State of Georgia } In the name of God Amen
Gilmer County } I Calvin Bradley of the state
and County aforesaid, being
weak in body, but of sound disposing mind, and knowing
it is appointed to all men to die, do therefore make and
ordain this my last will and testament. In the first
place I recommend my soul to God who gave it, and
my body to be buried in a Christian like manner.
And as to this world's goods as it hath pleased God to
bless me with, I will be disposed with in the following
manner.
First:- I will that all my just debts ~~be~~ and funeral
expenses be paid out of the first money that may come
into the hands of my Executors.
Secondly:- I will give bequeath and devise to my be-
loved wife Keturah Bradley all my real estate
which consists in two and a fourth acres of land
more or less. that is one fourth of an acre more or less
of lot No. Three hundred and twelve lying in the north
west corner of said lot. and two acres more or less lying
in the north east corner of lot No. Three hundred
and thirteen, all being in the Eleventh district and
Second section of originally Cherokee but now
Gilmer County Georgia. to her, to have and to hold
during her natural life, then to my daughter
Cornelia C. Johnson to her, her heirs and assigns
to have and to hold to their own proper use, benefit
and behoof forever in fee simple, the reason I have given
my daughter Cornelia C Johnson the above stated land,
is, she has partially or entirely lost the use of both
her hands from being burned.
Thirdly:- I will give and bequeath to my beloved
wife Keturah Bradley all my personable property,
to hold, and should it be necessary for to sell or use
any portion thereof, for her own comfort that she do
so during her natural life, together with all my ready
money debts and credits due me, and at the decease
of my beloved wife Keturah Bradley, all my
household and kitchen furniture, I will and

bequeath to my three youngest children, Quincy A. Bradley, Lou R. Bradley and Sarah Bradley, and that they divide the same equal between themselves, and all my out door property be sold and the proceeds be equally divided between all my children, or their legal representatives, and that my executors be not required to return an Inventory of my property, until after the decease of my beloved wife, Returah Bradley.

Lastly; I appoint my beloved son and trusty friend Quincy A. Bradley, (and that he be not required to give security) Executor to this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills made by me. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this May 7th 1888.

Signed in presence of. } Calvin Bradley (Seal)
Charles M. Mofford. }
Levi Griffith }
Joseph D. Simmons. }

Signed declared and published by Calvin Bradley as his last will and testament in the presence of us the subscribers who subscribe our names hereto in the presence of said testator (at his instance and request) and of each other, as above shown, he signing in our presence and we signing in his presence.

Joseph D. Simmons.
C. M. Mofford.
Levi Griffith.

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Georgia } D. Levi Griffith do swear, that I will Joseph
Gilmer County } D Simmons and C M Mofford, saw
The above named Calvin Bradley,
sign and publish the within named paper
as his last will and testament, and I sub
scribed the same as a witness thereto
at the special instance and request of the
said Calvin Bradley, and in his presence
as did also Joseph D. Simmons and C. M.

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Gilmer Court of Ordin
November Term 188

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Gilmer County }

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Mofford, and that the said Calvin Bradley signed the same freely and voluntarily, and was at the time of such signing, of sound and disposing mind and memory. Sworn to and subscribed before me. this the 5th day of November 1888.

J. C. Allen, Ordinary. } Levi Griffith

Upon the affidavit of Levi Griffith one of the subscribing witnesses to the above named Will this day filed in office, probating the same in Common form, as well as considering the foregoing petition, Ordered by the Court that said Will be admitted to Record as satisfactorily proven in Common form, and that petitioner receive letters testamentary upon the estate of said deceased.

J. C. Allen,
Ordinary.

Gilmer Court of Ordinary.
November Term 1888.

Georgia } I. D. A. Bradley, do solemnly
Gilmer County } swear that this writing contains the true last will of Calvin Bradley deceased, so far as I know or believe and that I will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State. So help me God. Sworn to and subscribed before me. this the 5th day of November 1888.

J. C. Allen, Ord'y. } D. A. Bradley.

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State of Georgia } I Jonathan Witherow
Gilmer County } being of advanced age
desire to make a disposal of
the property which a kind Providence has been
pleased to entrust me. I thank Him for a sound
disposing mind, I desire that my body after death
be buried in a decent and Christian like manner
suitable to my condition in life. As to my
Item 1st I desire that my just debts be paid with
all burial expenses.
Item 2nd I will and bequeath to my wife Su-
sannah and minor children to wit: Frances
Lucella, D Dickney Lafayette, D Cordelia D Mc Taylor &
Lucius Leslie D Julius Howard, all by my last
wife Susannah begotten or hereafter may be
begotten by me, all of my household and kitchen
furniture including the sewing machine, two
cows & calves also one horse one sow & pigs,
2 head of sheep with grain & forage for said stock
also provisions for the family & stock for twelve
months support.
Item 3rd I also will and bequeath to my Grandson
John A. Witherow a certain promissory note
given me by T. J. Witherow (Jun) bearing date
Oct. 16th 1875. with the following conditions in
case he lives to the age of 21 years of age and in
case said John A. Witherow should die before he
is of age then said note is to return back to the es-
tate and be disposed of as hereinafter directed
Said note is given for $160. we one hundred and fifty
dollars & to draw no interest till due or the boy
is of age.
Item 4th I will that my wife & minor children
above named have a home on this my present
survey of land or some other parcel provided
for the same. Said real estate divided as
follows; Lot No. 218-10 "x 2" also about
half of lot No. 217-10 "x 2" last side of lot
about 40 acres on north west corner of

No. 219-10 "x 2"
corner of lot No. 214.
except 15 acres on the
said parcels all lyi
County & State above
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of lot 219 thence
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No. 219. — 10 ac & 2 rd. also 5 acres in southwest
corner of lot No. 214 — 10 ac & 2 rd. also all of No. 215,
except 15 acres in the northeast corner of lot.
Said parcels all lying in one body & being in the
County & State above written, also half interest
in lot No. 19 in 26th dist & 2 ac. also two thirds
in " " 21 " " " " " "

The following is the line around the body of land
constituting my home place, Commencing at A. J.
Gore's land No. 216. on pike road thence running
said road & conditional line south east to the branch
across fence on lot No. 217. thence south with said
fence between one and Thos J Withrow to end of
fence, thence same general direction to the land
of A. J. Cole. thence east with original line to corner
of 217 & with said line to east corner of 218.
Thence north with original line to a conditional
corner on 219. thence east on 219. near the Os-
born graveyard. thence with the top of a ridge
near north east to original line on north side
of lot 219 thence west to the creek thence near
north up the creek a conditional line to a bluff
thence west to the original line on 218. thence with
original line north to the road leading from
lawground to creek, thence with said road west to
poplar tree thence north west to side of lot 218.
thence west to corner of said lot, thence south
with the original line to corner thence west on
217 to pike road the beginning point.

