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a Cemetery

Testament I William G. Delany being of sound  
Mental Faculty and disposing mind doth voluntary in  
view of the fact that I am about to volunteer in the  
army that in which our Country is engaged with the  
United States Government do make and declare this last

and foregoing day Will here Dismantle

Item 1<sup>st</sup> Marriage the most confidential Confidence in my beloved  
Wife Anna G. Delany and knowing that she will do  
justice to my little Children I give and bequeath unto  
my said Wife Anna G. Delany all my Estate both real  
and personal of which I may die possessed,

Item 2<sup>nd</sup> I command to pay to pay my debts with the  
money due by the Testator to himself and me in the sum  
of forty 1863 and if that be insufficient be added thereunto  
the money arising from the services and rents I have  
behind me and by no means would I wish the  
sale of my property until our Independence is achieved  
over the State of the Country set free.

Item 3 I further command to her that she take care  
in Boston a Mother without a home can never bear  
her children properly.

Item 4 My Cemetery always I desire shall be given to whichever  
of my boys who will best appropriate time, my last  
letters shall better be sold,

Item 5 I hereby nominate and appoint my said Wife Anna  
G. Delany Executor of this my last Will and Testament  
In witness whereof I have signed and my  
hand and seal this 8<sup>th</sup> August 1861

W. G. Delany

Signed sealed and published as the last Will and  
Testament of William G. Delany in my presence  
and in the presence of the persons for the  
presence of each other the day and year above written  
W. D. Mitchell

Jay A. Carlton  
James A. Shidge

Presently appear before me William D. Mitchell Esq. Justice  
of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to whom I present  
Wife of William G. Delany late of said County deceased who doth say  
that they are and do now sign and seal instrument and have this  
instrument the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the  
time of his making the same of sound and disposing mind and memory  
that they do hereby and James A. Shidge the other subscriber subscribe  
to said Will and the same as witnesses to the presence of each other  
and of the Testator and at his request W. D. Mitchell  
Served to testator before this 9<sup>th</sup> January 1864 James A. Carlton

Witnesses It is ordered by the Court that next W. D. Mitchell  
be recorded in terms of this law Registered January 11<sup>th</sup> 1864

Asa M. Jackson Esq.

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