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John Gwynton's Will

In the name of God Amen. I John Gwynton
of the county of Pickens, and State of Georgia
being of sound mind and memory and
considering the uncertainty of this frail
and transitory life, do therefore make
public Testimon and declare this to be my
last will and Testament, that is to say first
after all my lawful debts are paid, and
discharged, the residue of my estate real
and personal I give and bequeath and
dispose of as follows to wit. It is my wish
for my family to remain on the place
until the youngest child becomes of age
being lot of Land number Two bounded
sixty seven. Then I wish all my lands to be sold
or equally divided as they may all agree upon
Also I wish my two sons Abraham and Isaac
Gwynton to take charge of all the property what
then remains after all my just and lawful
debts are settled, and convert it to the use and
raising of the family as they may think proper
and after the youngest child becomes of age
then the balance of property after raising the
family, to be divided as they may think right
and proper, among themselves also I want
what is coming from my Father's estate to be
equally divided amongst my heirs &c.
I hereby revoke all former wills by me made in
witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed my seal. This the Third day of November
in the year of Our Lord one thousand Eight hundred
and fifty seven

John G. Gwynton
witness

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The above written instrument was subscribed
by the said John Gayton in our presence
and acknowledged by him to each of us
and he at the same time published and
declared the above instrument to subscribed
to be his last will and Testament and we at
the testator's request and in his presence have
signed our names as witnesses thereto and
written opposite our names our respective places
of residence

J J Jacobs Pickens Co Ga
Gabriel Maff Pickens Co Ga
P L Maff Pickens Co Ga

Witnessed on the 12th day of January 1838
C. H. McClure Clerk