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Athens Ga Dec 13th 1872

I Dolly Brown I chose Mr. Floyd Hill as Administrator for my property and after my death I want him to see that it is divided among my four children if must be sold and the money equally divided among them George Brown, Mandell Brown, Amy Brown and Cordelia Harris. Our in presence of these five Witnesses

Lizzie Hill
Thersan Lewis
Lizzie Merton
Holly Johnson
John Downs

her
Dolly × Brown
mark

Georgia
Clarke County

Court of Ordinary Regular Term
2nd April 1877

Personally appeared in open Court Lizzie Hill, Thersan Lewis and Lizzie Merton three of the witnesses to the above Will of Dolly Brown late of said County deceased who on Oath say that they saw said deceased sign said instrument by making her mark and her acknowledge and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of so doing she was of sound and disposing mind and Memory, that she did so freely and voluntarily without any persuasion or compulsion on the part of any person or persons whatever. that their names and the names of Holly Johnson and John Downs were all signed to said instrument as Witnesses by Robert L Brown Col at the request of said deceased in the presence of said deceased and in the presence of the Testatrix that they all the five Witnesses to said Will became Witnesses thereto and authorized their names to be signed thereto as aforesaid at the request of the Testatrix by Robert L Brown Also personally before me on Oath saith that he signed the names of all said Witnesses to said Will as above stated

Sworn and Subscribed before me in Open Court

Floyd M Jackson
Ordinary

her
Lizzie × Hill (Col)
mark

her
Thersan × Lewis (Col)
mark

her
Lizzie × Merton (Col)
mark

Robert L Brown

Whereupon It is Ordered by the Court that said Will and probate be recorded in Terms of the law

Regular Term 2nd April 1877

Floyd M Jackson Ordinary

Recorded 2nd April 1877

Nov 18th 1876

Feeling the sands of life departing & knowing full well that God will soon call me to give account I desire to make here my confession for my many sins, crimes & express the hope which I trust in the love of Mercy together with many thanks to my beloved friends & relations before I close this my last Will and Testament

First, I bequeath to my beloved Sister Susan M Ayers of Florida Fifty Hundred Dollars (400) and to my beloved Sister Caroline V Hud Four hundred Dollars (400) both to be paid from a promissory note which I hold against Thomas A Porter & Dr Jamie Carroll as security; the balance Two hundred Dollars of said Note I bequeath to my beloved Niece Mary Veitch Willis the balance of my property which I may die possessed of I order to be divided equally between the three above named persons and my beloved Niece Mrs Jane Martin and I name N T Bloomfield as my sole Executor and do hereby give unto all authority in my stead to do all things which may be necessary to be done in carrying out this my last Will & Testament

Signed & sealed in the presence of these three witnesses on the day and year above written

Witnesses
N T Bloomfield
N K Bloomfield
A D Clonard

Mary A Veitch

Georgia
Clarke County

Ordinary's Office 17th day of March 1877

Personally came before me N K Bloomfield and A D Clonard two of the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing Will of Mary A Veitch late of said County deceased who on oath say that they saw said deceased sign said Instrument and heard her publish and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that she did so freely and voluntarily of her own free Will free from without any persuasion or duress in the part of any other person or persons whatever that at the time of her signing she was of sound and disposing mind and Memory. That they respectively and N T Bloomfield all signed the same as witnesses in the presence of each other and of the Testatrix and at her request

Sworn to & subscribed before me
Ord. M Jackson Ordinary

A D Clonard
N K Bloomfield

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The foregoing Will and probate examined and said Will ordered to be recorded as the last Will & Testament of said Thomas A. Welch Deceased. And it is further ordered that said probate be recorded therewith in terms of the law. Regular Term 2nd April 1877

M. S. M. Jackson Ordinary

Recorded 4th April 1877