

In the name of God Amen

I Alfred Wadell being afflicted in body
But of sound & perfect mind and memory and being
to mind the mortality of the body and that it is
appointed unto all men unto die do this My last
Will in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred & forty eight. make and ordain this my
last Will and Testament in the following manner and
form to wit-

First I give to my beloved wife Mary Ann Davis
my property and my Feather Bed and Furniture belonging
to me during her widowhood and in case she do not survive
during her natural life a negro woman named Phoebe
and at the end of her widowhood or life I wish to be
represented Phoebe and her increase to be equally
divided between my four children namely Mary Ann
William Wadell Alfred and Phoebe

Secondly I give to my Daughter Mary Ann a negro girl named
Phoebe to be care of the Child being afflicted with Cancer
and my youngest child Alfred I wish to be paid for
the said negro girl to be taken by a woman named
Phoebe and her value to be equally divided between
my four children named Phoebe
And in my last Will I wish to be paid for the same

of my brother (lastly and lawfully) and in case I should not have money sufficient to pay them with enough of my personal property sold to pay them.

I also wish my wife (in case she remains a widow) and my children to remain in possession of the balance of my property and to stay together if they can agree until my youngest child Alfred is born or if then I wish all my lands and all other property that may belong to my estate equally divided among my four above named children or if thought best sold for a division.

I hereby Shroudmanize and constitute and appoint my worthy friend Chas. Waddeff sole executor of this my last will and Testament who I wish I case my wife should marry, a man that mistreats my children or in case they cannot agree together to board them out where they will be taken care of. In witness whereof the said Alfred Waddeff the said Testator has hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal. Day and date first above written. Signed in presence of

C. L. Franklin
Witness Silas Cobbs
Benjamin Cason
Chas. Waddeff

Alfred Waddeff

State of Georgia Carroll County } Silas Cobbs of

Last will and Testament of Alfred Waddeff late of said County deceased being produced before me the last will and Testament of said Deceased and there being no Executor that is named in said will residing in this State and the said Silas Cobbs being duly sworn and sworn that he was called upon by said Alfred Waddeff the Testator to witness the Instrument now produced as his last will and Testament and that he heard him acknowledge in the presence of himself Chas. Waddeff & Benjamin Cason all of whom signed the same as witnesses in his presence. That the same was his last will and Testament executed by him freely voluntarily and of his own accord and without any Compulsion or influence whatever & that he considered the said Testator to be of sound mind disposing mind & memory. I then to each Subscribed in open Court this 2nd October 1854

J. M. Blalock

Silas Cobbs

Ordinary Recorded this 12th of October 1854

J. M. Blalock