

The Last will & Testament of Catharine Russell Good

Troup County Wills, Book B,

Georgia: In the name of the Honorable. I Catharine Russell of the County and state aforesaid being sick in body but of sound mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed for man to die do make this my last will and testament in form as follows.

Item 1st. I give and bequeath to my Daughter Meddum Gray one bed and furniture and also my family Bible.

Item 2^d. I give and bequeath to my beloved son Thomas Leslie one bed and furniture.

Item 3^d. I give and bequeath to my son Felix Leslie one negro boy by name Solomon and the Deak.

Item 4th. It is my will the balance of my negroes be sold and an equal division of the proceeds among all my children namely Sarah Florida David Leslie Felix Leslie Henry Bell Thomas Leslie Meddum Gray.

Item 5th and lastly. I do hereby appoint my beloved son Felix Leslie my executor to carry this my last will and testament in to effect according to my wish and desire.

In testimony hereunto I have set my hand and affixed my seal this 6th day of April 1849.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in presence of us
George Scott Catharine Russell
Elizabeth Scott
George W. McFee
John W. McFee

Georgia Troup County. Court of Ordinary September Term 1852.
Personally appeared in open court George W. McFee and John W. McFee of the subscribing witnesses to the last will and testament of Catharine Russell decd and after being duly sworn depose and swear that they each signed the same as witnessed in the presence of the testatrix and of each other and the said testatrix acknowledged that she signed the same of her own free will and accord & without compulsion and that said testatrix was of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th September 1852.
George W. McFee
John W. McFee
Wm. H. Davis Ordinary

Georgia Troup County. Court of Ordinary October Term 1852
The original last will and testament of Catharine Russell late of said County decd of which the foregoing is a true copy has been lost or mislaid since the same was probated. It is Ordered by the Court that the foregoing copy together with the probate thereof be admitted to record in lieu of the original
Granted Wm. H. Davis Ordinary

Recorded 7th October 1852

Wm. H. Davis Ordinary