

12th

The Last will and testament of
James Cameron dec'd

I James Cameron of the State of Georgia and County of Group being weak in body but of perfect memory knowing that it is appointed once for man to die I make this my last will and testament, after my just debts are paid and funeral charges and my body is interred at the discretion of my Executors that is to say I give and bequeath to my sons Thomas, David, James & Benjamin H. Cameron four lots of land town N^o 343 in Early County N^o 100 in Carroll County N^o 194 in Muscogee also lot N^o 150 fifth district Group County after the death of their mother the said lots of land to be sold and the proceeds to be equally divided between said sons - I give and bequeath to son Thomas Cameron a negro girl by the name of Callalinda together with her several children - I give & bequeath to my son David H. Cameron a negro boy named Purnabas - I give and bequeath to my son James H. Cameron a negro boy Charles I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin H. Cameron one negro boy Henry - I give & bequeath to my son William H. Cameron two negroes tract near Rachel a woman and Miles a boy her son also one lot of land c^o N^o 106 in the fifth district of Group County whereon I now live at the death of his mother - I give and bequeath to my daughter Susan Wilson a negro girl Phillis which was bought in line of Hannah to her her life time and then to her children I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah Wilson a negro girl Dianah - I give and bequeath to my daughter Jane Lloyd a negro girl Rose to her her life time then to her children -

I give and bequeath to Moses Penty the sum of fifty dollars - I give and bequeath to John Lorraine the sum of fifty dollars to be laid out in land to be entered at the Land office - I give and bequeath to Samuel Johnson twenty five dollars as soon as convenient - I give and bequeath to my deceased daughters Childana twenty five dollars more each to be paid after the death of their grand mother The ballance of my real and personal Estate I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah Cameron during her natural life and at her death to be equally divided between my sons and daughters that is now living -

I give and bequeath to my daughter Eliza White one negro girl Marinda to her her life time then to go to her Childana a former friend of gift wife show -

And it is further my will that old Juda should have her freedom at the death of my wife and to be supported by a reserve of my effects before a division the same to be retained in the hands of my Executors for that purpose - And it is further my wish that my son William M. Cameron would attend to his mothers business in the farm as heretofore he has done to mine and if he will keep all the hands together and work together the nett proceeds to be equal divided between his mother & himself

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my sons, to wit, Thomas Cameron Benjamin H. Cameron & William M. Cameron my lawful Executors to carry into effect this my last will and testament Signed with my hand and sealed with my seal this 15th day of

April 1840
In presence of
H. Austin

James ^{Chipp} ~~Ever~~
Mark

James McKinnin

James Cameron (S)

Georgia
Superior Court of Troup County
Sitting for Ordinary purposes
May Term 1840
Present

James M. Deall
Thos. S. Cook
P. W. Lashley

Witnesses
The Within last will and testament
of James Cameron dec'd. having been
duly proven at this regular term in open
court upon the oath of Harrison Austin
James Ever and James McKinnin the
Subscribing witnesses thereto

Ordained that
the same be now admitted to Record
Wiley Wilson Clerk

Recorded 8th May 1840
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