

August the 16th 1862

William J. Chambers give Robert Hines
Chambers 16 head of Cattle then increase
and my stock of Hogs and then increase
except one spotted sow is William Jifton
except one red sow that I give Henry
Jifton and two colts one mule colt and
one half of the Place and the house and
house furniture and the Geese one Black
mare and one Bay Horse and one Buggy
after Saml Dickinson is satisfied belongs
to Robert H. Chambers it is his his lifetime
and after his death it goes to Martha
Sadler and Louisa C. Russell and Hester
C. Sadler and William and Henry Jifton
some Chambers children and John Chambers
children. And one rifle gun and one
account for meat for fifty dollars against
John H. Chambers. This is to show that
William J. Chambers give his property to
Robert H. Chambers. And William and
Henry Jiftons being I want them agree divide
I give them one for apiece

William Sadler witness William J. Chambers

Martha C. Sadler witness

Julians M. Chambers witness

Nathan L. Russell witness

Louisa C. Russell witness

Georgia
DeKalb County
Court of Obedy July Term 1863
Present H. M. Black Obedy
Personally came before the
Obedy of said county Robert H. Chambers one of
the Agents named in the late instrument
to be the last Will & Testament of William
J. Chambers Deceased & produced before said Court

Nathaniel L. Russell & William Sadler two
 of the subscribing witnesses thereto said
 later purporting to be the said last Will
 who being duly sworn depone say that
 they each of them knew William J. Chambers
 & that from reputation in the family of
 said W. J. Chambers as well as in his neigh-
 borhood the said W. J. Chambers died from
 a wound received at the battle of Freder-
 icksburg in Virginia: That said W. J.
 Chambers executed the paper produced
 in Court - that he executed the same
 voluntarily & of his own accord in the
 presence of Martha C. Sadler, Maria Ann
 Chambers and Louisa C. Russell & that
 they as well as deponents signed the same
 as witnesses in the presence of the said
 Chambers in the presence of each other
 at the request of the said Chambers
 And at the time of the execution of the
 same deceased was of sound & disposing
 mind and memory. And that after the
 execution of the same said W. J. Chambers
 delivered the said instrument to Louisa
 C. Russell to be safely kept by her and
 to be delivered by her to the parties named
 in the said instrument provided he should
 die or never return from the War (where
 he was about starting at the time of the
 execution of the said instrument) -
 now to subscribed before Nathaniel L. Russell
 on July 6th 1863 William Sadler

H. W. Beach Clerk
 Georgia
 Decatur County
 Court of Ordly July Term
 July 6th 1863
 The last Will & Testament

of William J. Chambers ever having been
found in common form on the oath of
Mr Sadler one of the witnesses thereto (there
there being no objection) It is Ordered
that the same be recorded

J. M. Beach Clerk

Georgia
Savannah County In the name of God Amen
I Jacob W. Freeman of said
State of Georgia being in sound
mind & body but being impressed with the uncer-
tainty of life & being desirous of making a
disposition of my property do hereby make
this my last Will & Testament - hereby revoking
all others heretofore by me made
Item 1st I desire & direct that the notes
& accounts I may be possessed of or collected
as speedily as possible the same applied to the
liquidation of my just debts
Item 2^d The remainder of my estate both real
& personal I desire to be kept together & invested
for the common benefit of my wife & such
children as she may have begotten by me
said property to be so kept together & invested
until my said wife dies or is married again
then in case of either contingency I desire &
direct that the said estate shall be divided
equally between my said wife my said ch-
ildren to wit Harriet E. Patrick & my minor
children
Item 3^d I nominate & appoint Robert L. Parker
as my Executor to carry this my will into
effect - Witness my hand & seal this 15th July 1862
J. W. Freeman (JS)