

Georgia } In the name of our Father I write Martin being
in *Illness* } of advanced age and infirm in body but of sound &
clearing mind and memory but as life is uncertain and not
knowing when I may be called on to depart this life I think it
most proper to make a disposition of all the worldly
goods that a kind Providence has blessed me with before
my departure from this life. I therefore do make
declare and publish this my last will & testament
in full of mind and without any and all former
wills made by me.

Item First — It is my will & desire that after my death my
body be interred in a Christian & suitable manner agreeable
to my condition and position in life my soul I com-
mune to the kind God who gave it.

Item Second — It is my will & desire that first all of
my just debts be paid as speedily as possible after my
death by the Executors hereinafter named in this will.

Item Third — I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter
Elizabeth Williamson daughter of my deceased son John
Martin fifteen dollars to be paid to her by my Executors
after my death.

Item Fourth — I give and bequeath to my daughter
Anne Conny wife of Thomas Conny residing in Warren
County Georgia to her & her children fifty dollars free
from the use of her present or any future husband.

Item Fifth — I give and bequeath all the balance and
residue of my Estate both real & personal as well as
Claims due and owing after my death, to my son Thomas
Martin my daughter Sarah Wilkinson and my daughter
Ann Stanford equally between them. The shares of the
said son and the said Sarah to be held to them and
their children that is to say the said Thomas Ann & Sarah
to have all the residue of my estate after the payment of the
above specified legacies between them share & share alike
to be held as aforesaid.

Item Sixth — I hereby appoint and constitute my son
Thomas Martin my son in law Joseph Davidson and my
Grand son James W. Wilkinson my Executors to carry out
the provisions of this will.

Witness my hand & seal this 21st day of July 1867
Hillis Martin

Signa Seal declared and published by Willis Martin as his
last will & testament in the presence of the undersigned
The undersigned as witnesses having signed the same in
the presence of the Testator & in the presence of each other
July 20th / 1867

Thomas F. Spright

Edmund J. Spright

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George } Personally came before me & J. P. Harris & D. P. Lusk
 Small Henry } and both two of the witnesses of the last will &
 Testament of Willis Martin late of said County deceased who
 being sworn depose & say that they saw Willis Martin sign
 and subscribe the within as his last will & Testament while he
 was of sound and disposing mind & memory that they sign
 said will as witnesses in his presence and in the presence
 of Thos L. Spieght one of the witnesses and in presence of each
 other - Signed & Subscribed before me Sept 10th 1866
 J. P. Harris
 J. P. Lusk
 Ordinary J

Before me Cassius James H. Hildbrand who upon oath depose
 & say that the within writing contains the true & last will
 of Willis Martin deceased so far as he knows or believes & that
 he will well & truly execute the same in accordance with the
 law of this State to the best of his ability and understanding
 Signed & Subscribed before me Sept 10th 1866
 J. M. Doms
 Ordinary J

Received Sept 12th 1866
 J. M. Doms Org

In the Name of God Amen,
 I James W. Wain of the County of Penick and State of Georgia
 being of Sound and disposing Mind and Memory and being
 desirous of Settling & settle my worldly affairs, while I have
 Strength to do so make and publish this my last will and
 Testament hereby revoking all wills by me at any time heretofore
 made by me.
 First I Commit my Soul to God who gave it and my
 worldly Estate I dispose of as follows:
 First I devise and bequeath that my wife Martha E. Wain
 and her Children by me have all the Stock & Cattle
 and house hold and Kitchen furniture which she had and
 possessed at and before the time our Marriage and five
 hundred dollars in Money of my Estate
 Second I devise and bequeath that my Children by my
 first wife viz. Nancy Wain, John E. Wain, Thomas
 W. Wain, John H. Wain, George E. Wain, Joseph E. Wain
 and Martha E. Wain, have all the remainder of my real
 Estate and personal which I may die possessed of and
 I desire that my property be kept together as one my
 above named family to remain as it is till the last
 mentioned Children attain to the age of twenty one years
 provided my estate be sufficient to do so.

but I do not request them to sell and divide it
equal between them share and share alike

Third I hereby constitute and appoint my worthy
friends Wm. S. Moreland and Calvin C. Henry
my executors to this my last will and testament in witness
whereof I the said James Brim to this my last will. Com-
mitting of the foregoing sheet of paper have set my hand
and seal this the eighth day of August 1863

James sealed and published and declared by the above
named James Brim as his last will and testament in pre-
sence of us who at his request in presence of each other
have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto

James Brim
Samuel Denton of Small Co Ca
P. M. Waldupe }
C. K. Martin }

Georgia
Adell County } The last will of James Brim late of said
County having been produced in open Court
before me by C. K. Henry & W. S. Moreland the executors there-
in named and by P. M. Waldupe & Samuel Denton two of
the witnesses to said will, whose witness, being sworn I
that they saw James Brim the testator sign and seal the
paper produced as aforesaid as his last will while of sound
and disposing mind and memory that this and C. K. Martin
subscribed said will as witnesses in his presence and
in presence of each other
Sworn to & Subscribed before me December 11th 1866.
P. M. Jones }
Ordinary } P. M. Waldupe

Recorded February 8th 1867
P. M. Jones
Ordinary