Item 5th. I will that the above described lands be
sold (except the home aforementioned for wife
& minor children) by my executors either at
private or public sale as they may deem best
& also all of my other property including debts
& notes & accounts except what I have set apart
for my wife and minor children, I appoint
my executors J. T. Crawford & R M Withrow
to act & to be sued so far as executors of
my estate is concerned. — — —

The proceeds of said sales are to be loaned out to the best advantage on good notes for interest. When cash sales are made and when sales are made on time said executors are to see to the best advantage for the estate & said executors are to collect said interest at the end of each year and after the taxes & other necessary expenses are paid the remainder of said interest monies is to be given over to my wife & said minor children if necessary (to be judged of by my executors) The principal arising from said sales is not to be used until after my youngest child becomes 15 years of age, then a division may be made if the executors think best. After my youngest child now born or may hereafter be born unto me becomes 21 years of age, then a final distribution of all my estate, except a home for my wife Susannah during her widowhood or natural life time. The value of said home not to be less than $250.00 two hundred and fifty Dollars exclusive of the buildings, the distribution to be made to the following named heirs. R.M. Withrow Caroline Stipp Thos J. Withrow, Margaret M. Crawford James P. Withrow, D.F. Withrow, by my last wife Frances L. Withrow Buckney L. Withrow, Mary Le. Withrow, Wm F. Withrow, Lucius L. Withrow, & Julius A. Withrow & Susannah Withrow my present wife. The above heirs to have an equal share in the final distribution, Such property as my said wife & minor children may make or save up out of the portion given them is not to be considered a part of my estate but is to belong to them. I have appointed my friends D.F. Crawford said R.M. Withrow of said County my executors to carry out this my last will and testament with full authority to execute the foregoing duly & legally in testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my

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name and affixed my seal, this in the presence of G.W. Deboard, R. Brown & W.C. Ratcliff, this August the 27th day 1888. Jonathan Withrow [S.S.]

And we the undersigned witnesses do hereby certify that we were present and saw Jonathan Withrow the testator, subscribe his name to the same, publish the same, as his last will in the presence of him and each other being requested by him to witness and subscribe to the same, this August the 27th day 1888.

W.C. Ratcliff.
R. Brown,
Geo. W. Deboard N.P.

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Georgia } Personally came R Brown
Gilmer County } one of the subscribing witnesses
} to the foregoing will, and who be-
ing duly sworn says that he with W.C. Ratcliff
and G.W. Deboard saw the testator Jonathan Withrow
sign and publish the foregoing writing as his
last will and testament, and that they (deponent)
and W.C. Ratcliff and Geo. W. Deboard signed
the same in the presence of testator and of each
other at his special instance and request.
That he signed the same freely and voluntarily
and was at the time of such signing of sound
and disposing mind and memory.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this
January 7th 1889.

J.C. Allen. R. Brown.
Notary

Upon reading and considering the affidavit of R. Brown, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will of Jonathan Withrow deceased It is ordered that the same be admitted to probate as satisfactorily proven in Common form and that letters testamentary issue to the executors therein named. In Open Court, Jany 7th 1889.

J. C. Allen.
Ordinary.

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Georgia, Wilcox County. } We B. F. Crawford and R. M. Withrow do swear that this writing contains the true last will of Jonathan Withrow deceased, so far as we know or believe. and that we will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this state. So help us God.

Sworn to and subscribed before me. Jany 7th 1889.

J. C. Allen. } B. F. Crawford
Ordinary. } R. M. Withrow

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Virginia
Gilmer County } I William Clayton
of Said County
and State being of Sound mind
& disposing mind & memory do
make this my last will & Testa-
-ment

Item first I give and bequeath
to my Wife Millie Ann Clayton the
following Land to wit / Commencing
at the mouth of the branch where
it empties into the River and then
running up the branch a west Course
to where the Spring branch runs into
Said branch then up the Spring
branch about 100 yards to the Spring
Thence up the Ridge a North Course
to a Spanish Oak marked on the top of the hill
thence to another Spanish Oak on the
Side of the Road about two hundred
yards thence about three hundred
yards across the Road a Straight
Course over a point of the Ridge to
a red Oak Tree in the gap of the
ridge thence along the top of the
ridge a North & West Course to where
it pitches off towards the river to
a red Oak tree thence the highest
ground a Course a little West of
North to the Original North line of
Lot of Land Number 153 to a post Oak
tree thence East along the original
line to the big Road thence South
along the big Road to where it forms
Sandy Holler thence down Said Holler
running nearly an east Course to a
red Oak Tree thence running along
the Same the Same direction to a
white ash tree near a large Rock

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thence along the Same direction to
the Rockriver thence up the River to
the original Starting point at the
mouth of the branch the Same being
about thirty acres of Lot of Land
Number one Hundred and fifty-two
(152) about one Hundred and twenty
five of Lot Number one Hundred
and fifty Three (153) about four
Acres of Lot Number one Hundred
and fifty-four (154) will about twenty
Six acres of of Lot Number one
Hundred and Seventy two (172) all
in the Sixth District and Second
Section of Gilmer County Georgia
Containing one Hundred and Eighty
five acres more or less to have
and to Hold to her own proper use
and benefit for and during her
Natural Life or during Her Widow-
hood with remainder after her death
or after her Marriage Should She
die So N Stephen G Clayton and
Anthony A Mast as is Hereinafter
provided in item Second This
bequest is made N my Said Wife
in Lieu of her Whole Dower
Item Second
I Give bequeath and devise N my
Son Stephen G Clayton and
Anthony A Mast my daughter all
of the Land Described in item
first which I gave N my Wife my
Said Son and daughter to and
Said Land in fee Simple N them and
their Heirs and assigns forever
after the death of my Said Wife
or after her Marriage Should She

elo-sure If my daughter Arden A Mest Lewis with Her Husband Hurden West S direct that she not Sullowed to live upon the Land and She is forever Prohibited from Selling or Mortgaging Said Land for the use of Her Said Husband nor in no way Shall Said Land be made Subject for his debts and in case She Sells or mortgages Said Land for him or in Case She Consents to allow it to become Subject for his debts then She forfeits her right to Said Land and it reverts to all of my Children and representatives of deceased Children Shall Share alike in Said Land

Item Third

I Give bequeath and devise to Samuel M. Clayton John M Clayton Ulysses Clayton and Benjamin Clayton My Sons each an equal undivided interest in the following Property and to the heirs of my deceased Son Joseph Clayton to wit

Beginning at the river where the branch runs into it thence running up the Spring branch about 100 yards to the Spring thence up the Ridge to the House to a Spanish oak tree on top of the Hill thence to another Spanish oak on the side of the Road about two hundred yards thence crossing

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The road a Straight Course over a point of the ridge to a red oak Tree in the gap of the ridge about three Hundred yards thence along the Top of the ridge a course the most course it strikes towards the river to a red oak Tree thence along the highest ground a course a little West of North to the original north line of Lot Number 153- to a post oak Tree thence West the original line to the branch thence down the branch about 100 yards to where it empties into the river thence down the river to the original West line of Lot Number 137- thence South along said West line of Lot Number 137- and along the West line of Lot Number 152- across the top of the Mountain to the original South West corner of Lot Number 152 thence East along the South line of Lot Number 152- to the top of the Mountain thence South East along the top of the Mountain about one quarter of a mile to a post oak Tree thence East down to a cross fence between me and my brother E B Clayton thence East along the fence to the original West line of Lot Number 172- thence South along said original West line of Lot Number 172- to the South East Corner of Lot Number 172- ~~thence South along said original West line to the South West corner of Lot Number~~

thence Straight East to a Spring thence Straight to the old Post Oak

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river a North Course to the Original
Starting point Where the branch
empties into the river it being parts
of Lots of Land Numbers one
Hundred and Thirty Seven one Hundred
and fifty two one Hundred and fifty
three and one Hundred and Seventy
two -172- all in the Sixth District
and Second Section in Said County
of Gilmer and State of Georgia
Containing three Hundred and Thirty
acres More or Less to have and
to hold Said Land to them their
Heirs and assigns forever in fee Simple
My Son Benjamine Clayton
now owes me the Sum of fifty
dollars and I direct that he pay
that Sum to the other four parties
mentioned in this item and upon
his failure or refusal to do So that
his portion with interest on Said
Land be Sold and the Said Sum
of fifty dollars then divided between
the other four mentioned in this item
and the remainder if any be paid
to them

