

of the Executors therein named was duly
qualified as such -

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Asd Allen J. C.
Edmund H. C.
Joseph Chandler - J. C.

In the name of God Amen - I Charles
Taylor of the State of Georgia & County of
Franklin, Though weak in body yet of sound
Mind and Memory, Calling into mind and
knowing that it is appointed for all men
once to die - Do make and ordain this
my last will & Testament, and first of all
I commend my soul into the hands of
Almighty God who gave it - nothing doub-
ting but at the General Resurrection I shall
receive the same by the mighty power of
God - My body to be buried in a decent
Christian manner at the direction of my
Executors, and as to my worldly goods which
it has pleased God to bless me with in this
world - I give and bequeath in the follow-
ing manner & form - I give and
bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Anna
Taylor, all my household and Kitchen fur-
-niture, I also lend unto her my said wife
all my property both real & personal, that is
to say, all my lands Negroes & stock of all
kinds, plantation tools, and working utensils
for & during her life time, and after her
death to be disposed of in the following
manner, that is to say, I give & bequeath unto
my son George Taylor one negro fellow
Abner and one negro Boy Harry and all
my land and working tools of all kinds, and
one half of my stock of all kind -
I give & bequeath unto my daughter Betty Taylor

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our negro wench Becke and her child
Harrell - I give and bequeath unto
my daughter Patsy Prickett the other half
of all my stock of all kind - Provided
nevertheless that if after the marriage
of either of my Daughters here to be men-
tioned should die without issue, and
not leaving any child or children, that
then and in that case the property willed
to them and their increase to revert and
go back, and be equally divided between
the survivors - I do hereby appoint
my dearly beloved wife Anna Taylor &
my son George Taylor Executors & Executrix
of this my last will and Testament made
by me - In testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th
day of September, in the year of our
Lord Eighteen hundred and ten
Fred Beall

W^m F Bagwell
Jas. M. Dowell

Charles Taylor

Georgia
Franklin County ^{Witness} This day came & appeared
Frederick Beall & Newfield
Bagwell into open court and being duly
sworn depose and say, that they saw Charles
Taylor sign, execute & acknowledge the foregoing
will as his last will and Testament, except the
words interlined, and those struck out were
not appeared at the time (to wit) their increase
to revert and go to be equally divided between
the survivors - and that they subscribed the
same and also James M. Dowell as witnesses
in presence of the said Charles Taylor, at his

agreed and in the presence of each other,
for the purposes therein mentioned -
sworn to & subscribed in
open Court this 3rd July 1813

Edmund Husby J.C.
Joseph Chandler J.C.
Asa Allen J.C.

Thos B. Beall
W. H. Bagwell

Beane George Priestett in right of his wife Patsy
Taylor by his attorney James Smith and entered
a caveat on the 8th day of July 1813 - and
paid all cost - viz - the last will and Testament
of Charles Taylor decd -

Thos B. Beall C. C.

The Honorable Court of Ordinary has met
according to adjournment, Sept 16th 1813

Present Joseph Chandler
Edmund Husby
James Allen Esqrs

Ordered that Mary Wheeler have letters
of Administrations on the Estate of William
Wheeler jwr. Decd - on her giving bond &
security agreeable to Law -

On application of Signal Meredith an
Orphan being upwards of four years
of age, praying that William H. Hall be
appointed the Guardian of his person and
Estate, and appearing in open Court, and
making the choice -

It is Ordered that the said William H.
Hall be and he is hereby appointed the
Guardian of the person and Estate of
Signal Meredith and on his giving the
necessary Bond and security, the clerk do -