

signed this name, that
and disposing mind

Wm. to be paid as this 6th day
Wm. Walker S.C. R.C.
H. Rhodes S.C. R.C.
A. N. Verdery S.C. R.C.
John Thinnin S.C. R.C.

W. H. Thinnin

At a Court of Ordinary held in and for the County of Richmond on the
day the 6th day of May 1839, the foregoing will was presented to the Court
and ordered to be recorded.

Test George M. Walker, Clerk.

State of Georgia

County of Richmond

In the name of God, Amen, I, Nancy Finner, know all persons whom these presents shall in any wise concern, that I, Nancy Finner, knowing the uncertainty of human life, and feeling my bodily health rapidly declining, and believing it probable that my days are few in number and living in my perfect mind, and in the exercise of mental faculties, desire to settle and arrange my temporal concerns, preparatory to that change which may take place sooner than I expect; and being else desirous that the property and effects that I have, may be distributed after my death agreeably to my intentions. Be it known to all whom it may concern, that the following disposition of my property and effects is my last Will and Testament, and which will and Testament, and which Will and Testament I solemnly publish and declare.

First, In consideration of the love and affection I bear to my four young children, Ann Virginia, Leonard Augustus, Julia Frances, and John Ebenezer, the children of my son John C. Finner, it is my will, and I hereby give and bequeath to the four last named children, my negro boy William, about ten years of age, and hereby request that my son John C. Finner will act as Guardian for his children in taking care of this negro boy (William), and securing to his aforesaid children the full benefit of the ownership of said boy.

Secondly, It is my will, and I hereby declare the same, that I give and bequeath to my daughter, Caroline A. Purley, wife of John Purley (my son-in-law), about eight years of age, the sum to be paid by my son John C. Finner to her, and to her husband John Purley, but to be held in trust by my son John C. Finner as aforesaid for the use of my daughter Caroline A. Purley, and in case of her death, the sum aforesaid and the interest thereon to be paid to the surviving children, and I hereby request that my son John C. Finner will act as Guardian for his children in taking care of this sum aforesaid and the interest thereon.

appoint my son John C. Sinead as Guardian of said children in far as the proper management of said property in said negro girl and her issue is concerned.

Thirdly, It is my Will, that my negro girl Susan about fifteen years of age shall be sold by my Executor herein after named, at such time as may be deemed by him most proper either at public or private sale not exceeding six months after my death, and the proceeds of the sale divided as follows, viz. The sum of Two Hundred dollars, I give and bequeath to my Grand son Harland Augustus Sinead; The sum of Two Hundred dollars I give and bequeath to my Grand daughter Mary Ann Rieley. And it is my desire and appointment that my son John C. Sinead shall act as Guardian for the two children aforesaid.

And it is further my will that the aforesaid two negroes William and Maria be valued by two disinterested persons and the excess that William shall be adjudged worth more than Maria, shall be given by my Executor to Caroline S. Rieley my daughter, in order that her share be equal to the boy William herein bequeathed to my Grand children. The children of John C. Sinead my son. And it is my Will, that the residue of the price of Susan, if any, shall be equally divided between my daughter Caroline S. Rieley, and my five Grand children before named, the children of my son John C. Sinead.

It is lastly my will, and I hereby appoint and constitute my son John C. Sinead my sole Executor for the purpose of carrying into full effect this my last Will & Testament, and in the contingency of his death it is my will, that my daughter Caroline S. Rieley shall have the right of settling and appointing a Trustee in the place of my son John C. Sinead over the negro herein given to my daughter Caroline S. Rieley. And it is my will, that it be referred to the Court of Ordinary to appoint a Guardian for the children of my son John Sinead in the event of his death. And also to appoint a Guardian for the children of daughter Caroline S. Rieley in the event of her children surviving her. And it is also my will that in all the bequests hereby made, the Guardians appointed shall have power in their discretion to apply the proceeds of property sold agreeably to the provisions of this my last Will and Testament, to the support and education of my Grand children or to invest the same in Stock, as may be deemed best by the said Guardians.

And after paying all the bequests herein mentioned, should there be any residue, I hereby give and bequeath the same to my daughter Caroline S. Rieley and my son John C. Sinead share and share alike to be equally divided between them.

Finally, I hereby appoint my son John C. Sinead my sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament, and it is my request and injunction of him, that he will accept the appointments and to the best of his ability faithfully execute my intentions as expressed herein.

I being my own
high and approved of
the contents whereof I the said Mary Anne have hitherto set my
and affixed my seal this 18th day of September, in the year of
1839, eighteen hundred and thirty nine
signed, sealed, published and declared
in presence of us by the Testator, the
Mary Anne, at which required each of
us have signed this Will in witness where
has presided and in the presence of each
the
Michael Reilly
Charles A. Gilbert
Henry B. Holcomb

Georgia

Richmond County, Personally appeared in open Court Michael
Reilly a subscribing witness to the foregoing Instrument of writing, mak-
ing duly sworn with that he was personally present and did see
Mary Anne sign, seal, publish and declare the same to be her last
Will and Testament, that she was of sound and disposing mind and
memory to the best of his knowledge and belief and that he together
with Charles A. Gilbert and Henry B. Holcomb signed the same as wit-
nesses at the signat and in the presence of the Testator and of each
other

Michael Reilly

Given to before us the

1st July 1839

B. H. Warren J. C. R. C.

John Warren J. C. R. C.

At a Court of Ordinary held in and for the County of Richmond
Monday the 1st day of July 1839, the foregoing Will was presented
and being proved to the satisfaction of Michael Reilly a witness thereto
was admitted to record.

Test. George M. Woodree, Clerk