

Georgia } In the name of God Amen.
 Jasper County } I Joseph A Willson of the State and County
 aforesaid, being possessed of my sound mind and memory,
 though well in body, do make constitute and ordain this
 my last will and testament—

Item 1st My soul I give into the hands of God, who gave me.
 My body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent manner
 Whithin the manner and all my lawful debts paid—

Item 2nd I will to my beloved wife Nancy Willson one third more
 with an equal portion of my ^{then} estate with my children—

Item 3rd I will for all the balance of my estate to be equally
 divided amongst my children and my wife Nancy Willson
 and my son Abel Willson, my daughter Sarah J Willson, my
 daughter Barbara Willson, and my little daughter which has
 not yet been named, also if my beloved wife Nancy Willson
 should have a living child or children by me I wish for it or
 them to be included with the rest of my legatees, and to have
 an equal share of my estate. I wish for my plantation to
 be rented all but my house and a small quantity of
 ground for my wife and children, to have for their own
 use, also for my negroes to be hired out till my children
 shall come of age or till my wife shall die, when I wish
 a division to be made as above stated. I wish for my Executors
 to sell all my perishable property when they may think proper.
 Item 4th I will that my beloved brother Abel P Willson and James
 W Weatherbee be and they are hereby appointed my Executors
 to carry into effect this my last will and testament, I wish
 for my Executors to have full discretionary power to act in any
 way they may think proper to carry into effect this my last will—
 Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of September
 1836.

Joseph A Willson *Decd*

Signed and sealed in
 presence of, Eliphaz Dodson
 Daniel Hecorn
 J. A. Johnson

Georgia } Personally appeared Daniel Hecorn
 Jasper County } sworn before me and after being duly sworn
 deposed and said, that he saw Joseph A Willson, do give
 the above will for the purpose therein mentioned, and that
 Eliphaz Dodson, James A Johnson and my self, were sub-
 scribing witnesses to the same— sworn to and subscribed this
 2nd day of January 1837—
 Daniel Hecorn
 Edward Willis C. C. C.

Recorded January 16th 1837—
 Edward Willis C. C. C.

List of articles sold, belonging to the
 Estate of Joseph A Willson Decd. sold
 sold on the tenth day 1837

2 Aigons	B. J. Willson	844
2 Axes	J. Hattings	1 25
Lot Churns & Sundries	W. H. Lyate	564
1 Saddle & Saddle plain	John A. Broughton	434
1 Saddle and four plain	B. J. Willson	1 68 7/8
1 Saddle	Do	1 54
1 Saddle	Do	1 00
1 Horse	Stephen Willson	1 06 1/4
1 Lot Churns	A. P. Willson	25
1 In Sharp Churns	Do	3 7 1/2
1 Cutting Knife	Do	2 25
1 Crook and Saw	He W. Hubbard	1 00
1 White Lard Tray	Wm. H. Lyate	4 62 1/4
1 Stacks of Lard	B. J. Willson	3 25
1 Stacks Oats	Do	8 00
1 Red Lard	W. H. Lyate	3 3 1/2
1 Do Do	Do	1 00
1 Blue Lard	William H. Lyate	3 00
1 Black Lard	Wm. H. Lyate	2 75
1 New Board	A. P. Willson	3 25 1/4

