

L Wilson

John ^{his} Burgoyne

William C. Osborn

Samuel Smith (L.S.)

Georgia

Court of Ordinary—

Jones County } This day came in open Court William C. Osborn John Burgoyne & Littleberry Wilson who being duly sworn say that they were present and saw the within named Samuel Smith sign and execute this as his last will and testament and that they signed it as witnesses in his presence and in the presence of each other and that said Samuel Smith was of sound mind and memory at the time of its execution sworn to & subscribed in open Court this 16th Feby 1816—

A Carter Clk—

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(Alexander Pearce's Will—)

Fort Mitchell. September 26th 1815—

Dear Sally I have to inform you that I am well so far on my journey and hope that these few lines will find you enjoying the same state of health Dear Sally I have to let you know that my mind still keeps true love and affection for you that I always had and will remain so till I see you again let that be long or short for I am determined to come up with my promise to you if I was five thousand miles from you and hope you will do the same by me and father dear Sally I have no reason to doubt your sincerity I have requested your brother William to get you any thing you want stand in need of and I dont want you to be backward in giting any thing you want for I will stand good for it when I come back again I want you to send me a few lines if you have a good to send it that I may know how you are so no more at present but remain your most affectionate father till death and hope when I see you again I shall find you strong in the pursuit of true religion

and I will try to do the same as near as possible and if I don't live to see you in this world I hope to see you in heaven where I do hope to rest. Dear ^{Jones County, Georgia, Willis} ¹⁸⁰⁹⁻¹⁸³⁵ ^{www.georgiapioneers.com} I should not return I want administer on my estate and draw my pay that come to me from the U. S. this letter make you my air for the whole amounts that's coming to me and want you to have it for I wish to be remembered to your mother and all the family.

Alexander Reese

Georgia } This day came Crawford Callihed into
Jones County } open Court who being duly sworn saith
that he wrote the within at the request of the said Alex-
ander Reese and signed his name to it at his request as
his will and that said Alex Reese was at the time of
sound mind and memory.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 10th Feby 1816.

W. Carter Clk.

Crawford Callihed.

(Isham Reese Senr. Will.)

In the name of God Amen I Isham Reese Senior of State
of Georgia and County of Jones being very sick and weak
in body but of perfect mind and memory and call-
ing unto mind the mortality of my body and know-
ing that it is appointed for all men once to die do
make and ordain this my last will and testament that
is to say principally and first of all I recommend my
soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and
my body to be buried in a plain Christian manner
and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it
has pleased God bless me in this life I give demise and
dispose of the same in the following manner and form
First I give unto my beloved wife Susannah one good
feather bed and furniture one good riding horse to be
provided for her by my executors and five negroes
namely Cubit and his wife Blanche Harriot Aree
and Phillie to be hers during her natural life or wid-
owhood and if she should marry then the above neg-
roes and their increase to revert back to my estate
and my executors to allow her a comfortable sup-
port out of the same during her life. 2 I give
unto my beloved Children Big William and Isham Cubit

Nov 1748. A Methodist Minister.