

Herrington of the County of Scriven and
State aforesaid being of sound and disposing mind and
memory and collinge in to mind the uncertainty of life I
make ordain and publish this as my last Will and Testament
in manner and form following viz
First and principally I recommend my sole in to the hands of
almy God and as touching such worldly Estate as it hath
pleased God to bless me with in this life I do give devise and
bequeath the same as follows It is my wish and desire that the
members of my family Should live together in unity and peace
and be content with such provisions as I have and am about
to make for them 1st I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved
wife Martha the following tracts of Land to wit the tract of
Land called the Moody tract purchased from Moody and
Hessmith containing by estimation Two hundred Acres
where I now live also one tract of land bought of John
Miller containing Two hundred acres also one tract bought
of James Hessmith containing about three hundred
acres as I believe and known as the McDaniel Tract and
one tract of land bought of A. S. Jones containing about Two
hundred acres also the following negro Slaves to wit
Married Old Bill the black cattle Coopers and
Hed also all my household and Kitchen Furniture also
Four head of horses Ten Cows and Calves and twenty head of
Sheep which horses cattle and Sheep She is to choose from
all that is on my plantation also my Waggon and gear
one ridinge Chair and Harness to have and to hold the
aforementioned property for and duringe the Term of her
natural life or widowhood and in the event of her death or wi-
dowhood which event may first happen then my will and
desire is that the said mentioned property shall be equally
divided between my children begotten by my wife to wit
Myndes John Nelson Benjamin and George Taylor I also
give devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Martha all
the hogs bacon and provisons together with the crop on
hand or that may be on hand or growings at the time
of my death together with the peattree for the support
of my wife and her minor children and to which is subj-
ect to any distribution that she may make amongst her
said children with distribution to be by her made shall be
final and Conclusive between them I have made a deed convey-
ing to my wife certain property dated the 21st of April 1816 in
which I have amongst other property given to my wife a negro
named Simon which I have since sold part in the above

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where to have given her a negro by the name of
which I intend to be in favor of Simon so Sold and
my wife Should live Set up any claim to Simon the
reality is that the Said legacy so far as regards said
be revocable and that I should go to and be equally
between my heirs excluding my wife Martha from any
of Said negro

2^d I nominate Candidate and appoint my wife Martha an
Pollack and I knowes W Oliver to be guardians of the
property for all the children of my wife that I have
and it is my earnest wish that they Should be kept together
much as practicable and receive a good religious edc
and there property remain undivided until they
electedly arrive at the age of Twenty one years or
there Lands or negroes are not to be rented out or
unless a majority of there Guardians Shall permit for
advantage

3^r I give and bequeath unto my Son Jeremiah one
girl named Chain and also a bay mare and colt
Since in his possession to have and to hold to him and
heirs in fee simple the Said negro is given to him
of one formerly deeded to him and Since Sold by
the Event of the Death of Steven Co Galt Will Book 2 Bk 1806 1879 laying a claim to
id negro So Sold by me then the above legacy is to be in
the same is to be equally divided among them
Exclusion of the Said Jeremiah

4^t I give devise and bequeath unto my Son Alexander
negro boy named Isaac to him and his heirs for ever
an Constitutions that he Sets up no claim to a negro
which I have formerly deeded to him and Since Sold by
Event of his Setting up a Claim to the negro sold by
me then I revoke the above bequest and desire that
Said negro so given be equally divided amongst them
to the exclusion of my said Son Alexander

5^t I give devise and bequeath unto my Son Joseph
one negro named Cyrus to him and his heirs for ever

6^t I give and bequeath unto my Son Martin one
fellow named John whom I thought of my Son
to him and his heirs for ever

7^t I give devise and bequeath to my Son Kick
negro named Amy to him and his heirs for ever

8^t I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary one
one negro girl named Eliza to her and her
for ever

9^t I give and bequeath unto my Son Dennis

negro boy named Henry to him and his heirs
for Ever

11th I give and bequeath unto my Grandson John Connell
ly one negro girl named Mary also a tract of land
containing one Thousand acres adjoining Longs Land
beinge the tract formerly owned by John Connally her
farther to him and his heirs for ever but in the event
of the death of the Said John Connally before he arrives
at age or has children then the Said property is to go to
and be equally divided between my heirs.

11th I give and bequeath unto my Son John & one neg
ro boy named Bob to him and his heirs for Ever

12th I give and bequeath to my Son Benjamin one
negro boy named Daniel to him and his heirs and
assigns for Ever.

