

John Webb Will,

Georgia Washington County, In the name of God Amen

I John Webb, of the State and County aforesaid being in a feeble state of health but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God, calling to mind, the mortality of my body, and knowing that it appertaineth for man once to die, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, that is to say principally and first of all, I give and recommend my soul unto the hands of God who gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth to be decently buried in a Christian like manner at the disposition of my Executor and friends, And touching this Estate wherewithal it shall please God to give me with in this life, I give devise and dispose of in the following manner.

Item first — I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Charlotte Webb during her natural life the following property, viz; the House and plantation on the south side of Buck Eye Creek, with the exception of no lands to be cleared, also three Negroes, Simon Hammah and Jacob, also two horses, her choice, also five Cows and Calves of her choice, out of all my stock two cows and pigs with ten other shotes, of her choice, with as much land held, and Kitchen furniture as she thinks will do her with as much provision for one year as she and my Executor think will take do her, also my Horse cart, and his Sleds, plus gear, six plow in number of her choice.

Item 2^d I give to my Daughter Sarah Smith the plantation and tract of land where she now lives in, also my tract of land in County, the more which she now has in possession, and one Cow and calf and one yearling, one bed and bedding and furniture comtable and slab which they may have in possession.

Item 3^d I give to my Son John C. Webb, my tract of land where he now lives on, containing One hundred and twenty acres more or less, the Creek to be the line, beginning at the lower end continuing up the upper part against the Worthington old field, One Horse bridle and Saddle, one bed and bedding and furniture and trunk and table one Sled.

Item 4^d I give to my daughter Elizabeth Webb one bed and bedding and furniture one Trunk, bridle and Saddle,

Item 5^d I give to my daughter Martha Webb, one bed and bedding and furniture one Trunk bridle and Saddle

Item 6^d I give to my daughter Antoina Webb one Trunk,

Item 7^d I give to my daughters Elizabeth and Martha and divide the balance of my land on the North side of Buck Eye Creek and it to be equally divided between them three

Item 8^d I give to my Son Joseph Webb at the death of my wife the House and land which I have bequeathed her, at her death

Item 9^d I give to the two children of my daughter Mary Hammie deceased my tract of land lying on the side of the Creek, I know not the tract, joining of land of Ezekiel Daniel, also my bunch of cattle and others, now in the care of Samuel Redgroat, the cattle to be sold the money put at interest

Item 10th I give the balance of my negro property not otherwise disposed of to my children Sarah Smith, John le Webb, Elizabeth Webb, Martha Webb, Malinda Webb, Joseph G. Webb, Crawford Webb and the two children of Henry Hamelton deceased, to have one share the share which their mother would have been entitled to provide she had off lived.

Item 11th My old negro man Simon must be supported by the above negro property which are given to all of my children.

Item 12— The balance of my property after giving of my son Joseph G. Webb a tolerable good English Education, all the said remaining part of my property not otherwise disposed of goods and chattels to be equally divided between Sarah Smith, John le Webb, Elizabeth Webb, Martha Webb, Malinda Webb, and Joseph G. Webb, and if any money for it likewise to be equally divided between the above named heirs in item 12th.

Item 14th After the death of my wife the negro property given to her to be equally divided between all of my children my grand children excepted. The balance of said property I give to the children mentioned in item 12th and it to be equally divided.

Item 15th Out of the property of item 12th I desire my children to all be made equal before the property is all divided. If any of the above named children should die without issue the property to return and be equally divided between all my children except my grand children and if two of them should die without an issue the property to be divided by the others. If both should die without issue the property then to return and be equally divided between all of my children.

Item 16th It is my will and desire that Benjamin Hamelton the father of said Grand Children should never have any part or parcel of my estate in his management.

Item 17th My books to be equally divided among all of my children. I do hereby make and ordain Simon Herkis my sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other former testament will made by me.

In witness I have signed up in my name and set my seal this 21st day of June 1848.

In the presence of
William A. Webb }
Samuel Williams }
Jordan R. Smith }

Stephen Webb