

Will of Sherwood. C. Lindsay Continued

Muscogee County, Georgia Wills, Book C, 1875-1891

Sworn to & subscribed before me this October 6th 1879
F. W. Brooks
Ordinary

Georgia Muscogee County

Muscogee Court of Ordinary
October Term 1879

The foregoing instrument of writing having been satisfactorily proven in Common form, upon the oath of James Johnson and Porter Ingram two of the subscribing witnesses, Ordered that the same be admitted to record as the last will and testament of the therein named Sherwood. C. Lindsay - and that Letters testamentary do issue to Richard. C. Lindsay the Executor named and appointed in said Will.

F. W. Brooks
Ordinary -

Will of Asa Lynch

State of Georgia Muscogee County

In the name of God Amen.

I Asa Lynch of said State and County being of advanced age and must shortly depart this life deem it right and proper both as respects my family and myself that I should make a disposition of my property - Do therefore make this my last will and testament. hereby revoking all others heretofore made by me

- First I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition in life
- Second I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without delay by my executor herein after appointed
- Third I give bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Eliza J. Lynch all my real and personal property including my household and kitchen furniture for and during her natural life and to receive all the benefits arising therefrom - at her death said Estate to be equally divided between her brothers and sisters and my Brothers & Sisters - Should either die then childless

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To inherit the share of the deceased brother or sister or their legal heirs - Except the following property

Fourth I give and bequeath to my two sisters Mary Roberson and Fama Barker one thousand dollars each in cash

Fifth I give and bequeath to Asa L. Brooks seven hundred and fifty dollars

Sixth I give and bequeath to John Lynch my good watch

Seventh I give and bequeath to Asa B. Lowe my buck loading shot gun also a muzzle known as Jake

Eighth I give and bequeath to Willie Lynch the muzzle he is now riding to school

Ninth I give and bequeath to W. D. Lynch the muzzle known as Reek

Tenth I give and bequeath to J. S. Gamett my black man which is now in possession of Mary Gamett

Eleventh I give and bequeath to F. J. Willis fifty dollars per year for five years

Twelfth I direct my Executors to expend on King Phoebe Bell one hundred and fifty dollars a year towards her education in their discretion said money to be held by them and paid by them for her education in the public school in Columbus

Thirteenth my Executors are hereby directed to see my interest in the property at Ogilvie situated on the South Western Raile Road in this County and the proceeds to go into my Estate

Fourteenth I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Joseph S. Gamett executor and my beloved wife Eiza J. Lynch executrix of this my last will and testament neither nor both to be required to give any security for their faithful carrying out of this will this the 23^d day of July 1879

Asa^{his} x Lynch
marked



Signed, sealed, declared and published by Asa

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Lynch as his last will and testament in the presence of us the Subscribers who subscribed our names herts in the presence of said testator (at his special instance and request and of each other this the 23 day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Seventy Nine

A. G. Oatis 
W. J. Huff 
E. P. Willis 

Codicil

State of Georgia } Whereas I Asa Lynch did on the Twenty
Muscogee County } third day of July in the year of our
Lord one thousand Eight hundred and
Seventy Nine sign seal declare and publish my
last will and testament in presence of A. G. Oatis
W. J. Huff and E. P. Willis who signed the said will
and testament as witnesses and whereas I am
desirous of attaining and changing a bequest and
devise in said will I therefore make and publish
this Codicil to said will

First I revoke and annul the twelfth article of said
will so far as related to the sale of my interest
at Doerriesville on the South Western R Road I give
bequeath and devise my interest in said property
to my two nephews Asa B. Lynch and Asa B. Lowe to
share equally in said property

Second My nephew Asa B. Lowe is hereby appointed trustee
of the property given and bequeathed to my
nephew Asa B. Lynch in the first article in this
Codicil. this the twenty fifth July in the year
of our Lord Eight hundred and Seventy Nine
Asa^{for} Lynch 
mark

Signed sealed declared and published by Asa Lynch
as the Codicil to his will and testament of the
twenty fifth day of July Eight hundred and Seventy
Nine in the presence of us the subscribers who sub-
scribed our names herts in the presence of said
testator (at his special instance and request)
and of each other this the twenty fifth

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day of July Eighteen Hundred and Seventy Nine

A. G. Oatis

W. J. Huff

E. P. Willis

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Georgia Muscogee County

Before me F. M. Brooks Ordinary in and for the County and State aforesaid personally came E. P. Willis, Nathaniel G. Oatis & Warren J. Huff who upon being duly sworn depose & say, that they saw the said Asa Lynch sign, seal, publish, and declare the foregoing instrument of writing as his last will and testament on the day and year the same bears date, that at the special instance and request of the said Testator, they subscribed their names thereto as subscribing witnesses in the presence of the testator, and all in the presence of each other.

Deposants further say that on the 25th day of July 1879, two days after publishing and declaring the will of the said testator at the special instance and request of the said testator they also subscribed their names to the Codicil attached to said will in the presence of said testator and also in the presence of each other - And Deposants further say that at the time of publishing & declaring said will & Codicil the said Asa Lynch he was of sound and disposing mind and memory, and so far as witnesses know or believe he did it freely and voluntarily and without any undue influence or compulsion.

Sworn to & subscribed before me this September 1st 1879

F. M. Brooks }
Ordinary

A. G. Oatis

W. J. Huff

E. P. Willis

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Georgia Muscogee County

I Joseph S. Garrett do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last will and testament of the therein named Asa Lynch & so far as I know or believe and that I will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of the State of Georgia. So help me God Sworn to & subscribed before me this September 1st 1879

J. M. Brooks

Ordinary

Joseph S. Garrett

Georgia Muscogee County

I Eliza J. Lynch do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last will and testament of the therein named Asa Lynch & so far as I know or believe, and that

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I will well and truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of the State of Georgia so help me God

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F.M. Brooks

Ordinary

Eliza J. Lynch

Court of Ordinary

September Term 1879

The foregoing instrument of writing admitted to Probate and Record in Common Form as the last will and testament of the therein named Asa Lynch deceased.

F.M. Brooks

Ordinary

Court of Ordinary

October Term 1879

The foregoing instrument of writing having been satisfactorily proven in solemn form upon the oaths of E. P. Willis, Warren J. Huff & A. G. Davis the three subscribing witnesses, as the last will and testament of Asa Lynch, and it also being shown to the Court by proof that all the heirs at law of said Asa Lynch had received due & legal notice of the application to Probate said will, ordered that the same be admitted to record as having been proven in solemn form in terms of the statute in such case made & provided

F.M. Brooks

Ordinary