Item Fourth

I give bequeath and devise to
my Daughter Mary L. A Foster wife
of George Foster Jr one undivided
one fifth interest in one Hundred
acres of Lot of Land Number one
Hundred and Sixty Eight (168) in
the Sixth District and Second Sec-
tion of Gilmer County Georgia
to Have and to Hold said Land to

Sun and Sun heirs and assigns
forever in fee Simple
Item Fifth —
I Give bequeath and devise
to William Ale Southern—Nancy
Southern— Adeline Southern
and Flowery Southern Children
of my Daughter Lucinda Southern
deceased Each the Sum of five
dollars in Money
(The Words thence South along
Said original ~~West~~ line to the
South West Corner of Lot Number
in the eighth ninth tenth and eleventh
lines on the Sixth page Were erased
by drawing the pen Through them
before Signing)

Signed by Said William Clayton
this the Twenty fourth day of
October in the year of our Lord
Eighteen Hundred and Eighty nine

William Clayton

Signed declared and published by
William Clayton as his last Will
and Testament in the presence of us
the Subscribing Witnesses who subscribed
our names thereto in the presence of
Said testator at his request and
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Gilmer County } Whereas I William
B Clayton of Said
County and State do on the
Twenty fourth day of October in the
year Eighteen Hundred and Eighty Nine
Make and Execute my last Will
and Testament in writing
Now Therefore I do Hereby Make
and Execute and declare this Writing
to be a Codicil to my Last Will
and Testament to be annexed to
and to be taken and allowed as a
part Thereof
I Give and bequeath to my Wife
Allison Clayton the Mare I
now have named Maud and also
all of the Household and Kitchen
Furniture
I Give and bequeath to my
Son John Clayton one yoke of
Oxen red color and about five
years old
I Give and bequeath to my
Son Stephen G Clayton one yoke
of Oxen of red Color and about
four years old and which are now
in the possession of James Parker
I direct that all of the other personal
property that I may have at the
time of my decease be equally
divided between the remainder
of my Children and Grand Children
of and of my deceased Children
Said Grandchildren to have the
amount their Parents would have
received had their parent lived

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I Hereby Constitute and appoint
my Son Stephen G Clayton
Executor of this my Last Will
and testament with Codicil
attached - This 26 day of May 1890

William Clayton

Signed declared and published
by William Clayton to be a
Codicil to his Last Will and
testament in the presence of
us the Subscribers who Signed
our names thereto in the presence
of Said testator at his instance
and request and in the presence
of each other the Signing in
one presence and the Signing in
his presence

Burrell C McHenry
David J Allman
Hugh Edmundson

Signed
Lemuel Corbitt J E M Coleman
do Swear that I was
present and saw Samuel McColeman and
E C Illingsworth See the within named
William Clayton Sign and publish
the within Super as his Last Will
and testament that I Subscribed
the Same as a witness thereto at
the Said instance and request of
the Said William Clayton and in
his presence as did also Samuel
McColeman and E Illingsworth that
the Said William Clayton Signed

The Same freely and Voluntarily
and this at the time of Such
Signing & Sound and disposing
Mind and Memory that Jennie
Mc Coleman one of the Subscribing
Witnesses is now dead and that
I am well acquainted with her
Handwriting and Signature that
the Signature to Said Will is her
true and genuine Signature
Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this September 1st 1890.
A McJohnson
Ordinary

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who Sworn that I as
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William Clayton Sign and Pub-lish
the Within Paper as his last Will
and Testament that I Signed and
Subscribed the Same as a witness
thereto at the Special instance
and request of the Said William
Clayton and in his presence as
Said also Jennie Mc Coleman and
E M Coleman that the Said William
Clayton Signed the Same freely
and Voluntarily and this at the
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of said County do hereby certify that I
know all the parties to the within
Will and Testament and that I
am not related to any of them
Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this Sept 1st 1890
A M Johnson
Ordinary

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Gilmer County } of said County do hereby
certify that I know all the parties to the within
Will and Testament and that I am not related to any of them
Sworn to and Subscribed before me this Sept 1st 1890
A M Johnson
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Gilmer County } of said County do hereby certify that I know all the parties to the within

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Sound and disposing mind and
memory
Sworn to and Subscribed
before me this September
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A Allen Johnston
Ordinary

Gilmer County } G H Edmundson dv
Sarah Hunt sworn
B C McClain and D J
Allen sworn the within named
William Clayton Sign and publish
the within paper as a Codicil to
his last Will and testament that
I Subscribed the Same as a witness
thereto at the Special instance and
request of the Said William Clayton
and in his presence as did also
B C McClain and D. J. Allen that
the Said William Clayton Signed
the Same freely and voluntarily
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A Allen Johnston
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Will and Testament with the Codicil
thereto of Said deceased and be
admitted to record as Such and
it further ordered that Letters
Testamentary issue to the Said
Stephen G Clayton the Executor
named in Said Will upon his taking
the Oath required by
This 1st day of September 1890

A McJohnson
Ordinary

Georgia
Gilmer County

Personally came before me Stephen G Clayton
who Solemnly Swears
that this Writing contains the true
Last Will of that within named
William Clayton deceased So far
as I know or believe and that
I will well and truly execute the
Same in accordance with the Laws
of Said State So help me God

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me
This Sept 1st 1890
A McJohnson
Ordinary

Stephen G Clayton

Georgia upon hearing the
Gilmer County petition of Stephen C
Clayton for the
probate in Solemn form of the
paper propounded by him as the
last Will and testament and Codicil
thereto of William Clayton late
of Said County deceased and for
its admission of record as Said
and it appearing that Millison Clayton
L. H. Clayton Allinson Clayton J. S.
S. Clayton Georgia A. Forister
Anthony West Lou. C. Clayton guardian
-dian and litem for Hugh Clayton
John Clayton Arthur Clayton Benj
Clayton and Malcombe Clayton
and William Southern and Olive
Southern guardian for Sandy Southern
Adaline Southern and Felonia Southern
Heirs at Law of Said deceased have
had legal notice of Said application
and the time of hearing and have
failed to Show Cause why Said
paper Should not be proven in Solemn
admitted to record as the last Will
and testament with Codicil thereto
of Said deceased
It is therefore ordered and adjudged
by the Court upon the proof of Said
Will by Elias Coleman and E. C.
Marshall two of the Subscribing
witnesses to Said Will and upon
the proof of E. W. Coleman that
Jennie Mc Coleman one of the
Subscribing witnesses thereto is
dead and that the Known the
Signature of Said Jennie Mc
Coleman and that the Signature



