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Greene County Court of ordinary September Term 1831
Personally appeared in open Court, Henry C. Bragg & Daniel
Bethune - two of the subscribing witnesses to the within last
Will and Testament of Jacob Wright, and on oath depose -
that they saw him subscribe the same, and that they each
believe him to be of perfect sound mind & disposing memory
at the time of his signing the same, and that they in the
presence of each other together with Richard Ashbury then
the presence of the testator, subscribed their names as
witnesses thereto. -

Subscribed in open Court

5th day of September 1831

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Thomas W. Grimes Clerk

Henry C. Bragg

Daniel Bethune

Recorded 24th day of November 1831.

Thomas W. Grimes Clerk

Robert Wright's Will

Greene

County

In the name of God Amen - I Robert
Wright of the State and County aforesaid being weak in body
but of sound mind have made and ordained this my
last Will and Testament. -

First I give my body to the dust to be buried at the discretion of my
Executors my soul I recommend to God who gives it. -

2nd My Will is that all my Just be paid by my Executors
as soon after my decease as practicable. -

3rd I give and bequeath to my two sons Robert Wright and Joseph
Wright, the tract of lands that I purchased of Williams Brown
and not heretofore disposed of by me, to be equally divided
according to quality and quantity.

4th I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Wright the two tracts of land
which I purchased of James & Daniel and William Allen. -

5th I give and bequeath to my son Michael Wright Abraham, Cynthia,
James, Shelton, Phoebe, Addeline, & Jackson as his full portion of
my Estate. -

6th I give and bequeath to my Daughter Sally Cook, Toby, Zella, -
Cynthia, Little Jenny, Amy, Abigail, Mary, Charlotte, Pleasant,
& Girl Spencer, Caroline, and Mary as her full portion of
my Estate.

7th I give and bequeath to my Daughter Betsey exactly Jenny, George
Smith, Young, Sarah, Hannah, Maria, Durham, & Melinda as her full
portion of my Estate. -

8th I Give and bequeath to my Executors hereafter named Robert Wright
Thomas Wright, Joseph Wright and Thomas Stocks in trust for my

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Daughter Peggy Daughton, Lecky, Lelley, Lemmy, Child, Mary, Rachel, Indey, W. Bank, Washington Bloom. The sole right of said Negroes to be in my said Executors, the use thereof of said property to be enjoyed by my said Daughter during her life, & at her death to be equally divided among her children. -

9th I give and bequeath to my son Robert Wright in addition to the Land before mentioned, Mf. Mummy, Linnette, Seaborn, Franky, Chley, Edward, Rebecca, standing, Emily, Dick, Shade, Martin, Stephen, Edy, Nancy, Olly, Martha, Billy, Parker, Mummy. -

10 I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Wright in addition to the Land heretofore mentioned, Jim, Stewart, Eliza, Augustus, Nancy, Wiley, Tom, Feller, Anthony, Betty, Billy, Fellers, Young Child, Grumpy and Julia & his full portion of my Estate. -

11 I give and bequeath to my son Joseph Wright in addition to the Land before mentioned, Mary, Shade, Mahaly, Ephrona, Easton, Henry Thomas, Solomon, Willis, Charles, Randle, Peter, old lady, Sarah, Fanny, Nelson, John Gray. -

12 I give and bequeath to my said Executors in trust for my son William Wright, Stitchell, Lemmy, Randle & Eliza four Shires called Dory, the sole right of said Negroes to be in my said Executors the use thereof to go to the support of William during his life, and at his death said Negroes & their increase to be divided among my heirs, share and share alike. -

13 All the balance of my Estate not specially Willed away I give to my sons Robert and Joseph Wright to be equally divided. -

14th I nominate and appoint my sons, Robert Wright, Thomas Wright & Joseph Wright and Thomas Stocks Executors to this my last Will and Testament with full powers to carry the same into full effect. -

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th May 1831.

Signed & sealed in presence of
Robert Booth
James H. Daniel
John Wilson

his
Robert X Wright (Seal)
mark

Georgia In the undersigned do hereby certify that within County of the foregoing and annexed is substantially a copy of Robert Wright's Will, Executed in our presence on the 29th Sunday in May last.

