

Wm. B. Brantley's Will

November 19<sup>th</sup> 1845

It is my Request that my Wife Elizabeth Ann Brantley shall inherit all my property of every kind, both real & personal except the following entailed, viz: Geo. W. Fern, & Henry Negro Man Hannah & Cressa & his two Children Aron and Loren. It is also my Wish that Wife Elizabeth Ann Brantley shall be her own Guardian - and that the said property shall go for her individual use - W. B. Brantley, Nelson W. W. Weaver, W. C. Williamson, Wm. S. Smith, John H. Leach, Samuel Hollars. The State of Alabama Dallas County Special Chancery Court 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1845. Personally appeared in open Court W. B. Brantley, W. C. Williamson, Thomas S. Smith, John H. Leach & Samuel Hollars the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will who being first duly sworn depose and say that they saw the Testator sign seal & execute said Will as and for his last Will and Testament that said Testator was of sound Mind and Disposing Memory at the time of executing the same, that they & each of them signed the same as Witnesses in the presence of & at the request of said Testator & in the presence of each other on the day and year therein mentioned. W. B. Brantley, W. C. Williamson, Wm. S. Smith, John H. Leach, Samuel Hollars, sworn to & Subscribed before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1845, Sanford William C. K.

Recorded this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1846, Sanford William C. K.

Chinney S. Powers Will

Wills Will July 4<sup>th</sup> 1836. Chinney S. Powers of the County of Jackson & Territory of Florida being of sound and disposing mind do make this my last Will and Testament in the Words and Manner following to wit: Item 1<sup>st</sup> I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Margaret S. Powers the sole and entire use of all my real and personal Estate now in my possession and that which I may be hereafter entitled to during her Natural life. - Item 2<sup>d</sup>. After the death of my said Wife it is my Will that all my said property, after paying my just debts, be divided by five respectable and discrete men to be chosen by my then surviving Children into three equal parts, and I hereby give and bequeath to my brother William Powers of the State of Alabama one third part thereof in trust for my daughter Ann Lydia Woodward in such a manner that she may have the proceeds thereof for her own private use during the life time of her husband Alfred S. Woodward, and after his death it is my Will that my said brother do give up to my said daughter all the property and money so given to him in

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