

220 same freely voluntarily & without compulsion.

Sworn to & Subscribed in
open Court Sept 2. 1841.
E. C. Abner J. C. C.

John Finch
Hill House

The foregoing last, the 10th of June 1864, I had left passing over
 from the open to the closed water level in the form
timber.

It is agreed that the following letters of administration be given by the Court to Rev. Dr. Bird & Electors, and that the same be published in the paper bearing date of the 1st day of June 1841.

Georgia
Montgo County, I have signed and sealed this writing certifying
that the above is a true and correct copy of the original
so far as we know or believe, otherwise we will at once rectify the
same by paying for me & then the original contained in said
will as far as the goods & chattels of said decedent extend & will
charge us with the value of such goods & perfect in making of
all such goods & chattels as of the said decedent's estate
I have sworn to & subscribed in
open Court Dec 14th 1894

Georgia }
Monroe County } In the name of GOD Amen.
I John S Cochran of the County aforesaid, knowing the uncertainty of this life, on the certainty of Death, and being of sound mind, competent memory, save this day made and published this my last will and testament hereby making and annulling all others heretofore made by me.

Item first I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner suitable to my circumstances, and my soul I will to my God who first gave it.

Item second, I desire that all my just debts should be paid by my Executor, herein after named.

Item third, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Edna A Cochran all of my landed estate, consisting of half the Thundering Spring place in Monroe County, Wills County of Upson consisting of six hundred and ¹⁸²⁴⁻¹⁸⁴⁷ more or less, also all my interest in certain lands lying in the County of Irwin which I desire my Executor to dispose of in such manner as they may think proper.

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Item fourth, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Edna A. Cochran, all of my negro slaves of which I am now possessed of, consisting of men, women, girls, boys and children and their increase, also all of my notes and accounts of every description whatsoever.

Item fifth, I give and devise to my beloved wife Edna A. Cochran all of my stocks of cattle, hogs, and horses, and also all of my household and kitchen furniture.

Item sixth, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Edna A. Cochran all of the balance of my property both real and personal, that is not herein and elsewhere.

Item seventh I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Edna A. Cochran my executrix and my brother Allen Cochran my Executor to this my last last will and testament.

This 6th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of the following witnesses to wit: } John L. Cochran LCJ
Ben J. Cochran }
Lovey W. Wells }
George W. Todd }

Georgia

Monroe County } Personally came in open Court Lovey Wells & George W. Todd two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn depose & say, they saw John L. Cochran sign, seal, publish & declare this writing as & for his last will & testament, that they, in the presence of the testator & his request & in presence of each other & of Jubil Cochran attested said will as witnesses, that said Jubil Cochran in presence of the testator & at his request & in presence of deponents attested said will as a witness & that said John L. Cochran at the time of the execution of said will was of sound disposing mind & memory & at the execution the same freely, voluntarily, & without compulsion.

Sworn to & Subscribed in open Court } Lovey W. Wells
this 11th day of November 1854 } George W. Todd

The last will & testament of John L. Cochran dec'd having been proven in open Court before the judges Lovey Wells & George W. Todd

It is ordered by the Court that the same be admitted to record & that letters testamentary be granted to Edna A. Cochran the executrix & Allen Cochran, the Executor in said will named.

Georgia }
 Monroe County } I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
 The true last will of the within named John S Cochran
 deceased as far as we know or believe but we will well & truly execute
 the same by paying for the debts & the legacies contained in the said
 will as far as his goods & chattels will more into extend & this we charge
 us & that we will make a true & perfect inventory of all such goods
 & chattels do help us & seal & subscribe in open Court
 Novr 11. 1844 Ezra A Cochran
 J. Cochran

Georgia }
 Monroe County } The last will and testament of I Zeack
 Jones in due this the 22 November in the year
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four in the
 distribution of my goods and chattels both real and personal
 property to certain persons and I love & esteem whose names
 are herein inserted with their portions annexed I do will &c.
 Therefore I now resign and commit my spirit into the hand
 of Almighty God for his heavenly protection and my body
 into the hands of my Executors for interment in any way
 they may think expedient

I do to Mary Jones my wife I do will a part of Land or
 two hundred and nine containing one hundred and eighty
 acres more or less lying and being in the seventh district of
 Monroe County and State of Georgia, also one half of the
 household and kitchen furniture to be hers her lifetime and
 at her death for it to go into the hands of Joshua Sikes
 so much as the real part of her estate to be his his lifetime
 and at his death to go to Joseph Sikes heirs also for the
 personal property willed to Mary Jones at her death to
 be sold and distributed between Joseph Sikes heirs and also
 I do will to Mary Jones my wife one horse and plough
 and gear, one bridle and saddle and one Cow and calf
 one Sow and pigs and five pork hoops and one negro woman
 by the name of Lucy and at her death the last named propert-
 ty is to go into the hands of Joseph Sikes heirs Lucy the negro
 woman to belong to Elizabeth Sikes my sister during her nat-
 ural life and at her death to go to William Sikes

Monroe County, Georgia
 Joseph Sikes heirs, William Sikes heirs, Joseph Sikes heirs, William
 Sikes and George W Sikes heirs one Lot of Land Monroe
 County Georgia and Seventh (Continued) district No one hun-
 dred forty five, and also one Lot of Land in the seventh district
 of Monroe County and State of Georgia