

State of Georgia, } I Frances. Patterson
 Brooks County } considering the uncertainty
 of this mortal life, and being of sound
 mind and memory (blessed be the Almighty
 God for the same) do make and publish
 this my last will and Testament in the
 manner and form following (That is to say,
 First I give and bequeath unto my beloved
 daughters Penny Frances and Mary half of
 my land known as part of lot No 195
 situated and being between lands owned
 by J. D. Filerman and James M. Patterson,
 I also give and bequeath unto the above
 named Penny Frances my Saddle mare
 and her coldest colt - be being bay & known
 by the name of Puscom - also two cows
 & calves & one mare (Sorell) known by the
 name of Colin, one third of my hogs & Sheep
 and one half my household and kitchen
 furniture.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved son James
 M. Patterson one third the lands I now reside
 on known as part of lot No 242.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Wily
 Patterson half of my above described land
 and known as part of lot No 195 and lying
 between lands owned by J. D. Filerman &
 Jas M. Patterson one cow & calf one third of
 my Sheep & Hogs and one third interest in
 the land I now reside on known as part
 of lot No 242.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter
 Mary in addition to the land as above written
 one Cow & Calf one third of my hogs & Sheep
 one half my household & kitchen kitchen
 furniture and my Cream col colt.

I furthermore want it distinctly understood
 that whatever I have as above given & bequeathed
 unto my daughter Mary is to be according
 to this my last Will & Testament & exclusively
 hers & children & to be controlled only by her
 and if at any time hereafter the children
 should be taken ~~away~~ of her possession
 and care then & in that case the whole
 amount of property as above specified
 to be hers.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter
 Sarah Ann one third my land on which I
 now reside known as part of lot No 242.

I constitute my beloved son in law
 James M Shearer Executor to this my last
 Will and Testament this October 11 1871

Francis ^{her} Patterson
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Signed, Sealed, declared and published
 by Francis Patterson as her last Will &
 Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers
 who Subscribed our names hereto in the presence
 of said Testator and of each other
 this October 11 1871

J. D. Evans
 L. L. McNair
 J. D. Freeman
 L. W. McNair

Probated Nov 6 1871 at regular term of
 the Court of Ordinary. James S. Beatty
 Ordinary.

Recorded November 9 1871
 James S. Beatty
 Ordinary