

Christian Nelson will

Georgia — Personally appeared before me the Honorable
 Greene County — Justice of the Peace, I Samuel Knowles who after being duly
 sworn depose & say that Christian Nelson of said County
 in his last illness at the house of Thomas Knowles one of
 those deponents on the 16th inst then there called on Oliver
 Williams & repeated the following words (viz) Uncle Oliver I
 wish you to collect the money due me & pay all my just debts
 & for your survivors I give you the balance of my property & those
 elements further saith that they conceived said Nelson capable
 of disposing his property at that time.

Thenceforth & subscribed to before
 me this the 21st day of July 1824

Thomas Knowles one

I Samuel Knowles

Butt L. Carter S. P.

Recorded 23rd Dec^r 1825

(Judge, Florence)

Nathaniel Thaxton

Georgia — Nathaniel Thaxton being now by affliction
 Greene County — reduced to a low state of health & calling to mind
 the uncertainty of life & the certainty of death do think proper & do
 by these presents make this my last will & Testament the first of
 all I give my soul to God who gave it me & my body I resign to
 its mother earth dust in a decent Christian like manner burial
 Here I After my just debts & my funeral expenses being paid out
 of my estate I give & bequeath the whole of my real & personal
 estate to my dear wife Susan during her natural life (that
 is to say my land upon which I now live my household & kitchen
 furniture my crops & stock of every description my plantation
 & tools & every other article composing of my estate as if
 particularly mentioned & at her death to be equally divided by
 my co-heirs among my heirs

Item 2nd I appoint my dear wife Susan & my friend Jos. W. Billie
 executors to this my last will & Testament In witness whereof I
 have set my hand & seal this 15th of July 1824

Signed & sealed in the presence of us

Samuel Green

Dolly ^{her} Brook

Polly ^{her} Lindsey

mark

Nathaniel ^{his} Thaxton ^{mark}

Georgia Greene County Court of Ordinary Now then
 Personally appeared in open Court Lemuel Greene Polly Brook & Polly Lindsey
 subscribing witnesses to the will who being duly sworn depose & say that they saw the within named Nathaniel
 Thaxton sign and sealed his acknowledged the within to be his last will & Testament & that they each
 believed him to be of perfect sound mind & memory at the time of his so doing & that they each in
 presence of the testator subscribed their names as witnesses thereto
 Given & subscribed in open Court the 1st November 1824
 Recorded 24th Dec^r 1825
 Lemuel Greene
 Polly ^{her} Brook
 Polly ^{her} Lindsey
 (Judge, Florence) clerk