

State of Georgia }
Carroll County } I J V Griffen of the County
and State aforesaid being of
sound and disposing mind and
memory do make and publish this my last will
and Testament- hereby revoking all wills by me
heretofore at any time made

Item 1st- To my wife Aseneth I Griffen I
give and bequeath all my property- both real
and personal of whatever I may at the time
of my death be seized or possessed after the
payment of my just debts said property to
be hers for her own use and benefit during
her lifetime or widow-hood and should she again
marry I want a trustee appointed for her to see
that the said property be not squandered or wasted
during her lifetime and at her death said
property to be equally divided between my three
children viz Thomas M Griffen Lydia M Davis
and William M Griffen.

Item 2^d My said wife
is hereby authorized to sell or dispose of any
of said property as she may think best for
her own benefit

Item 3^d I hereby constitute
and appoint Francis M Fielder of the said County
and State above mentioned Executor of this my
last will and Testament- This December 5th 1873

Signed sealed declared and Published by Joseph V Griffin
 his last will and testament in the presence of us the undersigned
 who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of the testator
 at his special instance and request and in the presence
 of each other this 5th day of December 1874
 S W Voland J R R M Cooke (S) S W Strickland (S)

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the
 true last will and testament of the within named
 J V Griffin deceased so far as I know or believe and
 that I will execute the same in accordance with the
 laws of this State so help me God J M Nielsen
 Sworn to & subscribed before me this 6th day of Sept 1875.
 J B Johann Ordling

Recorded Sept 3rd 1875

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