Am't Bro't Over ^{Corrected Am't Bro't over 7/29/34}
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1 Buckle Sho	B. Williams	3	25	
5 Paws of Cow at 28 1/4	John H. Cammick	14	06 1/4	
3 Co. Co	B. Williams	300.	15	00
5 Co. Co	Co	300.	15	00
3 Co. Co	A. Thompson	15	00	
1 Small hufon	Wm. Thomsen	8	00	
1 Co. Co	Co	3	00	
1 Lot for hides Chapman	Lawson	2	50	
1 Log Chain	A. P. Wilson	3	3 1/2	
1 Co. Co	James C. Hamilton	2	54 1/2	171.12
1 Tanning Shovel	A. P. Wilson		68 3/4	
1 Tanning Pan	Co		68 3/4	
1 Leather of pair horse shoes	B. Williams		25	
1 Cow bar	Co		1 25	
1 pair Saddle bags	J. A. Johnson	3	00	
1 Live	A. P. Wilson		50	
3 Measuring	James McWhorter		50	
1 Buffaloe hide	J. A. Johnson	3	25	
1 Grindstone	Sam'l Henderson	8	62 1/4	16.50
1 Cotton Gin	J. B. Shack	69	00	
" And Cotton gin for him 450	Wm. Thomsen	283	72	
bottom in patch for him	A. P. Wilson 320	82	55	
Estates of Stationary	Co	160	00	
1 pr foot Adds	B. Williams	1	43 3/4	
1 Spot Gun	J. McWhorter	2	06 1/4	
1 Litch blade	Richard Linn	1	87 1/2	
1 Wind. Shape	James C. Hamilton	5	25	
1 Aug	Wm. Thomsen	1	00	610.31 1/4
				777.56 1/4
				167.23 1/2

This is the correct am't & carried to page 2

A List of Mts Paid off
By Abel P. Williams one of the
Executors of the Estate of Joseph Williams
for the year 1837

Am't	Re B. Williams	No 1	1.35	\$ 04
to the Editor of Federal Union pub	Sub 2		4.00	
David Allison account	"	3	12.50	
Simon Sandage account	"	4	39 1/4	
Edward Heccks Receipt	"	5	5.50	
Co. Co	"	6	1.25	
Lawson Receipt	"	7	90	
Thomas Mc B. Hairy "act"	"	8	62 1/4	
				\$29.93 3/4

The following is an account or list
of Mts paid out by me James McWhorter
one of the Executors of Joseph Williams
deceased for the year 1837

Am't	Re S. Linn	No 1	6.00 1/4	
Co. Co	B. Shack	2	20.50	
John Watson		3	12.50	
J. Mc Lamm		4	4.12 1/4	
Henry Smith		5	4.00	
A. P. Lawson		6	7.00	
Co. Co		7	3.75	
James Potts		8	9.50	
				\$66.43 3/4

Examined and found to
be correct on this 22 of February
1838

Richard Linn
James McWhorter
Witnessed the 11 of March Executor
1838
Richard Linn

A Return of debts paid off against the estate of Joseph A. Wilson
 Pursuant to Act & Opinion one of the Executors and dated Jan 1837

			£	cts
" " Trust Cash & Chas account	no 1	25	00	
" " Tawny Chunks Noto	no 2	72	16	
" " Co Co Co	no 3	27	00	
" " Insurance & Tafe Co	no 4	88	13	
" " John Lindsay Co	no 5	81	75	
" " Williams & Thomas a/c	no 6	1	50	
" " William & Mary Co	no 7	4	00	
" " Samy & Thomas & Noto	no 8	23	30	
" " W. E. E. Co a/c	no 9	6	00	
" " Williams & Dwyer Co	no 10	3	50	
" " E. E. E. Co a/c	no 11	4	02 1/2	
" " E. E. Hollaway Co	no 12	5	73 1/2	
" " Williams & Miller Co	no 13	5	88	
" " Williams & Hunt & Co a/c	no 14	64	06	
" " Samy & Dwyer Paid for 1837	no 15	1	73	
			£134.97 0	

The Estate of Joseph A. Wilson has
 By Sale of cotton made in the Year 1837
 and sold May 3rd 1838 which was shown to be

" " " " " 1st	320
" " " " " 2nd	339
" " " " " 3rd	336
" " " " " 4th	319
" " " " " 5th	313
" " " " " 6th	306
" " " " " 7th	330
At 17th " "	2267
17th " "	1734
17th " "	1734
17th " "	1734

Examined & accounted to before me
 Jan 7th 1839. Richard H. Minister & Co
 Recorded February 1st 1839 Richard H. Minister
 Attest John P. Wilson one of the Executors

