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State of Georgia
Newton County

Know the name of God Amos Davis of the County of New
a person being in full health and knowing that I must
shortly be absent at night & before both as executor myself &
kindness that I should a disposition of the property with which
a New Providence has blessed me so therefore make this my
last will & testament hereby revoking all others heretofore
made by me

Item first I desire and direct that my body be buried
in a decent and Christian like manner suitable to my own
circumstances & condition in life: my soul I trust shall return
to rest with God who gave it.
Item I do desire & direct that all my just debts be paid
without delay by my executor hereafter appointed

Item I do give and bequeath to my beloved Mother all and
singlar my estate both real and personal of whatever kind
it may be to use and dispose of as she may think best. But
on the happening of certain events that is understood between my
Mother and myself I then request her to carry out my wishes in
that case

Item 4th I hereby constitute and appoint my brother-in-law
Richard King Executor of this my last will & testament
this 14th day of September 1854

Wm M Davis (Test)

Signed sealed declared & published by William M
Davis as his last will & testament in the presence of us
the subscribers who subscribed our names in the presence
of said Testator and of each other this 14th September
1854

J H Murrell
J G Banks
A M Evans

With faith that they saw William M Davis sign seal publish & declare
the within writing to be & contain his last will & testament; and that
at the time of signing the same he was of sound disposing mind &
memory and that he executed the same freely without compulsion or
fear as we know or believe; and that they signed the same as witnesses
the presence of the Testator & of each other
Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 30th day of October
1854

Wm D Luckie Clergy

J H Murrell

J G Banks

A M Evans

Attest to above October Term 1854
Wm D Luckie Clergy

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Personally came into open Court
Joseph H Murrell, Albert G Banks
& Augustin M Evans the subscribers witnesses to
the within will and after being duly sworn depose

Georgia
 Newton County } Court of Chancery
 Mr J. Thomas John M. Leffew who being duly sworn do
 depose & testify that they subscribed the within Will as well
 the same, and that they saw Joel M. Leffew the testator sign
 the same, and publish the same as his last Will and tes-
 tament - and that at the time of the said signing and
 publication of the same the said Joel M. Leffew in the
 opinion of deponents was of sound and disposing mind
 and memory & that he executed the same freely and without
 compulsion so far as they know or believe. And that they
 subscribed the same in the presence of the testator & in
 the presence of each other
 Given to & subscribed
 before me this tenth day
 of August, 1855
 Wm D. Luckie Clerk

J. G. Hurlay
 W. J. Thomas
 J. M. Leffew

Admitted to record August term, 1855
 Wm D. Luckie Clerk