

Will of John James
Georgia Marion County

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In the name of God, Amen
I John James of said State & County being of advanced age,
and knowing that I must shortly depart from this
world deem it right and proper both as respects and
family that I should make a disposition of the property
with which a kind Providence has blessed me; there-
fore make this my last will and Testament,
hereby revoking all and annulling all others here-
before made by me.

Item first I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent
and christian like manner suitable to my circumstan-
ces and condition, my soul & trust shall return to
Rest with God who give it as hope for Eternal Salva-
tion through the blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ whose Religion I have possessed and as I here-
by trust enjoyed for thirty years.

Item second I desire and direct That all my just debts be paid without
delay by my Executor hereinafter named as I am un-
willing my creditors shall be delayed of their rights
Especially as there is no necessity for delay.

Item third I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah Wells wife
of William Wells and to her children by her present
or any future husband free from the disposition of
her present or any future husband three hundred dol-
lars in money notes and accounts also one feather
bed.

Item fourth The Rest of my property both real and personal, wherever
and whatever it may be I desire and bequeath to
my daughter Mary Wallace wife of Bland Wallace
and her children by her present husband or any fu-
ture husband free from the disposition of her present
or any future husband.

Item fifth I constitute and appoint Bland Wallace my son in
law husband of my daughter Mary Wallace
my Executor to this my last Will and Testament
this September the 19 1843.

John James
make

signed sealed delivered and published by John James
as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of
us the subscribers who subscribed Their names hereun-
to in the presence of said Testator and of each other
this September 19th 1843

Wm W Jarvis
Daniel James
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Georgia

Marion County

Court of Ordinary

May Term 1848

The within Last Will and Testament of John James Deceased, having been duly proven at this regular Term in open Court upon the oaths of F. D. Burkhalter and Daniel James and the signature of Isham M. Garay being also proven by the other two subscribing witnesses Ordered that the same be admitted to record.

Charles H. McCall J. S. C.
J. H. Mott J. S. C.
Solomon Wall J. S. C.

Georgia Marion County

The above and foregoing will & Probate of John James Deceased transcribed from the minutes of the Court of Ordinary of said County (from pages 75, 6 & 7) by order of the Court
this June 6th 1850

William Williams C. C. O

Will of Samuel Purdy

Georgia Stewart County

In the name of God Amen

I Samuel Purdy of said State and County being very much afflicted and knowing that without an alteration in my affliction I must shortly depart this life, I hereby make this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me.

Item first I leave and devise to my beloved wife Agnes Matilda all my Estate both real and personal consisting of one lot of land containing (70 1/4) acres lying in the twenty-fifth district of Stewart County and No (29) all my stock of different kind, and all other property that I possess so long as she remains a widow or during her natural life and for to manage and dispose of as her better judgment may think best and should she marry again I request that the above property be equally divided amongst my children. Should she remain a widow till her death then I wish an equal division of what property there is to be divided amongst my children.

Item second I constitute and appoint my beloved wife Agnes Matilda Executrix and my worthy brother John Purdy Executor to this my last Will and Testament, This February 17th 1843

Samuel Purdy J. S.

Witness, sealed, declared and published by Samuel Purdy of said County, his last Will and Testament in the presence of the subscribers who subscribed our names first in the presence of said testator and of each other This February 17th 1843

William J. Moore