

Willed herein in the name of God Amen?

Polk County 3^d William McJenkins of said state and County being in a low state of health deem it right and proper both as respects my family and myself that I should make a disposition of the property which a kind Providence has blessed me do therefore make this my last will and testament.

1st Item I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner suitable to my condition and circumstances of life. my soul I trust shall return to my God who gave it, as I hope for eternal salvation through and adoration of the blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

2^d Item I desire that all my just debts be paid without delay by my executor hereafter appointed, as I am unwilling my creditors should be delayed in their rights especially as there is no necessity for delay.

3^d Item I desire that my land to wit One thousand and twenty, One thousand and twenty one One thousand and twenty two One thousand and sixty nine One thousand and seventy one thousand and ninety two and one thousand and ninety three, remain unsold and all other property goods and chattels necessary for the cultivation of the farm and for the maintenance of the family to wit my wife Harriet Ann my children to wit Thomas Jefferson Mary Jane Furlia Anna James William John Marcus Henry M. Muller Martha Ella during the minority of my youngest child Martha Ella or the youngest living heir my wife and children to live or during her widowhood and all my property to be controlled by my Executor and Ordinary of the County according to law and my will, and all the produce made or what it takes to support my family to be sold and the money sent at interest, and all money ^{PAID COUNTRIES} kept at interest, and all goods and chattels and other property, not ¹⁸⁴⁸⁻¹⁸⁹¹ ^{www.Georgiabios.com} necessary for the maintenance and comfort of the family to be sold and the money sent at interest, and when my youngest heir living becomes of twenty one years of age I desire that my property be sold and equally divided among all my lawful heirs as above named.

4th Item I hereby constitute and appoint my worthy friend Thomas J Thompson Executor of this my last will and testament. this May the 17th 1869

Signed William^{mark} McJenkins

Signed sealed declared and published by William McJenkins as his last will and testament in the presence of us the subscribers, who subscribed our names thereto in the presence of said testator at his special instance and request, and of each other this May the 17th 1869.

J. B. Holkebeck

F. M. Pearson

McJ. Ferguson

Georgian 3^d Thomas J Thompson do solemnly swear that the annexed writing contains the true last will and testament of William McJenkins deceased, and that I will well and truly execute the same by paying first the debts and then the legacies contained in said will and that I will make a just and true inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of said deceased and a just return thereof when thereunto required. So help me God.

Thos J Thompson

Sworn to and subscribed before me in open Court this the 5th day of July 1869

Ed. Borders Secy PC

Recorded July the 8th 1869. Ed Borders Secy