

said Sarah L. Brooks, at the time of executing the said instrument of writing was to the best of defendants knowledge and belief of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that the Alexander S. Lawton (the defendant) and Edward Perry and Mary S. Perry in the presence of each other and of the said Testatrix and at her request, signed their names to the due execution of the same

Alexander S. Lawton

Sworn to before me
this twenty seventh day
of November 1857

John Dilts

O.C.C.

I Alexander S. Lawton, do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last Will of the within named Sarah L. Brooks deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in the said will, as far as her goods and chattels will thereto extend and the law charge me, and that I will make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods and chattels, So Help me God

A. S. Lawton

Sworn to before me
this fifteenth day of
December 1857

John Dilts

O.C.C.

Georgia

Chatham County In the Name of God, Amen. I Sarah Jones (widow of the late William Jones) of the City of Savannah in the County of Chatham and State of Georgia, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make publish and declare this instrument of writing to be my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other wills that may have been heretofore made by me. Item First I give devise and bequeath unto my son George Julian Jones for and during the term of his natural life, all the Cash which I may have in the Savings Bank of Savannah, also a Negro Woman Slave named Mella to have and to hold the said Cash and negro woman Slave, for and during the term of his natural life, and after his death, to the Child or Children (Grand children to represent children and take per stripes and not per capita) of my said son George Julian Jones, share and share alike to them their heirs executors administrators and assigns forever. Item Second I give devise and bequeath unto my said son George Julian Jones, all the property of which I may be seized or possessed, or to which I may in any way be entitled, whether real personal or mixed, and

whenever she same may be situate, for and during the term
of his natural life, and after his death, to the Child or
Children (Grand Children to represent their parents, and
take her stripes and not for capita) of my said son George
Julian Jones, share and share alike, as tenants in Common
and not as joint tenants, to them their heirs executors ad-
ministrators and assigns forever. Item Third. If my said
son George Julian Jones should die without leaving any child
or children, or representative of children, living at the time
of his death, then, I give devise and bequeath all of the
property mentioned in the two foregoing items of this my Will,
unto my daughter Mrs Sarah Hall, a widow now residing
in the City of London in the Kingdom of Great Britain, for
and during the term of her natural life, and after her death, to
the Child or Children (Grand Children to represent their parents,
and take her stripes and not for capita) of my said daughter,
Mrs Sarah Hall, share and share alike as tenants in Common,
and not as joint tenants, to them their heirs executors administrators
and assigns forever. Lastly, I nominate constitute and appoint
my said son George Julian Jones the Executor of this my
Will. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and Seal at Savannah the sixth day of May in the year
of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and fifty three.
Sarah Jones

Signed, sealed published and declared
by the said Testatrix, on the day before
therein named, as her last Will and
Testament, in our presence, who at her
request, in her presence and in presence
of each other, have signed our names
as witnesses here to.

Lester McIntosh
Geo. F. Gilmartin
John E. Ward

State of Georgia
Chatham County

Court of Ordinary
Present. John White Esq. Ordinary for the County

Chatham. Personally appeared Lester McIntosh subscribing
witness to the annexed instrument, of writing, purporting to be
the last Will and Testament, of Sarah Jones late of Chatham
County deceased, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith
that he was present, and did see the said instrument of writing
duly executed by the said Sarah Jones, and deposeth
further saith that the said Sarah Jones at the time of executing
the said instrument of writing, was to the best of his knowledge
and belief, of sound disposing mind memory and
understanding and that he Lester McIntosh (the deponent)
and John F. Gilmartin and John E. Ward in the
presence of each other and of the said Testatrix and

at her request signed their names as witnesses both and written
of the said

known to before me this

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seventh day of December 1857

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I George Julian Jones do solemnly swear that this writing
contains the true last Will of the within named Sarah Jones
deceased, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well
and truly execute the same, by paying first the debts and then
the legacies contained in said Will, as far as her goods and
chattels will thereunto extend and the law charge me, and
that I will make a true and perfect Inventory of all such
goods and chattels So Help me God

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seventh day of December 1857

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State of Georgia In the name of God amen, J. Abraham
Chatham County ? Harmon of the City of Savannah County of Chatham, and
State of Georgia, being of sound mind, Deem it right and proper, both as
Respects myself and my family, that I should make a disposition of the
property with which a kind providence has blessed me - I therefore
make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling
all others heretofore made by me

Item first

I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and
Christian like manner, with the least possible expense to my Estate
and I request that my body be intoned along side of my dear deceased
Daughter Sophia. -

Item Second

I desire and direct that my funeral expenses and all my
just debts be paid as soon as possible particularly those Notes, that may
be unpaid, with the endorsement of my friends.

Item third

I desire and direct that my Executive and Executors herein
after named, to sell to the best advantage that portion of my property
either real or personal least advantageous to my family, either by private
or public sale, to pay said expenses and all just debts.

Item fourth

I desire and direct that the residue of my property either Real
or personal wherever and whatever it may be, Be turned over and delivered
by my Executors to my beloved wife. Anna P. Harmon, to be used as
she may think proper, as long as she shall live for the benefit of her
self, and my dear children, and in case of her death, for the benefit
= ting of the education of my son Adam Cope Harmon I desire and
direct that my Executors take charge of the property and allow my
children to be supported and Educated from the proceeds of the same,
and in the event that there should not be sufficient proceeds from the