

In the of God Amen; I Hezekiah Howard
of the County of Suwint & State of Ga. do hereby say
being through the abundant mercy of God the Great in God
yet of a sound & perfect understanding and memory. No constitution
having last will & testament, & desire it may be known by all
as such in form & manner following that is to say 1st
I will that all my debts & funeral charges be punctually
paid 2nd I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Sarah
Howard two Cows & Calves & one two year old heifer & my Brother
Red & Furniture Also her Equal part of the plantation on which
I now dwell to be divided in manner herein after men-
tioned 3rd I do give & will unto my Daughter Dorcas Howard
all that tract of land containing two Hundred & fifty acres
lying on the long branch of Little Ogeechee also one horse called
Ball & 4th I do further will that a young horse unbroke
that I am possessed of be drawn for by my two sons namely
Levi Howard & Moses Howard 5th I do also request that the remain-
ing part of my House hold goods and working tools of every
kind be Equally divided between Levi Howard & Moses Howard
& Dorcas Howard 6th I do also request that the stock of Levi
Howard & one to Moses Howard & my stock of hogs to be equally divided
sold & Equal the proceeds to be Equally divided between my wife Sarah
Howard & my children namely Rachel Brownhorn Axa Howard Levi
Howard and Moses Howard & Dorcas Howard 7th I do order the
plantation on which I now dwell to be sold and the amount
thereof to be equally divided between my wife and Nathan Howard
Rachel & Axa Howard and as to my expenses on my
plantation in case of my dissolution to be considered the right
of Levi Howard who shall it -
8th I do appoint and constitute my two sons Levi and Moses
Howard executors of this my last will and Testament and
do also revoke all former wills - In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 8th day of September 1872
Signed Seal'd and delivered
In presence of
John West
Jacob West
Daniel Blackburn Ad

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Hezekiah Howard (Seal)

State of Georgia } Personally appeared in open Court
Screven County } Daniel Blackburn who being duly sworn
on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God Depose that
he was applied to by to draw the within will by Hezekiah

