

State of Georgia } In the Name of
Pickens County } God Amen
I Robert G. Allen of said State and
County, being of advanced age but of sound
~~and~~ disposing mind and memory
knowing that I must shortly depart
this life, deem it right and proper
both as respects my family and myself
that I should make a disposition
of the property with which a kind
providence has blessed me with
I do therefore make this my last will
and Testament hereby revoking and
annulling all others by me therfore made
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 who gave it as
I hope for salvation through the
merits and atonement of the Blessed
Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ
2^d I desire and direct that all
my just debts be paid with out
delay by my Executor herein after
named and appointed
3^d I give bequeath and devise
to my beloved wife Sarah L
Allen one lot of Land No (208)
1² Dist 2 Sec said County

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I have and to hold I and my or parcel
of land unto her the said Sarah L
Allen with all and singular the rights
members and appurtenances during her
natural life or widow hood at her
death or remarriage I direct that
the above mentioned lands be sold
and divided equally between my
lawful heirs, I also provide and
direct that my said wife Sarah L
Allen have the right and power to
sell the above mentioned lot of land
by consent of my Executor herein after
mentioned and appointed and to
be reinvested in other lands
wherever they see proper to
invest and the lands that they
purchase to remain in lieu of
the above mentioned land.

4 I give bequeath and devise to
my beloved wife Sarah L Allen
all of my personal property to wit
one mare one cow & calf henna
of hogs horse hold and kitchen
furniture and all that belongs
to me whether mentioned in this will
or not during her natural life
or widow hood at her death
or remarriage That the above
mentioned property or so much
thereof as the said Sarah L Allen
may have after raising my minor
children be sold and divided
equally between my lawful

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I, R. G. Allen, do hereby appoint my beloved
wife Sarah G. Allen executor of
my minor heirs. I hereby constitute
and appoint my beloved son William
R. Allen Executor of this my last
will and Testament

This August the 4th 1878

R. G. Allen (LS)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
by Robert G. Allen as his last
will and Testament in the
presence of us the undersigned
who Subscribed our names hereto
in the presence of said testator
at his special instance and
request and in the presence
of each other

This August 4 1878

W. D. Allen
C. McArthur
J. G. McArthur