

Georgia ( ) Will of George W. Tammey July 1819  
 Greene County Personally appeared in open Court Clayborn Abrahams Elizah  
 Madson & Robert Hammond the subscriber witness to the within will who have  
 duly sworn say that they saw the within named Testator sign and seal the same  
 acknowledge the same as his last will & testament and that they make believe him to be  
 of perfect sound mind & memory at the time of his testifying (in) that they as the friends  
 of each other in the presence of the Testator subscriber these names as witnesses thereto  
 sworn to in Open Court ( )  
 15<sup>th</sup> July 1819

Elizah Madson  
 Robert Hammond  
 Georgia Greene Wills ( )  
 Recorded 1<sup>st</sup> July 1819 Chancery Recorder, etc.

Georgia Greene County I am the name of George W. Tammey of the  
 County aforesaid being far advanced in the decline of life but of sound  
 memory do hereby constitute this my last will and testament and hereby making  
 null (and void) all other wills or wills made by me at any time before this  
 time first it is my will that my body may be decently buried and all my  
 just debts faithfully discharged by my executors hereafter named  
 Item 1<sup>st</sup> I give to my daughter Elizabeth Hill a negro girl named mulatto with her  
 future increase

Item 2<sup>nd</sup> I give to my daughter Mary Anne Hill a negro girl named Dolly with her future increase  
 Item 3<sup>rd</sup> I give to my daughter Anna Hill a negro girl named Betty with her future increase  
 Item 4<sup>th</sup> I give to my daughter Martha Hill three negroes Big Jim Black & Little  
 boy together with their future increase

Item 5<sup>th</sup> I give to my daughter Dolly Hill formerly but now Dolly Hiley a negro girl  
 named Nischi & her future increase  
 Item 6<sup>th</sup> I give to my daughter Martha Hill another negro woman by name being to  
 disposed of at the time of her death

Item 7<sup>th</sup> I give to my grand daughter big Matilda Blanks Martha & little Blanks  
 daughters of Williams Blanks and Jane Blanks his wife who has lately deceased two  
 hundred Dollars to be divided between them there to share alike, to be paid over to their  
 executors hereafter named out of the sale of Land

Item 8<sup>th</sup> I give to my daughter Sophia Campbell wife of James R. Campbell five Dollars  
 alimony given (and) provided for them herefore (and) whereas the aforesaid Sophia Campbell  
 wife of James R. Campbell having been unfortunate I give to my daughter Robert  
 Martha Hill a negro woman named Phillis to (in) (and) after my daughter Martha  
 Hill is making a support comfortable for her the aforesaid Sophia Campbell

Item 9<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my daughters Elizabeth Mary Anne Martha and Anna have  
 each of them three beds & furniture belonging to them also three double biddle  
 bunks or chells which are now known in the family to be theirs or claimed by them  
 also a spinning machine to be equally divided between them

Item 10<sup>th</sup> It is also my will that my son Joseph Hill have the sum of five hundred Dollars  
 to use as a College Fund

1818-1842 a negro boy named Peter

Item 15<sup>th</sup> It is my will that my grand daughter Anna Ashurst daughter of John Ashurst & wife  
Anna do have a sum equal of ten or twelve ~~years old~~ out of my Estate as soon as the  
money can be collected and as purchase made on a fair price, mounted the aforesaid horse and  
should retengue all claim to have or have claims on my Estate.

Item 16<sup>th</sup> It is also my will that my little Grand Son William Ashurst have the sum of one  
hundred Dollars and ~~one~~ ~~one~~ hundred dollars enable him to acquire his Education but should my executors die  
before he reaches the age of twenty one years my will is that the balance of money be laid out in trust  
for him.

Item 17<sup>th</sup> It is my will that all my ~~land~~ which I am possessed of, & lies or be ~~old~~ to the  
best advantage on a fair terms be soon as convenient and that the sum of three thousand  
Dollars arising from ~~said~~ sale be appropriated for the use of purchasing again land, and building  
a comfortable house for my daughters who are now single or unmarried viz Elizabeth Mary and  
Martha and Anne ~~about~~ any of my daughters aforesaid marry my will is that case that  
person be removing soon from said place immediately or as soon as the nature of the case ad-

mits it and the balance of money arising from the sale of my land be put out on  
interest by my executors.

