

Samuel McKee Doe

In the name of God Amen. I Samuel McKee of the County of Newton and State of Georgia being of sound and disposing mind and memory and being desirous to settle my worldly Affairs, while I have strength so to do, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all wills by me heretofore made.

I And first I Commit my soul to God, who gave it and my body I desire to be buried decently and my worldly estate I dispose of as follows:
 First I give and bequeath to my daughter Poralie McKee my house and three fourths of an acre of ground with it in the town of Eatonton, Outman County Georgia

Second

I give and bequeath to my son Peyton McKee one fourth of an acre off of the same lot in said town of Eatonton. The remainder of said lot (which contains two acres) bearing one acre, I will and desire shall be sold and the proceeds of said sale to be divided equally between my two sons Malcom McKee and William McKee after paying out of said money owing from said sale all of my indebtedness and expenses of administration.

I will and desire that my daughter Poralie McKee shall also have the largest of two hog & I have in Eatonton Newton County and my son Peyton McKee to have the smaller one.

I also will and desire and hereby Appoint and constitute

Thomas Wright (decd) and Richard Smith (decd) executors to the my last will and testament. Subscribed and signed executor being citizens of the County of Outenburn State of Georgia.

In Witness whereof I the said Samuel M. C. Rice to the my will consisting of the foregoing two pages here at my hand and foot this the fifth day of May 1884 Samuel M. Rice + (Seal)

Signed before, published and declared to the above named Samuel M. Rice as his last will and testament in presence of us, who at his request in presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses to the

Charles Patterson +
J. W. Watson
P. M. Rice
R. D. Matto on.

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Newton County } I, R. D. Matto on do swear that I and also Charles Patterson, J. W. Watson and P. M. Rice saw Samuel M. Rice sign and publish the above and foregoing two before in writing as his last will and testament, that I subscribed the same as a witness thereto at the said instance and request of the said Samuel M. Rice and in his presence as did also the said Charles Patterson, J. W. Watson and P. M. Rice - that the said Samuel M. Rice signed the same freely

and voluntarily and was at the time of such signing of sound and disposing mind and memory. Sworn to & subscribed before me this 8th day of March 1884 } R. D. Matto on

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Newton County } I, Richard Smith do solemnly swear that the writing contains the true last will and testament of the within named Samuel M. Rice, deceased as far as I know or believe and that I will truly execute the same in accordance with the laws of this State. Subscribed and sworn to & published before me this 14th day of March 1884 } Richard Smith

John H. Belcher
Ordinary

Given in common form and admitted to Record, at Spring Place, Georgia
1876 of Newton County } Jas. H. Belcher
Ordinary

Recorded in "John M. Rice" pages 401-402 & 403 April 8th 1886
Jas. H. Belcher
Ordinary