

Schley County Court of Ordaining 1863.

Georgia

Schley County

I James T. Locke of the County of Schley
& State of Ga. being of sound mind & disposing
memory deem it right I being about to
enter the service of the Confederate States, to make a disposition
of my property, this instrument to be void in case of my
discharge from said service without further revocation.

I do hereby make this my last will & testament

Item 1st I desire and direct that lots of land two hundred & three (232) & two hundred & thirty three (233) in the twenty ninth (29th) section
of originally the now Schley County which land my brother
Thos. Locke & myself now own jointly and which he is to make
me a separate title, and for which separate title I am to make
him a separate title to other land which we now own jointly
shall be sold at such time & such manner as my executor
knows after having duly deemed proper & best, and that the
proceeds of such sale be applied first to the payment of my
individual debts. Schley County Wills
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Item 2nd I will & bequeath to my brother Thos. Locke all the money to
arise from the sale of said land mentioned in item 1st also my
interest, to said all notes & accounts that are now due to us
jointly also one hundred & fifty acres of land where my brother
& myself now live in said County of Schley where the houses
are situated, said one hundred & fifty acres being now owned as
the land mentioned in item 1st and to be made over to me
on the same conditions as that mentioned in item 1st. I also will
& bequeath to him all my interest in the stock farming tools
and other property now possessed by us jointly, also my horse &
buggy, said property as well as to belong to his share in case of
his death before this instrument takes effect.

Item 3rd I will & bequeath to Wm. H. & Abner O. Cheson of my brother Thos. Locke
a negro boy Sam about thirty two years old, a negro girl Sally
about twenty six years old, and a negro girl Caroline about
seven or eight years old. The said negroes to be had for them his
said brother Cheson because of age, and then the said negroes to be
owned and the proceeds to be equally divided between the said
Cheson, I also will & bequeath to the said Wm. H. my table &
chair.

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- Item 1st I read & begueth to my brother John T. Toole a note for Eleven hundred dollars against James A. Taylor.
- Item 2nd I read & begueth to my sister Thomas I Toole a negro man same, about five years old and a negro girl Rose about three to five years old
- Item 3rd I read and begueth to my brother John Toole a negro man Stephen about three to five years old
- Item 4th I hereby appoint my brother T. Toole executor of this my last will & testament, and in case of his death his Executor or administrator to be executor of this will
This March 11th 1863, J. T. Toole (S)

Signed & sealed declared and published by James T. Toole as his last will & testament in the presence of the under signed who subscribed our names here in the presence of said testator at his special instance & request and in the presence of such other the March 11th 1863,
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Thy J. Bentley
R. A. Smith

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Schley County } Court of Ordinances
March Term 1863.

Personally appearing in open Court this day J. T. Toole Executor of the last will & testament of J. T. Toole with of said County chosen and produced before the Court the Ordinance of said County in open Court the last will & testament of said J. T. Toole read and two of the witnesses to said will viz R. A. Smith & Andrew P. Pinneron who being duly sworn depose that they saw J. T. Toole the testator sign said declare and publish the will then presented as his last will & testament freely voluntarily and of his own accord and without any compulsion or influence whatever that at the time of the execution of said will said testator was of sound & disposing mind & memory that the persons to signed the same as witnesses

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Schley County, } Court of Ordinary of said County.

March Term 1863.

Present Wm B Black Ordinary of said County.

The last will & testament of J T Lister late of Schley County deceased having this day been proved in open Court to the satisfaction of the Court by A A Smith & A P Rector two of the subscribers in trust for the said deceased no objection being urged and motion being made that said will be admitted.

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It is therefore the order of the Court and ordered by the Court that said probate of said will is sufficient and that said will be received and that letters testamentary be issued to Wm B Black having been qualified, to execute said will according to law.

It is further ordered by the Court that W B Stewart, W M Marshall, J N Taylor, John Tucker & E. M. St. Mauris J. P. be and they are hereby appointed appraisers to appraise the estate of J T Lister late of Schley County deceased and to whom warrant of appointment shall now issue.

Wm B Black

Ordinary of