

State of Georgia }
Taliaferro County }

By the Court of Ordinary for said County
To all to whom these presents shall
Come - Greeting

Know Ye, That on the sixth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight the last will and testament of Dr. George I. Bird late of Taliaferro County deceased was exhibited in open Court, and in Common form of law, proved and admitted to record, a copy of which is hereto annexed, and administration of all and singular, the Goods, Chattels and Credits of said deceased was granted to George F. Bristow & Mrs Martha Bird the Executors in and by said Will named and appointed, they having first taken the oath, and performed all other requisites required by law they are by Order of said Court, and by virtue of these presents legally authorized to administer the Goods, Chattels and Credits of said deceased, according to the tenor and effect of the said Will and Testament, and according to law; and they are hereby required to render a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the Goods, Chattels and Credits of the said deceased, and appraised and returned to this Court according to law, and to render a true and correct account to the said Court of all their actings and doings yearly, and every year, until their Administration is fully Completed

Witness my hand, as Ordinary, and the seal of the said Court, this sixth day of December eighteen hundred and fifty eight
Quinea O Neal Ordinary

Recorded Dec. 7th 1858.
Quinea O Neal Ordinary

State of Georgia }
Taliaferro County }

Item 1st it is my last will & Testament that all my honest debts be paid

Item 2nd it is my will that my negroes be Equally divided among my Children

Item 3rd It is my will that Mary Ellen my Daughter have two hundred dollars for her support & Education Also my son William Thomas have two hundred dollars for his support & Education they are to have this money above the other Children for they are the youngest & have to be raised

Item 4th It is my will that all my perishable property be sold & if it brings money enough to be applied to my Daughter Mary Ellen & my son William Thomas each have the two hundred dollars

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for my daughter Mary Ellen & the two hundred dollars for my son William Thomas named in 3 Item they are to have above the other Children as named in said Item

Item 5th It is my will that after the perishable property is sold if there is any money left after paying my son William & my Daughter Mary Ellen It shall be Equally divided among the rest of my Children namely Felix George & Harrison

Item 6th It is my will that A. W. Grier & John Brooks act as my Executors to this my last will & Testament - December 9th 1858.

Josiah Mullikin L.B.

Witness } J. H. Perkins
 } Thomas ^{his} Arnold

Test Mary Phillips

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of J. H. Perkins
Mary Phillips

Court of Ordinary Taliaferro Court Chambers Dec: 16th 1858

The last will and Testament of Josiah Mullikin dec: was produced by John Brooks one of the Executors named in and by said Will and was proven at Chambers in Common form of law by two of the subscribing witnesses of the same, to wit,

You Solomon H. Perkins and Thomas Arnold do solemnly swear that you saw Josiah Mullikin sign seal and declare the within and above paper writing to be his last will and testament that he was of sound mind and memory that he did it freely and without compulsion and that each of us subscribed the same as witnesses at his request and in his and the presence of each other, and that Mary Phillips signed the same as a witness in the presents of us and the testator

Sworn and subscribed Dec: 16th 1858.

J. H. Perkins

Attest Quinia O'Neal Ordinary

Thomas ^{his} Arnold
mark

Court of Ordinary January Term 1859.

The last will and Testament of Josiah Mullikin was proven at Chambers in Common form of law on the 16th day of December 1858 and there being no objection it is Ordered by the Court that said will be recorded

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State of Georgia }
Taliaferro County } By the Court of Ordinary for said County

To all to whom these presents shall come. Greeting
Know Ye, That on the sixteenth day of December in the Year of Our Lord one
Thousand eight hundred and fifty eight the last will and testament of Paul
Mullikin late of said County deceased was exhibited in Chambers, and in
common form of law, proved and admitted to record the 10th day of January
1859. a Copy of which is hereto annexed, and Administration of all and
singular, the Goods, Chattels and Credits of said deceased was granted to John
Brooks in and by said Will named and appointed, he having first taken the
Oath, and performed all other requisites required by law he by Order of said
Court, and by virtue of these presents legally authorize to administer the Goods
Chattels and Credits of said deceased, according to the tenor and effect of the said
Will and Testament, and according to law; and he hereby required to render a
true and perfect inventory of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits
of the said deceased, and appraised and returned to this Court according to law
and to render a true and correct account to the said Court of Ordinary after
their actings and doings yearly, and every year, until his administration
is fully completed

Witness my hand as Ordinary, and the seal of the said Court, this
10th day of January eighteen hundred and fifty nine
J. B. Quince Clerk Ordinary

Recorded Jan. 9 10th 1859.

Quince Clerk Ordinary

State of Georgia }
Taliaferro County } Last will of Paul Davidson of said State and County

Item 1st Intending this will to be a final disposition of
my estate. I hereby revoke all wills heretofore made by me

Item 2nd I wish My Executors to pay my just debts, among which the
sum of Eighty dollars due to my Nephew Stephen Jackson of Burke
County

Item 3rd The Negroes, Tom, Washington, Scharlate, Sam, Caroline, Becca,
and her Children, William, Frank, Mose, and Isabel, Fannie, and
her Children, John and an Infant Adam, Julia Ann and her
Children Harriet, and an Infant and five hundred fifty dollars
are trust property belonging at my death to my three oldest
Children