

that they should be admitted to Record
J. H. Graham & Co. J. H. Dardell J. H.
Allen Hall J. H.
Attest Dardell J. H.
Recorded this 9th day of July 1845
J. H. Graham & Co. 60

Georgia Meriwether County 3d J. M. 1845

Gates of said State and County Meriwether the
Uncertainty of human life, Make this my last
Will and Testament hereby revoking all others
Item 1st I desire all my just debts be paid
Without delay

Item 2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife
Patience Almira Gates Porter Hundred
acres of land more or less including the
dwelling and embracing lot Number One
hundred and sixty and the East half of
Number One hundred and sixty one in the
Seventh district of said County My Gold Watch
and chains belonging to it and the bed
clothing that came to her at her Mothers
death and previously

Item 3rd I give and bequeath to my children
viz. M. H. H. Sarah, Mary Ann, Jane Jane
Emeline, Nancy Caroline, Mary A. P. and
the child my wife is now pregnant with and
my three grand children viz. M. H. R.
Wm. William E. Brown and Mary Ann
all the balance of my Real Estate in the
following manner viz. My three grand children
to have an equal share equally between them
and my children to be equal
Item 4th I give and bequeath to my

My beloved Wife Rebecca Anna and my
Children and Grand Children (as mentioned
in Item 3rd) including the one to be born (all
my personal property of every description not-
included in Item 1st & 2nd equally between
my Wife and Children and my three
Grand Children to have an equal share
equally between them by including the sum of
hundred and thirty-two dollars which their
Father Reuben Brown has received of my
Estate. The amount of Sixty-four hundred and
Eighty-two dollars sixty-six cents which
I have given to my son Wm H H is to be
included in his portion and what my
Wife may receive by the last will and
testament of her Mother (if I have not
received it previous to my decease) to be inclu-
ded in her portion except what is mentioned
in Item 2nd

Item 5th. I do hereby appoint James R. Gales
and Philman Ogletree my Executors with
full power to sell or Rent any or all the
real estate mentioned in Item 3rd as they
may think proper

Item 7th. I desire and will that all my
Childrens portion remain in common
stock and as each one marries or arrives
at legal age that he or she then receive
his or her equal portion of the property.
In testimony whereof I have set my hand and
seal this 11th day of August 1846

In presence of
John W. Shepherd } Wm H H Gales
George W. Dallis }
Benjamin G. Green }
Eabey Barker }

Georgia Superior Court held at
Meriwether County 3rd Monday June 1845
1845

Prothonotary last will and Testament of
James R. Guter having been duly proved
at this regular Term in open Court upon
the Oaths of John W. Shepherd Benjamin
H. Green and Parley Walker Credent that
the same be admitted to Record

Attest
Davis C. Gresham C.C.O. 3 John H. Dardell J.P.C.
3 Alexr. Hall J.P.C.
3 Abner Durham J.P.C.

Recorded this 6th day of September 1845
D.C. Gresham C.C.O.

* No executor qualifies at this Term,
Former Term 1845 James R. Guter was
qualified

State of Georgia } In the Name of God Amen
Meriwether County } I Geth Thompson of the
County and State aforesaid
being of sound Mind and Memory do make
this Ordain and constitute this my last
Will and Testament hereby revoking all
others

First- I Wish after my death to be buried in
a place and decent manner

Second I wish and desire that all my
debts be paid out of my Estate

Third I wish and desire after my death
that all my Estate both real and
personal be sold or a Twelve months
Credit

Fourth I wish and desire that my
Daughter Rebecca M. Thompson