

a marry. I give unto my brother James Drury my House plantation I also give him the Lands lying on the South side of the Road leading from my residence to his making the two white Oaks which stands on the South side of the said Road a corner between him and my brother Samuel. From these Oaks up the Road by an apple tree to a hickory standing on the South side of said Road, which hickory is adjacent to me the above Street, from said tree to be out a corner running a direct line to a oak a corner on my love these James D. Adairbrooks base, as above then adjacent to including Hoys. all which I also give him and half of my whole Estate excepting what is not heretofore disposed of to him and his heirs forever.

Item 11th the above last Item say the 8th ninth and tenth is obvious to be seen they are intended not to have a bearing unless all of my children should die and leaving no issue to enjoy my estate under such circumstances then then referred to is my Will.

Item 12th and lastly. I do hereby constitute nominate and appoint my brother Saml Drury and in case he should not act (my brother James Drury) Guardian for my children and my whole and sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all others. heretofore by that made and declaring this to be my last Will I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six

Signed Sealed and acknowledged

John Drury 

In the presence of

Wm D. Adairbrooks

James R. Piers

Alexander M. Linn

Saml. M. A. Ramsey

IN the 6th Item of the above Will I have authorized my Executor to use any money due my estate for the purpose of building or keeping my building in repair on my different plantations my Will and desire is the amount expended for the purpose shall be taken out of the rents of the Lands. I witness my hand & seal this 28th day of July 1846.

Signed and acknowledged

John Drury 

In presence of

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Codicil to this my last Will and Testament bearing date 28th July 1846 It is my Will and desire that the tract of land I purchased of Burt Pundley lying in the upper part of 5th section and a part in Townships or to appear more fully being the land conveyed to me by William D. Adairbrooks to be sold at such time and on such credit as my Executor may think best and the money arising from the sale thereof to be equally divided between my four children or their descendants and should there die leaving no issue then to the Survivor & also give to my daughter Mary Jane my Diana. it is further my Will and desire that my Executor shall not give security for his administration of my Estate. I witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and