Item 18<sup>th</sup> And as to my Stock of all kinds, farming tools, household & kitchen furniture  
has not otherwise been disposed of shall still remain for the use of Elizabeth Mary and  
Anne; but ~~should~~ they disagree in sentiment respecting said property my will is that it  
is exposed to public sale; and ~~should~~ a disagreement take place respecting the purchase of  
made out of the three thousand Dollars My will is that said land be sold, and the m-  
oney arising from ~~said~~ sale to be equally divided between my daughters viz Elizabeth Mary and  
Martha and Anne.

Item 19<sup>th</sup> Having reference to the 15<sup>th</sup> Item it is my will that the balance of m-  
oney arising from the sale of my land be put out on lawful interest by my executors  
of seven years and at the expiration thereof the principal & interest shall  
be equally divided share & share alike amongst the surviving legatees.

Item 20<sup>th</sup> And Lastly I do hereby constitute nominate and appoint my trusty friends Robert  
Hicks and Elijah Robins my executors in this my last will and testament hoping and trust-  
ing they may see it duly executed August 11<sup>th</sup> 1817 <sup>Witness under my hand seal</sup>

in presence of ~~John Hill~~ and wife and children

Elijah Robins

Ed C Smith

John Hill (Seal)

Sam'l Roff (3) Georgia Greene County Court of Ordinary January Term 1823

Personally appeared in Open Court Elijah Robins one of the subscribing  
to the aforesaid will of John Hill late of ~~said~~ County and who being duly sworn  
that he was a subscribing witness to the same and that he saw the said John Hill  
seal & heard him acknowledge the same as his last will and testament and he believed  
to be of perfect sound mind and memory at the time of his so doing and that Edward  
Hicks & Samuel Roff were subscribing witnesses to the same together with himself

I do bear Open Court

11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1818

Elijah Robins

Younger Justice

Greene County Wills

Georgia 3 1816-1842 Personally appeared before me Samuel Roff one of the subscribers  
to the aforesaid will who being duly sworn saith that he

was at subscribing witness to the same and that he saw the Testator John Stile die and  
had him acknowledge the same to be his last will and testament and that he further  
saw John Stile die of perfect mind and memory at the time of his writing  
and that Edward Smith & Ralph Revere were together with himself and his presence  
subscribing witness to the same

State of Georgia } I James Gallin of the State and County aforesaid knowing that  
Greene County } is appointed unto all men once to die, and believing it to be  
my duty to prepare for this great event by making my peace with God and arranging  
the disposing of my worldly property being weak in body but sound in mind and to  
avert as far as possible any disagreeable consequences from arising in the settlement  
of my estate after my decease In the name of God I make this my last will and  
testament in the manner and form following

I commit my soul to him who gave it and my body to be decently buried

It is my will that after my decease my executors pay off all my just debts

It is my will that all the property I gole with my beloved wife shall  
remain to her (to wit) four negroes Namely, Sally and her two children Moses  
and Steven with all their cattle and a sufficient number of slaves with all the  
I got with her (and one extra all the horses I got with her and one extra to me)  
It is also my will that she should have a sufficiency of corn and fodder for  
her out of the present growing crop when it is (sown). It is also my will that my mill  
and the Campbell land under ready for grinding together with the plantation or person  
stands I return to my wife the cost and expences of rebuilding said mill to be paid by  
Creditors after deducting the amount of certain notes which I received with my wife  
and one note upon Moses Cambell for one hundred and fifty dollars and one other  
to upon Arch Swans for seventeen (Dollars) from the nett cost of said Rebuilding  
It is my will that the remainder of my property be equally divided among  
my beloved children viz (Ruford, Gilbert, Garrett, Sidney, Nancy and Betsy Gallin)  
In Arrears I do not wish my negroes sold if a fair division can be made without

55. It is my wish that my property should be kept together as long as my Executors  
and it would be advantageous & profitable for my dear Children.  
56. I hereby Appoint (and Ordain) Richard Asbury (and my Son) ~~W<sup>th</sup>~~ <sup>as</sup> my Executors  
of this my last will and Testament. I testify that the above is my last will and  
I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal this twenty fifth day of  
May the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & eighteen  
and Signed in the presence of

# Greene County Wills

James Gallin, Esq.

1816-1842

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