

which I am so seized possessed or entitled unto" and the following words interlined in the third page viz "one night of my said wife"

Ans Daysdale.

Peter Donnell.

David R Dwyer.

State of Georgia } In the Court of Ordinary
Chatham County }

Present the Honorable Moses Sheftale John Williamson and Thomas T. More Justices of the Inferior Court having Ordinary Jurisdiction— Personally appeared John Daysdale a subscribing witness to the foregoing will of Charles Stewart late of Chatham County deceased who being duly sworn saith he was present and did see the said Charles Stewart deceased sign and seal and hear and him pronounce publish and declare the annexed and foregoing instrument of writing to be and contain his last will and testament that the said Charles Stewart was of sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of this deponent's knowledge and discernment at the time of his executing the same and that he the deponent subscribed his name as a witness to the due execution of the said will at the request of the said Charles and in his presence.

Shown in open Court
this 24th May 1818.

Mrs Daysdale.

Lawrence

Attest Geo. O'Leary.

15 Dec 1818 Then appeared Christian Sampson & Eliza M. Sampson & gave security as required by order of the Court of Obedy. & qual. at Court & admit of Charles Stewart deceased & (with the will annexed) Shadon etc

5 State of South Carolina

I Thomas Stevens of Liberty County on the State of Georgia physician at present in the City of Charleston in the State first aforesaid being of a sound disposing mind and memory do make publish and declare this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say I devise and bequeath to my son William Baber Stevens the plantation or tract of Land on which I have for some time past resided to him and to his heirs forever. It is my will and desire that my Executors hereinafter named shall as soon as may be convenient after either of my Daughters Susan Rebecca Stevens and Mary Frances Stevens shall attain the age of twenty one years or be married cause my negroes to be valued & divided into three equal parts or Lots between my son and daughter above named

It is also my will that until the next above mentioned
of either of my daughters arriving at twenty one years
or being married that my negroes should be kept together
as and mortgaged for the equal support of my said chil-
dren, and that the share of my daughter Marys
negroes be mortgaged together with my son Williams share
until she shall arrive at twenty one years or be mar-
ried. It is my desire that my Executors hereinafter
named shall continue to afford my son the
means of completing his education in the best
manner that my Estate will allow. I do hereby own-
erate and appoint my Brother Samuel Stevens
and my friends Elijah Baker and Thomas Mal-
lard executors of this my last will and testament.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and seal at Charleston this tenth of may one thousand
and eight hundred and eighteen

Thomas Stevens [L.S.]

Signed Sealed & published
by the testator as and for
his last will and Testament
in the presence of

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Samuel S Stevens

State of Georgia In the Court of Ordinary
Chatham County Chambers 20th of May 1818.

Present the Honorable Oliver
Stunges and Moses Sheffall Justices of the infe-
rior Court of said County having Ordinary
Jurisdiction— Personally appeared Samuels
St Stevens at present in Savannah a Subser-
ving witness to the foregoing last will and tes-
tament of Doctor Thomas Stevens formerly of Wil-
ly County in this State but lately of Charleston
South Carolina Physician deceased who being
adversely known did declare and say that he was
present and saw the said Thomas Stevens deceased
sign and seal and heard him pronounce publish
and declare the foregoing instrument of writing
to be and contain his last will and Testament
that the said Thomas Stevens deceased was at the
time of executing the said will of sound and
disposing mind memory and understanding to
the best of this deponents knowledge and discern-
ment and that he the deponent and William
S Stevens and William S Smith subscribed their

names as witnesses to the due execution of the said will in the presence of the said Testator at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn in open Court

Samuel A. Strong.

this 20th day of May 1818

Saml Bond

Chas. B. Oddy

✓ State of Georgia

Chatham County

In the name of God Amen

I being here in health yet perfect in mind and knowing that it is once appointed for all men to die - Therefore I have as far as I am able arranged my worldly business and prepare for the fate of eternity.

Therefore this I constitute as my last will and testament and dispose of my effects in the following manner (viz)

First I recommend my soul to the author of my existence -

Then soon as practicable after my decease I request that all my lawfull and just debts be paid - next for the affection which I bear for the orphan Samuel Davis which I have so far nourished I require and ordain that he be boarded clothed and schooled (with a common english education) till he becomes to a proper age to put to business - further

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unto my beloved wife Mary and my children Joseph & Franklin

all my property both real and personal to share and share

equally alike and should it so be that one or both of my

children die or my wife depart this life then and in

that case the property to revert to the remaining survivors,

and at the same time it is my will that if my children

die before my beloved wife that she shall inherit all

my property, and that she is to have the full enjoyment

and full disposal of all my estate - and if it should so

result that both my children and my wife die and leave

no bodily issues then and in that case the property which

comes to me from my uncle Joseph's Estate is to go back to the

heirs of that estate namely to Sarah Lafily and Daniel

For - and in the before mentioned event of my wife and

children dying and leaving no bodily issues then and

in that case then and in that case the remaining part

of my Estate that originated from my father's Estate will

become the right and inheritance of the bodily issues

of Jacob For - And I do hereby and forthwith appoint

and nominate my beloved wife Mary Executrix with

Samuel Lafily and Andrew Bond my faithful friends

to carry this my last will and testament into effect

Dated this 14th day of May 1818

Joseph For (29)