

Watkins and Enos Tate, also one tract of land lying in formerly Cherokee, second  
 section twenty first dist. it runs from the north to the south containing forty acres  
 also one negro man named Sam a negro man named Charles  
 one negro woman named Vera, also one horse not wild & one note on Edmund  
 H. Brewer for one thousand & fifty dollars due the twenty fifth of December eight  
 teen hundred and thirty seven all to be equally divided between my child & son  
 except James F. Kinnel as formerly executed

10 fully known and appointed my wife Jane Kunnelle & my son James  
F. Kunnelle my executors to carry this my last will and Testament  
into effect. In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my  
name and affixed my seal  
Wm Rich  
James F. Kunnelle

Wm Rich

John B. Ward

John Munnell S.P.

James H. Sumner

Georgia  
 McIntosh County } Court of ordinary March adjourned Term 1838.  
 and James F. Kinnalee sign seal and deliver the within instrument  
 of writing as his last will and Testament, and that they signed the same  
 as witnesses at the request, and in the presence of the Testator, and that  
 they believe that he was of sound disposing mind at the time of executing  
 the same. Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March  
 1838. Attest Wm B. Nelms c.c.o.  
Wm B. Nelms

John B. Ward

John Kinnel

John Kinnel

Georgia } Court of ordinary March adjourned Term 1838.  
 Albemarle County } The within will of James F. Kinnelie, deceased having been  
 proved in open court on the oaths of William Rich, John B.  
 Ward & John Kinnelie. It is ordered by the court that the same  
 be Recorded Attest Wm. B. Nelms, c. c.  
 Recorded the 24<sup>th</sup> of March 1838. Wm. B. Nelms, c. c.

Benziger Seasley will 1838.

In the name of God Amen. I Ben ager Teasley of the State of Georgia and county of Elbert being in a declining state of health but of sound mind and disposing memory. after resigning my body to the grove to mingle with its mother earth and recommending my soul to God who gave it. Knowing that death is sure and the time uncertain. and feeling a disposition to make some arrangements about my worldly affairs. I therefore make the following disposition of them (to wit)

In the first. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Lucy Teasley

after paying all my last debts and burial expenses, all my  
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estate both real and personal during her natural life or widow-  
 hood together with the increase of my said estate to manage  
 control as she may think best for the benefit of my family  
 and my said estate, and at the death of wife Lucy Teasley  
 It is my will that all my said estate both real and personal  
 al together with the increase of my said estate be equally  
 divided betwixt all my children. (viz) Elizabeth Ann, James  
 Alfred, John Eastin, Pham Bailey, Mary Jane, Lucy and  
 Teasley all to share and share alike of my said estate

Item second. It is my will if in case my wife Lucy Teasley should  
 marry for her to have the sum of six hundred dollars out of my  
 estate, and the remaining portion of my estate both real and  
 personal together with the increase to be equally divided  
 betwixt my said wife and children as above named that  
 may be living, also the extra six hundred dollars to belong to  
 my children at her death.

Item third. It is my will that if any of my said children should marry  
 that my wife before giving off any portion of my said estate to  
 any such child or children to have such portions valued by  
 competent Judges taking care at the same time not to give  
 off more to one than would be their proportionable share of my  
 said estate at a final distribution thereof provided she may  
 have at any time more of my estate than she may think proper  
 to keep together.

Item Fourth. It is my will that if any of my negroes should be stolen  
 and will not submit and be controlled by my wife for them  
 to be sold and others bought if she may think proper, otherwise  
 the money to be put out upon interest.

Item Fifth. It is my will that if at any time my executors should receive  
 into their hands any portion of property or other effects that I  
 am entitled to as a Legatee that they dispose of the same as above  
 stated for the distribution of my estate that I am now possessed of  
 And I do hereby appoint John A. Teasley, and Thomas Johnston my  
 lawful executors to this my last will and Testament hereby  
 ratifying, and revoking all others.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
 my seal this the Twenty seventh day of December one thousand  
 eight hundred and thirty seven.

In Presence of  
 Borden Rucker  
 William Brown  
 Joseph Crisler

Benager Teasley

Georgia Court of ordinary May Term 1838.

Elbert County Personally came Elbert County, Georgia Wills 1836 to 1860  
Borden Rucker, William Brown & Joseph Crisler and being sworn saith that they were present and saw Benager Teasley now deceased sign the foregoing and annexed instrument of writing as his last will and Testament and that they signed the same as witnesses in the presence of the testator and at his request, and that they believe the testator to have been of sound mind and disposing memory at the time of executing the same. Sworn to in open Court this 7<sup>th</sup> of May 1838. Attest

Wm B. Nelms c.c.o.

Borden Rucker  
William Brown  
Joseph Crisler

Georgia Court of ordinary May Term 1838.

Elbert County the within last will and Testament of Benager Teasley deceased having been proven at this regular term in open Court upon the oaths of Borden Rucker, William Brown and Joseph Crisler, ordered that the same be Recorded

Attest Wm B. Nelms c.c.o.

Recorded the 9<sup>th</sup> of May 1838. Wm B. Nelms c.c.o.

## James Banks Jr's Will

I the name of God amen I James Banks Jr. of the state of Georgia and County of Elbert being at this time in perfect both mind and memory thanks be to God for the same and calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed one for all men to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament revoking all others by me heretofore made

I. Tom I. give and bequeath my sole into the hands of God who gave it me hoping to receive a full pardon for all my sins and as to my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in christian burial nothing doubting but I shall receive the same again at the general resurrection of all men and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life. I give and bequeath the same in the following manner and form that is to say. I. Tom. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Milley A. Banks all my estate both real and personal with my stock of all kinds and plantation twos household and kitchen furniture after all my just debts are paid off. for to dispose of as she may think proper amongst my my seven children Charity A. Banks formerly but know Charity A. Akin. Elizabeth Banks. Sarah Ann Banks James Jones Banks. Mary Ann Banks. Priscilla Banks and