain & Key, my Collar button and 2 Gold shirt Buttons. All of his property to remain in the possession his mother without her paying hire or interest - he is to have a good English Education, Board and Clothing free of charge and if his mother should not live then

into possession School Board and clothe him, I wish him to have a good Education.

I give & bequeath to my Brother William Dunn's Son Josee Dunn a negro girl by the name of Martha, about eight years old, and appoint my brother Wm Dunn Trustee for his son Josee Dunn - My brother William Dunn and my sister Patience Dunn to have the use and labor of the girl until Josee becomes twenty one years old. The girl is not to be subject to my brother's debt nor the hire of her but is to remain in the possession of my sister Patience until Josee becomes twenty one years old.

I appoint Stephen W. Martin and my wife Obedience Dunn my Executor & Executrix - My Tavern and furniture, not before willed, and store house & lots, and my good notes and accounts, and all other property, both Real & personal not before willed, to be sold, note & account collected, my just debt paid, but the property to be sold at the discretion of my Executor and Executrix - they may keep up the store & Tavern until Andrew J. Dunn becomes of age if they wish and then all to be sold and equally divided between my wife and all of my children, my wife having as much as one of the children. They may sell at any time they may think best; and when it is sold to be divided above mentioned.

I give and bequeath Parker & Johnston, Son of Jonathan & Susannah W. Johnston the following negroes, Washington a man about thirty years old, Hannah a woman about thirty years old, and Mary a woman about twenty years old, Alicey a girl about eight years old, Mary Child about eighteen months old; Provided Father Jonathan Johnston pay a note to Thomas Evans for about five hundred and a note to Thomas Watson for about five hundred dollars in an order to Stephen W. Martin for about fifteen hundred dollars, which order I have accepted - When the above amounts is paid the said Jonathan & Susannah W. Johnston is to have the hire of the before named negroes until the said Parker & Johnston becomes of the age of twenty one years - But the said negroes nor their hire is not subject to the debt of the said Jonathan Johnston - They remain in the possession of my Executor & Executrix on the provision that the before mentioned amounts be paid and if they are not paid in three years more of the said negroes to be sold to satisfy the debt the balance to go to Parker & Johnston as before mentioned, and if any of the negroes shall be willed to my children should die before the child becomes to the age of twenty one years or marries or before they receive that of my Executor or Executrix the place shall be filled with one that is worth about the same that was willed to my wife Obedience Dunn.

share, then it is to be equally divided with the balance of my children.

December 20th 1839

Josee Dunn 

Test

Archibald Lary
Christopher Parker
Elijah Phillips

Georgia

Monroe County

Before us James W Knott & John B Banks two of the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County personally came Christopher Parker & Archibald Lary, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn depose & say they saw Josee Dunn sign seal publish & declare this writing as & for his last will & testament, that they in the presence of the testator & at his request & in presence of each other & of Elijah Phillips attested said will as witnesses that said Elijah Phillips in the presence of the testator & at his request & in presence of these deponents attested said will as a witness, that the testator at the time of the execution of said will was of sound disposing mind and memory, & that he executed the same freely, voluntarily & without compulsion.

Sworn to and subscribed before us this 7th day of May 1840

James W Knott J. J. C.

J. B. Banks J. J. C.

Christopher Parker
Archibald Lary

Georgia

Putnam County

Whereas I Josee Dunn did in the month of November or December in the year eighteen hundred and thirty nine sign seal, declare & publish my last will and testament in the presence of James Turner, Elijah Phillips and Christopher Parker, who signed the said will and testament as witnesses, and whereas I am desirous of amending and changing my said will in some respects, I therefore publish this Codicil to my said will.

First I revoke and change so much of my will as relates to the bequests therein mentioned of the following & named negroes namely, Peter, a negro man, Henry a boy, Louisa a girl, & Abilly a girl, having sold the said negroes since the making of said will, for the following prices, to wit, Peter for (\$525) five hundred and twenty five dollars, Henry for (\$550) five hundred and fifty dollars, Louisa for (\$512 $\frac{1}{2}$) five hundred and twelve dollars, and Milley for (\$430) four hundred and thirty two dollars, and my children Rebecca