

The last Will & Testament of Stephen. Decatur. Johnson.
I Stephen. Decatur. Johnson. of Henry. County. Georgia.
do make & ordained this to be my last Will & Testament.
First) I give & bequeath to my beloved Mother Mary. E. Johnson & my beloved Sister Julia. Ann. Johnson all the Money and property of any or every kind whatever to which I am or may be intitled to as one of the heirs & distributees of my late father Waddell. Johnson. dead whether in the hands of, John. W. Langford formerly my Guardian or in the hands of any other person such estate to be equally divided between my Mother & sister above named.
Second) I give & bequeath to my beloved Mother & Sister above named an equal part any and all estate of whatever kind to which I may now be intitled.
Third) I nominate & appoint. B. J. Johnson Executor of this my last Will & Testament. Signed, sealed, published & declared in our presence. Witnessed by us in the presence of each other.
B. V. Dixon,
Heargrave. Weiskley, Surg of Hospital S. J. Johnson (Seal)

B. J. Johnson.
Nov 4th 1863

Georgia 3 Court of Ordinary, May Term May 2nd 1864.
Henry Co 3 Into open court this day came B. J. Johnson subscribing witness to the foregoing Will who being duly sworn deposes & saith that he saw Stephen. Decatur. Johnson. sign, seal, publish, & declare the within instrument as his last Will & Testament freely voluntarily & of his own accord & without any restraint or influence whatever that at the time of the Execution of said Will & Testament he was of sound disposing mind & memory; that deponent at the time he signed said Will & Testament was of sound disposing mind & memory. That deponent signed said Will as witnesses in the presence of the Testator & at his special instance & request & in the presence of B. V. Dixon & Heargrave Weiskley the other witnesses who signed likewise, & the said B. J. Johnson having propounded the said Will for probate in common form of Law deposes & saith that this instrument contains the true last Will & Testament of the within named S. J. Johnson & as far as he knows or believes & that he will well & truly execute the same by paying first the debts & then the Legacies contained in said Will so far as his goods & chattels will thereunto &

tend & the Law charge him & that he will make & true
& perfect inventory of said goods & chattels.
Sworn to in open court
this May 9th 1864
O. R. Nolan Crdy.

F. J. Johnson.

Georgia } In the name of God amen I Francis W.
Henry Co } Nail of said State & County being of ad-
vanced age but of sound & disposing mind & memory
knowing that I must shortly depart this life deem it
right & proper both as respects myself & my family that
I should make a disposition of the property with which
a kind providence has bestowed me I do therefore make
this my Last Will & Testament hereby revoking & annulling
all others made by me heretofore
First) I desire & direct that my body be buried in a
decent & christian like manner suitable to my circumstances
& condition in life my soul I trust shall return to rest
with God who gave it as I hope for salvation through
the merits & atonement of the blessed Lord & Saviour Jesus
Christ.

Second) I desire & direct that all my just debts be
paid without delay by my Executors hereafter named
and appointed.

Third) I give bequeath & devise to my beloved wife
Sarah, A. Nail Lots of Land number one hundred &
seventy one and one hundred & eighty two it being
the south half of number one hundred & seventy one
& the North half of Lot number one hundred & eighty two
in the Eight District of Henry County containing two
hundred two & a half acres more or less with all the
rights members & appertanances to said Lots of Land.
in any wise belonging. I also give & bequeath to my
beloved wife all my farming tools blacksmith tools
household & kitchen furniture of all kinds One Mare
& Colt Cow's Hogs & Sheep & my Negro Man Harp
of a yellow complexion about thirty eight years old
with all the rest of my credit the residue of my
Property both real & personal whatever or whatso-
ever it may be I give & bequeath to my beloved
wife Sarah, ~~A. Nail~~, during her natural life or
widowhood and at her death or intermarriage all the