

Ordered that the same be admitted to record
J. H. Hill ordinary

State of Georgia, In the name of God Amen
Chattooga County,

I, James M. Pursley jun
of Said State and County being of Sound mind
and disposing memory, knowing that I must shortly depart
this life, deem it right and proper that I should make a dispo-
sition of my property which a kind providence has blessed me,
I do therefore make this my last will and testament, hereby revo-
king and annulling all others heretofore by me made —

1st I desire that my body be buried in a decent and a
Christianlike manner suitable to my circumstances and
condition in life — My Soul I trust shall return to God who
gave it, as I hope for salvation through the merits and
atonement of the blessed Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

2nd I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid
without delay by my Executor herein after named and
appointed.

3rd I give and bequeath to my beloved mother
Rebecca M. Pursley during her life all my property
of every description to me belonging, and at her death
to be disposed of as she may direct —

4th I hereby constitute and appoint my Brother
David E. Pursley Executor of this my last will and
testament — This Oct 27th 1873

James M. Pursley jr.

Signed Sealed declared and published by James
M. Pursley jr. as his last will and testament in the
presence of us the undersigned who subscribed our
names hereto in the presence of Said Testator at
his Special instance and request, and in the
presence of each other — This October 27th 1873

Joseph Underwood
Andrew J. Bryant
A. Johnston