



Elizabeth Vincent Hill

The State of Alabama Dallas County, July 5th 1865.
I now old, wiser by these presents that Elizabeth Vincent
of the County and State aforesaid have this day as my last
Will and Testament, bequeathed unto my Son Oliver D.
Vincent One bed and furniture and unto my Daughter
Anna M. Hays One beam, and unto my Daughter Marcell
Harris One Bed and furniture, and I also bequeath unto
my Son John H. Vincent all the Cattle of my property con-
sisting of One Milch cow, Containing One hundred and forty acres
together with my Stock of Horses, Cattle and Hogs, Household
and Kitchen furniture and a Negro Woman Daffny and a
Negro Woman Sallys, And I leave my Son John H. Vincent
and William heirs the above property to be equally divided.

a man, his brother and sister & also leave my son John
 A Vincent to settle all my debts - Witness my hand and seal
 this 5th day of July 1865 C. Vincent Test. On J. Greening,
 John H. Chambers, David C. Chambers, The State of Alabama
 Dallas County, Personally appeared in person David C. Chambers
 one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will who being first
 duly sworn depose & testify that he saw Elizabeth Vincent
 the Testatrix sign Seal & execute said Will as and for her last
 Will & Testament that the said Testatrix was of sound mind and
 disposing Memory at the time of executing the same that he
 this deponent & only J. Greening & John H. Chambers signed
 the same as Witnesses in the presence of and at the request of
 said Testatrix and in the presence of each other on the day
 and year therein mentioned. David C. Chambers
 Subscribed before me as above Court this 11th day of
 August A.D. 1865 Sanford William Clerk -

Recorded this 27th day of August 1865 Sanford William Clerk

My Last Will

State of Alabama Dallas County. In the name of God Amen
 I John Hardy in the State and County aforesaid being mindful of
 my mortality, Do this eighth day of April A.D. one thousand eight
 hundred and sixty five make and publish this my last Will and
 Testament in manner following - Ist resign my soul into the hands
 of Almighty God and my body to be buried according to the directions of my
 family and friends - And my worldly estate I give and devise as follows
 Ist I give liquidate devise unto my beloved wife Leahy Hardy all that real
 & personal part of my Estate which the laws of the State of Alabama would
 allow her at my decease, provided I had made no distribution or testament
 in the premises, but she may it being her choice to receive her portion
 in the aforesaid manner - 2nd I wish all the remainder residue
 of my worldly estate both personal and real to be equally divided
 between & among my Children viz. Michael C. Hardy, Washington
 Hardy, Jefferson Hardy, Robert J. Hardy, Narcissa C. Olson,
 Susan Hardy, John Hardy, Emily Hardy, Mary J. Hardy,
 Elizabeth Hardy, Benjamin Hardy, Catharine Hardy & Thompson
 Hardy. And I do give & bequeath unto each of them an equal share
 of my real & personal estate, But as I have given Michael, Washing
 ton, Jefferson & Robert Hardy each a Negro a piece I wish these
 Negroes when brought into the division or otherwise deducted
 out of their shares of my Estate according to the above provision
 3rd I give & bequeath unto Benjamin & Thompson Hardy my
 two sons who have not finished their Education \$150.
 for the purpose of their better Education. That is to say
 Benjamin Hardy fifty dollars & Thompson Hardy one hundred
 dollars to be paid out of the Cash of 1865 & 1866.