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In the name of God Amen
I Christiane M Kelly of Lisburne
County Antrim Spinster and this present
month and Common and Saving Decisions of
Settling my worldly affairs do make and
publish this my last Will and Testament
hereby revoking all Wills Testamentary
and Testamentary Writings by me at any time
heretofore made and I desire
to be decent Christian Burial and that all
my worldly effects be disposed of as here-
after directed

First- That all my just debts and all Funeral expenses be
paid by my Executors hereinafter named out
of the money arising from my personal property
in the Possession of my Executors and
that in their discretion they may sell my
personal property at Private Sale or Auc-
tion for these purposes I will
further direct that the remainder and
residue of my personal Estate not
disposed of as hereinafter directed

Second- I give to my wife Sarah Margaret
Kelly (out of moneys due to me
by Executors) all my personal property
wherever and whatever and the rest of my
Estate for her own benefit for
Sufficient for Debts funeral expenses
All buildings thereon which shall include
the Range Fireboxes and Pockets of Steel
Steam Connections of the Engine and
Boiler as now in the Occupation
of Robert Kelly in Lisnagarvey
that which shall in no way Affect my
right title or interest in Steel Steam
Engine which may Pass to my Executors
for my own benefit in consideration thereof

I give

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Freehold which wise Shall be only for
and during her Widowed Life or Widow-
-hood and upon the Inheritance
thereof wise as aforesaid Shall im-
-mediately Cease. And it is further
the true Will & Testator that the
rest aforesaid Shall be in like
Power in Twelve Months Suffered
which might be Claimed by any Said
Wife after my decease. And I further
Will and declare that wise aforesaid Shall
by my Wife Shall not interfere or effect
any Sale Lease or Contract of any Lots of
Land for the purpose of digging out and
removing any Mineral or Fossil
Substance Stone or other Deposits
used in the Mechanical or useful arts
with rights of Way Water and Timber-
-liges with Necessary Powers
for building and Machinery for
used in Operating My Same which for
My Lifetime in the Executors after my
decease Shall So Sell Lease or remove
in accordance with the above Terms
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dispose of my mineral Fossil and
Stone deposits on any Said Lots of
Land or Lease my Widow Power of Them
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of my Wife a Majority of my Sons by
Without Will will or Children my Inter-
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Lease Agreement or Sell or Mineral Fossil
Stone and other Valuable Deposits
upon Such Time Terms Conditions
with Price either Absolute or
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adventurous to my Estate I shall the proceeds of Sale of rentals ~~Leasings~~ Leasings or Sales that may be made Same or in my Reference I dont by Some Officer Appointed of certain Death and my Estate rentals Leasings or Sales that may be made by my Executors in the Manner Referred which may be made prior to the death or intermarriage of my Sweet Wife the proceeds thereof until the proceeds after Said Shall be divided among my Heirs Mary Ellen Selected to Share in my Estate and Bondsmen to the Same proceeds of distribution

Item III

To the Pigeon of my deceased Son Dolk Holt Children Shall equal Said I Give the Sum of Ten Dollars if Living at the Time Shall the Said ~~Trust~~ Share in my Estate or my part thereof

Item IV

To my Sons Robt H Holt Samuel D Holt Wesley L Holt Robert E Holt Benj Holt Marcus Holt N L Holt & Lucius Holt Adolphus Holt and the Heirs of my deceased Son Thomas Holt and my Daughters Mary Elizabeth Amelia Sarah Quinton Nancy and Emaline Holt and Matilda Holt an equal distribution and division in the proceeds Named in Said Division

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To my Sons Robt H Holt Samuel D Holt Wesley L Holt Robert E Holt Benj Holt Marcus Holt N L Holt & Lucius Holt Adolphus Holt and the Heirs of my deceased Son Thomas Holt and my Daughters Mary Elizabeth Amelia Sarah Quinton Nancy and Emaline Holt and Matilda Holt an equal distribution and division in the proceeds Named in Said Division of all my Estate real and personal after the death of

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Estate and the
proceeds thereof
shall be kept
separate & apart by
itself & not mixed
with the assets
proceeds or
property of my
former referred to
Section in the death
of Sarah Holt
until the proceeds
shall be ascertained
and selected to
which the provisions
of distribution

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Holt without issue
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Section and
proceeds thereof in
Trust for such
distribution
proceeds of the
real or Estate and
the death or

intermarriage of my Widow to the exclusion
of all other persons whomsoever and
until the proviso that if any my
Sons or Daughters should die
leaving issue such issue shall
receive the distributive
portion of my Estate as such deceased
Son or Daughter would have received
aforesaid should have attained
the Age of in this Item Shall be
equally divided among the Survivors
Sons and Daughters or their
issue as aforesaid distributees in
this Item If being my Will and
intention that none but my
direct descendants should
Share in my Estate remaining
undisposed of by this Item
and Expressly Provided & Will
to and by Virtually more particularly

Sixth Upon the death or intermarriage
of my wife Sarah as aforesaid
I direct that the residue
and proceeds of my real estate
me my Executors hereafter named
or the Survivors
private Sale or at public outcry
without any order of Court and to
divide all my real Estate remaining
in them or Trust among the lawful
descendants named in the Fifth Item
of this Will. Provided the Same shall
be done Substantially & the distribu-
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Last will and testament of Thomas Shull deceased

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Shull of the County of Allen and State of Ohio being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this life and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and to dispose of such property as it has pleased God to bless me with do make publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

First I will that my body be decently buried in a christian like manner at the discretion of my executors hereinafter named and that my funeral expenses and my just debts be paid by my executors hereinafter named as soon after my decease as conveniently may be

Second I give devise and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Shull the following described real estate situate in the County of Allen and State of Ohio to wit Commencing at a stone in the center of the Bluffton and Elida road at the corner of lands owned by Jacob Hoffman thence north along said road to the corner of lands owned by Jacob Hoffman thence west along said Hoffman's line to the corner of lands owned by Jacob Hoffman thence south along said Hoffman's line to the center of the Bluffton and Elida road thence east along the center of said road to the place of beginning containing forty acres more or less also the following described personal property to wit one bay mare named Kate one sorrel mare named Fanny one bay horse named Tom one bay horse named Jim one sorrel horse named Charley one set of double harness one buggy one spring wagon one hay rack one cutting box one grain drill one walking plow one corn coverer one harrow one set of double work harness one set of single work harness one set of buggy harness one corn sheller one grain cradle one mowing machine one hay rake one grindstone one set of blacksmith tools one set of carpenter tools one set of shoemaker tools one cook stove one heating stove one sewing machine one dining table one set of chairs one bureau one bedstead and bedding one lounge one rocking chair one clock one set of dishes one set of knives and forks one set of tinware one set of queensware one set of glassware one set of silverware one set of cooking utensils one set of bedding one set of table linen one set of towels one set of window curtains one set of bed curtains one set of carpets one set of rugs one set of mats one set of oilcloths one set of stair oilcloths one set of stair carpets one set of stair rods one set of bed springs one set of mattresses one set of pillows one set of bolsters one set of pillow cases one set of bed spreads one set of bed blankets one set of bed quilts one set of comforts one set of sheets one set of table cloths one set of napkins

