

Georgia Before his Excellency Sir James Wright Baronet
Captain General and Governor in Chief of this
Majesty's said Province and Ordinary of the same
Personally appeared James Adair one of the subscribing witnesses,
to the annexed last will and testament of Josiah Bryan deceased
contained on four sides of paper and also one of the subscribing
witnesses to the Codicil within written who being duly sworn on
the Holy Evangelist of almighty God made oath that he was
present and did see the said Testator sign seal publish pro-
nounce and declare the said Will to be and contain his last will
and testament and the said Codicil to be a codicil to the same
will and that he was of sound and disposing mind & memory
to the best of his knowledge and belief and that he with James
Robertson and Ruthy Jones subscribed their names as witnesses
to the said Will and that he and Ruthy Jones also subscribed
their names as witnesses to the said Codicil at the request of
in the presence of the said Testator and in each other presence.
At the same time William Bryan and William
Ebbens qualified as accountants

Given under my hand the 23^d December
1774

Sir Wright

Georgia Secretary's Office
Killedgey to 10th March 1777

The above and foregoing is a
true copy from the Register of Wills in this Office Book No. 1
pages 116 & 117

Daniel Newman
Secretary

Recd Dec 23^d March 1777

State of Georgia
City of Savannah & In the name of God Amen I Henry
S. Wagners being sick and debile but of sound and disposing mind
do declare this to be my last will and testament I give devise
and bequeath all the Estate both real and personal both in pos-
session and in action of whatsoever nature it may consist to my
Grand son John G. Butler Junior the son of John G. Butler sen-
ior and his heirs forever. And its further my will and
desire that should the said John G. Butler Junior my grandson
die before he attains the age of twenty one years that his part
issue lawfully begotten then and in that case all the Estate

both real and personal in possession or in action of which I am now
 possessed and to which I am now entitled I may hereafter be entitled
 to shall go to the said John S Butler senior and his heirs forever and
 I do hereby revoke all and any will and testament heretofore made
 by me and do hereby nominate constitute and appoint the said
 John S Butler senr the sole executor to this my last will and testament
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th
 day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and twenty seven.

Mary S Raynes

signed sealed and acknowledged in the presence of us and in
 the presence of the testatrix the day and year above written
 Robert W Pooler Noty Pub Edw Hughes Jr. R Clinstead

State of Georgia
 Chatham County } Chambers of the Court of Ordinary 29th March 1827

Present the honorable Anthony Porter and Elias Fort Justices
 of the Inferior Court of Chatham County sitting for ordinary purposes

Personally appeared Robert W Pooler of Savannah Attorney
 at Law one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing Instrument
 of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Mary S Raynes
 late of Chatham County widow deceased, who being duly sworn,
 depose and saith that he was present and did see the said
 Mary S Raynes do cease of sign and seal and hear her pronounce
 publish and declare the said Instrument of writing to be & contain
 her last will and testament; that the said Mary S Raynes was
 at the time of executing the same of sound and disposing mind
 and memory to the best of this deponents knowledge and belief,
 that he the said Robert W Pooler and Edward Hughes Junior and
 Roger Clinstead all of Savannah subscribed their names as
 witnesses to the due execution of the said last will & testament at
 the request of the said Mary S Raynes deceased in her presence
 and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

this 29th March 1827

Jacob Chadbourne Notary

Robert W Pooler.

11th May 1827 then appeared John S Butler Executor named
 in the foregoing will of Mary S Raynes decd in Open Court and
 qualified as such

St M Daniel

Recorded & Examined 23rd May 1827