13th I give and bequeath unto my Son Stephen S. one
negro fellow named Jacob to him and his heirs
for Ever.

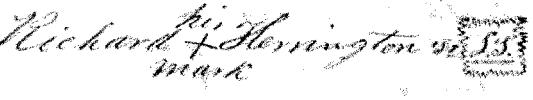
After the payment of all my just debts and all the
Expences of my Estate are Settled it is my will and
desire that the remainder of my property not here
before deeded or herein before bequeathed be equally
divided among

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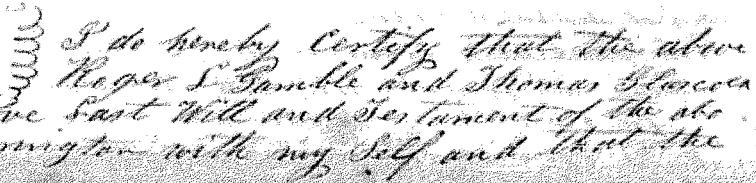
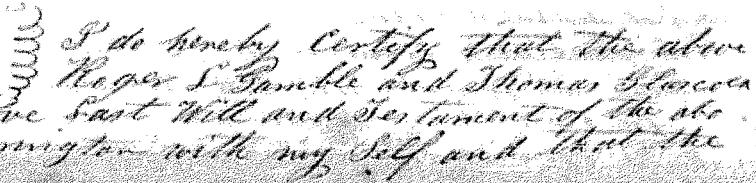
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I nominate and appoint my wife
Martha Herrington and my Sons in Law George
Paddock and Thomas W Oliver the Executors and
Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby
revoking and canceling all former wills and Testaments
by me at any time heretofore made establishinge
and allowing this and no other to be my last will
and Testament I do Testimoney wherof I have here
unto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 19th
day of October 1830

Signed Sealed and  Richard Herrington mark

published in presence of

Roger S. Gamble
Thomas Glascock
Alexander Kemp

Georgia  I do hereby Certify that the above
Scriver County  Roger S. Gamble and Thomas Glascock
Signed the above Last Will and Testament of the abo
ve Richard Herrington with my self and that the

There is the true Signatures - Taken to off 1838

At Richard Herring Senior of the County of Scriven & State
of Georgia do make Constitution and Ordain this as a Codicil
to my last will and Testament bearing date on the 17th day
of October 1830, as follows to wit I give and bequeath unto
my wife Martha in addition to what I have given her
in my Said will before referred to my negro man named
Peter to her and her heirs for Ever.

I also give devise and bequeath unto my Son Robert
Herrington the Land I purchased of Jacob Bryan in
the County of Scriven also my negro boy named a Fatt
to him and his heirs for Ever and this in addition to
what I have given him in my Said will before referred to

I also give devise and bequeath unto my Son Simon
Herrington in addition to what I have given him in
my Said will before referred to the Land granted to Rock
Bryan which I purchased of the estate of S. Jones con-
taining Five Hundred acres also the tract of land
purchased of John Meads also the tract purchased
of James Gamble all the Said land is Syenge in Scriven
County also my negro woman named Sam to him and
his heirs for Ever.

I revoke the appointment of George Pollock and Tho-
mas W. Oliver as the Guardians of the person and prop-
erty of the Children which I have by my surviving
wife I also nominate and appoint my friends Augu-
stus S. Jones Executor of my last will and Testament
in conjunction with my wife and George Pollock who
are appointed the Executor and Executor by my Said
last will and testament aforesaid witness my hand
and Seal this Thirtieth day of October 1838.

Signed Sealed and
published in presence of 3 Richard Herrington ^{his mark}

Charlotte St. Brantley
Benjamin Williamson
William St. Brantley

Georgia
Scriven County 3 I do here by certify that the within
named Charlotte St. Brantley and Benjamin William-
son Signed at the within Office to the last will &
Testament of the within Richard Herrington made

that the within is this true Signature

November 4th 1839

William H. Ingram

3 Court of Ordinary

Georgia November Term 1839

Union County

I the within last will and testament
of Richard Herrington having been duly proven
at this regular term in open Court upon the Oa-
ths of Alexander Kemp and William H. Ingram.
Ordered that the same be admitted to record.

Sworn to in Open Court

Recorded in Book B.
this 4th day of November 1839 page 68 & 69 & 70 & 71 of
Alexander Kemp C.C.K. this 8th day of November 1839
By Me Alexander Kemp C.C.C.S.C.