

Georgia } Court of Chancery
Decatur County } I am adjourned Decr 1835. Judge
The motion last made & statement
of Spruce P. Gorman having been duly proven
at this term in open Court upon the oath of
Richard M. Wilson, ordered that the same
be admitted to record - I Sam. C. C.

Georgia } In the name of God Amen, I, James
Decatur County } - am (liberator of the coming & forth
aforesaid do make this my last
will & testament to take effect at my death
Item the first - I give my soul to God who gave it
and my body to the grave
Item Second - It is my will that my Executor have
in after named shall pay out my just debts of any I have
my body decently buried
Item the third It is my will that all of my prop-
erty in Negro land all other personal property
that I am entitled to under the will of my husband
late of the State of North Carolina deceased con-
sisting of twenty five negroes shall go to & be
the absolute property of My beloved niece Mary
Hawthorn widow of My beloved Nephew
Jonathan C. Hawthorn and her children by the
said Jonathan C. Hawthorn
Item the fourth I do hereby nominate & appoint
my beloved niece Mary Hawthorn widow as
aforesaid my true & lawful executor to this my
last will and testament hereby ratifying the above
& hereby revoking all other will or wills by me
heretofore made In testimony whereof I have
unto this my hand & affixed my seal this January 26. 1835 -
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of ^{his} James C. C. (Clerk)
(witness) - Richard Sims (mark)

Georgia } Court of Ordinary May Term 1850.
Declaratory } The within last will & Testament having
been duly proven at this regular
Term in open Court upon the oaths of Richard Smith
& Thomas Harrison ordered that the same be ad-
mitted to record I Sam. C. C. C.

State of Georgia } I Isaac Ferguson of the State and
Declaratory } County aforesaid do hereby declare this
my Last will and testament.

First I give to my son David Ferguson five negroes
viz Esther and her four Children Peter, Lucy, Katy
and Martha. all the rest residue and remainder
of my real and personal Estate whatsoever goods
and chattels Lands and tenements that I shall be
possessed of at the time of my decease or in any way
entitled to after all my just debts are paid I dispose
of as follows. one half of the said remainder I
give to my daughter Elizabeth Matilda Whidson
during her life time or during the time she remains
unmarried. but if my said daughter does at any
time marry then immediately her interest in my
said Estate to determine and become void and after
and after the death of my said daughter or her
marriage I desire the portion given to her as above
stated to be equally divided between my two grand
children Elizabeth Whidson and Mathias Whidson
being Children of my said daughter Elizabeth Matilda
the other half of the said remainder which is the
entire residue of my Estate I give to my two grand
children (to wit) James Simon Ferguson and George
Pelworth Ferguson being the Children of my son
Isaac Ferguson jr and I hereby appoint my said
son Isaac Ferguson to be trustee of the Estate as