

of making said Will was of sound mind and dis-
posing memory. Benjamin Davis 158
Sworn to & subscribed in open court March 23rd 1838
before me James T Craig clk

The foregoing Will was admitted to Probate and ad-
vised to be Recorded see minutes 2nd page 219
Recorded September 6th 1838

James T Craig clk

Alexander Stewart's Will

"In the name of God Amen I Alexander Stewart of the dist-
ict of Edgefield and State of South Carolina planter
being desirous to settle my concerns before death & being
in health & of a sound and disposing mind memory &
understanding, thank be to god for it do make this my
last will and testament in manner following. First
I bequeath to my wife Ann Stewart during her natural
life the following property to wit all my landed
property together with all the advantages arising therefrom
my fishing place on Saccanah River known by the
Cane Shoals by all my stock of hogs & sheep horses together
with all my household & kitchen furniture & negroes to
wit Charity Tom Pot Cate & Sam together with the future
increase of the females. Second I bequeath to my daughter Martha
M Barnes the following property to wit one bed
bedstead and furniture which she has had & three cows &
calves four yowes & lambs which she had had one horse
bridle and saddle & the following negroes during
her natural life and after her decease to be divided
between her lawful heirs by Henry M Barnes now her
husband to wit Mary Sarah & Harriet together
with the future increase of the females & the disposal of the
negroes to her lawful heirs by Henry M Barnes shall
be at her own disposal. Thirdly I bequeath to my dau-
ghter Rebecca A Stewart the following property
during her natural life to wit Margaret, Silas
& Edward together the future increase of the females
three cows & calves four yowes & lambs one bed
bedstead & furniture one horse bridle & saddle. Now my desire
is that if Rebecca A Stewart should die without a law-
ful begotten living heir then and in that case all the property
that I have bequeathed her shall be equally divided between the
lawful heirs of Martha M Barnes begotten by Henry
M Barnes now the husband of Martha M Barnes.
Now my desire is that all the property that I have bequeathed

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Equally divided between Martha M. Barnes lawful heir-
ten heirs by Henry W. Barnes, now her lawful hus-
band & Rebecca A. Stewart. Now if Rebecca A. Stewart
should die without a lawful heir then and in that
case all the property that comes by her mother to her,
shall Equally be divided, between the lawful heirs
of Martha M. Barnes by Henry W. Barnes, now
her lawful husband. Now it is my desire that
Rebecca A. Stewart be supported in my house
during her living single. And I do nominate con-
stitute Ann Stewart my wife and Rebecca A.
Stewart, my sole Executors of this my last will
and testament, hereby revoking & making void
all & every other will or will at any time heretofore
by me made & do declare this to be my last will &
testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and seal October 7th 1821
David Church Signed Alex. and Stewart
W. Rob. David Edwards Proved by
the oath of David Church, witness to the within
the 11th day of November 1824 on the 22nd day of Nov.
qualified Jno. Mosley & Rebecca Mosley Exors
by Deed Jno. Simkins Q. C. J.
South Eastern Edgefield District, I John Sim-
kins Clerk of Edgefield Dist. do hereby certify that
the foregoing is a true copy of the last will and tes-
tament of Alex. and Stewart decd. filed in this office
the 11th day 1824 taken from the record. Given under
my hand and private seal this being no seal of off-
ice on the 9th January 1832 Jno. Simkins Clerk
Recorded May 2nd 1839
James Craig Clerk

William A. Pope
I, William A. Pope of the State of Alabama
Dallas County do make and publish this
my last will and testament, hereby revoking
and making void all former wills by me at
any time heretofore made. And first I will that
the debts which I owe shall be paid without
selling any of my property if the same be suff-
icient and available in time - but if not
and property has to be sold I prefer that Betty
and Wash shall be sold before any of my