

Signed In the name of God Amen

I Nathan O Boddie of the County and State aforesaid being feeble in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing that it is appointed unto all men once to die do make publick and declare this my last Will and Testament in matter and form as follows

Item 1st I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Elizabeth W Boddie, the tract of Land on which I now reside with all the household and kitchen furniture of every description, together with the stock of every description (which my Executors hereinafter named may think necessary to carry on the farm and one years provisions, I likewise give her thirty negroes (which she may pick from my stock of negroes together with my carriages and ~~my~~ ^{my} horses forever in fee simple

Item 2^d I give to my daughter Elloe Brudup Boddie after my Wifes portion as designated above shall be taken off in addition to one portion of my Estate a negro woman named Pat and her two children

Item 3^d I give and bequeath to my youngest daughter Mandakia Elvira after my Wifes portion and the negroes Pat and her children (which to Elloe Brudup Boddie shall be taken off) two portions of my Estate whilst my other children have but one

Item 4th The balance of my Estate both real and personal, I give to my Children Mary A B Lee, Isabella Bray, Bernnet O Boddie, Louiscimma Boddie, George O Boddie, Elizabeth B Battle and C. A. Boddie, share and share alike

Item 5th The property which I will to my daughters Mary A B Lee, Isabella Bray, Louiscimma Boddie, Elizabeth Battle, Elloe Brudup Boddie and Mandakia Elvira Boddie, I give to them during their natural life and at their death to their children, and if any of them should die without issue I will that their portion shall revert to my other living children or their increase, and I do hereby appoint my son George O Boddie as the trustee of all my daughters as above named

Item 6th I do hereby appoint my friend R. S. Reid, and my son George O Boddie, Executors to this my last Will and Testament Signed sealed and declared in presence of

Amos Reid
John M. Briggs
Robert Briggs

State of Georgia County of Ordway November Term 1857

Doyle County This day came George O Boddie one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Nathan O Boddie late of said County deceased and produced in open Court the last Will and Testament of said deceased and the said Will having been duly sworn upon the oath of Amos Reid and John M. Briggs two of the subscribing witnesses to said Will according to Law and it appearing to the Court that said proof is sufficient and no objections being urged on motion of said Executor It is ordered by the Court that the said last Will & Testament be admitted to Record and George O Boddie one of the nominated Executors therein having been duly qualified in open Court letters Testamentary were granted him according to Law It is further ordered that George Reid, Wm P Bessley, J A Reid, Cary Baker and James M Flowers be and they are hereby appointed to appraise said Estate in pursuance of the Law