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Robert & Esophil Patchford my Executors (to his my last will & Testament) Given under my hand and seal this 11th day of May 1832
Signed Joseph Patchford.

Test

Allen Matthews, Jr.
Nancy L. Matthews
Mary E. Matthews

Georgia. Personally appeared before, John W. Blum & Augustus J. Brown
Jackson County Justices of the Superior Court of said County, Allen Matthews, Jr.,
Nancy L. Matthews & Mary E. Matthews, & being duly sworn state 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 he saw
deponents subscribe the same as witnesses.

Sworn to and subscribed before

Allen Matthews

on the 1st October 1832

Mary E. Matthews

John W. Blum J. C.

Nancy L. Matthews

Augustus J. Brown J. C.

Test

William Cowan L. C. S.

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

First It is my will and desire that my negroes Jeff, Margaret, and
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 of
giving to each one of my children such portion of the above
mentioned property as she in her discretion may think proper.

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

My further will and desire is that my wife may at her

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her own discretion have the right to sell any one or all of
my Negroes or to purchase an other with my funds now on
hand & also the right to sell my present house and lot, or
exchange it for another, as she may deem best.

I hereby appoint my wife Caroline & William Appleby my Executor
& Executrix. In testimony whereof I have unto set my hand and
affix my seal this 24th October 1832.

in presence of

J. D. Adams

J. M. Cunningham

John Johnston.

Thos. R. C. his
mark

Georgia Personnally appeared before David Wilt, Joseph
Jackson County, Hampton, & Augustus J. Brown, Justices of the Inferior
Court of said County, D. James M. Cunningham and John Johnston
and being duly sworn saith, that they are subscribing witnesses
to the above will. That they saw Thos. R. C. Adams subscribe the
same, that he was of sound mind and disposing memory, to
the best of their knowledge, & that he saw deponent subscribe the
same as witness, and that they saw George D. Adams subscribe
the same as a witness. J. M. Cunningham
Sworn to & subscribed before
me this 2nd day of November 1832.
Joseph Hampton J. C. A.

David Wilt J. C. A.

Aug. J. Brown J. C. A.

Wilt

William Cowan G. C. A.