

In the name of God Amen. I Abram Southard of Biggle
Island Chatham County State of Georgia do make this my last
Will and testament hereby revoking all others. I give and
bequeath my female slave named Sam and her two sons named
Brett and John and all her future issue to William M. Gordon
of the City of Savannah State aforesaid attorney at Law to him
his heirs and assigns forever and I make the said William M.
Gordon the executor of this my last will and testament. I require
him to pay all my just debts and the bills to enable him to do
so. I give and bequeath to him this heirs forever everything else
that I do possess or have or shall in any manner
be entitled whether it be real estate or personal property, either

in possession or in action value all debt and sums of money
which are or may be due and owing to him. In witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day
of February Eighteen Hundred thirty five 1835.
Signed sealed published and
declared in presence of

Alex. Mottley, S.D.

Alex. Watt
Charles Banks
William Spencer

Chambers February 16th 1835

Spencer } Personally appeared Alexander Watt a
Chatham County } subscribing witness to the within instrument of writing purporting
to be the last will and testament of Abram Mottley late of Chatham
County deceased who being duly sworn deposed and said that
he was present and did in the said instrument of writing duly
signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Abram
Mottley to be and contain his last will and testament, And
deposed further that the said Testator at the time of ex-
ecuting the said instrument of writing was of the best of his de-
ponent's knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind mem-
ory and understanding. And that he, the deponent and Charles
Banks and William Spencer in the presence of each other and
in the presence of the said Testator and at his request signed their
names as witnesses to the due execution of the said
Will to this 16 day of February 1835²

Alex^r Watt

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His Commission

Chas. Fort

23rd August 1835

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