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Y. M. Green
E. M. Matthews
E. W. Craigo

Georgia
Gilmer County

Personally came before me Y. M. Green to
me well known E. M. Matthews and E. W. Craigo Sum
Mr Nathan Yarnell Auslom B Holt
Sign and publish this Writing paper
as his last Will and Testament
that I subscribed the Same as
a Witness thereto at the Special
instance and request of Said
Auslom B Holt and in his pres-
ence we did also E. M Matthews and
E. W Craigo that the Said Auslom
B Holt Signed the Same freely
and voluntarily and Was at the
time of Sign[illegible] Signing of Sound
and disposing Mind & Memory

Y. M. Green

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me June 1st 1891
A. M. Simms ex officio
Notary

Upon the foregoing
petition it is ordered
that the
Subscribing Witness to the foregoing
Will of Auslom B Holt deceased be
& is hereby required to be summoned to
appear at the Superior Court to be held
for said County on the 4th Monday
in June next to testify touching the
Execution of the

but in no event shall the executors
be required to give more than one
certificate under for each sale
made by them under this sale until the
said proceeds have been actually
received by them and all the
interests in the premises hereby
granted have been duly vested
in the purchaser or purchasers thereof
the full intent of which is that
there is no power given to
sell except for cash
Seventh Nicholas Constable and
Robert Scott Robert H. Holt
Robert Holt John M. Holt and Samuel
Holt the executors of this my
last will and testament this Fifth
day of October 1884 in the presence
of
Augustus Holt
Signed sealed and published
by Augustus Holt as his last
will and testament in the presence
of us the subscribing witnesses who
subscribed our names hereto in
the presence of said testator at

his request
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his Instance and request and of each
other the Testator in the presence
and in the Sight of his Friends

J. M. Green
E. W. Mathews
J. W. Craigo

Be it
known that I J. M. Green of
the County of Lincoln Gent
Testator in the Will and Testament
of E. W. Mathews and J. W. Craigo Esquires
the Witnesses named in the Attestation
Clause of the Last Will and Testament
of Auslom B Holt late of the said
County Deceased do hereby make
Oath and say that I was personally
present and did see the said Testator
Auslom B Holt duly sign and execute
the said Will and Testament bearing
date the 15th day of June 1884 and
that the said Testator was at the time
of his so doing of sound mind memory
and understanding to the best of my
knowledge information and belief
And that the Name J. M. Green
subscribed to the Affidavit
of Execution of the said Will
as the Name of the Deponent
is the proper Handwriting
of me this Deponent
And that the Name
Auslom B Holt
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said Testator
And that the Name
E. W. Mathews
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said E. W. Mathews
And that the Name
J. W. Craigo
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said J. W. Craigo
And that the said Will
was executed by the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
in the Presence of
this Deponent and the
said E. W. Mathews
and J. W. Craigo
And that the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
was at the time of
executing the said Will
to the best of this
Deponents knowledge
information and belief
of sound mind memory
and understanding
And that this Deponent
was present and did see
the said Testator
Auslom B Holt
duly sign and execute
the said Will
And that the Name
J. M. Green
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of this Deponent
And that the Name
Auslom B Holt
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said Testator
And that the Name
E. W. Mathews
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said E. W. Mathews
And that the Name
J. W. Craigo
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said J. W. Craigo
And that the said Will
was executed by the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
in the Presence of
this Deponent and the
said E. W. Mathews
and J. W. Craigo
And that the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
was at the time of
executing the said Will
to the best of this
Deponents knowledge
information and belief
of sound mind memory
and understanding
And that this Deponent
was present and did see
the said Testator
Auslom B Holt
duly sign and execute
the said Will
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of this Deponent
And that the Name
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subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said Testator
And that the Name
E. W. Mathews
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said E. W. Mathews
And that the Name
J. W. Craigo
subscribed to the said Will
is the proper Handwriting
of the said J. W. Craigo
And that the said Will
was executed by the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
in the Presence of
this Deponent and the
said E. W. Mathews
and J. W. Craigo
And that the said
Testator Auslom B Holt
was at the time of
executing the said Will
to the best of this
Deponents knowledge
information and belief
of sound mind memory
and understanding

Sworn at and Subscribed
before me June 15th 1891
A Commissioner
Duly Authorized

J. M. Green

Upon the Jurats
Written the Name
J. M. Green
is the Signature
Subscribing Witness
Will of Auslom B Holt
is desired that the Same
be admitted to
Probate as duly proved
Common Form and that Letters
Testamentary issue

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Executors Nuncupative Last Will
& Testament of
Jesse Holt
Deceased

In the Name of God Amen I Jesse Holt of
Johnson County & State of Kentucky
being weak in body but of perfect mind
& memory blessed be Almighty God for
the same do make & ordain this my last
Will & Testament in manner & form
following to wit Imprimis I give & bequeath
my Soul to God who gave it & my body
I commit to the Earth to be decently
buried at the discretion of my Executors
hereafter named & as touching such
worldly estate as it has pleased God to
bless me with in this life I give & dispose
of the same in the following manner &
form I will that all my just debts &
funeral charges be paid & discharged by
my Executors hereafter named as soon
as conveniently may be after my decease
I will that my beloved wife Nancy Holt
have & enjoy all my estate both real &
personal during her natural life or widowhood
& at her decease or marriage I will that
my estate be equally divided between my
children or their heirs I also constitute
& appoint my beloved wife Nancy Holt
& my son Samuel D Holt Executors of
this my last Will & Testament hereby
revoking all former Wills by me made
ratifying & confirming this & no other
to be my last Will & Testament In
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand & affixed my seal this 1st day of
June 1861

Jesse Holt (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published & Declared by the
said Jesse Holt as his last Will & Testament
in the presence of us who at his request
in his presence & in the presence of each
other have hereunto subscribed our names
as witnesses this 1st day of June 1861

W. H. Johnson
Clerk

Robert C Holt
Joshua L Holt
John M Holt
Samuel D Holt

182 = Virginia
Fluvanna County } I Alfred Bishop of
the State and County
aforesaid being of Sound and disposing Mind
and Memory do make this my Last will
and Testament

Item first

I give bequeath and devise to
my dear Wife Anna E. Bishop the House and
Lot on which I now live for and during
her life or Widowhood Should She die
or Marry then Said House and Lot to revert
to and vest in my two Children Jerry
Rolls and Rachel. I also give unto
Aforesaid Wife Said Dear and Said two
Children Annes Rolls and Rachel for
their Maintenance until the youngest
Rachel arrives at the age of Twenty one
years the Sum of Three Hundred and
fifty Dollars annually until Should my Said
Wife Re claim Which Said Rachels Annuity
at the age of Twenty one years Then She
Shall there annually out of the Estate
one Hundred and Twenty five Dollars Which
Said Sums are to be paid out of funds
hereinafter described
This bequest to my Said Wife is given
in Lieu of all Dower

Item Second

I give bequeath and devise
to my Daughter Virginia L Slate the
property on which She now lives
Being the property I bought from Mr L.
Edwards the Same lying in the County
of Whitfield. I also give her the Furni
ture now in her possession I also
give her one Note on John Slate the

