

Georgia } I John H. Dyson Clerk of the Court of Ordinary  
Wilkes County } in & for said County, do hereby Certify that the an-  
-nosed and foregoing is truly Copied from the Original Will  
of John Gibson deceased.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court  
of office 24<sup>th</sup> December 1827.

John H. Dyson C. C. O.

Recorded January 21<sup>st</sup> 1828.

Attest

Henry Perkins, C. C. O.

Set Will and testament of John Gibson  
and (copy) late of Wilkes County deceased,  
Georgia Taliaferro County, Registers office  
of the Court of Ordinary duly Recorded  
in book A.B. of Wills in pages 41 & 42  
January 21<sup>st</sup> 1828.

Attest Henry Perkins, C. C. O.

Salley Davis Will.

In the name of God Amen. - I Salley Davis being Weak in  
body but of sound mind and disposing memory do ordain the follow-  
-ing to be my last Will and testament.

1. I give and bequeath the negro child Lewis and my Clock to my  
Brother Thomas Edwards.

2. I give and bequeath to the children of my sister Elizabeth  
Gunn all the ballance of my estate both real and personal, with  
the following Conditions; that the negroes shall not be carried to a  
distance against their will, but shall be sold in the neighbour-  
-hood, and that my clothes shall be divided amongst the  
daughters of my said sister Elizabeth if they can be conveyed  
to them - if not, they shall not be sold but divided amongst the  
children of my Brother Thomas Edwards. I nominate my  
Brother Thomas Edwards, and appoint him the Executor of my  
my last Will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto  
Set my hand and affixed my seal this third day of April

1827. Signed, sealed and acknowledged  
in the presence of

Salley Davis Seal

44 Georgia } Present their Honors. Hermon Mercer and  
Taliaferro County } Archibald <sup>Gresham</sup>; before them appeared Pullington  
M. Sanders and after being duly sworn saith that he Sally Davis  
sign seal and publish, the within instrument of writing, to her  
last Will and testament, at the time thereof she was of sound  
mind and disposing memory, and that she did it with compul-  
sion, to the best of your knowledge; and at that time you  
you saw Gracey Scott and William Davis sign the same  
as subscribing Witnesses, and at the request of the testator.  
Sworn to before me this  
15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1829 } B. M. Sanders.  
Henry Perkins C. C. O.

State of Georgia } By the Court of Ordinary for said County  
Taliaferro County } March Term 1828. On the third day of  
March 1829. While sitting for Ordinary purposes, Thomas Edwards  
was duly Qualified as Executor to the last Will and testam-  
ent of Sally Davis late of said County deceased, in open  
Court, the Will and proceedings ordered to be recorded.  
Henry Perkins C. C. O.

Last Will & testament of  
Sally Davis late of said County  
deceased. Georgia Taliaferro  
County, Registers office of the  
Court of Ordinary of said County  
duly recorded in book A. B. in  
pages 43 & 44. March 6<sup>th</sup> 1829.  
Attest Henry Perkins C. C. O.

Georgia Taliaferro County. By the Honorable Court of Ordinary for said  
County. To all to Whom these presents shall come come greeting;  
Know Ye, that on the third day of March in the year of our Lord a eighteen  
hundred and twenty eight the last will and testament of Sally Davis late  
of said County deceased, was proved, and approved, and allowed of; the said  
Sally Davis having in her life time and at the time of her death, di-  
posed of her goods, rights and Credits of said deceased, and her testament, any manner  
or way concerning to the said Court of Ordinary belonging.

within the County aforesaid: by means whereof, the approbation and allowing of her said testament, and the power of granting the administration of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of said deceased, and her Testament, any manner or way concerning, to the said court does of right belong: They have therefore granted and committed the administration of all and singular the estate aforesaid and her Testament unto Thomas Edwards nominated Executor of the said and in her said last Will and testament, being first sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, well and faithfully to administer and make a perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattles, and credits of the said deceased, and exhibit the same into the clerks office of the Court of ordinary's office in the County aforesaid, in order to be recorded, on or before the third day of June next ensuing, and to render a just and true account, Calculation, and reckoning thereof when thereunto required.

In testimony whereof, I have officially set my hand and seal this third day of March eighteen hundred and twenty eight and the 18<sup>th</sup> year of American Independence.

Henry Perkins C. C. O. 

Recorded March 4<sup>th</sup> 1828.

### William Sumner Battle's Will.

I William Sumner Battle of the State of Georgia and the County of Taliaferro, do make and ordain this my last Will and testament in manner and form following (viz)

First I lend unto my beloved wife Sarah Battle, dwelling house and all the out houses, and the plantation whereon I now live, with all and singular the premises and appertinances therunto belonging or appertaining, during her natural life. Also I lend her twenty negroes to wit, Chaney, Anne, Emily, & Weston, Lewis & Sinney, Bobb & his son Harriett, Green, Jane, Crawford, Bow, and Martin, Phillis & her sister Harriett, Samuel, Ezekiel, Cynthia, Kinchen & Dick and their increase during her natural life. And I give and bequeath unto her all the house-hold and kitchen furniture, <sup>also</sup> I give her all the flock of horses, cattle, hogs and sheep, and all the farming utensils, Blacksmiths tools, Carpenters tools, Waggon Carts & gear of ~~all~~ <sup>various</sup> kinds, and the still and all the casks, and all the bran dy, corn, fodder, wheat oats and barley. Also give and bequeath unto her all my ready money, my outstanding debts and dues, and request that the five small debts I owe, may be paid out of it.