

Newton County

We John f Adams and James M Adams of the State and County aforesaid being of sound mind and memory but knowing that all men are mortal make and cause this our last will and testament

First It is our will and desire for our just debt to be paid Secondly It is our will and desire that our brother William Adams shall have three negroes namely Henry a man Spence a boy Julia a girl and one half of our purchased property and money and we further with our desire that our sister Martha do devise to children Sally, Andrew, Martha and the other half of our purchased property and money. We also include the money coming to us from our father's estate in the above second item.

Thirdly. It is our will and desire if either of us should die the other one shall receive all the above property named in our will.

Fourthly. We hereby appoint William Adams and Samuel f Marks our Executors of this our last will and testament In witness whereof we have hereunto affixed our seals signed our names thus publishing and declaring this to be our last will and testament

October the 16th 1861

In presence of

N. f Shingler

Thomas D. ^{my} TerrellGeorge D. ^{mark} WaysJohn f Adams 
James M Adams 

Georgia

Newton County

Court of Oramony October 6th 1862

In open Court personally appeared Thomas D Terrell who being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he subscribed the above and foregoing will as a witness by making his mark - that he saw James M Adams sign the same and publish the same as his last will and testament - That at the time of said signing and publication the said James M Adams in the opinion of deponent was of sound and disposing mind and memory and that he executed the same freely and without compulsion so far as he knows or

before - that he saw J. of Humber & George D. Hays
 sign the same as witnesses & that they all signed in
 the presence of the devisor and of said other
 Thomas D. Jones.
 sworn to and substantiated in open Court Oct 6th 1862.
 Wm. Q. Luskie Attorney

Examined to record at October Term 1863 as the last
 will and testament of James M. James deceased.
 Wm. Q. Luskie Attorney