

Georgia
Troup County



show the name of Joel Stover. I David Henderson of said state and
County being of sound mind and memory that I must shortly depart from this
mortal frame it right and proper both as to myself and relations that I should make a dispo-
sition of the property with which I have provided for my blessed wife, I therefore make this my last will
and testament hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me.

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Item First? I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner
suitable to my circumstances and condition, my soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave
it as I hope for eternal salvation through the blessed Lord and saviour Jesus Christ whose religion I
have professed and as I humbly trust have enjoyed for many years.

Item second? I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without delay by my Executor
herein after named as I am unwilling my creditors should be delayed of their right especially as
there is no necessity for delay.

Item Third? I give and devise to Caroline Davidson the wife of David Davidson the only daughter
of my sister Elizabeth Henderson of the County and state aforesaid, my negro man Lott about
fifty years old also his wife Fess about the same age, also four of their children Bill a man about
thirty five years old, Jack a man about thirty years old, John a boy about seventeen years
and Emma a girl about fifteen years old to her and her heirs forever.

Item fourth? I give and bequeath to my nephew David Henderson of the state of Alabama
Hawkins County my negro man Henry about twenty seven years old to him and his heirs forever.

Item fifth? I give and bequeath to Jane Rice the wife of William S. Rice of the state of Alabama
Chambers County and to her children by her present husband free from the disposition of her present
or any other future husbands, my negro woman Sam about thirty years old, also her daughter
Sarah and a girl about fourteen years old and her son John a boy about two years old and
also two negroes which she now has in possession Ginny a woman about sixty years old and Caro-
line a girl about sixteen years old to the said Jane Rice and her children forever by her
present husband and I appoint my trusty and worthy friend Edw. McKinnis of the state of Ala-
bama Chambers County trustee for the purpose herein bequeathed to the said Jane Rice and her children.

Item sixth? I desire that David Davidson have my negro man Lott about fifty five years of age at
his appraised value the same to be appropriated as herein after stated, the value of said Negro to be
known in with the rest of my property and distributed as hereafter stated.

Item seventh? The rest of my property wherever and whatever it may be I devise shall be sold
by my Executor hereafter mentioned?

Item eighth? I give to my nephew Lory Henderson of state of Alabama Barber County two hundred
dollars, the rest of his brothers and sisters fifty dollars a piece.

Item ninth? I give and bequeath to my brother Samuel Henderson's children fifty dollars a
piece provided such children shall be found.

Item tenth? I give and bequeath to my niece Rebecca the daughter of my brother John
Henderson now the wife of not known by me and to her children fifty dollars and I appoint
David Henderson her brother of the state of Alabama Hawkins County trustee for the money
and also give dollars to his half sister named Not known.

Item eleventh? I give and bequeath to the Presbyterian Church at Long Camp the sum
of two hundred dollars the interest of which only is to be appropriated for the preaching of the
Gospel so long as it shall remain a church and provided the said church shall be dissolved the
the interest of said sum to be appropriated to the home mission within the bounds of
Great River, Presbytery?

Item twelfth? I give and bequeath the balance of the effects of my estate if there should
be any equally to all my brother children.

Item thirteenth? I constitute and appoint my worthy friend David Davidson Executor
to this my last will and testament this February 24th 1856.

David Henderson



Signer sealed delivered and published by David Henderson as his last will

and testament in the presence of us the undersigned who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said testator and of each other this September 30th 1867.

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James Loyde
Rowland W. Hudson
Henry S. Morgan

Georgia Troup County ss Whereas David Henderson did on the twenty sixth day of February in the year of our Lords one thousand eight hundred and fifty sign seal publish and declare my last will and testament in the presence of James Loyde Rowland W. Hudson Henry S. Morgan who signed the said will and testament as witnesses and whereas I am desirous of attaining and changing a devise in said will and testament I therefore make and publish this Ordree to said will.

First Whereas in the providence of God my negro man Henry which I give to my nephew David Henderson of the state of Alabama Alabama County in town the fourth of my last will and testament has since that time died. I therefore change and revoke from the sixth of my last will and testament and give my negro man named, now about fifty six years old to my nephew David Henderson of the state of Alabama Alabama County in place of my negro man Henry which is dead. And also one hundred dollars which shall be paid to him out of my estate by my executor David Dandiel September 30th 1867.

David Henderson

Signed sealed declared and published by David Henderson as a Ordree to his will and testament of the twenty sixth day of February Eighteen hundred and fifty in presence us the subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said testator and of each other this September 30th 1867.

James Loyde
E. C. Davis

Georgia Troup County ss Personally appeared in open Court James Loyde and James C Davis the subscribing witnesses to the within Ordree of the last will and testament of David Henderson late of Troup County deceased, and being duly sworn said that they saw David Henderson the testator whose name appears to said Ordree sign seal and declare the said Ordree to his will to be a part or portion of his last will and testament that he did so freely voluntarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion or influence whatever, that at the time of making said Ordree to his will said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory that defendants signed said Ordree as witnesses in the presence of the testator and at his special desire and request and also in the presence of each other sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 9th day of February 1867.

James Loyde
E. C. Davis

Wiley H. Davis ordinary

Georgia Troup County ss Court of Ordinary February adjourned Term 1867.

Personally appeared in open Court James Loyde Rowland W. Hudson and Henry S. Morgan who being duly sworn deposed and said that they saw David Henderson whose name appears to the within will sign seal publish and declare the said within will or instrument was presented to the Court by David Dandiel as Executor to the same to be his said testator's last will and testament that he did so freely voluntarily and of his own accord and without any compulsion or influence whatever, that at the time of the making the said will said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory that defendant signed said will as witnesses in the presence

of the rotation, and at his special command, we request, and also in the presence of each
attor. Sherris and subscribed, in their Court, this the 4th day of February 1882.
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James Lloyd

Henry J Morgan.

Temp Court of Ordinary February Adjourned Term 1852.

The last will and testament of David Henderson late of said County deceased, together with the Codicil thereto having been produced to the Court for probate by David Dandrew the Executor therein named, and said Will and Testament and Codicil attested thereto having been regularly proven in open Court upon the oaths of James Lloyd, Rowland W. Henderson and Henry S. Morgan subscribing witnesses to said Will and James Lloyd, and James C. Davis subscribing witness to said Codicil. It is ordered by the Court that the said Will and Testament and Codicil thereto made of David Henderson deceased, be admitted to records and that letters testamentary be granted to the said Executor. Granted, Henry adj. 1882

Recorded 11th February 1852