

Ann S Threlkeld's Will

Muscogee County, Georgia Wills

1862-1875

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In the name of God Amen

I Ann S Threlkeld being possessed in my own right of a separate estate and being desirous to dispose of the same by will and knowing that all must die I do hereby ordain publish and declare this my last will & testament

1 I give & bequeath unto my brother James Henry Harrison in trust the following negroes Charles a bright Mulatto man Margaret a woman & Ed a boy to have & to hold the same unto his heirs and pay over the annual profits thereof to John W Threlkeld at the termination of each year for & during the term of his natural life and at his death to be disposed of as hereinafter named

2 I give & bequeath unto Cary C Miller as trustee for my daughter her mother & Miniberty wife of Perry & Miniberty the following negroes John Calvin Ellen Emma Adella & Stella & her child Rachel Rogotten with their increase to have & to hold said negroes in trust for my said daughter for & during her natural life free from the control of her present or any future husband as he sole & separate estate and at her death to convey the same to the children of my said daughter that may survive her or descendants of children share & share alike grand children standing in the place & stead of their parents and in the event my daughter should die without children or grand children surviving her then to convey one third of said negroes to the children of my sister Mary W Meachum by her former husband James Meachum one third to my brother James Henry Harrison and the other third in equal parts to Charles S Harrison and Mary E Harrison and upon further trust that after the death of John W Threlkeld my husband to have & to hold the negroes named in the first item upon the trusts and to dispose of them in the same way that it is my further will that if my brother James Henry Harrison should die before me that his children should take the interest herein before given him

3 I give & bequeath unto my niece Mary L Harrison a negro man Charles

4 I give & bequeath unto N C Miller son of Cary Miller two hundred dollars

5 All my bed & bed furniture I give & bequeath to my beloved husband J W Threlkeld

6 All the balance of my property of every kind & character I direct to be sold by my executors as they may deem best and the moneys arising therefrom after paying my debts & the foregoing legacy to be held by my friend Cary C Miller in trust for my daughter as specified in the 2^d item of this will and to pay over to her the annual interest thereon for and during her natural life and at her death to dispose of it as the negroes therein named

I hereby constitute & appoint James Henry Harrison & Cary C Miller Executors of this my will.

Signed sealed published & declared by Ann S Threlkeld

Ann S Wheelkeld's Will

as her last will & testament in presence of us and in presence of said testator and in the presence of each other this 18th of May A.D. 1867

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Ann S Wheelkeld

Test James Johnson
William J Howard
Hersman S Estes

I Ann S Wheelkeld do make & ordain and declare this as a codicil to my said will to wit I revoke the first part of said will and I give upon the trusts & limitations therein specified in line of said negroes therein named the following land formerly occupied by one West and now in possession of testatrix & her husband containing about three hundred acres the same being in Muscogee County I also revoke the 3rd of said will and give the boy Charles therein named to my brother James Henry Harrison

Signed sealed published declared in presence of the subscribing witnesses and the presence of the testatrix and in the presence of each other this 1st of October 1860

Jas Johnson
Thomas Sloan
George F Johnson

Ann S Wheelkeld

Georgia Muscogee County

I do swear before me James Johnson Ordinary in & for said County comes James Johnson one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing writing who being duly sworn on oath says that he was present when Ann S Wheelkeld executed the first foregoing instrument and published the same as her last will & testament that she signed the same in presence of deponent & William J Howard & Hersman S Estes who at the request of said Ann S signed the same as witnesses that whereas afterwards the said Ann S executed the foregoing codicil in presence of deponent Thomas Sloan and George F Johnson who at her request signed the same as witnesses Deponent further says that at the time of executing said will & codicil said Ann S was of sound and disposing mind & memory and that as far as witness knows or believes she did it freely of her own accord without any undue influence or compulsion Sworn to & subscribed before me this 2^d of Johnson 4th day of August 1865 Jas Johnson Ordinary

Georgia Muscogee County

Court of Ordinary August Term 1865

The foregoing writing admitted to record as the last will of Ann S Wheelkeld dec - See minutes page 181 - this 3rd day of August 1865

Georgia 3 J Cory C Willis
Muscogee County 3 J James St Harrison

Ann S. Threlkeld's Will cannot
 do solemnly swear that this writing contains
 will of the testator named Ann S. Threlkeld and so
 far as I know or believe and that I will well and
 truly execute the same in accordance with the laws
 of this State So help me God }
 Sworn to & subscribed before } C. C. Miller
 me this 22nd August 1865 } J. St. Harrison
 Geo. Johnson Ordinary }

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Grisby & Thomas' nuncupative Will
 Columbus Ga July 4th 1865

This is the last will & testament of me
 Grisby & Thomas of the county of Muscogee & of the State of Georgia

Item first

I do will & direct that the following landed property, belonging
 rightfully to me viz six hundred acres or thereabouts in the counties
 of La Fayette & Pontatoc Missisippi one half undivided interest in
 a quarter section near Silver Run Alabama a lat in formerly
 Early County Georgia and the mill tract in Chattahoochee County
 Georgia containing about twelve hundred acres be sold at the
 discretion of my Executors and the proceeds be first appropri-
 ated to the payment of my just debts

Item second

I give & bequeath to my son Grisby my law library & office
 furniture

Item third

I bequeath to my wife Mrs Elizabeth A Thomas the tract of
 land upon which my residence is situated with all of
 its appurtenances and all of the property thereon together with
 my woodland tract containing about twenty three acres more
 or less during her life time It is my wish that my neighbor
 and friend J. C. Cook in connection with S. T. Pawning esq
 act as my executors in carrying out this my last will and
 testament

Georgia }
 Muscogee County } Court of Ordinary of said County
 } October Term 1865

In open court personally appeared Robert M. Gumbley James C.
 Cook & Robert C. Pope who being duly sworn and oath say that
 they were present at the residence of Grisby & Thomas who was at the
 time very ill and who shortly afterwards to wit on the next day de-
 parted this life that while said deponents were in the presence
 of said Thomas he requested them to take notice that the
 words which he should then speak were intended for his last will
 and testament that he then proceeded to make his statements and a
 memorandum of the words spoken was then & there taken by deponents
 which was written out in a few days thereafter and are as appears
 on the other side of this sheet and were spoken on the day stated at the
 head of said writing Deponents further say that at the time of mak-
 ing said will said G. & T. Thomas was of sound mind & memory