

Georgia Glascock County I Hodge Chalker
of said State and County being of advanced age
and knowing that I must shortly depart this
life deem it right & proper both as respects
my ~~self~~ and family & my self that I should
make a disposition of my property which I
now possess I do therefore make this my last
will and Testament
Item 1st

I desire ~~and~~ & direct that my body be
buried in a plain decent like manner suitable
to my circumstances in life my soul I trust
will return to rest with God who gave it as
I hope for the eternal salvation through the merits
and atonement of our Lord Jesus Christ

Item 2nd I desire and direct that all my just debts
be paid without delay

Item 3rd

I give and bequeath to my beloved sons
A. S. Chalker John P. Chalker Thomas Chalker
& Benjamin Chalker Fifty dollars each to be paid
to them out of my estate I also give unto my
daughter Rebecca Reed Thompsons Children Fifty
dollars to be distributed amongst them as they
become of age I hereby appoint Samuel Chalker
as trustee for her children

Item 4th

I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter
Mary Ann Chalker all the Remainder of my property
except one bay colt now about 2 years old now
none pice which I give and bequeath unto my beloved
grand son Benjamin Franklin Chalker

Hodge Chalker
mark

Signed declared and published to be the last will and
Testament of Hodge Chalker who acknowledges the
same in presence of us the undersigned witnesses to the same
- We the same in his presence at his special request and
in the presence of each other This the 29th day of June
Eighteen hundred & Sixtyone

Leahum Logue J. L.
J. T. Chalker
James L. Chalker

Hodge Chalkers will come

State of Georgia, Court of Ordinary for said
 Glascock County, County August Term 1862
 Personally appeared in open court at this
 regular Term Joshua T. Usry and Calvin
 Logue Two subscribing named to the annexed
 will and who being duly and legally sworn
 depose and say on oath that they saw Hodge
 Chalkers sign seal and release and publish
 the annexed instrument of writing as his last
 will and Testament while he was of sound
 and disposing mind and memory and that
 they each subscribed the same as witnesses with
 one James H. Chalkers for said Hodge Chalkers
 at his request and in his presence and in the
 presence of each other and that the same
 was voluntarily executed by him on the
 day it purports to have been done
 Subscribed and sworn to
 in open court August } J. T. Usry
 4th 1862 before me } Calvin Logue
 Seaborn Kitchens Ordinary

Seaborn Kitchens Ordinary of this County do hereby
 certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the last
 will of Hodge Chalkers duly proven before me in
 Common Term At the August Term 1862 at a
 regular Term of the Court of Ordinary that ~~Hodge Chalkers~~
 And there being no executor named or appointee to
 said will Samuel Chalkers one of the Next of Kin
 of said Hodge Chalkers deceased did at the Term of
 said Court of Ordinary of said County make application
 to me for letters of Administration with the will annexed
 on the estate of said deceased due notice of said appli-
 cation having been given the time required by law and
 now to wit him the said Samuel Chalkers With full authority
 to execute said will I have duly issued to him Letters of
 Administration with the will annexed to a copy of said will
 New Testaments whereof I the said Ordinary have before me have seen
 Seal of office This 15th day of October 1862
 (Seal)
 Seaborn Kitchens Ordinary
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