Probate Court

Franklin County &c

We John Gray & Joseph Gray of Franklin County do hereby certify that on the 27th Day of November 1813 a Paper Writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Richard Bennett late of said County deceased was produced in Court and proved by the Oaths of Thomas Dick & Jonathan Gray and the Oath of Joshua Bennett to be the Hand Writing of the Testator and they are well acquainted with the Hand Writing of the Testator and believe the said Writing & Name thereto subscribed to be wholly written in the proper Handwriting of the said Deceased and that the said Paper ought to be received as the last Will and Testament of the said Richard Bennett Decd

On the Petition of Margaret Bennett the Executrix therein named & the said Will & Testament in and Dan & Franklin the Executors therein named & the Sufficiency being duly sworn, entering into and acknowledging a Bond in the Penalty of Thirty Four Thousand Dollars conditioned according to Law and the said Executors being duly qualified for obtaining Probate of the said Will in due Form of Law &c.

Test

John Gray Jr. Clk of the Probate Ct
Franklin County

Last Will & Testament
of
Richard Mc Simberlake
Dec

In the Name of God Amen I Richard Mc Simberlake of the County of Franklin being advanced in Years but of sound Mind & Memory do make this my last Will. Imprimis I will that my Executors hereinafter named shall pay all my

[illegible] upon such part as they are the principal property of my Estate shall think but my Land at White Bluff containing One Hundred and twenty Acres it may also be sold for the Payment of my Debts but I hope that enough to pay all my Debts then that she sell such other Property as she can best spare & make other satisfactory Arrangements for the Payment of the Balance Debt

Secondly = My Will is that my Wife Keep and care for all the Balance of my Estate for her own Support and the raising and Support of my Children and that she make such Advances as she think right & the Children arising from it being my Will that at her Death whatever Estate may be left shall be equally distributed among all my Children or their Descendants

Lastly = I appoint my Wife Sarah and the Brother Richard A. Timberlake Executors of this my last Will.

In Witness my Hand and Seal this Seventh Day of September 1843.

Richd M. S. Timberlake (Seal)

B The Interlining was made before signing & Sealing

C. J. Hunter
J. T. Hamilton
Wash. T. Pugh

The State of Ala

At a Court held for the County of Tuscaloosa on Monday the 27th Day of February 1843. The last Will and Testament of Richard R. S. Timberlake dec'd was produced in Court & proven by the Oaths of C. J. Hunter and J. T. Hamilton the Subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Richard A. Timberlake one of the Executors in the said Will named having renounced his right to qualify as Executor in the said Will the other Executor Sarah Timberlake the Executrix in the said Will named who being first sworn to the same Richard A. Timberlake Duncan Timberlake Jr. George W. Timberlake & Wm. Timberlake the Sureties therein & at their Request & at their Instance entered into and acknowledged their Bond in the Penalty of Twenty thousand Dollars conditioned according to law & the Provisions of the Statute in such case made & provided for obtaining Letters Testamentary thereon

Ordered that C. J. Hunter, John W. Pugh, Thomas Kennedy and Sol. Thompson or any three of them Appraisers

W. C. Hamilton
J. T. Hamilton
Wash. T. Pope

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State of Georgia
Clarke County

Be it remembered that at the County Court held for the County aforesaid on Monday the 27th day of February in the year 1843 The Last Will and Testament of Richard Tinsley deceased was produced in open Court and proven by the oaths of W. C. Hamilton and J. T. Hamilton the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Richard D. Tinsley being the executor in the said last will and testament named having renounced his right to qualify as executor named in the said last will. On the motion of Sarah Tinsley the executrix in the said last will named who being duly sworn to execute said Richard D. Tinsley Dunn Tinsley Jr. Geo. W. Tinsley and Wm. D. Tinsley the surviving executors thereof do qualify as executors according to law and the Ordinary of Hancock County Thomas Holton and Wm. Dunn Tinsley their securities in the sum of Twenty thousand dollars conditioned according to law.

Ordered that W. C. Hamilton, John W. Pope, Thomas Kennedy and Sol. Thurmond any three of them be appointed and sworn to appraise the slaves, stock and other personal estate of Richard D. Tinsley deceased according to the Respective bills of sale.

Test
John Hay Clerk (the County Court)
Clarke County

Inventory & Appraisement of the Personal Estate of John Hoggins Decd.

A List of the Appraisement of the Personal Estate of John Hoggins Decd. the 30th day of June 1841

1 Bay Mare Sold $200 Cash $8.50 Allowance Due $3.00	$ 6 50
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