

State of Georgia in the name of God amen
 Wilcox County James Holt of the State and
 County afore said being of sound age and
 knowing that I must shortly depart this life
 deem it weight and proper both to my self and
 family that I should make a disposition of the
 property with which a kind providence has
 blessed me therefore make this my last Will and
 testament here by Revoking and annulling all others
 here to fore made by me

Item first I desire and direct that my body be
 buried in a decent and christian like manner suitable
 to my circumstance and condition my soul I trust
 shall return to rest with God who give it as I
 hope for Eternal Salvation Thro the blessed
 Saviour Jesus Christ whose Atonement I have professed
 and as I humbly trust and trust for mercy now
 Item second I desire and direct that all my Just
 debts be paid without delay by my Executors
 hereafter named as I am unwilling my credit
 or should be delayed of their right especially
 as there is no necessity for delay

Item the third I give and devise to my four
 sons James H. Holt William L. Holt Bennett Jr
 Holt and Elizabeth S. Holt one thousand dollars
 for the purpose of educating them provided I do
 not live to raise an educate them having given
 the rest of my children an english Education

Item forth I give and devise to my beloved
 wife Mary an equal portion of all my remaining
 property both real and personal with my children
 it being the of said property during her natural
 life and then to my children or
 their children

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I give and devise unto my daughter Emily
Eneline Tippet wife of Barty J. Tippet to her and
her children an equal portion of all my remaining
property both real and personal it being one share
and to any their children by her present or any
future husband and if she and Emily Eneline should
die with out bearing children or if she should
die bearing children and they die with children
then the property to go to my children and
their children and I have by appoint my exec-
utors Barty J. Tippet trustee for the property
herein bequest to my daughter Emily Eneline
Tippet and her children

I give and devise unto my daughter Sarah
Caroline Grider wife of John Gregory and Temple
Catharine their both wife of Bennett Mitchell
to them and their children and any other children
by their present or any future husband each one
a share of all of my remaining property both
real and personal and should either of my said
daughters die with out children or die leaving
children and their children die without leaving
children then that share of property to be divid-
ed among my children and children, children
and I have by appoint David T. Harrel trustee
of the property belonging to each of my
daughters Sarah Caroline Grider and her
children Temple Catharine Mitchell and
her children.

I give and devise unto my
single daughter Ann Chapman Holt Elizabeth
Ann Holt and Maryann Jennison Holt
and their children each one a share of all my
remaining property both real and personal
and if the said Anne Chapman Holt

Elizabeth Elinder Holt and Winna Ann Penna
 Holt if either of them dye with out children
 or dye leaving children and said children die
 without children then there share of said
 property to go to my children to them and
 their children and I have by appoint
 Lovett J. Harrel trustee for the property belonging
 to my daughters Anna Eliza Holt Elizabeth
 Elinder Holt and Winna Ann Penna Holt
 and their children

Item the eighth I give and divide unto my
 Green one James Thomas Warren one of my
 dearest dearest Mary Jane Warren wife of
 John W. Warren dearest one share of all my
 remaining property both real and personal
 it to him and his children and if the said
 James Thomas Warren should dye without children

or dye leaving children and said children die
 without children then said property to go to
 my children to them and their children
 Item the ninth I give and divide unto my
 four sons James H. Holt William H. Holt
 Bennett H. Holt and Elijah S. Holt each one
 share of all my remaining property to them
 and their children and if either of my sons
 here tofore named dye with out children
 or dye leaving children and said children die
 without leaving children then said share
 of property to go to my children to them and
 their children

Item the tenth that my Executor my undersigned
 my will I make by what I feel after bequeathing
 one thousand dollars to each one to
 educate them my will is that the remainder
 of my property both real and personal

be divided equally between my wife Mary
and my children and anyone as herebefore
named and to be subject to such restriction as
here before stated in each item
Item the ninth I constitute and appoint my
friend David J. Hargrett Executor to this my last
will and testament this may the first Eighteen
hundred and sixty three

James^W Holt (LS)

and seal delivered and published by
James Holt as his last will and testament
in the presence of the subscribers who
subscribe our names here to in the presence
of said testator and of each other this may
the first Eighteen hundred and sixty three
W. W. Hargrett
R. J. Hargrett
H. Hargrett

that of advice personally appeared before
Wilcox County the undersigned Redmond G.
Walters one of the subscribing witness who
appears before me this the 4 day of May 1877
at chambers for the purpose of proving the
within last will of James Holt testator
and on oath says he saw said James Holt
sign and publish the same as his last will
on the day and year therein stated to
executed by him that he witnessed the
same with the other witnesses there to at
the request of said James Holt and in his
presence and saw the other witnesses sign the
same in the presence of said testator and in the presence
of the testator and at his request and that the same
was executed by said James Holt

voluntarily and while he was of sound & disposing
 mind and memory sworn to and subscribed
 before me this June the 7th 1877

R. G. Fulghum
 James C. Little, Ordinary

Entered July the 25th 1877

James C. Little

Ordinary