

Last Will & Testament of W. H. Tamm, of Twiggs Co
Georgia

State of Georgia, By the Name of Geo. Tamm,
County of Twiggs, I William H. Tamm of said
State and County being of sound
age, and at this time of full body, but of
sound disposing mind, and memory, do make
Ordain and publish this my last Will and
Testament hereby revoking all other wills her-
etofore made by me in manner following
to wit:

Item 1st

I hereby ^{and direct} my Executor whom I shall
hereafter appoint proceed to pay all my just
debts

Item 2nd

I give devise and bequeath to my nephew
Henry A. Tamm in trust for his children my
entire interest in nine lot of land lying and
being in the County of Twiggs, the County of
Baker in payment of the same being one half
interest of twenty two hundred and fifty acres
be the same more or less. Numbers not recollect-
ed but known as the settlement on which myself
and Henry A. Tamm are now farming. I also
give to my said nephew, in trust, for his
children all my negroes that I may die
possessor of. (Except two,) which I shall hereafter
mention. I also give to my said nephew in Trust,
the sum of fourteen thousand one hundred and
fifty three dollars and seventy two cents, being
one third interest due me on joint notes given
by yourself H. H. Colquhoun and Paul E. Tamm
Also your note individually for four hundred
dollars and sixty eight cents. I also to my said
nephew in Trust, for his children all my share
of all kinds on the plantation together with all the
provisions and other interests which may be
found in house at the time of my death
among from the farm as well also all my house-
hold furniture and stock in Twiggs County all
of which property in this Item given to be

managed by my said nephew to the best
for his children and to be given off to them
think proper.

Item 2^d

I give and bequeath to Harlowell H. Farnum son of
H. A. Farnum a certain negro boy by the name of [unclear]
about seven years old (the child of Jane) and also
my gold Watch

Item 3^d

I give and bequeath to Alfred H. Colquhoun in Trust
for Ann Lane Colquhoun daughter of my niece Dolly Colquhoun
deceased the sum of Ten thousand one hundred and
fifty three dollars and seventy two Cents being one third
of the joint notes as above described in Item second
where I wish him to manage to the best possible
advantage for her

Item 4th

I give and bequeath to Henry A. Farnum and Dr. C. P.
Hartwell in Trust for Polly Farnum Daughter of Paul H.
Farnum deceased. The sum of Ten thousand one
hundred and fifty three dollars and seventy two Cents
being one third of the joint notes as above described
in Item second. I also give to Henry A. Farnum and
Dr. C. P. Hartwell in Trust for Polly Farnum one Negro
girl (name not recollecting) but to known as the
one now in her possession about seven years of age
and if the said Polly should die without child
children then said negro and her increase (if any)
go to and belong to Henry A. Farnum children in
manus aforesaid

Item 5th

I give and bequeath to Alfred H. Colquhoun in Trust
for Fredrick Farnum Daughter of P. H. Farnum deceased
the sum of Ten thousand and seven hundred and
fifty three dollars and eighty five Cents which amount
is one third part of thirty two thousand one
hundred and thirty seven dollars and eighty
Cents which consideration of assets of my said
notes and attorney receipts for same paid in
hands for Collection and also all Cents (if any)
in hand at my death. I desire my said
payment of my debts and all
Expenses which may arise

I desire and direct that should the said President leaving no child or children then and in that event the property in this Item given is to consist but and belong to my Nephew Benjamin M. Tarnor and William M. Tarnor.

Item 7th

I give and bequeath to Henry M. Tarnor and John P. Wimberly, In Trust, for my Nephews William M. Tarnor & Benj. M. Tarnor sons of my Brother N. H. Tarnor decd. the sum of Twenty one Thousand four hundred and twenty one dollars and twenty cents which amount is two thirds of thirty two Thousand two hundred and thirty seven dollars and eighty five cents, remainder of assets of my Estate in notes and attorney receipts for notes for collection. I also give in manner aforesaid all Commissions due me as Executor from the Estate of my Brother N. H. Tarnor deceased, the probable amount being about Eight or Ten Thousand Dollars

Item 8th

I Lastly bequeath and appoint my Nephew N. H. Tarnor, N. H. Colquett and Dr C. P. Hartwell Executors to this my last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have signed at my home and office my seal April 12th 1862

Wm. M. Tarnor

Test.
L. H. Slaffey
M. E. Slaffey
Lewis Coleman

Georgia & New Term 1862 County Court of
Dougherty County

Ordinary

In open Court at this regular Term of said County Court Robert M. Slaffey & Matthew S. Slaffey two of the Justices to the within, with & being duly sworn, depose & say that they saw William M. Tarnor sign & publish the within as his last Will & Testament while of sound & disposing mind & memory that they witnessed the same for him at his request in his presence and that they have since become subscribers

this same in the presence of the Testator & at his
request & in the presence of us and that the same
was Executed Voluntarily by said M. A. Towner on
day it purports to be done

R. B. Slaffey
M. C. Slaffey

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court
Nov Term 1862

Lewis Solomon
Ordinary

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