

State of Georgia In the name of God, Amen
Murray County I Samuel B. Dwight of said
County being of sound and disposing
mind and memory but knowing the uncertainties of
life and wishing to make a disposition of my
property to take effect at my death, do make ex-
ecute and publish this my last will & testament
hereby revoking all and every will heretofore
made by me, that is to say,

Item 1st I desire that my body be buried in a
decent christian like manner.

Item 2nd I desire and direct that all my just
debts be paid.

Item 3rd I will devise and bequeath unto my
beloved wife Mrs Mary Ann Dwight one entire
third of all my property real & personal
of every character during her natural life
and at her death the portion willed to her
to be disposed of as hereinafter provided.
The specific legacies hereafter made are all
made subject to the life estate of my said wife
in the one third as above stated,

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Item 4th I will and devise to my sons Samuel
J Dwight and my son Francis M Dwight
the lot of land in Whitfield County known
as the Beaver lot & of which I am now proprietor
to them their heirs and assigns forever subject
to Mrs Dwight's life estate of one third No 217. 2-3.

Item 5th it will to my son Francis M Dwight the
the lot of land on which he now lives to him his
heirs and assigns forever (subject to Mrs Dwight's
life estate of one third) No 218. 2-3

Item 6th The lot and half of lands on which I
live I will and bequeath to my daughter

R. Julia A. Russell (to Mary E. & Louisa (to them their heirs & assigns forever, share & share alike, subject to Mrs. Wrights life estate of one third) No. 259 & half of No. 282-5:5

Item 7 I will to each of my daughters her visiting maid with all the increase of each hereafter and hereafter born that is to say to Louisa R. I give & bequeath my negro woman Merick & her increase, to Julia A. I will my negro woman Amelia & her increase, to Russell (I will my negro woman Harriet & her increase to Mary E., I will Sarah & her increase and to Louisa (I will Lucy & her increase.

It is my will that my said daughters take said negroes respectively to be valued to them by the appraisers of said estate and the value so ascertained be calculated & charged to each one of my said daughters as a portion of her share of my estate my intention being to give each of my children an equal portion of my personal property as a final distribution.

Item 8 I will that all the balance of my property be equally divided among all children herein before named - having already given my son Samuel of a negro man named Toby valued at one thousand dollars. I desire in making a division of my property that the sum of one thousand dollars be charged to him as a portion of his share already recorded and I desire the division so made be equally among my children and make the share of each of my personal property the same.

Item 8 I will that my sons have the lands as before
devine to them absolutely, free from any
incumbrance & the dower of my wife and the
one third of my personal property which may
fall to my wife during her life & devine at
her death to be equally divided among all
my children & their heirs.

Item 9 I nominate constitute & appoint my friend
Alfred M Turner and my sons Samuel J. & Thomas
M Dwyght execution of this my last will
Testament

Given under my hand seal this 27th day
of December 1858

S. B. Dwyght Test

Signed sealed and delivered by Samuel B Dwyght
as his last will & Testament in our presence who
Subscribed the same as witnesses by his request
and in his presence and the presence of each
other this 27th day of December 1858

Lawson & Walker
Geddeson Framsworth
Joshua L Osborne
Frank Vornburg.

Murray Court of Ordinary
December Term 1859

Two of the subscribing witnesses to the above &
forgoing will, to wit, Anderson Framsworth & Nath
L Osborne appeared in open Court at this Term
being duly sworn depose & say that they saw Samuel
B Dwyght - the testator sign seal declare & publish
the instrument now presented as his last will
& Testament freely & voluntarily & of his own accord

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and without any compulsion or influence whatever
that at the execution of the said will said
testator was of sound & disposing mind & memory
that they signed said will as witnesses in the
presence of the testator & at his special instance
& request & in the presence of each other with
the other subscribing witnesses to said Will,
Given under my hand & seal this 5th day
of December 1857

Anderson Parson with binding (L.S.)

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