

Georgia } In the name of God Amen.
Taliaferro County } I Henry Dewberry of the State and County aforesaid
being weak and diseased in body, but through divine mercy,
of well and ~~decreasing~~ memory considering the uncertainty of this tran-
-sitory life, and the certainty of death; knowing that it is appointed
for all men once to die; having thought fit to make and ordain this
my last will and testament, in the following manner and form (Viz.)
It is my will and desire that my just debts together with my
funeral expences be first paid and fully discharged.

1st I do give and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha Dewberry the
following property; One negro man by the name of Allen; one
negro Woman by the name of Matilda, and one negro Girl by the name of
Betsey; and all my stock of horses, hogs and cows, the plantation tools of
every description, and whatever Crop or crops I may have at my death
either in house ~~or~~ in field or fields, and all the household and
kitchen furniture of every description whatever. Finally I do constitute
make and ordain William Darden the executor of this my last will
and testament, (revoking) and disannulling all and every former Will
or Wills, testaments or testaments by me heretofore made, declaring
this and this only to be my last will and testament. In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the day of
February in the year Anno Domini eighteen hundred & twenty six.

In presence of
James H. M. Garland
Robert R. Hammack
John Harris

his
Henry Dewberry (Seal)
mark

State of Georgia } Present their honors Hermon Mercer, Archibald
Taliaferro County } Gresham, Thomas Guest, Henry B. Thompson
and Simon Morris, at the January Term 1827.

The last Will and testament of Henry Dewberry, was duly
proven by the Oaths of James M. Garland and Robert Hammack,
subscribing witnesses, Thereto.

You James M. Garland and Robert Hammack: Swear that you
Henry Dewberry, sign seal publish and declare this Writing to
Contain his last will and testament, that at the time thereof he
was of sound disposing mind and Memory, and that he did

it freely, without Compulsion to the best of your knowledge, and
also that you saw John Harris sign the same, as a subscribing
Witness, to the same, and at the request of said deceased,
Attest Henry Perkins, C.C.O. (Signed) James McFarland
Robert R. Hammack
mark

The last Will and testament of Henry Dewberry deceased, was
Exhibited in open Court, and proven ^{in law} form of law by the Oath
of James McFarland and Robert Hammack. Then William
Darden was qualified as Executor, in open Court, and the
Will and proceedings, was Ordered by the Court to be recorded.
attest Henry Perkins, C.C.O.

Last Will and testament of
Henry Dewberry deceased Georgia
Taliaferro County, office of the
Court of Ordinary, duly recorded
in books A.D. of the register of Wills
pages 144. 15. January 11th 1897.
Attest Henry Perkins, C.C.O.