

transcribing, not accidentally spilled hereon, hence this cut-out Mrs. Annie B. Mathis only

signature, to the foregoing as his last will and testament, and
that he was at the time of such acknowledgement of sound and dis-
posing mind and memory, and that deponent subscribed
the same as a witness in the presence of the Testator.
Witness to and subscribed in }
Open Court this 4th July 1831. } ^{his} Sterling + ^{more} Capell

Charles Macartney Esq. C. O.

Zachariah Hester's Will.

I in the name of God Amen. I Zachariah Hester
of the County of Upson being weak in body but
of sound and disposing mind and memory, and taking
into consideration that it is appointed unto all men once
to die, do make and publish this my last will and testa-
ment in manner and form following, to wit, first I desire
to return my soul to God who gave it, and my body to be
buried in a decent and christian like manner under the
discretion of my Executors. And as to what worldly effects
it has pleased God to bless me with. My will is that first
of all my just debts be speedily paid from the proceeds
of my present crop, and my standing debts.
Secondly. I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved wife Si-
mone Hester the plantation whereon now live with all the
lands thereunto belonging, all my house hold and kitchen
furniture, plantation utensils (except two good feather beds
and furniture) and four Negro Slaves, to wit, Garland, Nel-
sy, Seal and Nee, two horses to wit, Sealim and Hester, my
stock of Cattle and hogs (except three good cows and calves)
and the remaining proceeds of my crop after all my
just debts shall have been paid.

Thirdly. I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved daughter
Sabella ~~John~~ Jones and my son in law John Jones one
lot of land lying in the tenth district of Upson County, lot
ninety seven and three negro Slaves to wit Rose, Norris
and Jude. My bay mare and male Colt, three good cows
and calves, and one good feather bed and furniture.

Fourthly. I give bequeath and devise to my beloved son Wil-
liam B. Hester one lot of land lying in the twelfth district
of Troup County lot no 268 two hundred and sixty eight
and three negro Slaves to wit, Isham, Ann (both delivered to
him in my life time) and Sarah my daughter Mary and

good feather bed and furniture. Fifthly. I also give and be-
queath to my beloved wife my ring. Sixthly and lastly - I do
hereby nominate and appoint my aforesaid wife, and my trusty
friend Peter Northern my Executor and Executor of this my
last will and testament, truly revoking all others by me here-
tofore made.

Given under my hand and seal this fifteenth day of July
1831. Galbraith + Hester (Seal)
mark.

Signed, Sealed Subscribed and
delivered in the presence of us

George Duncan

Willis S. Scott

A. Braham

Georgia } Court of Ordinary - August term 1831.

Jones County } Personally came and appeared in Open Court
Willis S. Scott and Alexander Braham two of the Subscribing
witnesses to the foregoing will who after being duly sworn-
saith that they saw Galbraith Hester execute the same as
his last will and testament and that he was at the time of
the Execution thereof of sound and disposing mind and mem-
ory and that they saw George Duncan sign the same as a
Witness in their presence and in the presence of the testator.

Willis S. Scott.

Charles McCarthy C.C.O.

A. Braham.

Ebenezer H. Moore's Will.

Georgia } In the name of God Amen - I Ebenezer H. Moore
Jones County } being of sound mind but in bad health and know-
ing that it is allotted for all men once to die, do constitute this
instrument as my last will as follows.

1st I wish my body to be decently buried agreeable to the wishes
of my family. 2nd I wish all my just debts paid out of my prop-
erty in manner as follows by the sale of the growing crop of cotton
and so much of the corn fodder &c as can be spared over a sup-
port for my wife and family. Then I wish so much of all my
stock sold of Horses, cattle, Hogs & goats as to discharge my
debts and if it shall be required to sell more property to dis-
charge the debts, then I wish the negro man Harry sold and
the debts due me or so much as can be col-
lected to be paid to my debts before the sale of the negro
man. I wish my loving wife Mary Moore to have the