

Georgia

In the Name of god Amen.

Taylor County } I Hannah Walker widow & widow of Deacon Walker late of said County Decided knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life and I being of advanced age but of sound mind and disposing memory I am it both right and proper that I should make a disposition of the property with which a kind providence has blessed me.

Item ^{1st} I desire & direct that my body be buried in a decent & christianlike manner suitable to my condition & circumstances in life my soul I trust will return to god who gave it through the merits of his blessed son our lord & saviour Jesus Christ I hope to inherit one of the blood bought mansions above prepared for all his people.

Item ^{2nd} I desire & direct that my debts if any should be paid without delay by my executor hereafter appointed.

Item ^{3rd} I desire & direct that my two children George ^{the Elder} & Mary Walker should have all the stock of cattle & hay that I may die possessed of the same to be equally divided between share & share alike to them & their heirs forever.

Item ^{4th} I desire & direct that all of my property of whatever kind that I am now possessed of or may hereafter be possessed of whether it be land or negroes money notes chert in actions or anything else of whatever sort or kind immediately after my death be equally divided among my children to wit: Frederick Walker, Captain, Lawrence Walker, Deacon, William Walker, George W. Walker, Mary Walker Nancy body Amanda & Parthena Elizabeth Manville & if any of my said children should die before I do then their children to have the portion of property coming to their said parents in this item I mean to include my stock of mules horses carriage &c.

Item ^{5th} the property given my daughter in the above item viz) Nancy body is to be for her and over during her life & then to her children and not to be subject to the claims of her present or any future husband.

Item ^{6th} having this day given to my said children the money arising from the sale of the crop of cotton &c. given to me in the will of my husband I desire & direct it unnecessary to make any further mention of it but should there be any thing not mentioned which I have forgotten I will only say that all the said children & property of whatever kind shall be divided

children herein before mention with the conditions as aforesaid

Item I desire & direct that my said children should divide
my said property among them without sale if it can
be amicably and if not that the property be sold and
equally divided & be equally divided among my said children
share & share alike with the restrictions as aforesaid

And I having now disposed of all my property to my said
children & having read this will read over it being as I desire I
hope & trust that there will be no difficulty over it when I am
gone

Item I hereby nominate constitute & appoint my son in law
Samuel H. Walker of this county of Walker my executor in the
my last will & testament & hereby believe he will carry out
the provisions of the law in testimony whereof I the said Hannah
Walker have here unto set my hand & seal in the presence
of the subscribing witnesses this the 13th day of July 1857
Signed sealed published and declared as the last will & testament
of Hannah Walker who subscribed the same in our presence & all
subscribed the same in the presence of me & other 13 July 1857

C. R. Hays
John Howell
W. M. Corbitt

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Samuel H. Walker
H. Walker
Smith

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County of Oconee }
Taylor County } Court of Oconee March term 1860
Personally appeared this day in open court Mr. W. Corbitt
C. R. Hays & John Howell who being duly sworn depose &
swear that the within writing contains the last will & testament
of Hannah Walker late of said County Decatur.
That at the time of making the same she was of sound
mind & memory & that she was uninfluenced by any one
in making it. They subscribed the same in our presence
as witnesses as her request & saw her affix her
signature to the same. Sworn to & subscribed in
open court this the 5th day of March 1860

Henry G. Gee
Clerk

Mr. W. Corbitt
John Howell
C. R. Hays

Georgia Taylor } Court of Oconee March term 1860
County } Present Henry G. Gee Oconee
The within land will & testament of Hannah Walker
being duly sworn & read in open court & sworn
to by the father of Mr. W. Corbitt C. R. Hays &

it is ordered that said will be admitted to probate & that letters testamentary do issue to Daniel F. Barker the executor therein mentioned in the terms of the Will;

Georgia Taylor County Recorded this 6th of March 1860

(Ordinary court)

Henry T. Geo. Ordinary ✓

March Term 1860

Georgia In the name of God, I William R. Miller being Taylor County, in my proper mind do make this my last will and Testament which follows -

- 1st I desire that all of my Just Debts be paid as speedily as possible
- 2nd I desire that my Land be sold at public sale and my Negro property together with that in the possession of my son James P. Miller and that in the possession of my daughter Francis Chen be brought together and with the Negroes at home be thrown together and to be Equally divided among my four children.
- 3rd I desire that in as much as my Wife Eliza Miller holds the property that come by her at our marriage in her own right that my desire is that she receive none of the Effects of my Estate.
- 4th I desire and direct that my Executors hereinafter mentioned raise money as soon as possible and pay the principal and interest on a mortgage held by my Wife Eliza on a certain Negro Woman named Rhoda and her three children Charita a girl Amata a boy Octavia a girl said mortgage amounts to fourteen hundred and forty five Dollars or that is what is due on said mortgage
- 5th I desire that my stock all be sold and I also desire and direct that my said Executors take charge of all of my notes and accounts and among said accounts there is one against W. G. Fuller that is dropped by some person which has not been paid the amount being forty dollars I also direct my said Executors to charge the said W. G. Fuller ten Dollars a month board for him and his horse for eight months of the year that he became of age.
- 6th I desire and direct that in the final division of my Estate that my son James P. Miller receive six hundred dollars less than either of my other three children
- 7th I desire and direct and do hereby constitute and appoint my sons James P. Miller & William R. Miller my Lawful Executors

Interlined before signed
July 28, 1860

William R. Miller

John V. Gray
William J. F. Mitchell

James S. Gray

Recorded Aug 22nd 1860

J. J. Hoff

Ordinary