Item Third

I give bequeath and devise
to my Son Thomas Slate the two Lots
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and Improve
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Death Then
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Item Fourth

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o make this my Last will

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E. Bishop the House and
g Lot - Lying in will during
natural Life Should She die
Said House and Lot to revert
to my two Children Alfred
&c. I also give and
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s Cloths and Bedding for
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nually will - Should my Said
Wife Said Annuities survive
Twenty one years then She
annually out of the Estate
d Twenty five Dollars which
to be paid out of funds
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- to my Said Wife is given
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e bequeath and devise
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ich She nominates
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Sampleis in the County
also give for the Same
her possession I also
vote on John Shall the

principal of which is eighty five dolla
Jackson Jim and bequeath to him the
Sum of five Hundred dollars out of
my Estate to be paid in money as
Hereinafter pointed out = This bequea
to my Said Daughter Lexington &
Shall Shall be his absolutely for ev
time and at his death to Invest in
and become the property of her Childre

Item Third

I Give bequeath and devise
to my Daughter Kansas Missouri Wood
the two Lots of Land on which She n
lives and lying on the Fayette Road
and Numerous Lots Nos Three and
Twenty Eight in the 11th District and 2
Section of Jackson County also all th
Notes I Hold against Charles N Woolt
also fifty Dollars annually for ten ye
out of my Estate to be paid as hereinafte
pointed out. This bequest is made
my Said Daughter Kansas Missouri in
matter of the Land to be hers during
her lifetime and at her death to vest in
in and become the property of her Chil
and Should She leave no Children at the
death then to revert back and vest in
my Children that may then be living

Item Fourth

I Give bequeath and devise to
my Son Washington L. Bishop the Land
Shall Forever his Residence he now
and which I bought from H J Dunaga
and being part of Lot of Land No
132 - in Sub 11th District and 2nd Sect
of Jackson County

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I also to said Washington C. Bell the Notes that I now hold against him for advancement of our House and the board of himself for three years after this matter, and after the mes doing for himself and the board of himself and this right for Twelve Months are advancements and must and form apart of this bequest.

I also give to said Washington C. the Sum Two Hundred Dollars to be paid out of my Estate as hereinafter Pointed out in money.

Item Fifth-

I Give bequeath and devise to my Son Alfred A. Bishop the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars in Money out of my Estate to be paid hereinafter pointed out. I also give him all the Notes I now Hold against him having already advanced to said Alfred H. the Sum of fifteen Hundred Dollars the same forms a part of this bequest

Item Sixth

I give bequeath and devise to my Son John H. Bishop the Sum of five Hundred dollars to be paid in payments of fifty Dollars annually for a Period of Ten years having already advanced to said John the Sum of eighteen Hundred Dollars the same to be added and made a part of this bequest. said five Hundred Dollars to be paid as hereinafter pointed out

Item Seventh I

To my Son

Item Eighth

To my Son

Item Ninth I

To my Son

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...Said John W the
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...as hereinafter

Item Seventh

I give bequeath and devise to my Son Lafayette L Bishop all the Goods in the Store House - also the Safe and the two Horse wagon and the two mare Mules. I also give my Said Son Lafayette L the Store House and Lot bought from J. Perry Powell Said Lafayette L all by my Wife Louise C Bishop the Sum of One Hundred Dollars annually for fifteen years at which time Said Store House and Lot shall become the absolute property of Said Lafayette L

Item Eighth

I give bequeath and devise to my Son Thomas Edward Bishop the two Town Lots which I bought from W H Foster in the Foster-Sterrett addition lying on the South Side of Cedar River and described in a deed from W H Foster to myself - I also to Said Thomas Edward Lot of Land on Fifty one in the 11th District and 2d Section of Gibson County also five Hundred Dollars in Money to be paid as hereinafter provided to Said Thomas Edward the Sum of five Hundred and fifty Dollars in money the Sum is made to part of this Legacy

Item Ninth

I give bequeath and devise to my Son Lucien C. Bishop the Lot adjoining the one on which Servant

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line and bounded and bounded on
the West by the Public Road North
towards the River and West East of the
West to the Gate in Said yard thence
North in a Straight line to the River
at the Point where D. Farrells property
touches the River thence up the
River to the bridge thence with the
front fence to Said yard fence
Enclosing Said Lot
The Sum of Thousand Dollars in
money to be paid as hereinafter
pointed out

Item Tenth

I give bequeath and devise
to my Daughter Mary Elizabeth Finally
the House and Lot on which She now
lives also the vacant Lot North
of the Burial & Cole property and East
of the Dalton Street also the House
and Lot on which Mr Phelps
lives also a vacant Lot one
Hundred and Ten feet Long just South
of the new brick Dwelling and East of
the property Coleman bought from
Mrs Randall also a Strip of
land fifty feet wide extending
to the Long property and lying
East of the first above mentioned
property with West of the Road Said
to D. F. Nunnheels. Said devised
property to be the property
Said Daughter Mary Elizabeth during
her Life time and at her death to
be Common the property of her Children
and Should She die without Children
Then Said property to revert

Item Eleventh

I give bequeath and devise
to my Daughter Mary Elizabeth during
her Life time and at her death to
be Common the property of her Children
and Should She die without Children
Then Said property to revert

Item Twelfth

I give bequeath and devise
to my Daughter Mary Elizabeth during
her Life time and at her death to
be Common the property of her Children
and Should She die without Children
Then Said property to revert

Item Thirteenth

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to my Daughter Mary Elizabeth during
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and Should She die without Children
Then Said property to revert

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...Real without restriction
...Said property Seventh

Item Eleventh

I give Legacy and devise to my Son James Rodgers the Sum Educated for Seven Years Maintenance as he may choose and after he has arrived at the age of Twenty one years the Sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid as hereinafter directed

Item Twelfth

I give Legacy and devise to my Daughter Rachel Bishop after She has been educated in Such Manner as She chooses and after She has arrived at the age of Twenty one years the Sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid as hereinafter directed

Item Thirteenth

I give Legacy and devise to my Brother the Sum of Twenty five Dollars

Item Fourteenth

I desire that all my Debts be Collected by my Executors hereinafter named and that all my Book Accounts of the Store be Collected and that the Notes I Have on C & E Humphreys be collected As soon as Long as Needful be deemed Prudent and then Collected and that all the

Money arising from the Collection
of the Notes and accounts to be put
at interest in some Safe manner
until Allen Syed shall be Collected
that my Daughter Araminta L Slut
and Ephraim Dickson Hoole shall
Have money collected Item in items
Second and Third and Thirty Sons
Washington C. Alfred D. John H.
Thomas Edward and Lenthen E Bishop
be paid the money collected Item-
in items fourth fifth Sixth
eighth and Ninth

Item fifteenth

I desire that the
remainder of my money so Collected
be put at interest until their ma-
jority & be paid the Sum
of three Hundred and fifty dollars
annually from Said Item till
Allen shall Become of age and then
that Said be paid the Sum of
one Hundred and seventy five
dollars annually and When my
two Children James Colby
and Michael Shall reach the age
of Twenty one years that each
Shall receive out of Said money
So Collected the Sum allotted
in items eleventh and twelfth

Item Sixteenth

I desire at the death
of my Said wife and the receipt
of the age of Twenty one of
my two Children James Colby
and Michael that the remainder