Sale of the property belonging to the Estate of Joseph
 A. Wilson Pursuant to Act & Opinion one of the Executors dated 13th of February 1837

1 Lot of plows	Williams & Minister	1	56 1/2
1 Co Co	James & Minister	1	57
1 Co Co	" Co	1	31 1/2
1 Co Co	" Co	1	12 1/2
1 Club App	Robert & Hamper	1	13 1/2
1 Lot of musty stuff	A. P. Williams	1	31 1/2
1 Shovel Co.	" Co	1	10
1 Spade	Calver & Banks	1	56 1/2
1 pr of Lard	John & Wilson	1	87 1/2
1 Co Co	Benjamin & Wilson	2	12 1/2
1 Co Co	" Co	2	37 1/2
2 Winding how 3 hollars	John & Wilson	2	35
1 Lot of Shop Lard	Robert & Smith	1	50
1 Spooling Knife Co	" Co	1	13 1/2
1 Iron Wagon	W. S. Minister	1	66 1/2
1 Lot of plows	" Co	1	75
1 Hand Lard	Calver & Banks	1	75
1 Nutcracker	A. P. Williams	1	25
2 Gyngtoms & C	A. P. Williams	1	16 1/2
1 Lot of augurs	E. W. Brown	1	75
1 plow fork	E. W. Brown	1	100
1 pr of footboards	E. W. Brown	1	100
1 Wash pot	Calver & Banks	1	50
1 Gyngt & handle	John & Wilson	3	00
1 Iron	A. P. Williams	1	75
1 Shillite & Lard	Robert & Hamper	1	87 1/2
1 Sea Kettle	" Co	1	68 1/2
1 Kettle & Hooks	James & Minister	1	00
1 Lard	Robert & Hamper	2	66 1/2
1 Lot of Lard	A. P. Williams	1	37 1/2
1 Lard & Lard	John & Wilson	1	37 1/2
1 Lard	" Co	1	37 1/2

Smt Port up		14050	
1 St. Paul's Church	J. H. Johnson	93	
1 Table	J. H. Johnson	56	
1 Clock	J. H. Johnson	13	06
1 Antiques Watch	J. H. Johnson	7	13
1 Set of Chains	James L. Minister	2	00
1 Carriage Light Clothing	J. H. Johnson	1	13
1 Working Glass	J. H. Johnson	1	13
1 Bed of Furniture	James L. Minister	20	00
1 Bed Bedstead Mat	J. H. Johnson	1	13
1 prof. Smithing	J. H. Johnson	1	18
1 Lot Bedsteads	J. H. Johnson	6	06
1 Bed & furniture	A. P. Willens	21	12
1 Bedstead & furniture	J. H. Johnson	3	30
1 Sideboard	J. H. Johnson	11	12
1 Lot of clothing	J. H. Johnson	31	44
1 Co. Co.	J. H. Johnson	56	
1 Sugar stand	J. H. Johnson	114	
1 Co. Co.	J. H. Johnson	114	
5 Cup plates & saucers	James L. Minister	33	
6 Turners plates	A. P. Willens	58	
1 Lot Cup & saucers	John P. Minick	12	
1 Ornaments for the church	J. H. Johnson	58	
1 Table & 4 chairs	James L. Minister	63	
1 Pipe for the church	William L. Minister	12	4.12
1 Lot of furniture	John P. Minick	62	
1 Co. Co.	James L. Minister	12	
1 Case for the church	A. P. Willens	26	
1 Lot of Books	John P. Minick	56	
1 Bible	James L. Minister	2	58
1 James Chamberlain	J. H. Johnson	58	
1 Coffee Mill	James L. Minister	25	
1 Lot Co.	A. P. Willens	31	
1 Water Buckets	J. H. Johnson	43	
1 White Soap	James L. Minister	56	
1 New Shirts	J. H. Johnson	43	

