

The Last Will and Testament of Hugh A. Brunning decd.

State of Georgia } In the Name of God Amen.
County of Chimp } I Hugh A Brunning being of sound and disposing mind
and memory, and feeling that my days on earth are
few and almost numbered, do hereby make public and declare this my
last will and testament to wit:-

1st I bequeath my soul to Almighty God my savior and redemption.
2nd I hereby give and bequeath, my California Gold, now in possession of my brother
James, to my Cousins, the Daughters of my Uncle Hugh A Haralson as a
testimony of my sincere affection for them, the same to be equally divided
between them. This I do in tender remembrance of and in the warmest
gratitude for their kind and affectionate attention to me throughout my illness
and during the time I have been living in the family of my Uncle and
Aunt Haralson. I desire also kindly to be remembered by my Uncle and
Aunt; for their uniform regard for me, as evinced by their conduct, demands of
me, my most heartfelt gratitude.

3rd To my beloved sister Eva, I give and bequeath my Silver watch.
4th Out of the remainder of my Estate I desire and direct, that all of my debts
my funeral expenses be shall first be paid, and my burial I wish to be such as
my Uncle Hugh may direct.

5th My Estate of every description, remaining after the above legacies are paid and
the above bequest and directions are fully complied with except that portion thereof
disposes of in item 7th below, I hereby will give and bequeath to my brothers
and sisters to be equally divided between them share and share alike.

6th I wish that my Estate may be distributed, if practicable within three months
after this my last will and testament is established, and if not so soon as
that, so soon thereafter as my executors can properly wind up the business.
7th There is now in the hands of my Uncle Hugh A Haralson, Fifty dollars
heretofore deposited with him by me, the same I give and bequeath to him
to be assimilated in the payment of my debts, and to such other
purposes as he may deem best. This I deem justice to him because of his
invariable kindness to me.

8th I hereby appoint my brother in law John B. Banks of Webbville Tex as
and James Sullivan of this State and County my Executors of this my
last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal on this the twenty first day of June A.D. 1853.
(Witnesses before signed) Hugh A Brunning (L.S.)

In open seals published and declared on the day and year above written
in the presence of us, and we signed the same in the presence of the
testator and in the presence of each other, at his special instance and
request.
Benj. H. Biggs
Albert C. Cox
John C. Curbright

Georgia } (Court of Chancery) August Term 1853.
Chimp County } Personally appeared in open Court Albert C Cox and
John C Curbright two of the subscribing witnesses to the last
will and testament of Hugh A Brunning late of said County decd.

and after being duly sworn deposes and saith that they saw Hugh St
 Brining the testator above named, sign, seal, publish, and declare, the
 proper writing now presented, as his last will and testament, that he done
 so, freely, Voluntarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion
 or influence whatever; that at the time of the execution of the said will
 said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory, that
 each of us signed the same as witnesses in the presence of each other
 and in the presence of the testator, and at his special instance and
 request, and that we saw Benjamin St. Brigham sign the same
 as a witness, in the presence of us and said testator and at the like
 instance and request of said testator;
 Sworn to and subscribed before me *Albert C. Cox*
 this 2nd day of August 1853. *John C. Curtright*
Wiley St. John's Clerk

Wiley St. John's Clerk Court of Ordinary August Term 1853.
 The last will and testament of Hugh St Brining late of
 said County dec. having been proved at this regular term of
 said Court upon the oaths of Albert C. Cox and John C. Curtright two
 of the subscribing witnesses to the same. It is in motion ordered
 that the same be admitted to record.
Wiley St. John's Clerk

Recorded, 3rd August 1853. *Wiley St. John's Clerk*