

Georgia Clayton County

I Andrew J. Hannon, Ordinary of said County do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the last will of Benjamin S. Waterson duly proven before me in common form of law September 1863. At a regular term of the Court of ordinary that Jonathan Mitchell named therein as executor duly qualified before me at said term and to vest him with full authority to execute said will I have duly shown to him the latter's testamentary ordered to said copy will in testimony whereof I the said ordinary have hereunto set my hand and seal of office the 5th day of October 1863

A. J. Hannon, ordinary of Clayton County, Georgia

State of Georgia Clayton County I Benjamin S. Waterson having enlisted in the service of my country and am now a bond to deposit for the sum of action and feeling that it is doubtful and uncertain whether I shall ever return to my kindred and friends a gain in life deem it right and proper that I should I should make a distribution of the estate and effects in the which a kind Providence has blessed me make and publish this my last will and testament;

Item 1st, I give and bequeath to my Mother Miriah Waterson for and during her natural life all my property and effects of whatever nature they may consist, consisting in part of one parcel of one acre or more the name of Green a bond 20 years of age one Paul Horse and buggy and all notes and accounts there may be belong to me

Item 2nd at the death of my Mother Miriah Waterson I desire all my property then given to my Mother Miriah Waterson to go to my Brother William L. C. Waterson and do hereby give the same to him to gather up the all the proceeds that may be consumed by my said Mother Miriah Waterson

I manifest whereof I the said Benjamin S. Waterson have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27 day of May 1861

Signed sealed and published by the above B. S. Waterson as his last will and testament who at his request in presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses here to

N. G. Hudson
G. F. Dabbs
R. E. Hanson