

Georgia
Meriwether County } Mr. James E. Stephenson, Henry
Wells and Robert Pettit were
present on the evening of the United day of January
in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and fifty
at the Residence of Mr. Lee Tuggle a short time
before his death he then being sick of which disease
he never recovered. About sixteen hours before his
death in perfect possession of his Mental faculties
he called upon us to take notice and remember
what he was about to say,

He now wished us to understand that his will
and desire was that Mrs Nancy Tuggle his wife
should have two young Negroes that he then
owned to wit Mary a girl about Eight years
old age and Jesse a Boy about six years
of age to have and to hold such Negroes
afore said as her property until her Marriage
or death and at the time of either her Marriage
or her death said Negroes aforesaid to be equally
divided between the lawful heirs of his body.

He also wished us to understand that he desired
his family to sell such articles of his property as
they could best dispose of for the purpose of paying
his debts, and also that his family should remove
from the place they then lived at to the County of
Shenandoah State aforesaid to a lot of land he had
purchased in said County with the full privilege
and power of disposing of said lot of land at
any time they should think it to their interest to
do so. He also desired that the remainder
of his property should be equally divided
between the lawful heirs of his body. Shortly
after he breathed his last this January 10th 1850

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 Meriwether County } Personally appeared before
 me John Wright an acting
 Justice of the peace in and
 for said County James E. Stephenson, Henry Petty and
 Robert West who being duly sworn depose and
 swear that the within will is truly and truly to
 the best of their knowledge and belief in
 testimony whereof they have hereunto set their
 hands and seal. this 18th March 1850
 James E. Stephenson, J.P.
 Henry Petty, J.P.
 Robert West, J.P.

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 Meriwether County } It appearing to the Court that
 the time has elapsed since the decease of the testator
 for a committing Jurisdiction wills to probate and
 that process has been issued calling on the widow
 and next of kin to the end that they might contest
 the same, and having failed to do so
 Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the
 said Will of Lee Tuggle deceased be and the
 same is hereby admitted to be proved and
 recorded as the true last will and Testament
 of said Lee Tuggle deceased
 Attest
 D. C. Grehan J.C.C.
 J. McCloud J. C.
 Lillian Campbell J. C.
 John West J. C.
 John Dinkum J. C.

Recorded this Sixth day of
 September 1850
 D. C. Grehan
 C.C.