State of Georgia
Warren County } In the Name of God. Amen.

I Francis Murdock Master of the County & State aforesaid being in perfect health & remembrance of Mind (thanks be to the bountiful disposer of all good for the same) do this 8th day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred & Seventeen make this my last Will and Testament, revoking all others preceding this. First I give and bequeath Fourteen negro slaves, viz. Jenny, Hannibal, Jim, Ball, Jack, Mahala, Rebecca, Milly, Mary, Hannah, Jim, Lucy, Sarah, Rebecca, Money & Stock, that may be on hand at my death. Again, it is my will & desire that my beloved Wife should have the Land & Plantation where I now reside during her natural life.

Secondly. I give and bequeath unto my dear Wife one third part of all my personal property, and to her heirs forever, the remainder shall not be equally divided among the rest of my Children.

Thirdly. I give and bequeath unto my dear Wife George Hancock and my Negro Boy Jim, to her and her heirs forever.

Fourthly. I give and bequeath unto Benjamin Brown, Francis Brown, Thomas Brown, Elizabeth Brown, Mary Brown, Sarah Brown, Rebecca Brown, Nancy Brown, Martha Brown, Polly Brown, Lucy Brown, Jane Brown, Harriet Brown, Eliza Brown, Ann Brown, Mahala Brown, Rebecca