

...a Court of Ordaining...
...the 1st of November...
...and was deceased with...
...and to be recorded...

George M. Waller
Clerk

Georgia
Richmond County

In the name of God: Amen.

I Mary M. Tyer of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, make this to be my last Will and Testament - viz.,
First. I desire that all my just debts be first paid -
To the children of Edmund Murphy deceased, to wit, Nicholas Rainey, (the wife of Charles Rainey) Mariak Brown, (the wife of Samuel Brown) Alexander, Elizabeth Ann Evans, (the wife of Robert Evans) and Leroy H. to them and their Heirs forever, I give, devise and bequeath, share and share alike, the tract of Land in Burke County wherew I formerly resided.
It is my will that my negroes Inett, Pollen, and her three children Winney, Dennis and Jenny and any increase that there may be of the female part of them, at the time of my death, in order to prevent their being separated, be sold by my Executors herein after named, for the benefit of the aforesaid children of the said Edmund Murphy deceased, and the proceeds of the sale be paid over to them, share and share alike by my Executors herein after named as aforesaid.
To my Brother Absolom Rhodes and his Heirs forever, I give, devise and bequeath my two old negroes Dennis & Abby.
I give, devise and bequeath to the children of my said Brother Absolom Rhodes, to wit, John A. Elizabeth W. (the wife of Richard W. Day) Aaron, Vance B. Mary A. Lavinia, and Caroline Cornelia Smith, and to their Heirs forever, the following negro slaves, with any increase that there may be of them, at the time of my death, to wit, Sarah, Solomon, Simon, Gabriel, John, Minnie, and Rachael, to be divided between them share and share alike with the request however, that my said Brother Absolom

as long as he lives
with Sarah the child of
I then A Rhodes and his

7th I wish of my said daughter Cordelia and Lavinia I give
a bed and furniture

8th It is my will that my boys aforesaid, Solomon, Simon, Gabriel
and John receive the sum of five dollars each, yearly, by their
respective owners as long as they live.

9th I give, devise and bequeath to Mrs Sarah Rhodes, Minnie
Ligon, William J Rhodes, and Lavinia Carswell, the sum of
Fifty Dollars each, the property devised to the said Edmund Mur-
phy's children to be subject to the payment of one half of the
said sum, and that devised to the children of my said Brother A
Rhodes, in the 3rd item of this will, to be subject to the payment
of the remaining half.

Hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made
by me, I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my Brother Abner
Rhodes and my Nephew John J Rhodes Executors of this my last
Will and Testament.

Given under my Hand and Seal, this 17th day of May, AD
1829.

Witness my Hand and Seal
Mary M. M. Tye
mark
Signed, sealed and delivered
in presence of
John A. Mann
Almond Day
A. R. Ralston

At a Court of Ordinary held in and for the County of Rich-
mond on Monday 3rd January 1831.

Present their Honors
Holland M. Tye
Edward Thomas
Valentine Walker
William Shannon
Abner Rhodes

John A. Mann one of the
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of witnesses to the foregoing, and having duly
read and forth. That he was present and did see
K. T. sign, seal, publish, and declare the same
to contain his last Will and Testament. That she was of
sound and disposing mind and memory according to the best of
his knowledge and belief, and that he, Depew, together with
James Ray and A. R. Ralston, subscribed the same as a witness
thereby, by the request, and in the presence of said Testator, and
the presence of each other.

Done in open Court.

January 1831

John H. Mason

Whereupon it was ordered that the same be recorded.

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George A. B. Walker
Clerk

Georgia.

In the name of God - Amen!

Honor Cox of the County of Richmond and State aforesaid, of weak
body health, and in expectation of mortal dissolution, but of sound mind
and disposing memory, calling to mind the uncertainty of human events,
being desirous to settle my worldly affairs whilst I have mental capacity
to do so. Do make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and
Testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me, at any
time made, ~

And first of all I select of my Executors herein after named, to have this body
buried in a plain decent christianlike manner.

As to my worldly Estate, I give, dispose of and bequeath it as follows viz
I bequeath that my two daughters viz Delilah French who is the wife of Doctor
French of the State of South Carolina, and Martha Dillon who is the wife
of William C. Dillon of the State of Georgia and residing in the City of
Augusta should hold, possess and enjoy whatsoever property I shall be
possessed of, and to the end that the same shall, in no wise be liable to or

subject to the debts, claims and incumbrances of their present or any future
husbands or husbands, in any manner or shape whatsoever. I do therefore bequeath
my friend Garaway. I name my bequeathers in number named as
follows viz. Sally, Mike (or Michael) Henson, Henry, Tom, Mary, Maria,
Mary Anne, David, Sarah and Sally to be paid by her in full for the
benefit of us, and advantage of my children and daughters in the future.