

Georgia
Baker County { By The Honorable the Ordinary of said County—
to all whom these presents shall come. Greeting
Know ye, that on the second day of December in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-
seven (1867) the last will and Testament of William
Bailey of said County, deceased, was exhibited in open court
and in common form of law, proved and admitted to Record,
a copy of which is herewith annexed; and administration of all
and singular the Goods, Chattels, Credit, Lands and Tenements
of said deceased was granted to Benjamin Bailey. The Executor
in and by said Will named and appointed. Having first taken
the oath and performed all other requests required by law of him,
by order of said Court and by virtue of these presents, legally
authorized to administer the Goods, Chattels, Credit, Lands and
Tenements of said deceased, according to the tenor and effect of
said Will and Testament, and according to law, and he is hereby
required to render a true and perfect Inventory of all and sin-
gular the Goods, Chattels, Credit, Lands and Tenements of the
said deceased, appraised and returned to this Court according to
law, and to render a true and correct account to the Ordinary of
said County, of your actings and doings, yearly, until your
administration is fully completed.
In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the
seal of my office. This the 2nd day of December 1867.
W. H. Livingston Ordinary B. C.

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Baker County { I William Bailey of said State, being possessed and entitled
to a valuable Estate in real and personal property and desir-
ing to dispose of the same by Will and Testament, and now being
of sound and disposing mind and memory, and in the enjoy-
ment of good and usual health, do hereby dispose of such estate
as I may have or be entitled to at the time of my death as follows:
Item. 1st It is my wish, that after my death my body may be buried
in christian like manner.
Item. 2nd It is my will and wish that all my just debts be paid by my Executor
herein after to be named as soon as convenient.
Item. 3rd My wife Society Bailey who has been for many years my friend
and companion, for her I desire to provide ample support and
I hereby give and bequeath to her the following property to wit:
all the Household and kitchen furniture I may have, also
two Mules and two or three head of Cattle, fifteen Sheep, one Horse
and Harness, as many farming utensils as she may desire, and
all the above named property to be chosen and selected by her.

Also as much grain and meat as she may think necessary for a comfortable support for twelve months, also fifteen hogs to be selected by her. I also will and bequeath to my said wife five of negroes to be selected and chosen by her also two hundred and fifty acres of Land to be chosen by her of such as I may own at my death. And it is my Will and I hereby declare and appoint my son Benjamin Bailey trustee for my said wife and to manage said property for her comfort and support during her life time, and after the death of my said wife, it is my Will that all of the before mentioned property (except the Household and Kitchen furniture, which she is to manage as she may think proper) to be equally divided among my children if living at that time, or if any of them are dead leaving children a descendant, then to be divided among such. The descendants of each child to be entitled to their parent's share of the same. It is also my Will that the debts, hire, interest and income of such property as I hereby bequeath to my said wife, shall be disposed of and used as he may wish and direct, and my said son Benjamin as trustee as stated shall not be responsible for the forthcoming of any property that may die, of perishable kind, but the same shall be at the disposal and use of my said wife.

Item 4th I hereby will and bequeath to my son Robert W. Bailey Five hundred dollars in money to be paid by my Executor as soon as practicable after my death and the probate of my Will, and it is my Will that my son Robert shall not have any other part of my Estate.

Item 5th It is my Will, and I hereby direct that as soon after my death as is practicable, my Executor herein to be named, shall notify each of my children as may be living, and those who may at the time be dead leaving children or descendants of lawful age, that he will have my said Will proven and admitted to record in the proper courts as soon after the probate of the same as practicable, my said Executor shall designate and appoint a day for the distribution of all my estate both real and personal among my children if living or their descendants if any are dead, and my said Executor shall select two other persons disinterested to value and distribute the same as before stated, and if my children shall fail to aid in the selection of persons to appraise and distribute my estate, then my Executor shall select them himself, and I desire my estate to be divided among my wife and children as soon as convenient, with as little delay and expense as can be. I hereby require my Executor to cause the inventory and

appraisement of my Estate to be made and returned to the proper court as soon as he can do so. It is my will further that my son Burrell A. Bailey is not to have any part of my cattle.

Item 6th

I have heretofore loaned to my daughter Jane Sutton wife of Solomon Sutton of said county - a negro boy named Peter - now in her possession. It is my will that said negro Peter shall be valued and be a part and portion of her interest in my estate to the amount of the said negro's value - and it is my will, and I hereby appoint said Solomon Sutton trustee for my said daughter Jane, and to receive the part of my estate to which his wife may be entitled, and I expressly declare that all the property of whatever kind my said daughter Jane may be entitled shall not be subject to her husband's debts, or to the debt of any future husband she may have; after the death of my said daughter Jane Sutton, then her part of my Estate and increase shall be divided among her children and descendants;

Item 7.

My daughter Elizabeth while in life married John B. Isler, and my said daughter Elizabeth has died leaving children. It is my will that the portion of my estate which would go to my said daughter Elizabeth shall be divided among her children, and such of her children as are married, or of lawful age - shall receive their respective shares of the same, and minors their portions shall be delivered to John B. Isler their father as their trustee for them, and to be paid to them when they or any of them marry or attain to lawful age, and my daughter Elizabeth has grand children and I desire said John B. Isler to act as trustee or Guardian for such minor or Grand children of my said daughter Elizabeth when their parent are dead, such as may be living can receive their portions themselves.

Item 8th

I desire and express that the portion which I give my daughter Jane Sutton shall be for her support during her life.

Item 9.

I hereby appoint my son Benjamin Bailey my Executor to this my last will and Testament, and revoke all other wills heretofore made by me. In witness I hereto set my hand and seal. This 18th August 1864. Wm Bailey (seal)

We the undersigned have signed this above at the request of the testator in his presence, and in the presence of each other. The date and day above written, and saw the testator sign his name as above as he will. Danc. J. Bailey

John Atkinson

G. D. L. Perry

Over

Will of William Bailey

Georgia

Baker County

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
 { last will of the writer named William Bailey deceased,
 as 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.

Benjamin Bailey

Sworn to before me

Dec 2nd 1867

W. W. Livingstone Ordinary

Recorded December 2nd 1867

Thomas Allen clerk

Georgia

Baker County

I Thomas Allen clerk Court Ordinary in and for said County
 { do hereby certify that the above and foregoing contains a
 true copy of the will and testament of William Bailey dec'd
 also a copy of the oath of the Executor, and that the same
 has been proven and admitted to record.

Given under my hand and seal of Office December 3rd 1867

Thomas Allen clk S.C. B.C.