

may be admitted to probate and established, and  
for such last Will, such leave is granted and said  
~~obligations~~ are withdrawn and it appearing that  
William L. Rye and his wife have sold and  
transferred all their interest in the estate of the said  
Ammetta Johnson to the proponents, and Michael Johnson  
and have agreed to withdraw all relating to the probate  
of said paper, and whereupon came William H. Hart and  
Augustus A. Myrick the subscribing witnesses to said paper  
writing, who depose that said Ammetta Johnson was at  
the time of her death a citizen of and resident in the  
County of Jackson State of Alabama that she departed  
this life in the Month of August 1838 that they said  
said Ammetta on the day of the date of said paper  
writing signs the same as bind for her last Will and  
that they finally and at the request and in the  
presence of the said Ammetta witness said paper  
writing by subscribing their names thereto on the date  
of the date thereof also that said Ammetta was then  
of sound mind and above the age of twenty one years  
This therefore by the Court considered that said paper  
writing be admitted to record probate and established  
in and for the last Will of the said Ammetta Johnson  
deceased. This further considered that the proponent  
pay the cost of this application to be reimbursed  
him out of the assets of said testatrix.

John H. Norwood  
Judge

The State of Alabama I John H. Norwood Judge  
Jackson County <sup>of the Probate Court for said</sup>  
County hereby certify that  
the within instrument of writing has this day in said  
Court before me as the Judge thereof been duly proven  
by the proper testimony to be the genuine last Will  
and Testament of Ammetta Johnson deceased, and that same  
has been Recorded in my office in Will Book K page 409  
V. 1110 In witness of all which I have hereunto set my  
and the seal of said Court affixed this August 12<sup>th</sup> 1838

John H. Norwood  
Judge

The State of Alabama I John H. Norwood Judge of the  
Jackson County Probate Court of the County and  
State aforesaid and Ex Officio Clerk and keeper of the  
Records and seal of said County do hereby certify that the  
foregoing is a true correct and perfect transcript of the  
last Will and Testament of Ammetta Johnson Dec'd  
and also of the probate of said Will as remains of record  
in said County. I further certify that by virtue of my  
Office as Probate Judge of said Court I am also Clerk of the  
Probate Court and that this attestation is in due form of law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and  
the seal of said Court at Office this 29<sup>th</sup> day of  
November A.D. 1838

John H. Norwood  
Judge of Probate

last Will and Testament of Joseph H. Miller  
Joseph H. Miller considering of the uncertainty of this  
Mortal life and being of sound mind and willing for  
which I thank God, do make and publish this my last  
Will and Testament in form and manner following that  
is to say First— That my debts be paid out of my  
stock by my Executors. Secondly— This my Will that my  
Wife Rachel shall in time of her life during her natural  
also hold and use for the benefit of herself and for the  
benefit of our children in such manner and to such  
intendings to her may seem just and proper all my property  
both personal and Real. Thirdly— I bequeath to Elizabeth  
A. Green, Willis, John, Edmund and Martha.

Fourthly— I bequeath to Lucinda Jane, Rebekah, Ned, Napoleon  
and Dick the sum of One hundred and Fifty dollars  
two beds and furniture— fifthly— My Will is that my  
plantation be divided between William and Robert as they  
can agree between themselves. Robert having the East end  
stocks and farming tools except one Horse worth at least  
one hundred and twenty five Dollars which he is to give  
William. Sixthly— That the household and kitchen furniture  
be divided between them all as they may agree among themselves  
seventhly and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Sons  
William H. Miller and Robert H. Miller sole Executors  
of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof

I do make and seal my hand and Seal this 29<sup>th</sup> January 1858  
the Executor not required to give security  
Signed, sealed and delivered  
by the Testator in the presence  
of us at his residence in his parsonage  
and in the presence of each other  
hereunto Subscribed and Sealed  
as witness thereto  
R. A. H. H. K. M.  
Rev. Mr. Beattie

Joseph H. Miller

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State of Minnesota County Court March Term 1859  
Lincoln County J. Daniel J. Whittington Clerk of  
the County Court of said County hereby certify that the  
foregoing last Will and Testament of Joseph H. Miller deceased  
was this day duly proven in open Court by the Oath of  
R. A. H. H. K. M. Rev. Mr. Beattie the subscribing witness  
thereon whereupon it is ordered by the Court to be certified  
and recorded as the law directs - witness Daniel J.  
Whittington Clerk of the said Court in Fayetteville the  
first day of March 1859

Daniel J. Whittington Clerk

last Will and Testament of Henry Snider deceased  
I Henry Snider being of sound mind and memory understanding  
do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament and  
by revoking all Wills, testaments or acts by me  
I Will and direct that my funeral expenses and all just debts  
be paid as soon after my death as practicable out of the first  
Money which may come into the hands of my Executor here  
inaugurated. And I direct that my body be buried in a  
plain decent manner. Item second - I Will and bequeath to  
Harriet M. Hamilton wife of William Hamilton to her  
sole and separate use during her natural life and after her  
death to her children my Negro Man Poly.

Item 3 I Will and bequeath to Sarah H. Smith to her sole and separate  
use during her natural life, and after death to her children  
my Negro Woman Gertrude; I also Will and bequeath to said  
Sarah H. Smith during her natural life and at her death  
to her children a good Bed, Bed Clothes & furniture.

Item 4 I Will and bequeath to Agnes Q. Smith to her sole & separate  
use during her natural life and at her death to her children  
my Negro Woman Lucy; I also Will and bequeath to said  
Agnes Q. Smith to her sole and separate use during her natural  
life and at her death to her children a good Bridle and  
Saddle, Bed, Bed Clothes and furniture.

Item 5 It is my Will and desire that the Slaves above detailed shall  
be valued to the respective legatees, and hereby certifying  
and impressing my Executor herein after appointed to value  
said slaves. And said legatees are to receive from said  
Executor at the valuation he may place upon the same  
And it is further my Will and desire, that should any of the  
slaves above bequeathed die before the time my said executor  
makes said valuation, then the legatee to whom such slave  
or slaves is bequeathed shall be made up equal with the  
other legatees out of my other estate herein after mentioned.

Item 6 It is my Will and desire in relation to the slaves and other  
property above bequeathed, and in relation to the other property  
herein after bequeathed, that should any of the legatees die  
without leaving Children, then the portion bequeathed to said  
legatee or legatees shall be equally divided between said  
other legatees.

Item 7 It is my Will and desire that said legatees above mentioned  
take charge of and keep my two old slaves Dick and Sarah