Item Seventeenth

I desire that my
Executors sell my real Estate
if mine not hereafter mentioned
in this Will at private Sale
without applying to the Courts
for will under Vto Sell the Same

Item Eighteenth

I hereby Constitute
and appoint my Son Lafayette L
Bishop with my friend Dr P M
Mathias executors of this my
last Will and Testament
this 7th 24th day of September 1891

A. Bishop

Signed declared and published
by Alfred Bishop as his last
Will and Testament in the Pres-
ence of us the Subscribers who
Subscribed our names hereto in
the presence of said Testator at
his instance and request and
in the presence of each other he
Signing in our presence and
no Signing in his presence

Dr P Johnson
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State of Oregon }
Clatsop County } ss. H. R. Johnson
and H. A. Coe - do Swear
that we and Each of
us Saw the within named A.
Bishop Sign and publish the
within writing as his last Will and
Testament. That we and Each of
us Subscribed the Same as witness
thereto at the Special instance and
request of the Said A. Bishop
and in his presence and also
Each of us to wit H. R. Johnson
& C Welch and H A Coe that
the Said A Bishop Signed Said
Will freely and voluntarily
and was of full time of Said
Signing of Sound and disposing
Mind and Memory.

H. R. Johnson
H. Welch
H A. Coe

Sworn and Subscribed before me this 2nd day of November 1891

A. M. Johnson
Notary Public

State of Oregon }
Clatsop County } ss. Upon the Hearing of the petition of Lafayette L Bishop and the Witnesses for the petitioner appearing from the petition and testimony of said witnesses taken in open Court it is ordered and decreed and I do hereby order and decree that the Said instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of A. Bishop late of said County deceased and for its admission to record as Such and disposing of the real and personal estate of Said deceased in accordance with the prayer of Said petition and that Lafayette L Bishop James C Bishop and Mitchell Bishop

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Alfred D. Bishop Thomas Edward
Bishop Annie L Jenkins & her
Guardian ad Litem Charles E. Jenkins
H C Bishop and John H. Bishop
the Heirs at Law of Said deceased
Figure Send Legal Notice of Said
application and Hearing of Said
and Said Executors Should not
Legal and Sufficient Cause why
Said Paper Should not be
proven and admitted to Record
as the Last Will and Testament
of Said deceased

It is Therefore ordered and
adjudged by the Court upon the
proof of Said Will by all the
Witnesses to Said Will that the
Same be Set up as the Last
Will and Testament of Said
deceased and be admitted to
Record as Such. And it is
further Ordered that Letters
Testamentary issue to Said
Lafayette L Bishop Said Ex-
ecutors Residing in Greenlich as
Executor of Said Last Will and
Testament of one of the Executors
named in Said Will upon
the with Seing Sureties Shown
as required by Law
This 9th day of November 1891
H. R. Johnson
Judge

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Georgia Bibb County

By Letters of Administration
Bishop de Bonis
Sworn that this
writing contains the last will
and testament of Thirza Bishop
late of said County deceased so
far as he knows or believes and
that he will well and truly Exe-
cute the same in accordance
with the Laws of this State
so help him God
Sworn to and subscribed L. L. Bishop
before me this 22nd 1891
A. M. Johnson
Ordinary

Georgia
Bibb County

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Testament
Item 1st G
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be Sold and
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Signed & Endorsed B. Anderson &
Sibley County } Said State and County being
of Sound and disposing mind
and Memory do Make Ordain and
Declare this my Last Will and
Testament
Item 1st I Give bequeath and devise to my
Wife Mrs. Ann E. Anderson the following
described Real Estate and Lots and Parts of Lots of Land
Nos - Eleven (11) - Twelve (12) - Thirteen (13) - Fourteen (14)
and Twenty five (25) in the 5th District of
2d Section of Said County Said Lands including
the Farm and Residence Thereon I Give
Said Wife from all Charge or Limitation
Whatever for her proper Care Support and
Support of Said Wife in Lieu of her Widow's
Said Wife in Lieu of her Widow's
Share Absolute Control and ownership
of the Same during her Life time or Widowhood

Item 2d

I also give bequeath and devise
to my Wife Mrs. Ann E. Anderson all of my
Property and effects that I may possess at
the time of my decease for her use and ben-
-efit during her Natural Life or Widowhood

Item 3d

I give bequeath and devise to my
Daughter Elizabeth Anderson Two Hundred
Dollars first out of my Estate for her support
and Support and also that She Share Equal
with the Balance of the Heirs in the remainder
of the Estate

Item 4th

I will that all the Conditions of
this above be carried out that my Estate
be Sold and divided Equally among my Heirs
Then

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Item 5th I hereby Constitute and appoint my Two Sons (Willis) C Anderson and Thomas M Anderson Executors of this my Last Will and Testament This the first day of March 1889

E B Anderson

Signed Declared and Published by Eulsby B Anderson as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us the undersigned Who Subscribed our Names hereto in the presence of Said Testator at his request and of Each other he Signing in our presence and we Signing in his presence

J W Ralston
M Churchwell
J. Hargood
minister

Logan Co
Simon County } J W Ralston do Swear

That I was well acquainted with M Churchwell and J W Hargood Saw the within Named Eulsby B Anderson Sign and Publish the within Paper as his Last Will and Testament That at Said Time he was of Sound Mind and Memory and Not Under any Restraint as I Believe and that I Subscribed my Name as a Witness thereto at the Request of the Testator and in his Presence and that M Churchwell and J W Hargood Saw Each other Subscribe their Names as Witnesses thereto in the Presence of Said Testator and of Each other

J W Ralston

Sworn to and Subscribed before me September 4th 1889
A M Johnson
Ordinary

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Simon Co

Solemnly
testing
Will
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Sworn to and
before me
A M Johns
Or

Georgia
Fulton County

Personally came before me James McAuliffe and C. C. Anderson who being duly sworn say that the foregoing instrument writing contains the true last will and testament of Thomas B. Anderson deceased so far as we have been able to ascertain the same after diligent search and inquiry and that we believe the same contains the whole of said last will and testament so far as we have been able to ascertain

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April 1893

James McAuliffe
C. C. Anderson

A. McJohnson
Ordinary

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...ntitled and appointed ...
... Anderson and James ...
... of this my Last Will ...
... first day of March 1889

T. B. Anderson

Published by Enoch ...
... last Will and Testament ...
the undersigned who ...
hereto in the presence ...
... request ...
... ing in our presence ...
presence

J. W. Ralston
M. Chastain J.P.
J. White good
... M.D.

... Testator do ... Same
... as Mr. Chastain and ...
... within named Enoch ...
... publish the within paper ...
... his Last Will & Testament ...
... thereunto up the Same ...
... of said Enoch B. ...
... manner as did also ...
... I would that the said ...
... sign the same for ...
... us at the time & ...
... subscribing witness and ...

