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Samuel McGarruh  
John Purdy

Georgia } Court of Ordinary  
Marion County }

December Term 1848

The within Last Will and Testament of Samuel Purdy having been duly proven at this regular term of in open Court upon the oaths of John Purdy and William J. Moore and the signature and death of Samuel McGarruh (the other subscribing witness) being also proven by the above named witnesses;

Be it Ordered that the same be admitted to record  
Samuel H. Crawford C.C.O. } Charles H. McCall J. J. C.  
Jordan Wilkier J. J. C.  
Solomon Wall J. J. C.

Georgia Marion County

The above and foregoing Will and Probate of Samuel Purdy deceased transcribed from the minutes of the Court of Ordinary of said County (found on pages 90 & 91) by Order of said Court. This June 6<sup>th</sup> 1850

William Williams C.C.O.

Will and Probate of Theophilus Bateman  
Georgia Marion County

In the name of God, amen  
& Theophilus Bateman of said State and County being afflicted and thinking it probable that I may depart from this world, deem it right and proper both as respects myself and my family that I should make a disposition of the property with which a kind Providence has blessed me, & therefore make this my Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me

Item first I desire that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner suitable to my circumstances and conditions. My Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it, as I hope for Eternal Salvation through the blessed Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, whose religion I profess and humbly trust & enjoy.

Item second I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without delay by my Executors hereinafter named as I am unwilling my creditors should be delayed of their rights especially as there is no necessity for delay.

Item third I desire that my real Estate (viz) lot of land No (192) one hundred and ninety two in the third district of originally Madison County containing two hundred and two and a half acres, also lot No (181) one hundred and sixty one containing two hundred two and a half

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in the third district of Originally Muscogee now Marion County, also one hundred acres off of Lot No (246) two hundred and forty six, in the second district of Originally Muscogee now Marion County, also twenty acres of Lot twenty by Ariza Murray. My negro property as follows.

Tom a man, Rachael a woman, Chrissa a woman, Ann a woman, Walter a boy, Lucinda a girl, Moses a boy, Columbus a boy, with all the increase. All of my other effects, such as my horses, cattle, hogs, sheep, geese, with all of my farming tools &c to remain upon the premises undivided and undisturbed, for the convenience and satisfaction of my dear wife and children.

Item fourth, I desire that my four oldest children Nancy Bateman, William Greene Bateman, Martha Ann Bateman, Middleton McDerrald Bateman, now I desire that when the youngest of the above named children shall have come of age or arrived to the age of twenty one for them to have their portion of my Estate, and in case my daughters should marry before they come to the age of twenty one they are to have one cow and calf, a sow and pigs and a bed with the common furniture belonging thereto, and my above named sons Greene and Middleton are to have given them extra a common horse.

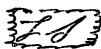
Item fifth, I desire that when my daughters shall have come of age and be put in possession of their portion of my Estate by my executor hereinafter named it is given to them and their children free from the disposition of their husbands.

Item sixth, I desire that my beloved wife Jemima Bateman and my two youngest children, James Bateman, Charity Bateman shall after the four oldest children have drawn their portion of my Estate, theirs are to remain together untill the youngest of the two shall have come to the age of twenty one years, at which time they are to have their portion of my Estate as the rest have had. Charity's is given to her and to her children free from the disposition of her husband.

Item seventh, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Jemima (Bateman) a child's share of my Estate, now in case my wife in process of time shall marry there will be an immediate division of my Estate, each one having their respective shares.

Item eighth, I constitute and appoint my beloved wife Jemima Executrix and my worthy friend and brother Middleton McDonald Executor to this my last will and testament.

This September 5<sup>th</sup> 1848

Theophilus Bateman 

Signed, read and published by Theophilus Bateman as his last will in the presence of us the subscribers who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said Testator and of each other This September the 5<sup>th</sup> 1848

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Seaborn Nixon  
William H. Bivens  
James Grover  
Arzu Murray

Marion Court of Ordinary

January Term 1849

The within Last Will and Testament of Theophilus Bateman having been exhibited in open Court at this regular Term by Junius Bateman Executor and Middleton McDonald Executor and regularly and duly proved.

It is therefore Ordered by the Court that the same be admitted to record and that the clerk be and he is, hereby ordered to record the same and issue letters Testamentary to Junius Bateman Executor and Middleton McDonald Executor.

Jamuel H. Crow } Charles H. McCall J. J. C.  
John C. C. } Martin L. Bivens J. J. C.  
J. M. Champion J. J. C.

Georgia Marion County

The above and foregoing will I probate of Theophilus Bateman Deceased, Transcribed from the minutes of the Court of Ordinary (from pages 94, 95 & 96) by Order of said Court. This June 6th 1850

William Williams C. C. O.

Will of George H. Buchanan Deceased  
Georgia Marion County

In the name of God, Amen!

I George H. Buchanan of the county and State aforesaid being in full health but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

First - I commit my soul into the hands of him from whom I received it - hoping that when it shall have left this mortal it will be taken home to Heaven. My body I wish decently buried by the side of my departed companions. As to such property as it has pleased a kind and merciful Providence to make me steward over I dispose of in the following manner.  
I wish all my just debts paid and leave it assigned to my Executor to use such of my property as he may think best for this purpose unto my son-in-law Reuben Abner. I give