

Court of Ordinary
September Term 1873

The within last will & testament of
Seaborn Harup deceased being produced by
Daniel J. Harup one of the executors appor-
inted by said will and the same being
proven upon the oaths of Saml. McShorter
and A. J. Neal two of the subscribing witnesses-
It is therefore ordered that the same be
admitted to record

J B Hill Ordinary

Georgia
Chattooga County I know all men by these presents
that I Joel N. Bowman do now
make and cause to be made this
my last will and testament of all my real estate
and personal property, to my wife Ruth A
Bowman and my two children Sarah E. Bowman
and John I. Bowman to hold and to have equal
together during Ruth Bowman natural life
and at her death the property to go to my two
children Sarah E. Bowman and John I. Bowman
equally to be divided between them, and all
so that my mother in law shall have a support
in common with the family as long as she
remains in and with my wife and children
free of charge - And I do now appoint
Ruth A. Bowman the executrix and William
Nix my executor to do and to put and carry
this my last will & testament into effect, or
cause the same to be done - All this I have
done in my right senses -

Whereunto I set my hand and affix
my seal this April 21st 1873

Joel N. Bowman (Seal)

This Sheet was presented to us by Joel N. Bowman
and requested us to sign it

S. A. Porter
Joseph S. Neal
James R. ...

Chattooga Court of Ordinary

October Term Oct 6th 1873

The within last will & testament of Joel N. Bowman deceased being produced by Ruth A. Bowman and William Nix the Executors appointed by said Testator, and said will being proved upon the oath of Joseph S. Hamilton one of the Subscribing witnesses to said will - It is therefore ordered that the same be admitted to Record

J. B. Hill Ordinary

State of Georgia In the name of God Amen
Chattooga County

I, James M. Purzley Jan 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 disposition of my property, which a kind providence has blessed me, I do therefore make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore by me made -

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.

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

I give and bequeath to my beloved Mother Rebecca M. Purzley during her life all my property of every description to me belonging, and at her death to be disposed of as she may direct -

I hereby constitute and appoint my Brother David N. Purzley Executor of this my last will and testament - This Oct 24th 1873

James M. Purzley Jr

Signed Sealed declared and published
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