

State of Georgia } In the name of god } George Seales
 Elbert County } of said State and County being of
 advanced age and knowing that I must shortly
 depart this life do now it right and proper both as
 respects my family and my self that I should make
 a disposition of the property with which a kind
 providence has blessed me do therefore make this my
 my last Will and Testament

Item 1st I desire and direct that all my Just Debts be
 paid without delay by my Executors hereinafter appointed
 as I am unwilling my creditors should be delayed in their
 rights

Item 2nd I give bequeath and devise to my beloved Wife
 Mary, An. Seales a Childs part to do with it as she pleases

Item 3rd I give bequeath and devise that there shall be an
 Equal Division between my heirs namely Elizabeth J.
 Christian Mary, C. Beind Deceased Merrel, Jr. Seales
 John, S. Seales Martha, W. McChatha Nancy, H. Freeman
 Betty, J. Seales Sarah, M. Seales all of said named heirs to
 have and to hold said Estate for the use of their
 Children their lifetime and at their death to go
 to their Children--

Item 4th I bequeath that my Executor pay out of
 my Estate the Amount going to each of my heirs as he
 think that they need it

Item 5th I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved
 Wife Mary, An. Seales Executrix and my ~~beloved~~ worthy
 Son John Seales Executor of this my last will and
 Testament this November the 27th 1858

George Seales (L.S.)

Signed sealed declared and published by George Seales
 as his last Will and Testament in the presence of
 us the subscribers who subscribed our names hereunto
 in the presence of said testator at his special instance
 and request and of each other this November 27th 1858

W. B. Crook, J. H.

William Sanders
 Isaac, S. Vaughn
 Charles Andrew

175- Georgia } Court of Ordinary OCT Term 1858
Elbert County } personally appeared before the Court. Abram Sanders
and Charles Andrew two of the subscribing witnesses and being
duly sworn said that they saw George scales sign the
within and fore going instrument of writing as his last
Will and Testament and that they together with
Josiah D. Vaughn signed the same as witnesses in the presence
of the testator and at his request and in the presence
of each other and these depositions being the testator
to have been of sound mind and disposing memory at
the time he executed the same
Subscribed and subscribed
in open Court the 4th
day of October 1858
Wm H. Edwards Ordinary

Charles. Andrew
Abram. Sanders

Georgia } Court of ordinary OCT Term 1858 the
Elbert County } within will and Testament of George scales
deceased having been proven at this regular Term
of this Court on the oaths of Abram Sanders and Charles
Andrew two of the subscribing witnesses to said Will
It is ordered by the Court that the same be recorded
OCT 4th day 1858

Test Wm H. Edwards Ordinary
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John B Alexanders Will 1858

Georgia } I John B Alexanders of the County and
Elbert County } State a fore said being of sound mind and
disposing Memory do publish this my last
Will and Testament hereby revoking all others my will
is as follows to wit

First I will that all my Just Debts be paid with as
little delay as possible

Second my will is that all my property both real and personal
be sold and the proceeds arising from said sale be
divided into Two Equal ~~shares~~ parts Share and Share
a like one of the said Shares or one half of my property
I give and bequath to my Brother in law Joseph L Smith
for the use and Benefit of my Brother James H. Alexanders
and is to him for ever the other Share or one half of my Estate