

and the proceeds equally divided amongst all my other children (viz) John Higdon John M. Higdon Samuel Higdon Joseph Higdon Thomas Higdon and Sarah Higdon Polly Anne Susanna Fiske Rebecca Smith and the heirs of Land J. Smith Esq. and Margaret Bennett with the exception of thirty dollars which must first be paid to my son John M. Higdon and lastly I appoint my son Samuel Higdon and my son in law James Smith Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all and departing from all Wills testamentary and Requests by me heretofore made in Writing Whereof I have heretofore set my hand and the Seal on a day of October 1835 Signed at the residence of James Mayor Joseph Higdon Sen Esq. and a Justice of the Peace

Bacon County Court February Court 1836.
The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Joseph Higdon Sen. was produced in Court and was perused and found by the oath of James Mayor and Isaac Smith subscribing Witnesses whereupon the said Writing was ordered to be recorded as the last Will of the said Joseph Higdon Sen. and the same is duly recorded. Teste Mayor etc.

Joel Sunders
Will

In the Name of God Amen
I Joel Sunders of Bacon County State of Georgia being very low in health but of sound mind & memory and feeling the mortality and uncertainty of this life do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in presence and for as follows (viz) I will and desire my well beloved wife Fanny Sunders to have and take of all my estate both real & personal during her natural life or widowage & if it so happen that she should marry then and in that case I will and desire that she should have only the one third part of my estate and my and at her death the share of my estate both Real & Personal to be equally divided amongst

my children namely Anne Sunders Sarah H. Sunders William W. Sunders Joseph M. Sunders and Michael W. Sunders to them and their heirs forever and furthermore if the child my wife is by birth now should be born alive and live to the age of twenty one year or more that it should have and have full portion with the rest of my children to it and its heirs forever Lastly I will and appoint Fanny Sunders and John Sufferer Executors of this my last Will and Testament & Witness my hand and Seal this 15th day of November one thousand eight hundred and thirty four This was divided intended before signed

Joel Sunders
Fanny Sunders
John Sufferer

Bacon County Court March Court 1836.
The within and foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Joel Sunders Sen. was produced in Court and perused and found by the oath of Watson Sunders & Sipe Hoffman two subscribing Witnesses whereupon the said Writing was ordered to be recorded as the last Will of the said Joel Sunders Sen. and the same is duly recorded. Teste Hoffman etc.

William Logan
Will

I William Logan Sr. of the County of Bacon being at this time of sound mind and disposing memory but duly sensible of the propriety of making due disposition of my worldly effects inasmuch as the time for my dissolution may soon arrive and knowing that that event must take place sooner or later do ordain establish and publish the following as my true last will and testament wishing no revocation or alteration thereof.
First of all I desire that my executors herein after named shall pay all my just debts and settle and pay all my debts and accounts of every description lawfully. It is my will and desire that all the balance of my estate that shall remain after the payment of my debts and the settlement of my accounts shall go to my beloved wife for and during her lifetime for the use and benefit of the family and to be appropriated and applied to their reasonable support and comfort as hereafter in the manner that shall seem to my wife to be the most advantageous.