

...the day of my death...
that I witnessed the same...
eyes... the summer of the...
who subscribed the same as a witness...
of the testator & at his request & that the same...
voluntarily executed by him while he was of sound...
disposing mind & memory. J. B. Badger
...to & subscribed for me. this 11. day of
1859. Jo. J. Jones of Hart County

Georgia } In the name of God Amen - I Robert
Hart County } of said state & County, being of advanced age
& knowing that I must shortly depart this life, desire
right & proper both as respect my family & myself
that I should make a disposition of the property
which a kind Providence has placed in my hands. I therefore
do my will & testament, hereby revoking all other
wills I have made by me. 1st I leave & desire & direct
that my body be buried in the Christian Church
monument suitable to my circumstances & condition
life, my soul I trust shall return to rest to
whom you it as I hope for eternal salvation through
merits & atonement of the blood of Jesus Christ
Whom Religion I have professed as I humbly trust since
for about forty years. 2nd I leave - I desire & direct
that all my just debts be paid without delay by
executors being after appointed as I am unwilling any
two should be delayed in their rights, especially
there is no necessity of delay. 3rd I leave & direct
to my daughter Mary - One hundred fifty dollars
one bed & bedding & one cow & calf. 4th I leave
& bequeath to my daughter Susan one hundred dollars
one bed & bedding & one cow & calf. 5th I leave
& bequeath to my daughter Emily one hundred dollars
& ten dollars, one bed & bedding & one cow & calf. 6th I leave
& bequeath to my son Thos. H. one hundred dollars
I desire & direct that my lands be sold in a
of twelve months & for the same I direct
James, James & Prof. West all my
furniture & all my tools of

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of which I now own & not having further mention
and the amount of said property be collected & disposed of as
mentioned in said will. 8th Item I have & direct that the
money arising from the sale of my estate both real & per-
sonal be equally divided between my sons & daughters allow-
ing the three sons of James one share & be equally divided
between them. To wit - Nancy May, Elizabeth, Joseph James the
son of James. Joseph, William, Geo Washington, Jas Robert
Susan Emily, Thos. A. 9th Item I should say be money be-
lieved that is due to me - I direct that it be divided in the
same manner as pointed out in the eight item of this will.
10th Item - I hereby constitute & appoint my son Joseph Black &
William J. Dyar as executors of this my last will & testament.
This 27th day 1860. Robt Black Esq
Signed, sealed, delivered & published by Robt Black, as his last
will & testament in the presence of us the subscribers who sub-
scribed our names hereto in the presence of said testator at his
special instance & request & of each acted this 27th 1860
Jas. M. Webb. Wm. H. Crow. **Hart County Wills (1847-1862)**
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Georgia
Hart County } Before me J B Hodges 1860 for said County. Came
the last will of Robt Black, one of the witnesses of said will to wit - J. B. Hodges
Dyar & the will having been before that time but before me for probate
the executors Joseph Black & Wm J. Dyar who have filed a petition for probate
of the same, the said witnesses depose of the same that they saw
said Robt Black sign & publish the same as his last will
on the day & year therein stated as executed by him, that he
witnessed the same at his request in the presence & in the
presence of Jas M. Webb & Wm H. Crow. that the same was vol-
untarily executed by him, while he was of sound & his
fearing mind & memory.
J. B. Hodges
Ordinary Hart County