

among them by my wife—

Third— of ~~Shorthorn~~ ^{Shorthorn} will that in the event my wife Martha J. Powell should marry, then my prop-
erty both real & personal then in her hands be divided equally among her and the children she being an equal heir on at her death, be divided equally between the children— in witness whereof the said William J. Powell to this my will hath set my hand & Seal this the fifth day of Feby 1870

William J. Powell

Read Seal'd published and declared by the above named William J. Powell as his last will & testament in presence of us who at his request & in presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto—

David W. Baggs of Chattooga County Georgia
George N. Erdson " " "
William J. Simmons " " "

Georgia } J. H. Chamberlain this
Chattooga County } Secy 17th 1870
The within last will & testament of W. J. Powell dec'd was presented for probate and was proven upon the oaths of D. W. Baggs, George N. Erdson & W. J. Simmons it is ordered that the same this day be admitted to record this Jan'y 2^d 1871 / 3411 ordy

Georgia } September 27th 1870
Chattooga County } I Elizabeth Jennings do this day will and bequeath the property that I this day own, to my Daughter Mel-
lar Hooper one hundred dollars to be paid in money after the sale of said property the rest of my effects I do will and bequeath to my Daughter Eliza Landers for her care and attention to me in my old age, I do also choose and ap-
point J. W. Landers Executor and Manager of said business
Signed in the presence of Elizabeth Jennings
of W. P. Blackwell } Mark
of C. G. Linton

Georgia } Ordinary's Office
Chattooga County } Nov 17th 1870
The within last will and testament of Elizabeth Jennings dec'd having been pro-
duced for probate by J. W. Landers the Executor therein named on the 5th day of the present month and the same being proven upon the oaths of W. P. Blackwell

and C. G. Lutton the subscribing witnesses to said will. It is therefore this day ordered that said will be admitted to Record Samuel Hawkins
Sept 10th 1871

State of Georgia In the Name of God amen
Chattooga County Alexander Erwin of said State
and County being of advanced
age and knowing that I must shortly depart this
life deem it right and proper both as respects
my family and my self that I should make a
disposition of the property with which a kind
providence has blessed me, so therefore make this
my last will and testament hereby revoking all
others heretofore made by me.

1st Item I desire and direct that my body be buried
in a decent and Christian like manner suitable to my
circumstances and condition in life.

2nd Item I desire that all my just debts be paid without
delay by my executors herein after appointed.

3rd Item I give bequeath and devise to my beloved wife
Martha with whom I have lived in the strictest quiet
for thirty eight years lot of land number forty two
in the fourteenth district of the fourth section Chattooga
County containing one hundred and sixty acres with
all the rights members and appurtenances to said lot of
land in any wise belonging and all the stock of all
kind during her lifetime, and at her death then to go
to James Alexander Williams.

4th Item I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife
Martha executrix, and my worthy friend William
Van Fleet executor of this my last will and testament.
This March 13th 1866

Alexander Erwin

Signed sealed declared and published by Alexander
Erwin as his last will and testament in the presence
of us the Subscribers who subscribed our names hereto
in the presence of said testator at his Special instance
and request and of each other this March 13th 1866

Floyd S. Huggins
Wm. Van Fleet

Georgia
Chattooga County

Ordinary's Office
April 3rd 1871

The within last will & testament of Alexander Erwin
Decd. having been produced for probate by Wm Van Fleet
the executor therein named, on this the 3rd day of April
1871, And the same being proven upon the oaths of