

Ordinary Office, Jasper County.

1847

The last will and testament of Catherine McLenow.

I Catherine McLenow considering the uncertainty of
this mortal life, and being of sound mind & memory,
blessed be Almighty God for the same, do make and
publish this my last will and testament, in manner
and form following, that is to say, after my just debts
are paid - First I give and bequeath to my son
Green Watley and my son Willis Watley and my
Daughter Nancy McCharters married woman and
my son John Thornton the sum of four hundred
and fifty dollars to be equally divided between them
all not being in consideration of a claim they
have against the Estate of John McLenow decd.
I give and bequeath to my three sons James
McLenow, and Franklin McLenow and Charles
McLenow the sum of three hundred and thirty
dollars, to be equally divided between them.
I give and bequeath to my son James my
bay horse, and one bed, & sheet and furniture,
three counterpane, one a fine white horse one, &
two common ones and quilt. I give and bequeath
to my son Franklin one hundred dollars, and
one bed & sheet and three counterpane, one a fine
white chorded one, and two common ones and
one quilt. I give and bequeath to my son
Charles my bay mare, and one bed and sheet
and three counterpane, one a fine white chorded
huckaback, and two common ones, and one
red blanket, and one negro boy named Levi.
I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy McCharters
my riding saddle, and one set of curtains, and
my bedstead and two large Mattress, and one large
wash bowl, and one set of cups & saucers and
three decanters, and eight wine glasses & one salt
cellar - And lastly as to all the rest residue

publish my last will and testament, in manner
and form following, that is to say, after my just debts
are paid — First I give and bequeath to my son
Green Watley and my son Willis Watley and my
Daughter Nancy McCarthey married woman and
my son John Thornton the sum of four hundred
and fifty dollars to be equally divided between them
all not being in consideration of a claim they
have against the Estate of John McLenow decd.
I give and bequeath to my three sons James
McLenow, and Franklin McLenow and Charles
McLenow the sum of three hundred and thirty
eight dollars, to be equally divided between them
all. — I give and bequeath to my son James my
bay horse, and one bed, & sheet and counterpane,
three counterpane, one a fine white satin one, &
two common ones and quilt. I give and bequeath
to my son Franklin one hundred dollars, and
one bed, & sheet and three counterpane, one a fine
white satin one, and two common ones and
one quilt. I give and bequeath to my son
Charles my bay mare, and one bed and sheet
and three counterpane, one a fine white checked
huckaback, and two common ones, and one
new blanket, and one negro boy named Levi.
I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy McCarthey
my riding saddle, and one set of curtains, and
my bedstead and two large Matters, and one large
wash bowl, and one set of cups & saucers and
three decanters, and eight wine glasses & one salt
cellar — And lastly as to all the rest residue
and remainder of my estate, goods and chattels
of what kind and nature soever — I will
and direct shall be sold and the proceeds
thereof, equally divided between all my children
and I hereby appoint Henry Thornton and

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Nancy Thornton my only Executor of this my last will and testament. hereby revoking all former wills by me made — On writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty two.

signed, sealed and
delivered in presence of
Fleming Jordan
Thomas Ray
John S. Drew.

Catherine M. Lemoire
mark

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Georgia Court of Ordinary November Term 1822
Came into open Court John S. Drew
and Thomas Ray two of the subscribing witnesses
to the within will, who being duly sworn depose
and say that they saw Catherine M. Lemoire
sign, seal, publish and declare this instrument
of writing to be her true last will & testament
and that at the time of her so doing, she was
of a sound disposing mind and memory and
that they saw Fleming Jordan sign the same
as a witness in presence of the testatrix.
Sworn to in this Court

4th November 1822

John C. Gibson C. C. O.

Recorded 23 November 1822

John C. Gibson C. C. O.

John S. Drew

Thomas Ray