

this my last Will and Testament in testimony whereof
I have hereunto subscribed my name & affixed my seal
this Twelfth day of May A.D. 1848. Wm. F. English Seal
Signed Sealed Witnessed & Published by the said testator as
after his last Will and Testament in our Presence who
were also signed the same as Witnesses thereto in the
presence of said testator & at his Request & in the presence
of each other this 15th May 1848 Wm. F. English
Wm. F. Hatcher, Horace Cone.

The State of Alabama Dallas County before me
17th July 1848. Personally appeared before me
John F. English and Robert F. Hatcher two of
the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will
who being first duly sworn depose & say that they saw William F. English the Testator sign
and seal said Will as and for his last Will and
Testament and that Horace Cone also signed
the same as a Witness thereto and that they
these deponents and said Cone signed the same
in the presence of and at the Request of said testator
and in the presence of each other on the day and
year therein mentioned and that said Testator
was of sound mind and disposing memory
at the time of executing said Will Wm. F. English
Wm. F. Hatcher. Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 17th July 1848 A. J. Saffold Judge &c.
Recorded 17th July 1848 Tho. G. Haines Clerk

Will of M. W. Bowen

In the Name of God I now I Margaret V Bowen
of Apalachicola Franklin County and Territory of Florida
being Sick and Weak in body but of Sound Mind Memory
and understanding and Considering the Certainty of
Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and to
the end that I may be the better prepared to leave the
World whenever it shall please God to Call me hence,
do therefore make and declare this my last Will and
Testament in manner following. First and
principally I commend my soul to almighty God
my Creator hoping for the pardon and Remission of
all my sins and to enjoy everlasting happiness in
his heavenly Kingdom through Jesus Christ my Saviour
and as to the Property I have & hope I derive this
Name. I Will that all my Property Real Personal
and Mixed or whatever kind there may be to

to my youngest son Ebenezer Sherb Bower to his ex. & Range Edward
son and heir for ever - Item I appoint William Bower to
of Mobile Alabama Guardian of my infant Child and Trustee
of the property hereby devised to him for and during his minority
and in such case I earnestly intrust his utmost care respectability
in and about the marriage and education of my Child also named Mary
Item If the said Ebenezer Sherb Bower shall die before arriving
at the age of Twenty one years then the property hereby devised to him
shall be distributed equally to the heirs of E. Bower his father
then living share and share alike - the words "I devised" and
his "father" in the said made and executed Will the 21st January A.D. 1837 -
Witness my hand & Seal this 21st day of January 1837 -
E. B. Bower (Witness) Margaret F. Bower (Sister)
- Chas. H. Austin (Notary Public) See minutes of Court at Page 1
Records this 10th day of October 1848 the Judge of the Court

Nathaniel Bell, Will
 South Carolina Edgefield District, I Nathaniel Bell of
 the State of Alabama, but at present in Edgefield District
 in the State of South Carolina, by virtue of the power herein
 in a Marriage Contract entered into with my husband
 James Bell do make and declare the following, as my
 last Will and Testament hereby bequeathing all others by
 me heretofore made. I give and bequeath unto
 my grand daughter Mary Ellen Nicholson Child of
 my daughter Elizabeth W. Nicholson her and hers
 her equal share in my Estate a Negro girl named Phillis
 with her further increase to my said grand daughter
 during her life and at her death to such Child or Chil-
 dren, in equal parts as she may leave living the Child
 or Children of my deceased Child to take the Share of the
 parent. I do give and bequeath to my daughter Ellen
 W. Bell one hundred dollars. I do the balance of my Estate
 both real and personal of every kind and description whomever
 & may be living devise and bequeath in equal shares
 to such Children of my daughter Elizabeth W. Nicholson
 as may be living at my death and to such Child or
 Children of my other deceased Child who may be living
 at my death such grand Child or grand Children of my
 said daughter to take amongst them the Share of their respec-
 tive deceased parents, and it is my Will that the portion
 which the Children and Grand Children of my said daughter
 Elizabeth W. Nicholson may take under this Clause of my Will
 shall be limited to such Child or Children as may the said
 devisees may respectively leave living at their deaths
 & I hereby nominate and appoint my son in law Dr John
 O. Nicholson Executor of this my last Will and Testament