J. W. Ralston

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In the Name of God Amen

I Joseph Pickett being of Sound and
disposing Mind do make and publish this my last
Will and Testament

Item 1st I desire that my body be buried in
a christian Manner decitable to my circumstances my
Soul I commit to God who gave it

Item 2d I give and bequeath to my Wife Amanda
Pickett all the property Real and personal
which I stand possessed of Blessed me with upon
paying my debts to be first done during her natural
life after her death to be distributed as hereinafter
provided

Item 3d I do give unto my wife Amanda
Pickett I give and bequeath to my daughter Missouri
Hyde and her bodily Heirs the following described
Lands viz Part of Lot No 320 - 11th list 2d Sec
Sussex County Del Commencing at North West
Corner of said Lot running South 110 poles to Pickt
Road thence said line Crosses said Road
thence East said Hollow to branch thence branch
to Road to Mill Creek thence East said Road to
Allejo Road thence Straight line across said Road to
poplar Tree marked Straight North 60 degrees line
thence North said line to Corner thence West line to
Commencing Containing one Hundred acres more
or less

Item 4 I give and bequeath to J C Pickett Son
of William M Pickett deceased my Son Lot of Land
No 140 - 26 - list 2d Section Sussex County
Georgia

Item 5th I desire that Amanda Pickett the
said Executrix Retain Dower of the State of Georgia
and by this purpose Strike out Hundred Dollars
for her support and rest until she is Sev

Item 6 Each of Daniel daughters
already received in advance

Item 7th I do
Pickett desire
Father Land and
ded between my
Pickett
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Lastly Heirs of

Item 8 I Constitu
Pickett Executor
Superintendent
Amanda Pickett
and Testamen
ding.

Signed
Will and Testamen
in Presence
J P Clowney
Jno H Hyers
J H Taylor

Georgia
Sussex County
Pickett Sign
last Will and Testam
in Witness Thereto
of the said Joseph Pic
said Joseph Pickett
Sound and disposing
the same freely and

Item 7th At the death of my Wife Caroline Amanda du Pickett I desire that all my Personal Estate both Real and personal be Sold and Equally divided between my three Heirs Josephine L Dennis Dudley Pickett Caroline Amanda Pickett Joseph Pickett Columbus Pickett and Lydia Rees of Emerette Cook

Item 8th I Constitute and appoint my Son Dudley Pickett Executor of this my last Will and Testament Superintendent Whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand and Seal this 7th day of October 1869

Joseph Pickett

Signed Sealed and Published as my last Will and Testament in presence of

J P Donegan
J R Hicks
J W Taylor

Virginia }
Gilmer County } ss

I J P Donegan a Notary Public in and for said County and State aforesaid do hereby certify that Joseph Pickett Signed and Published the within Deed as his last Will and Testament that he Signed the Same as Witness thereto at the Special Instance and Request of the said Joseph Pickett and in his presence that the said Joseph Pickett was at the Time of such Signing of Sound and disposing mind and memory and Signed the Same freely and voluntarily

Sworn to and Subscribed before me December 14 1893

J P Donegan

All Johnson
Recorder

J R Hicks
J W Taylor

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State of Virginia
Gilmer County } I, Jennie J. Walton a Said State and County being of Sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament

Item First after the Payment of all my just debts I give bequeath and devise to my Son Ralph all my property both real and personal of kind and discription

Item Second- I hereby Constitute and appoint my Father Jesse J. Garrett and my Sister Ollie M. Garrett Executors of this my last Will and Testament and hereby Constitute and appoint my Father the Said Jesse J. Garrett and my Sister the Said Ollie M. Garrett Guardians of my minor Son Ralph This February 28 1894

Jennie J. Walton

Signed declared and Published by Jennie J. Walton as her last Will and Testament in the presence of Each of us who at the Subscribers Where Subscribed our names thereto in the presence of Said Testatrix at her instance and Request and of Each other who the signing in our presence and the signing in her presence
This February 28 1894

W. A. Cox
J. P. Cobb
J. B. Garrett

State of
Gilmer County } I, John P. Cobb and William A. Cox Do hereby certify that we Jesse J. Garrett in the Testatrix Named in the Within Instrument Attested and Signed and Published the Within Paper as her Last Will and Testament that we Subscribed the Same as witnesses thereto at the Special instance and Request of the Said Jennie J. Walton in her presence as Said there we Do Certify that the Said Jennie J. Walton Signed the Same at the Same Time and Voluntarily as Her act and deed

Jesse J. Garrett
and Witness
Jennie J. Walton
to this Instrument
Acknowledged before me this 28th day of February 1894
W. H. Johnson
Notary Public

State of
Gilmer County } 3/16
The within Will
Jesse J. Garrett
Executor
Testing and
and Same
by Said
Committed
said Will

State of
Gilmer County } I, W. H. Johnson a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid do certify that the within Will and Testament of Jennie J. Walton deceased was this day produced before me and duly proved by the oaths of John P. Cobb and William A. Cox two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded
Given under my hand this 25th day of March 1894
W. H. Johnson
Notary Public

Such Signing & Sound in Witnessing Mint
and Minnie
W A Cobb
J D Cobb

Sworn to and Subscribed
before this 25 day of May 1894
W M Johnson
Ordinary

upon the forgoing affidavits of W A Cobb and
John D Cobb - It Is Ordered by the Subscribing
Witness to the Within Will of Hannie J Fulton
deceased it is Ordered by the Court that Said
Will be admitted to Record as Such Testamentary
proven in common form and it is further
Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue to
Jesse J Jarrett and Mattie W Jarrett the
Executors named in Said Will upon their
Taking the Oath prescribed by Law
and Giving the bond as Executors as required
by Law Said Executors Having been
Nominated as Such by the Testator in the
Said Will This May 25th 1894
W M Johnson
Ordinary

Georgia
Gilmer County } Jesse J Jarrett and Mattie W
Jarrett do Solemnly Swear that
the Within Writing contains the true Last
Will and Testament of the Within named Hannie
J Fulton deceased So far as they know or
believe and that the Within Will and Last Tes-
tament the Same is in writing under the
Laws of this State So help them God
Mattie W Jarrett
Jesse J Jarrett

Sworn to and Subscribed
before me May 25th 1894
W M Johnson
Ordinary

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Virginia
Gilmer County } I L M Brewer of said State
and County being of sound
disposing mind and Memory
do Make this my last Will
and Testament

Item 1st I Give and devise my Wife Maggie
during the
Term of her Natural Life or Widowhood the House
Where I now Live the Same being Lots
No 19 & 20 of the first Survey of said Town for
the use provided that Such use shall cease
and determine as to my Son Hunt during his Minority
and as to my Daughters Louise and Sallie during
the time they or either of them Shall remain
Single and at the said Home with my said
Wife. At the death or intermarriage of my
said wife and the attainment of Majority of
by my minor children then the said House
to be disposed of as hereafter provided by
my Executor hereafter Named

Item 2nd I Give and bequeath to C Speicil
Legacy of my Son Louis B Brewer My Gold

Item 3rd I Will that my live Stock & Farm ut
the time of my death together with my other
personal Property and Effects as after
Shall remain for the use & Support
aforesaid as hereinafter provided in Item 1st
of this Will provided that Should either
Son or both my daughters hereinafter
Named [illegible] from my Widow
is authorized to give them or either of
them Such Household & Kitchen Furniture as
may desire or think Sufficient
Change not then or them. And my other
Personal & Household Effects
remaining after the death or intermarriage

Item 4th I direct that my
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by my Exec

Item 5th Being the
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County
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