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The above articles have their true value, agreeably to
the opinion of our witnesses of them. This 3^d November 1837

E. Baker
Witness
Joshua F. Long
John M. Mearns

Dec'd 2^d Dec. 6 1840

John W. May, Clerk

I, Elijah Baker do make my last will and testament in the
following manner. I give and bequeath to my wife Mary Baker
the sum of two hundred dollars in lieu of her dower. I also
give and bequeath to my said wife all my personal estate
except my negro slaves to her and heirs forever.
I give to my son William I. Baker & to his heirs and assigns
all my real estate and all of my negro slaves. My wife to be
entitled during her natural life to one half of the net
proceeds of the labor on hire of those slaves after deducting
therefrom her proportion of expenses arising from maintenance
& so forth. It is my will that my wife may continue to
reside at Walthamville as long as she may choose to do so
and I deposit this life with cash on hand to the amount of
three hundred dollars or more. Let the same be equally
divided between my wife and my son if the sum be less than
three hundred dollars my wife must have it. In confirmation
of the above I, my son William I. Baker being appointed my
Executor, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth
day of June in the year of our Lord a thousand and
thirty eight.

In presence of

Jonathan

James I. McCallough

Samuel West

E. Baker (Lst)

By the above bequest of personal property to my wife Mary
Baker is meant only such property as is contained in my dwelling
house and out houses at Walthamville together with my horse
and gey to which I now add such neat cattle as I may be possessed
of and half of my sheep the remainder of my personal property
if any then be I give to my son William I. Baker.

Witness

Jonathan

to stay I. L. L.

E. Baker

George

Liberty County

James I. McCallough being duly sworn
deposes that he is a competent
witness to the within (above) last will and

Testament of Elijah Baker deceased which he saw duly executed by the said testator in the presence of R. S. Leonard and Daniel Meist the other subscribing witnesses and that the said testator appeared at the time to be in his perfect senses

Sworn to before us
this 6. January 1840
S. H. Bacon J. C. C. L.
Wm. B. Gaudin J. C. C. L.
E. Stacy J. C. C. L.

Jas. S. M'Callough

State of Georgia
Liberty County }

Egon Stacy being duly sworn deposes and swears that he is a subscribing witness to the codicil of the within last will and testament of Mr. Elijah Baker deceased which he saw duly executed by the said testator in the presence of R. S. Leonard the other subscribing witness to the same and that the said testator appeared at the time to be in his perfect senses

Sworn to before us
this 6 Jan'y 1840
S. H. Bacon J. C. C. L.
J. L. Spencer J. C. C. L.
Wm. S. Way J. C. C. L.

E. Stacy

Recorded Feb. 6 1840
Schmidt Stacy etc

State of Georgia
Liberty County }

You George W. Walther R. S. Baker and J. S. Fleming do swear that you will make a true appraisement and inventory of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of Elijah Baker late of Liberty County deceased as shall be proved and shown to you by William B. Baker Executor of the last will and testament of Elijah Baker deceased and that you will return the same certified under your hands to the said Wm. B. Baker within the time prescribed by laws So help you God

Sworn to before me this
7 day of January 1840
Wm. S. Way J. C. C. L.

Geo. W. Walther
Rich. S. Baker
J. S. Fleming

Inventory and Appraisalment of Est. Elijah Baker

type name etc July. valued at \$ 200.00

Am't Brought forward \$ 4366.50

Mary Magdalen	600.00	Set tin ware & candle sticks	3.75
Rachin	250.00	Andersons Shovel & tongs	5.00
Patsy	200.00	old andirons	1.00
Lady	150.00	Book Case & Books	8.00
Robert	100.00	Crucifix & glass ware	13.00
Bob	600.00	Jars & Demijohns	7.00
Moses	700.00	4 Sad Irons	.75
Loby	550.00	Lot tools	2.00
Grace	550.00	" Baskets	1.50
one half Horse gun	10.00	Copper mite	.50
1 plough	2.00	measures or. Buck or.	1.00
x cut saw	4.00	1 Dish 2. 1 clock 3	5.00
ox cart	50.00	Bureau glass & dipping cone	17.00
5 head cattle	30.00	Table & Safe	2.00
22. do sheep	23.00	Lot Bedding & Bedstead No 1.	65.00
new gig	135.00	do do do No 2	60.00
old gig	30.00	was 2 Stand & Basin	2.00
Brown Horse	100.00	Pine slab	1.00
Horse Red Blank	15.00	16 Shears	.50
Mahogany dining table	15.00	2 axes & 1 axe	1.00
Stained do	4.00	wheel & reel	5.00
Tea table & mile	15.00	Lot trunks	6.00
2 pine do	3.00	Grindstone	1.00
1 small do	1.00	large pot & kitchen furniture	14.50
6 straw bottomed chairs	7.50		
1 Rocking chair	4.00		
Lot old chairs	2.00		
	4366.50		
		Total	4589.50

We do certify that the foregoing is a true inventory and appraisalment of the Chattels goods and effects of the Estate of Elijah Baker as shown us the appraisers by William 2. Baker the Executor - January 7. 1840

Geo. W. Walther
J. S. Fleming
Richd S. Baker } Appraisers

Reviewed Feb 17 1840
John W. Ray Clerk

In the Name of God. amen — I, Eliza Quartermore
Mallard of the State of Georgia and County of Liberty
being of Sound mind and memory and being desirous
so to settle my worldly affairs that I may be discharged
from all secular concerns at the solemn hour of
death Do make my last will and testament as follows
I desire to commit my precious & immortal soul into
the hands of my all wise and gracious Creator Hoping
in his mercy solely on account of the infinite merits
of my savior and Redeemer — I commit my body to the
earth humbly trusting that at the great Resurrection
day it will be quickened and reunited to my soul and
both soul and body be made perfectly happy in the full
enjoyment of God the Father Son & Holy Ghost to all
eternity — I dispose of those worldly goods which
God in his kind providence has been pleased to bestow upon
me in the following manner — To my beloved Mother
Lydia Mallard I give & bequeath my negro woman
Hannah Hagan — to her & her heirs forever — The remainder
of my Estate both real and personal I give and
bequeath unto my beloved Mother Lydia — My Brother
John and my Sisters Ann & Mary — to be equally
divided between them — Share & Share alike — To them &
their heirs forever — I make & declare Constitute
and appoint my beloved Mother Lydia Mallard
Executor & my Friend William Quartermore Baker
executor of this my last will and testament — In testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this
1st Day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and twenty one

Signed sealed published and declared
by the testator Eliza Q. Mallard as her

Last will and Testament

in presence of —

Elizabeth Quartermore

Rebecca Q. Mallard

Thos. Mallard & J. J. C.

Eliza Q. Mallard

Personally appeared Thomas Mallard who being duly sworn deposes & saith
that he is a subscribing witness to the within last will and testament of
Eliza Q. Mallard deceased that he saw it duly executed in the presence
of Elizabeth Quartermore & Rebecca Q. Mallard the other subscribing
witnesses and that the testatrix appeared to be in her perfect senses
at the time

Thos. Mallard

Sworn and subscribed before us 8. May 1840

J. H. Bacon J. H. C. L. C. Wm. A. May J. H. C. L. C.

Recorded July

1840 John H. May & Co.