

Last Will and Testament of James M. Roberts, deceased.

State of Georgia, Carroll County.

I, James M. Roberts, of the County of Carroll and State of Georgia, being ill, of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make and publish this my last will and Testament; hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made.

I hereby constitute and appoint my wife, Marcella, and Robert Roberts to be the executor of this my last will - directing my said executor to pay all my just debts and funeral expenses and the legacies hereinafter given out of my estate.

And, after the payment of my said debts and funeral expenses I give to each of my children - to my son Thomas B. Roberts - One Dollar, having already given him one horse, the dollar to be paid to him after my decease as he desires it.

To my daughters Mary Susan Roberts & Josephine Roberts I bequeath One Head of Cattle, One Head of Cows and Calf, and One Head of Horses to each of my said daughters to be paid to them as they shall marry or become of age.

To my sons Francis Roberts & James B. Roberts I give to each a one-third share of my real estate to be paid to them at the age of twenty years, provided they remain with their mother until they are that age or marry.

And - And for the payment of the legacies aforesaid I give and devise to my said executor with the personal property estate owned by me at my decease my household and kitchen furniture to be

And I do give and give to my said executor all my real estate so long as he shall remain unmarried and my widow. If she survives said estate to be sold and equally divided between my sisters, my said executor first paying out, before any divisions, of my said estate been paid, or on the death of my said executor, my said estate to be sold and after paying

of my Wife and the several years to each, the
practice to my said children and their heirs
respectively where and there abide.

On testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and Seal and published and declared the to
be my last will and testament in the presence
of the persons named above.

Witnessed my hand and seal the 1st day of Aug. 1877 in the year of
our Lord eight hundred and seventy seven.

Tested by
J. M. Robt. (S)

H. H. Williams

L. P. Jones

J. H. Wood, C. P.

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J. P. Brown

Ordinary