

I ~~Spencer~~ who being duly sworn saith ^{Jones County, Georgia Wills} ¹⁸⁰⁹⁻¹⁸³⁵ ^{www.georgiapioneers.com} that they are within
Name Joseph Buckworth Sign Seal ~~publicly~~ the with-
in instrument as his last will and testament and that they Sign
at the same as Witnesses in the presence of the testator and in the
presence of each other
Sworn to and Subscribed before
me this 7th May 1827

Chas. McCarthy Clerk

Georgia } I know all men by these present that I do hereby
Jones County } publicly freely & in Open Court renounce the right of
executorship invested in me by this will May 7th 1827.

Warren Jordan

Charles B. Bowen's Will.

I in the name of God Amen - I Charles B. Bowen of the County
of Jones & State of Georgia being weak in body but of sound
and disposing mind and memory and being desirous whilst
in possession of the same of disposing of such property as it
has pleased almighty God to bless me with I do make ordain
and publish this my last will & testament in relation
thereto:

First It is my will & desire that all my just debts be
paid as soon as possible and for that purpose I direct that
my negro fellow Charles, Moses, Michael & Thomas be ap-
propriated & set apart for the payment of all my just debts
and I request my Executors herein after named as soon
as it can conveniently be done after my decease to sell
said negroes either at public or private sale for the
best prices that can be procured for them in cash and
the proceeds applied to the extinguishment of my debts and
in case any judgments shall be obtained against them my
Executors as such before said negroes shall be sold then
in that event I direct & require my said Executors to point
out said negroes as a sufficiency to satisfy such judgment
or judgments to be levied on to satisfy such judgment
or judgments as may be recovered against them in their
representative character of Executors and it is my will & desire
that should a surplus of the proceeds of the sales of said
negroes remain after the payment of all my just debts be
divided equally between my daughters Patsy Carter Elizabeth
and Mary Ann Bowen & my wife Sarah I will and desire my

Daughter Mary Ann Buford Butts ^{Jones County, Georgia Willis Bald 1809-1835} lot of land
No twenty in the tenth district of formerly Bald ^{www.georgiapioneers.com} now
Jones County containing two hundred and a half acres ad-
joining — I Baron Culp and others to her + her heirs for-
ever. I also confirm a deed of gift heretofore made by me
to my said daughter signed by my self in the presence
of J. J. Siler McEacham + Horatio Bowen as witnesses
+ bearing date the twenty eighth day of August one thousand
eight hundred + twenty three for one Negro woman Charlotte
+ her issue also Nancy + Retha + their issue + for all the
other property in said deed of gift mentioned and it is my
express will + desire that said land and other property go to
and rest in my said daughter + her heirs entirely free
and unincumbered with the the payments of any of my
debts — It is further my will + desire that my Executors
+ the Guardian whom I shall herein after name + appoint
for my said daughter sell + dispose + dispose of all or any
of the said property + estate thus devised bequeathed + men-
tioned in said deed of gift except the negroes wherever
a fair price can be procured for the same + whenever
my said Executors + Guardian of my said daughter shall
consider it my said daughters interest to sell the same
and the money arising from the sales thereof put to inter-
est for her benefit maintenance + education until she
become of age or marry —

I will + desire that my present growing crop and all
the provisions on hand of corn wheat bacon sugar
coffee &c be applied to the benefit support and mainte-
nance of my said daughter and my Beloved wife for
the present and ensuing year to fattening the stock &c
in such manner as my beloved wife shall direct and
according to her wishes + desire. And I desire my body
after my decease to be decently entered near my carriage
age house in my yard at a spot heretofore selected by
me whilst in health. And lastly I appoint + constitute
my beloved wife Susan Pratt Bowin Guardian for my
said infant daughter Maryanna Buford Butts Robin
during her minority and Joseph Day Jonathan Parikh
and James D. Wilson my Executors to carry into effect
this my last will + testament revoking and annulling

All former wills made by me & in Testimony 1800-1835 I have
 hereto set my hand & seal this 15th day of June 1827
 Signed Sealed & published in presence of me)

Charles P. Jordan

L Pollard

Anna Pollard

Charles B. Bowen Seal
 make

Georgia } Court of Ordinary July Term 1827. Then came
 Jones County into open court Stephen. Pollard & Anna Pollard
 who both being duly sworn say that they were present &
 saw Charles B. Bowen sign seal execute & pronounce the
 above & foregoing instrument of writing to be his last will
 and testament and that he was of sound mind at the execu-
 tion thereof that they did to together with Charles P. Jordan
 sign the same as witnesses thereto at the same time at the
 request of the testator & in his presence & in the presence of
 each other

Sworn to & subscribed

in open court this 2nd July 1827

Charles Macarthy C.C.O.

L. Pollard

Anna Pollard

John Smith's Will

In the name of God Amen. I John Smith Sen^r of the
 County of Jones & State of Georgia being in perfect mind and
 memory but calling to mind the mortality of my body and know-
 ing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and
 publish this my last will and testament in manner following
 that is to say First after my just debts are paid I give
 and bequeath unto my wife Nancy Smith all my prop-
 erty both real & personal as follows that is to say as my
 children does arrive to lawful age or marry that is to
 say John Smith Jun^r Prathy Smith Nathan Smith William
 Smith Joseph Smith Asa Smith and any others that may
 be born my lawful heirs to have out of my Estate when or
 as they arrive to lawful age or marry as before mentioned,
 one Indian bridle & saddle cow & calf & feather bed and fur-
 niture except my son John Smith who had his horse saddle
 bridle already, if to be spared at the time or times
 of their coming of age or marrying without injuring the
 property so as to affect the maintenance of my family to
 be paid of by my executors & I do hereby confirm what
 I have written John Smith and my son James