

1784  
Be it remembered that I Sarah Dixon of North Carolina  
Chatham County being sick and weak in body but of sound  
and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this  
my last will and Testament in manner and form following  
(viz) Item 1<sup>st</sup> I give to My two sons Joel Dixon and Lela  
Dixon twenty five dollars each

Item 2<sup>nd</sup> I give to each of My Son grand sons Phineas Dixon  
and Eliza Dixon ten dollars and if either of them shall  
die whilst in Minority or without Lawful Issue the sur-  
viving one to receive the Others Legacy

Item 3 My will is that all my property of whatever kind or nature  
be sold by my Executors hereafter named and the proceeds thereof  
together with my bonds cash and accounts be equally divided  
among all my Children namely Joel Dixon Lela Dixon  
John Dixon Ruth Haystack Catha Rubottom and Sophia  
Woody my grand Daughter Sophia Rubottom to have an equal  
part including two dollars which she will have by my  
husband Nathan Dixons Will and if she shall die whilst  
in Minority without issue her Legacy is to be equally  
divided among my above named Children I do hereby con-  
stitute and appoint My son Joel Dixon of Morgan  
County State of Georgia as guardian to receive from my  
executors and have the Care of Phineas Dixons Eliza  
Dixons and Sophia Rubottoms Legacies

I do also constitute and appoint my son John Dixon and  
Squireman James Woody sole executors of this my last will and  
Testament. In Witness I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
this Ninth day of the first Month in the year of our Lord one  
Thousand eight hundred & thirty

Signed sealed and pronounced by  
the said Sarah Dixon to be her  
last will and Testament in presence of

Saml. Dixon

Lewis Jones

Sarah Dixon

The foregoing will was proved by the oath  
of Saml Dixon at City of New York  
whereupon James Woody was  
qualified as Executor