

In the name of God, Amen I Robert Stewart
of the County of Franklin & State of Georgia
being in good health and sound intellects being about
to take a Journey from this State to North Carolina
and calling to mind the uncertainty of human Life
do make ordain, and appoint this my last Will and
Testament and I do hereby disannul and make void
all other Wills and Testaments that has hitherto been
made by me establishing this as the only legal dis-
position of my property principally and first of all
I recommend my Soul unto the hands of Almighty
God and my Body to the grave to be buried in a decent
Christian manner at the discretion of my Executors
nothing doubting that I shall receive again at the
day of the general Resurrection and as touching
such worldly Effects as it has pleased God to bless
me with I do make the following disposition
to wit I give and bequeath the Tract of Land
whereon I now live in the State and County aforesaid
to my Daughter Sarah Ellison during her
natural life and at her death to her eldest
Son Stuart Ellison In the second place I
give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth
Ellison a tract of Land containing Two hundred
Two and a half acres in the State aforesaid and County
of Wilkeson known and distinguished in the
Eighteenth District by number Twenty Eight
during her natural life & then to her son
Robert Ellison Third I give and bequeath
unto my Daughter Margaret Ellison a Tract
of Land in the State aforesaid and County of
Wilkeson containing Two hundred Two and
a half acres known and distinguished in the
Eighteenth District by number Sixty four
during her natural life and then to her
son Joseph Stewart Ellison

Fourthly it is my desire for my personally property
be disposed of to the best advantage by my Executors
and Equally divided between the rest of my
grand Children And finally I leave my under-
named Executors to collect all my debts in this
State and in the State of North Carolina of which
I have furnished them with a list or Schedule
of discharging my funeral expences and paying
my Just debts if any and purchasing a

Shoulder Left for the Rev^d Mr Newton and
Rev^d Mr Lay, and one for each of themselves &
two former of whom is requested to preach my
funeral sermon from these words I know that my Redeemer
Liveth. The Ballance of the amount Collected
to be equally divided between my Grand Children
and I do hereby constitute and appoint my friends
James W. Little Thompson Moore Samuel &
of said State & County my lawful Executors
in Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my name
and affixed my Seal this 12th day of November
the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred
& Fourteen Signed Sealed & delivered in presence
of Mayor Neal
Gally Shannon } Robert Stewart (S)
Sarah Shannon }

Georgia
Franklin County } Court of ordinary May Term 1816
Personally came before the Court Mayor Neal & Sarah
Shannon who being duly sworn say that
were subscribing for the paper to the foregoing
Will of Robert Stewart & that Gally Shannon
subscribed her name as a witness at the same
time all at the request of & in the presence
of the Deceased & at this request
Gally Shannon } Mayor Neal
Sarah Shannon }

In the name of God Amen: I, William
of the State of Georgia & County of Franklin
being very sick & weak but in perfect mind
& memory Thanks be given unto God Calling
to mind the Mortality of my body & knowing that
I am appointed for all men and to die do hereby
ordain this my last Will & Testament That
I do give principally & first of all I give & bequeath
my Soul to God that gave it & my body to be
buried in Christian order at the discretion of my
Executors nothing doubting but at the general
resurrection I shall receive the same again
the Mighty power of God, And touching