

Green B. Watson dec'd

State of Georgia, Marion County

I in the name of God, Amen!
I Green B. Watson of said State and County
being of advanced age, and knowing that I
must shortly die, do make this my last will
and testament, hereby revoking all others her-
etofore made by me.

Item 1st I desire and direct that my body be
buried in a decent and Christian like manner
suitable to my circumstances and condition in
life, my soul I trust, shall return to rest with
God.

Item 2nd I give bequeath and devise to my beloved
wife Maria Watson, all my property and share
both real and personal, so long as she re-
mains a widow, to use or dispose of as she may
see fit and spend her with the advice of my
Executors hereinafter to be named.

Item 3rd In the event my beloved wife Maria should
either marry or die then it is my will that my
Executors heretofore called James and ~~William~~
~~Watson~~ shall take charge of my said and keep
the whole of my property to which my pre-
sent child shall become of age or marry
then the same to be equally divided among my
children Mary and Sarah alive.

Item 4th I hereby constitute and appoint my be-
loved wife Maria Watson, and my worthy friends
Caleb Jones and ~~Henry Watson~~ ^{W. H. Smith} Executors of
this my last Will and Testament
this 1876

Signed, sealed, declared and published by Green
B. Watson as his last Will and Testament in the
presence of the subscribers who subscribed their
names hereto in the presence of the testator
at his special instance and request and of
each other

This
John Perkins
W. H. Johnson
G. W. Hall
N. C. Hall

1876

Green B. Watson
mark

I Green B. Watson do certify that

The name of Mary Townsend as Executed by him to
quest was marked out and the name of Will Quirk
inserted in its stead. On 19th of March 1877

Given 13th of March 1877

Mary A. Smith
and J. Singleton

Georgia Marion County

Court of Ordinary for

Year 1877

At this Term of the Court a proper question
made to be the last Will and Testament of Green W.
Halsey of said County, dec'd. was referred for Report
to Com'rs. Geo. W. Carter and J. appearing at
the testimony of John Perkins of the Subscribing
witnesses to the said Will Green W. Halsey did
sign, read, publish and declare the same to be same
to be his last Will and Testament in the presence
of said witnesses and in other witnesses to wit: J. S. Smith
J. S. Lane and J. C. Lane and said said witnesses together
with the other witnesses did see and saw in the
presence of said Green W. Halsey and as said clerk
at the same & said dec'd. saw said said dec'd. as
& signed and disposing mind & memory at
the time of the execution thereof and that said
said dec'd. was signed in the month of 1877.

Now it is ordered that said dec'd. did
sign in his presence and in the presence of
Harriet Singleton the Clerk of said County to
said Will

Therefore it is ordered that said dec'd.
Halsey be declared to be the last Will and
Testament of said Green W. Halsey, dec'd.

J. M. Ligon
Ordinary