Given under our hands this 17th June 1831.
Thomas Stocks
Robert Booth
James H. Daniel

Georgia In the undersigned do hereby certify that within County of the foregoing and annexed is substantially a copy of Robert Wright's Will, Executed in our presence on the 29th Sunday in May last.

I Personally appeared Robert Booth & James K. Daniel
 who being duly sworn say that they were witnesses to a
 paper presented by Robert Wright late of said County -
 deceased as his last Will and Testament and that to
 the best of their recollection Believing the foregoing to be in substance
 a copy of said last Will & Testament -
 Sworn to in open Court
 this 4th July 1831
 Thomas McGinnis CLK Robert Booth
 James K. Daniel

Courts Court of ordinary September Term 1831
 Personally appeared in open Court, Robert Booth &
 James K. Daniel say on oath that they were subscribing
 witnesses to the last Will & Testament of Robert Wright
 deceased, of which they believe the within to be a copy
 in substance, that the said original Will was duly signed
 and executed in their presence by said Robert Wright &
 that they each subscribed the same as witnesses in his
 presence - John Wilson appeared also in open Court
 and said on oath that he was a subscribing witness
 to the original last Will & Testament of said Robert Wright
 that said Robert acknowledged the same to be his last
 Will & Testament & acknowledged his signature thereto
 in his deponents presence, and that he signed the
 same as a witness in said Testators presence & each of
 the witnesses believed the Testator was of sound & disposing
 mind & memory at the time he signed & acknowledged
 his signature to said Will -
 Sworn to in open Court -
 5th September 1831
 Thomas McGinnis CLK Robert Booth
 James K. Daniel
 John Wilson

Robert Wright
 Joseph Wright
 Thomas Wright
 Propounders of the last
 Will & Testament of
 Robert Wright & dec.

Covalidators

John H. Broughton
 Others Coadjutors
 1 Nicholas Lewis
 2 James Bolwin
 3 Hugh Moore
 4 William Muncieff
 5 David Sayers
 6 Johnstone Walker

Special Jury
 7 William Redd
 8 James M. Houghton
 9 Ezekiel Perkins
 10 Holcomb J. Starke
 11 William Daniel
 12 Ambrose Hucherson

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Be the Jury find that the within is a copy of the original last Will & Testament of Robert Wright deceased that said original has been lost. And we decree that the within copy be established in lieu of and as the said original last Will & Testament of said Robert Wright. And that the probate of the same in the Court of ordinary be confirmed.
Nicholas Lewis Jernam

Whereupon it is considered ordered & adjudged by the Court that the within paper is a copy of the last will & testament of Robert Wright deceased, and that the same be established in lieu of and as said original - that the probates of the same in the Court of ordinary be confirmed - and that said Will thus established be returned to the Court of ordinary for Record and other usual proceedings. -

Goster Wingfield atts for
Propounder of the Will
15th September 1831.

Recorded 24th day of November 1831

Thomas W. Grimes Clerk

Clarissa Sindsays Will

Georgia

Prune County In the name of God Amen, I Clarissa Sindsay of the county and State aforesaid, being now advanced in life and being in a low state of health, but of a sound mind disposing mind do make this my last Will and Testament - First I recommend my body to the Earth from whence it was taken and my soul to God who gave it me. -

- Item 1st It is my Will that the House and lot whereon Walter Mader and Henry King, lives near Cornsfordville be given to my Daughter Sarah C. B. Gatlin and my Son.
- " 2nd I will and bequeath unto my two sons John C. W. Sindsay and R. F. W. Sindsay and Nemps H. C. Gordon and Sarah C. B. Gatlin my two Daughters and Amanda C. D. Birds and Nathan W. Stephens my two Grand Daughters an equal share of all the money and Notes that I may have on hand at my death. -
- 3rd I will and bequeath unto Benjamin F. H. Sindsay in trust for my Son Nemps H. C. Gordon a certain Negro Girl by the name of Sophia, ^{now} her possession during the term of her natural life and after her death to go to Caroline W. Woods her Daughter. -
- 4th I will and bequeath unto Williamson Birds John Lee John F. Gordon my sons in laws five Dollars each. -
- 5th I further will and bequeath unto Benjamin F. H. Sindsay in trust for my Daughter Nemps H. C. Gordon her distributive share of all the