

Adam Jones.

Georgia, Warren County.

Know all men by these presents that I, Adam Jones, being of legal age, and being of sound mind and memory, and knowing the uncertainty of this mortal life, and the certainty of death, do hereby constitute and ordain the following to be my last will and testament in manner & form following:—

1st I will and bequeath unto my son Seaborn Jones all that Tract of Land wherein I now live, containing Two Hundred & Sixty two acres, more or less, with all and singular the improvements thereon, with the addition of a certain piece of Land adjoining the same, lying in the fork of two branches between the above named Land and where I formerly lived, and including all between the said branches up to my old plantation up to the fence, and square across along what is called the Brady field, his heirs & assigns forever. But my Will is that my beloved wife Nancy Jones do live and remain upon said Land her natural life, time or widowhood with my son Seaborn, and that she be entitled to equal privileges to the same with him during said time, and provided they should disagree, my will is that my Executors settle such difference or make such arrangements as may be satisfactory between them. I also will & bequeath unto my son Seaborn Jones Two Negroes, (to wit) Will and Candag, also one brown bay horse, one bed and furniture, which is called his, also three cows and calves, six head of sheep, and such stock of hogs as my Executors may think necessary for him at the execution of this my Will, also one set of blacksmiths tools, and that my Executors shall not be bound to him nor rent out my son Seaborn Jones' legacy according to Law; but they are at liberty to dispose of it as they may think proper for his benefit, and that the property aforesaid vested by this to my son Seaborn is his entire interest in my estate, and that he has no further interest or claim to any other part.

2nd I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Nancy Jones, two negro men, Peter and Frank, and a woman Hannah and her two children Charity & Celie, also all my stock, consisting of Horses, cattle, Sheep & hogs, also all my household and kitchen furniture of every description, also all my plantation tools and gear one wagon & ox cart and team, one riding carriage, during her natural lifetime or widowhood; but my Will is that she have no power to sell, barter, move nor carry none of the above named property away, but that it be and remain for the use and support of the family. But provide my wife Nancy should marry, the right of the negro Child Charity is hereby vested in her and her heirs forever.

3rd I will and bequeath unto my son Nathan Jones his heirs and assigns forever, all that part of my Land lying on Long Creek,

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with all (and singular the improvements thereon) bounded as follows, beginning, at Nathan Jones corner of said creek and running up said creek to the mouth of the little creek, thence up the little creek to the mouth of the Courcy branch, thence up the Courcy branch to the crop fence back of the late Apple Orchard on my old place, thence a straight line across along said fence until it strikes Samuel Beall's line, thence along said Beall line until it strikes said Nathan Jones corner at the road at the branch, thence along said Nathan Jones line to the beginning corner on Long Creek; also the negroes William & Frank a copy of being his entire interest in my estate and that he has no further interest or claim to any other part.

4th. My will and desire is that the whole of my estate both real & personal not before mentioned, including that left to my wife Nancy Jones at her death in marriage, shall be equally divided amongst the balance of my children, after paying my just debts, to wit: Thomas Jones, Poley Taylor, Sarah Jones, Elizabeth Glover, Simon Jones, Elijah Jones, Adam Jones, Alfred Jones and Susannah Chambliss, and that my Executors is at liberty to advertise and sell, or otherwise make such division as they may think most beneficial to my heirs & creditors at any time they may think proper, and I do hereby nominate (and appoint) my three sons Elijah Jones, Adam Jones & Stephen Jones Executors to this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other Wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th day of October 1826.

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Adam A Jones
mark

John McCrary
Augustus Beall
William Jones

Georgia
Warren County

You John McCrary and Augustus Beall do hear that you saw Adam

Jones the Testator sign, seal & publish and declare (by making his mark) the within instrument of writing as his last Will & Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was in your opinion of sound mind and disposing memory, that in his presence and at his request you became witness thereto and further that you saw William Jones the other subscribing Witness sign his name also. So help you God.

Nov: 1st 1830.

Attest

John McCrary

L. Franklin Clarke

Augustus Beall

Recorded 30th Nov 1830

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