

Marshall

John P. Orr S. S. C.

Edw Thomas S. S. C. R. C.

At a Court of Ordinary held in and for the County of Buchanan on Monday the 16th day of January 1836 the foregoing last Will & Testament of John Niles was presented in Court and being perused in the oath of James A. Templeton one of the subscribing witnesses there was admitted to record.

Test George McNease, Clerk

I Mary S Harris do hereby make my last will & testament in manner & form following viz. I desire that the negroes Monticello & her child Emma be appraised by Trust Howard, James Johnson, Thomas Penn, or any two of them in case they cannot conveniently act by any other two persons of respectable standing who may hereafter be selected, the S. negroes to be passed over to S. E. D. Howell in her giving a note bearing interest in favor of B. W. Harris for this sole use & benefit; but if S. E. D. Howell shall not agree to take S. negroes at the sum appraised then S. negroes with their increase to belong to S. B. W. Harris; but in case of his death without issue then it is my desire that they go to James H. Harris in the same way as herein after directed as to the balance of my personal property.

I do further desire that the lot of ground in the City of Augusta formerly belonging to Benj. Harris be bounded to the North by Ray Street be sold to the best advantage & all my lawful debts paid out of the proceeds thereof, including the money due to the heirs of L. S. Harris and as joint-heirs of Benj. Harris died.

I do further desire that the balance of the money arising from the sale of the above lot be laid out in negroes that they together with all other of my property both real & personal together with all debts & demands that may be due me at the time of my death be held by B. W. Harris in trust for James H. Harris, the proceeds of the same to be disposed of by the said Benj. H. Harris to the sole use of S. E. D. Harris but none of S. property to be sold or removed from the State of Alabama and if the said S. H. Harris shall die without issue, then all & singular the above named property to pass into the hands of & belong to the above named Benj. H. Harris his heirs & assigns forever after the death of Benj. H. Harris having given the receipts on the first day to be laid out in negroes have been made before signing.

I do further name & appoint B. W. Harris & James H. Harris

Polly Harris (24)

Richmond County

Washington County, Richmond, Dec 17, 1836

Georgia

Richmond County } Personally appeared before us Eliza D. Howell one
of the subscribing witnesses to the within Instrument of writing, who
being sworn saith that she was personally present and did see Polly
Harris sign & seal the same as her last Will and Testament, that she
was of sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of her
knowledge and belief and that she together with L. H. Harris and
Mary Harris signed the same as witnesses at the request and in the
presence of the Testatrix and of each other.

In witness whereof

this 13th October 1836

Echo Thomas J. J. C. R. C.

John P. Cox J. J. C. R. C.

Eliza D. Howell

Whereupon ordered that the same be sub-
mitted to the next Court of Ordinary for record
Test George M. Macken, Clerk

At a Court of Ordinary held in and for the County of Richmond
on Monday the 15th day of November 1836. The foregoing last will
and Testament of Polly Harris was produced in Court and ordered
to be recorded

Test George M. Macken, Clerk