

For S. Alexander McLeod

Georgia } Court of Ordinary Sep term 1840 The
Monroe County } foregoing last will & testament of Sator
Smith having been proved & deposited
upon the oath of Spencer Sullivan & John Tripp It is ordered
by the Court that said will be admitted to record and that
Letters testamentary be granted to John Smith & Charles
Executors in said will named

Georgia } We do solemnly swear that this writing con-
Monroe County } tains the true last will & testament of the
within named Sator Smith deceased
as far as we know or believe that we will will & truly
execute the same by paying first the debts & then the legacies
contained in the said will as far as his goods and chattels
will therunto extend & the law charge us that we will
make a true and perfect inventory of all such goods
and Chattels so help us God
Sum to 1st day Sept 1840
For S. Alexander McLeod

John M Smith
Chas Lucas

Registered 15 Oct 1840
E. L. Catwain Clerk

Georgia } I Robert Coleman being of sound disposing mind & memory
Monroe County } do make public & declare this for my last will & testament
fully making all former wills by me made

Item 1st I direct all just debts to be paid.

Item 2^d I direct that all my property of every kind & whatever
real or personal except the specific legacies herein after mentioned
be sold by my executors either at public or private sale as they may
think most advantageous & that the net proceeds thereof
together with my cash on hand & the money due me on notes
and accounts and all claims in action & whatever be equally
divided between my wife Mary B Coleman and my children
William C Coleman, Stephen & Peter & John B Coleman.

William C Coleman, Stephen & Peter & John B Coleman
Robert Coleman & Eliza Coleman taking into account in the
distribution the amounts heretofore received by any of my children
and which amounts are hereinafter specified so that the distribution
share of each may be equal

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Item 3^d I give & bequeath to William C Coleman in trust for
Eliza Holmquist our daughter & her heirs

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Georgia } Personally appeared in open court James M.
 Monroe County } Knott & L^d Bankston two of the subscribing
 witnesses to the foregoing will and being duly sworn
 depose & say they saw Robert Coleman sign seal publish &
 declare the foregoing as and for his last will & testament that
 they in the presence of testator and at his request and in presence of
 Elbridge L. Cabanis attested said will as witnesses that Elbridge L. Cabanis
 in presence of testator and at his request & presence of deponents
 attested said will as a witness that said Robert Coleman at
 the time of the execution of said will was of sound disposing mind
 and memory and that he executed the same freely voluntarily
 and without Compulsion
 Given to & subscribed in
 Open Court this 9th day of Nov 1828
 James L. Alexander S. C. C. D.

Georgia } Court of ordinary November Term 1828 The foregoing
 Monroe County } last will & testament of Robert Coleman having
 been proven upon the oaths of James M. Knott and
 L^d Bankston It is ordered by the Court that said will
 be admitted to record and that letters testamentary be granted
 to William C. Pope and John L. Coleman executors in said will
 named

Georgia } We do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
 Monroe County } last will of the within named Robert Coleman deceased
 So far as we know or believe that we will faithfully
 execute the same by paying first the debts & then the legacies contained in
 the said will as far as his goods and chattels will thereto extend &
 the law charge us that we will make a true & perfect inventory of
 all such goods & chattels as help us here
 Given to this 9th day of November 1828

Record July 23rd 1841

W^m C. Pope

Elbridge L. Cabanis Clerk