

Georgia }
 Merion County } Before Me David Norsham Ordinary of
 said County came in person Alfred P Goldsberry
 executor of the last will and Testament of Robert
 Goldsberry deceased late of said County and also
 three of the witnesses to said will of Robert Golds-
 berry to wit Hughaway O Davis Leonidas O
 Davis and William H Elam ^{who being duly sworn said they}
 Robert Goldsberry sign seal publish and declare
 the foregoing instrument as his last will and
 testament voluntarily and freely without compulsion
 & that they signed said will as witnesses in the
 presence of said Robert Goldsberry and each other
 sworn to & subscribed
 before Me this 1st September
 1856
 David Norsham Ordinary
 G. A Davis
 L. O Davis
 Wm H Elam

Georgia }
 Merion County } In the Name of God Amen. I Pollard
 Payne of the County & State aforesaid being of a sound
 and disposing mind & memory and believing that a man
 should make preparation for death whilst in health &
 life do make publish and declare this to be my last
 will & testament in manner & form following
 I wish my body decently buried and my soul I commit
 to God who gave it trusting that when it shall have left
 this tenement of clay it will be taken home to heaven,
 As to such property as a kind providence has made me
 steward over. I dispose of in the following manner
 1st Item I wish all my just debts paid and leave it discretionary
 with my executors to sell & use such of my property for
 this purpose as they may think best
 2nd Item I give grant & devise to my beloved wife Elisabeth Payne
 lot of land No 34 thirty four & the east half of No 35 thirty five
 in the thirtieth district of Marion County and as much
 of my house hold & kitchen furniture as she may select
 Also the following named negroes Jesse Joshua Green
 Mimy & her two children to have and to hold said land
 & negroes during her life, after her death the land I
 give grant & devise to my son Pollard H. Payne
 the negroes I direct to be disposed of as I have provided
 for the disposition of the remainder of my property in
 the next item of this my will
 3rd Item My will wish & desire is that the balance of my estate
 & personal shall be allotted into
 as many shares as there are heirs to my estate and
 drawn for and the shares that shall fall to my Grand

children the children of my daughter Malinda & Jane and sold by my executors and the money placed out at interest for their benefit till they shall attain to age or marry the other shares that shall fall to my other daughters I give grant & devise in trust to my sons Pollard & Thomas William & Henry for the use and benefit of my said daughters & the heirs of their bodies, not subject to the debts or contracts of their present husbands or any other husbands with whom they may intermarry the share that fall to my sons to be held by them in fee

4th item

I nominate & appoint my son Pollard & Thomas William & Henry my executors to this my last will & testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made & sign seal publish & declare this to be my last will & testament Witness my hand & seal this 29th day December 1852

Signed sealed published & declared by the testator to be his last will & testament in presence of us who have signed the same as witnesses in presence of each other & of the testator
 Wm A Black
 J E Black
 Wm A Black

George 3
 Marion County 3 Before me Maria Worsham Clergyman of said County came in person Pollard & Payne William Payne & Henry Payne three of the executors of the last will & testament of Pollard Payne deceased of said County and also two of the witnesses to said will of Pollard Payne to wit, William A. Black & J E Black who being sworn depose that they saw the said Pollard Payne sign seal publish & declare the foregoing instrument as his last will & testament voluntarily, freely, without compulsion & that they signed said will as witnesses in the presence of said Pollard Payne & saw Wm A Black also sign the same as a witness in their presence & also in the presence of each other & of the said Pollard Payne
 sworn & subscribed before me this sixth day of October 1854

Maria Worsham Clergyman

Wm A Black
 J E Black