

Georgia Personally appeared in open Court Elijah Clove and Nath Jackson County Daniel Shotwell and after being duly sworn, saith that they were subscribing witness to the within will of Charles McKinney together with wife Shotwell and that they all saw the said Charles subscribe his name to said will, and that he was at the time of doing the same of sound mind and disposing memory; and that they all subscribed as witnesses, in the presence of each other, and in the presence of said Charles. Sworn to in open Court this 6th day of August 1832.

Date

Elijah Clove.

William Cowan C.C.O.

N. Shotwell.

Georgia James Sisson and Elijah Clove came into open Court Jackson County and being duly sworn saith that they were subscribing witness to the within Codicil made by Charles McKinney to his will, and that they saw him subscribe his name thereto, and that they subscribed their names as witnesses in his presence, and in the presence of each other, and that he was at the time of doing the same of sound mind and disposing memory. Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 6th day of August 1832.

Date

Elijah Clove.

William Cowan C.C.O.

James Sisson.

Georgia Know all men by these presents that I Joseph Jackson County Ralphford son of the County & State aforesaid do hereby make and publish this my last will and Testament. first I do hereby give and devise the land wherein I now live in the following manner that is to say that portion lying on the west side of Apples Crick is intended for the sole use & benefit of my son James and daughter Polly, subject to the limitations, charges and conditions hereinafter mentioned, first that said portion of land west of said Creek be divided in two equal parts, having due regard to quantity & quality, such division to be made by three discreet persons to be appointed and sworn by the Court of Ordinary, who shall assign one half to my said Son James to be his absolute property subject to the charge which will be herein after named, the other half is given to my executors in trust for the sole benefit of my daughter Polly and her children, if she shall have

any, my said Executors are to permit my said daughter and her husband to reside on and cultivate said land, and to have the entire use of so long as they reside thereon, but they are not permitted to sell, convey or dispose of the same in any way or manner whatever and should they remove from said land at any time during the life of my said Daughter, the same shall remain in the possession of said Executors for the ultimate use of my Daughters Children, and in case she has no children the same shall after her death revert and be equally divided among the rest of my children, this portion of land is also subject a charge & restriction hereinafter to be mentioned.

That portion of land lying on the East side of said Creek is to be divided by the person appointed by the Court above stated and one portion thereof assigned to my son Ezekiel to have & to hold the same forever in fee simple. And the other half is also given and bequeathed to my said son Ezekiel in trust for my son Joseph & his heirs for his entire use and benefit which said last two portions, as well as the former two are chargeable with the support of my wife during her life. Each portion bearing its equal part the right of way is hereby reserved in favor of the two portions lying on the East side of the Creek so as to keep open the road leading from the low ford on said Creek through the west side into the public Road which way shall remain as it now is, that is to say shall run on the part it now does of the width of the Cross Bentley public road, which said way is reserved in common for use of the occupants of the said four portions. Nine rods square is hereby reserved at the grave yard on my said land which is reserved as a burying ground for myself, wife and children, & their heirs as a common family burying ground.

Surely I give and bequeath to my wife the negro woman Phoebe third. Having heretofore given my son Robert a tract of land I do not consider him entitled to anything more out of my landed estate that is now owned by me. Therefore give him One dollar to be charged on the aforesaid four portions of Land thereby leaving my five Children upon an equal a footing in relation to my lands as it is in my power & judgment.

fourth I do hereby nominate and appoint my two sons

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Robert & Ezekiel Patchford my Executors (to this my last will
Testament) given under my hand and seal this 11th day of May 1831
Signed Joseph Patchford.

Allie Matthew, Jr.
Nancy L. Matthew
Abby E. Matthew

Georgia — Personally appeared before, John W. Blum & Augustus J. Brown,
Jackson County Justices of the Superior Court of said County, Allie Matthew,
Nancy L. Matthew & Mary E. Matthew, & being duly sworn that they
are subscribing witnesses to the above will. That they saw said
Joseph Patchford subscribe the same, that he was of sound mind and
disposing memory to the best of their knowledge, and that the same
deponents subscribe the same as witnesses.

Swear to and subscribed before

Allie Matthew
Mary E. Matthew
Nancy L. Matthew

us this 1st October 1832

John W. Blum A. J. Brown
Augustus J. Brown A. J. Brown

W. W.

William Cowan L. C. S.

Georgia — I Thomas N. G. Adams, of the County & State of
Jackson County, being low in health, but of sound mind and
disposing memory do make this my last will and Testament
in manner and form following, (to wit)

First — It is my will and desire that my negro wife, Margaret, &
Dab, together with all my other property of every description
both real and personal, to be under the control and direction
of my wife Caroline so long as she remains single & unmarried
having a right at all times while she remains unmarried
giving to each one of my children such portion of the ab
mentioned property as she in her discretion may think prop

But if my wife should at any future time marry, my
will and desire is, that my property shall be equally di
vided between her and my children, this division to be ap
plied to my child yet in embryo.

My further will and desire is that my wife may at