

South Carolina }
Abbeville District }

In the name of God, amen.

I David Terrel Oliver of the State of Miss.
Sparto County do make and ordain this
my last will and testament.

Item 1st All of my just debts are to be paid.

Item 2nd After my debts are paid my property
personal and real to be equally divided
between my wife Sarah C. Oliver, my daughter
Lizzie Terrel Oliver and my son James
Semmus Oliver, subject to the following
conditions. viz. The property to be kept together
until my children attain the age of twenty
one years, provided neither my wife or either
of my children marry before the children
attain the age of twenty one years -

Item 3rd If my wife marries, or either of my
children marry before the children attain the age of
twenty one years, then the property to be
appraised and equally divided between my wife

and children - and I appoint my brother
John T. Oliver guardian of the unmarried
child, and of both children, if my wife
marries. If my brother John T. Oliver should
die or be killed in the service of his country, then
Sam. Oliver jr will act as their guardian.

Item 4th If my daughter Lizzie Lavel Oliver
die before marrying, or without children living
at her death, her property after the death of her
husband shall revert to my estate and be
equally divided among my heirs.

Item 5th If my children die before attaining
the age of twenty one years or without heirs, then
my wife to inherit the whole of my estate.

I appoint John T. Oliver & Sarah C
Oliver the executors of this my last will and
testament

David Lavel Oliver

Signed, sealed and published by David T
Oliver as his last will and testament in presence
of us the subscribing witnesses, who in the presence
of each other were called by said David T. Oliver to
attest his execution and the word children interlined

Abbeville County, South Carolina, Estate papers, box 172, package 4604, Original Will of David T. Oliver, 13 February 1864; Probate Court, Abbeville; microfilm reel AB085, South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia.

in 3rd clause, this 13th day of Feb A.D. 1864
Sam B. M. Chilton
Geo. W. Pressly
H. J. Sloan