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State of Georgia
Newton County

In the name of God Amen
I William Blake of said State and
county knowing the uncertainty of life deem it right and
such as respects my family and myself that I should make
a disposition of the property which it has pleased me has
blessed me. I do therefore make this my last will and
testament hereby revoking and annulling all others by me
heretofore made

First I assign and direct that all my just debts
be paid by my Executor hereinafter named and appointed

Second I will and bequeath unto my beloved
wife Rebekka all my property both real and personal
during her natural life or widowhood or until my youngest
child becomes of age allowing her a child's part of my
entire estate when the youngest child becomes of age

Third But in the event of her marrying before my
youngest child becomes of age my property then to fall
into the hands of my Executor and that they may have full
control of my entire estate to act in the premises as they
think proper for the benefit of my heirs

Fourthly I hereby institute and appoint my
friends Isa Camp and Theophilus Simmerton Executors of this my
last will and testament this 6th day of August 1869.

William Blake (LS)

Signed Sealed by William Blake as his last will
and testament in the presence of us the undersigned
who subscribe our names hereunto in the presence of
said testator and of each other and in the presence of each
other this August 6th 1869.

William H Camp
Theophilus Simmerton
James D Steell
Wm R Paget

Georgia
Newton County } Court of Ordinary in vacation
May 21st 1866

In vacation personally appeared Wm R Paget who
being duly sworn deposeth and says that he subscribed the
within will as a witness & saw Theophilus Simmerton and James
D. Steell do the same — that he saw William Blake the testator
sign seal publish and declare the same to be his last will
and testament and that at the time of said signing reading
publishing and declaring the said William Blake, in the
opinion of deponent was of sound disposing mind and memory
and that he executed the same freely and without com-
pulsion so far as he knows or believes, and that they sub-
scribed in the presence of the testator and of each other

Sworn to & subscribed
before me May 21st 1866
Wm D Luckie
Ordy

Wm R Paget

Georgia
Newton County } I do solemnly swear that this writing con-
tains the true last will of the within
named William Blake 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