

Georgia } Before The Honble the Court of Ordinary for
 the County of Chatham in the State aforesaid, Personally
 appeared William H. Spencer one of the Subscribing Witnesses
 to the foregoing annexed last Will and Testament of
 Benjamin Chew deceased, who being duly sworn, saith that
 he was present and did see the said testator, sign, seal, publish
 and declare the same to be and contain his last Will and
 Testament and that he was of sound mind at the time to the
 best of his deponents belief and that James Platt Elizabeth
 Barton & Will^m Hoggins, together with the deponents, subscribed
 their names as Witnesses at the time at the request and in
 the presence of the said Testator and of each other
 sworn in Open Court

Jan^y 5th 1807

Edw White Clk

Court of Ord^y

Wm H Spencer

In the Name of God Amen I Ralph
 C. Elliot of the Town of Beaufort in the State of South
 Carolina Planter, but at present in the City of Savannah
 and State of Georgia, being in health of body and of
 sound and disposing mind and memory Do make
 this my last Will & Testament in manner following I
 Give Devise and bequeath after the Payments of my
 Debts, all my Estate real and Personal of Every nature
 and description wheresoever situate or to be found,
 or of which I shall or may die seized or possessed unto
 my Son Ralph and to his heirs and assigns for ever
 at the Age of twenty one; Provided never the less, that in
 case of my said Son dying unmarried and without
 issue, then I give and devise unto the Eldest Son of my
 Brothers William & Stephen, my House and Lot in Beaufort
 together with my Plantation on Port Royal Island called
 Cedar Grove with all and singular the Members and

and Appurtenances thereof and to the Heirs male of this
 Body forever upon the like Contingency. I give and devise
 the remainder of my real Estate to all the Children of my
 Brothers William & Stephen to their Heirs forever Share and
 Share alike save and except the Eldest Son aforesaid
 who by the Devise aforesaid is to have no other part of my
 real Estate but my Dwelling House in Beaufort and
 my Plantation on Port Royal Island called Cedar Grove
 And upon the like Contingency I give and bequeath all
 the rest and residue of my Estate ~~Living~~ ^{Personal} Prop-
 erty of whatsoever Nature or wheresoever situate to be
 equally divided share and share alike among all
 the Children Male and female of my said Brothers
 William and Stephen subject and liable to the Payment
 of the following Legacies. (to wit) to Thomas Savage.
 William Savage, and Benjamin Savage three Hundred
 Pounds sterling each: to Mary Clay, Susan E. Clay
 Daughters of deceased Joseph Clay Junr. And to Eliza
^{Daughter of Thomas Heywood} Heywood two Hundred and fifty Pounds sterling each
 And to Thomas and James Heywood Sons of the said
 Thomas Heywood, and to Thomas S. Clay Son of the said
 Geo. Joseph Clay two hundred Pounds sterling each
 and to Ann Clay another Daughter of the said Joseph
 Clay also two hundred Pounds sterling.

And it is my further Will and desire that
 in case my said Son should marry and die leaving a
 Widow and without issue by her, or in case of issue and
 such issue dying unmarried or without issue then one
 moiety or half part of my whole Estate real & personal
 to go to and be equally divided among the Children of
 my Brothers William & Stephen and their heirs share
 and share alike except that it is my Will that at all
 Events, notwithstanding the happening or not happening
 of any of the Contingencies aforesaid that my said

he paid two hundred pounds Sterling Ann Clay Susan
 E. Clay & Eliza Heywood he paid within a reasonable time
 after my decease One hundred and fifty pounds each.

And I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my
 Brothers (William Stephen Elliott Thomas and William
 Savage & my Nephew William Elliott when he comes of
 Age Executors of this my last Will Testament. In
 Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 Seal the seventh Day of June in the Year of our Lord
 one thousand eight hundred and five.

Signed sealed & delivered
 in the Presence of

Ralph E. Elliott (LS)

G. Woodruff

Robert Habersham

Eliza S. Dornery

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 in the State aforesaid. Personally appeared George
 Woodruff Esq^r one of the subscribing Witnesses to the
 foregoing last Will Testament of Ralph E. Elliott
 deceased who being duly sworn said that he was
 present and did see the said Testator sign seal
 Publish and declare the same to be and confirm
 his last Testament, and that he was of sound
 mind at the time, to the best of this deponents belief
 and that Robert Habersham Eliza S. Dornery together
 with the deponent Subscribed their Names as Witnesses
 at the request, and in the Presence of the s^d Testator, and
 of each other

Sworn in open Court

5th Jan^y 1807

Edw. White Clerk

Jan^y 6 1807. Stephen Elliott appeared
 and qualified

Jan^y 11 1807. Wm. Pitt Elliott app^r
 appeared & qualified