

Certy of Will of Margaret James.

State of Georgia

Chatham County. In the name of God Amen. I
Margaret James of the City of Savannah in the County
of Chatham and State of Georgia being of sound disposing
mind memory & understanding do make & declare this
instrument of writing to be my last will & Testament
hereby cancelling & revoking all other wills heretofore
made by me.

Item first. I desire that all my just debts should be paid.

Item second. I give devise & bequeath to my sister now a widow,
residing in Ireland, the sum of fifty dollars & I desire that my
executors hereinafter named, will be particular in sending the
same to her by my sister I mean the sister of my deceased hus-
band the late Henry James.

Item third. I give devise & bequeath to my beloved & only child
George Edward James, all my Estate Real, Personal &
Mixed, and all the property of which I may be seized
& possessed, or to which I may have any right claim
or demand, where ever situated, or however acquired
or however the same may be hereafter acquired, to him his
heirs, executors, administrators & assigns forever.

Item fourth. I nominate, constitute & appoint Doctor Richard D.
Arnold Testamentary Guardian of the person & property
of my beloved child George Edward James, & I
commit him to his care with an abiding assurance
that in all respects his best interests will be consulted
by him.

Item fifth. I nominate constitute, & appoint Doctor Richard D. Arnold
& Bro. Capt. Esq. the executors of this my last will & Testa-
ment.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& seal this fifth day of May in the year of our Lord
One thousand Eight hundred & fifty three.

Margaret James

Signed, Sealed, Published & delivered
by the said Testatrix, on the day & year
therein named, at her last will & Testament
in our presence, who in her presence, at
her request, & in presence of each other
have signed our names as witnesses
thereto.

Geo. J. Owens
Jno. E. Ward
Thomas R. Jones

Georgia

Chatham County.

Witnessed by Margaret
James on the fifth day of May

hundred & fifty three make publish & declare the
 within instrument at writing as & for my last
 will & testament, & being desirous of making some
 addition thereto, do thereto make publish & declare
 this codicil to my said will.
 In the first item of my will I have appointed my
 friend Dr. Archard B. Arnold, the Testamentary
 guardian of my son George Edward James, &
 I simply desire to add to that clause, that I wish
 my said son to be educated in the Roman Catholic
 faith, the religion of his father, having a full &
 abiding confidence in my friend Dr. Arnold, that
 he will see this wish properly carried out.

Interp my hand & seal at
 Savannah this sixth day of June
 A. D. 1854

Signed, sealed, Publish & Declared
 by the said Testatrix, as a codicil
 to her said will, in our presence, who
 in her presence, at her request & in
 presence of each other have subscribed
 our names as witnesses hereto
 J. O. Byrne
 Leonellous Sullivan
 Geo. J. Owens

State of Georgia } Probate of will & executon.
 Chatham County } Court of Ordinary
 in
 November & December
 24th A. D. 1854

Present. Mr. M. M. M. Esq. Ordinary for the County of
 Chatham.

Personally appeared Geo. J. Owens a subscribing
 witness to the annexed instrument of writing purport-
 ing to be the last will & testament of Margaret
 James late of Chatham County deceased, who
 being duly sworn deposed & said that he now
 present & did see the said instrument, at writing &
 duly executed by the said Margaret. And deponent fur-
 ther said that the said Margaret at the time of execu-
 ting said instrument of writing was to the best of
 deponent's knowledge & belief of sound & dispo-
 sition of mind & understanding, & that Geo. J. Owens
 the deponent & Mr. E. Ward & Francis Myers in the presence
 of each other, & of the said Margaret and at her
 request signed their names to the said instrument

execution of the same.

Geo. J. Owens.

Sworn to before me this }
24th December 1854 }
Jno. M. Miller }
O.C.C. }

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
last will of the within named Margaret James deceased
as far as I know or believe; & that I will well & truly
execute the same, by having first the acts & then the
legacies contained in the said will, as far as her
goods & chattels will thereto extend & the law charge
be; & that I will make a true & perfect inventory
of all such goods & chattels.

So Help me God.

Richard D. Arnold.

Sworn to before me this }
9th January 1854 }
Jno. M. Miller }
O.C.C. }

Portals of Justice & Qualm.

State of Georgia }
Chatham County }
Court of Ordinary
in
Chambers
December 24th 1854

Present Jno. M. Miller. Ordinary of Chatham County.

Personally appeared Geo. J. Owens a subscribing witness to
the annexed instrument of writing purporting to be
a codicil to the last will & testament of Margaret
James late of Chatham County deceased, who being
only sworn deposed & said that he is present &
did see the said instrument of writing duly executed
by the said Margaret. And deponent further said
that the said Margaret at the time of executing said
instrument of writing was to the best of deponent's
knowledge & belief of sound disposing mind, mem-
ory & understanding & that Geo. J. Owens the deponent
Johnellous Jullian, & D. A. B. Rogers in the presence
of each other & of the said Margaret & at her request
signed their names as witnesses to the due execution
of the same.

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true
copies of the true last will & testament of the within
named Margaret James deceased, so far as I know
or believe; & that I will well & truly execute the
same, by paying forth the assets, & then the legacies
contained in the said will, as far as her goods & chattels
will thereunto extend & the law charge me. &
that I will make a true & perfect inventory of
all such goods & chattels - So Help me God!

Sworn before me

this 9th Jan. 1854
Jas. M. Mullen o.c.

Richard O. Arnold.

Will of Catharine Healy a. l. l. l.

In the name of God Amen!

I Catharine Healy alias Farley do make this my
last will & Testament.

I bequeath to my daughter Mary Farley, and my
daughter Margaret Ann Healy all monies, legacies
chattels, real or personal estate to which I am now
entitled, or to which by will deed or testament I may
hereafter be entitled to.

To execute this my last will & testament I appoint
as Executor the Rev. J. F. O'Neils, his heirs & assigns
I likewise request him to be the Guardian of my
daughter Mary Farley, and as much as possible to
have her brought up with the sisters of our family
at Mercy or Savannah for her education.

Catharine ^{her} Farley
Mark

Signed, sealed, & delivered

in our presence as witnesses

this day 1853

at Savannah Ga.

Denis Healy

Henry McNamee

James Healy -

State of Georgia } Court of Ordinary for the County of
Chatham County } 1853

Present. Jas. M. Mullen Ordinary for the County of
Chatham -

Personally appeared Denis Healy a subscribing witness
to the annexed instrument, purporting to be the