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The following which all the articles come to the State of Joseph L. Willens
 Received the 12th of March 1839
 Richard Minister

incision Dr.
\$53.43 1/2
2.. 12 1/2
55 55 - 96 1/4
incision

incision Minor Dr.
from North
\$977 15 11
Guarantee -

Edmondson now
has in part
E. Peavy

Appraisment of the Estate of Joseph A. Wilkins Deceased

Myro by Adam appr. at \$1050.00
Said a good child 700.00
Minto 600.00
\$2350.00

We the undersigned appraisers do
certify that the above is a true statement
of the appraisment of the myros belonging
to the estate of Joseph A. Wilkins Deceased
this 12th February 1839

William H. Hyatt
Richard Tinker
William J. Jones
appraising

I present the above myros duly sworn by and
this 12th Day of February 1839

Charles Crawford J.P.

The foregoing is a return of the appraisment of the myros
belonging to the Estate of Joseph A. Wilkins Deceased
which was made for the purpose of paying off the
Widow her share or part of said myros property
and which I. Abel P. Wilkins and of the Com. of now
return to the Court this 4th March 1839

Abel P. Wilkins Comr

Recorded March the 12th 1839 Richard Plummer Clerk

The Estate of Joseph A. Wilkins Deceased 1838

Cash Paid John Broughton	no 1	34.57
Broughton to Endow	no 2	30.35
Broughton & W. A. Broughton	no 3	46.17
E. H. Crawford	no 4	8.20
Pol. Co. Co.	no 5	15.47
Mary Bradman	no 6	1.00
J. Stallings	no 7	2.10
and Camille Ann		\$135.86

Spent Post Acc.		\$ 13.56
To William M. Elliott.	no 8.	20.00
William Smith	no 7.	15.00
J. B. Randall	no 10.	2.00
Jenkins Willson	no 11.	2.87
R. Plummer & Co.	no 12.	2.57
		<u>\$ 77.93</u>

The following is a volume of cheep made of 762 bbs
 Cotton sold at 87 1/2 Cents for the consigning to the
 Estate of Joseph A. Willson Executor of the
 the year 1839 Cheep made by one and of the Cons.
 and said Estate which is by R. Plummer &
 14 Cents \$ 61.54

Examined and found
 to be correct March the 10th 1839
 Richard Plummer & Co. One of the Cons.
 Recorded May the 22nd 1839 Richard Plummer & Co.

A Return on the Estate of Joseph Willson Exec. by J. P. Willson Executor of
 of Pitts. Co. for the year 1839

From first Richard Plummer & Co. Receipt	No 1.	125
" Joseph A. Willson Receipt	No 2.	371
" Third Receipt	No 3.	5.00
Amount paid on paying out \$ 500		<u>796</u>
		<u>\$ 11.31</u>

A Return on the estate of Joseph Willson Exec. by J. P. Willson. Administrator
 of Pitts. Co. for the year 1839 & Returnable Jan 1840

From first Receipt	No 1.	125	Return on the estate of Joseph Willson Exec. for 1840 amount to \$ 4.39.
" Do Do	No 2.	200 52.5	
Amount paid on paying out \$ 1000		<u>277</u>	
Examined & found to be correct		<u>\$ 602.25</u>	

Recorded 15th 1840 Richard Plummer & Co.
 This Return to be considered as admitted at Jan 1st 1840
 Recorded November 20th 1840 R. Plummer & Co.

A list of
 Dunn die
 3 Bed & sheet
 4 Counterpane
 1 Feather bed
 20th ground bed
 1 lot of curtains
 2 flat iron
 4 days 300-11
 1 Coffee pot
 1 pair cards
 1 Loom 11 1/2
 1 lot of plates
 2 axes 33 1/2
 20
 1 Iron wedge
 1 Iron board
 One large piece
 One small bar
 2 Rawhide 4
 2 Yoke string 5
 1 White & red
 1 Yellow cow
 1 Bell cow
 1 Black heifer
 1 Yellow ste
 1 Iron stack
 Two and a half
 One sugar w
 1
 1 Negro of
 1 boy a boy
 1 boy 1000
 1 boy a boy
 1 Sorrel colt
 2 cows 414 pigs