

69 Jesse Keaton Will continued

perceives thereof to be equally divided between my four children
viz) James David E. Mary and Elizabeth and the crop
for the use of my family
Item 7th I do hereby appoint my wife Rebecca Keaton
executrix and Richard Cline executor of this my last
will & testament

Now witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my seal this 15th September 1826

In the presence of
John Pearchall
William Cole
Lewis D Neal
man

Jesse Keaton

Georgia { The within will of Jesse Keaton duly
Putnam County } proven before us by W. William Cole and
Lewis D Neal subscribing witnesses to the same this
18th June 1827. } By Hiram J. S. C.
Hais Hill J. S. C.

9th July 1827. Ordered to be recorded in open court

John Moreland's Will

Georgia { In the name of God Amen I John
Putnam County } Moreland Sen^r of the state and county afore-
said being in a low state of health but of sound and disposing mind
and memory pruned be to God for the same and being
desirous to settle my worldly affairs whilst I have
strength and capacity so to do do make and publish
this my last will and testament and first and principally
I commit my soul into the hands of my Creator who
gave it and my body to the earth to be buried at the
discretion of my executors herein after named and as to
such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God
to intrust me I dispose of the same as follows
1st of all my will and desire is all my just debts
to be paid out of my estate
2nd I give unto my son Isaac Moreland my negro man
named March with all other things that I have given him
heretofore to him and his heirs forever
3rd I give unto my son John Moreland one negro man
named Sam with all other things that I have given him
heretofore to him and his heirs forever

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- 4 I gave unto my son George Moreland my negro man named Leely with all the things that I have given him heretofore to him and his heirs forever
- 5 I gave unto my son John Moreland one negro man named Dick and the square of Land whereon he now lives containing two hundred two and a half acres more or less with all other things that I have given him heretofore to him and his heirs forever
- 6 I gave unto the heirs of my Daughter Lucy Wilkinson that is to say the children for their and dollars the money arising from the sale of my property when collected to be equally divided amongst them to them and their heirs forever
- 7 I gave unto my Daughter Patsy Ashurst one negro man named Coy and one boy fully with all other things that I have given her heretofore to her and her heirs forever
- 8 I gave unto my Daughter Frances Jones Parley six hundred dollars to buy two negroes Amy and Frank with all other things that I have given her heretofore to her and her heirs forever
- 9 My further wish and desire is that the land and plantation whereon I now live should be sold with the stock of all kind and the tools of all descriptions one road wagon and one cart one forty saw ^{cutting} gins with a cotton cleaner my further wish is that my old Cook woman Mary shall be free
- 10 My further wish and desire is that the balance of my negroes not named in the will should be sold to-wit John Peter Charles Warren Harriet Edith Rose and Mariato and also my interest of the negroes in the possession of Arthur Spruill left to me in my last will my interest in said negroes I wish also sold a square of land in the third district of Early County N 163 containing 200 acres
- My further will and desire is that my household and kitchen furniture should be equally divided between my son Isaac S Moreland Cotton Moreland John Moreland John Moreland Patsy Ashurst and Frances Jones Parley and also my interest in the completed Land Lottery
- My further wish and desire is after my just debts are paid what money may be left from the sale of the above named property shall be equally divided between

John Moreland's Will Continued

my six children as above mentioned I appoint Isaac
J. Moreland and Colson Moreland my sons my executors
to this my last Will and testament fully resolving all
forming with it
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 22nd September 1826 John Moreland his Seal

John Moreland
John H. Edwards
Jonathan Taylor

Georgia
Putnam County } The within Will of John Moreland
duly proven before us by the oaths of
John Moreland John H. Edwards and Jonathan Taylor
subscribing witnesses to the same this 2nd July 1827.

Isaac Hudson J.S.C.
Thomas Hoxey J.S.C.

Chas James Will

In the name of God Amen

I Chas James being of perfect mind and Memory and sensible
of the uncertainty of this life do make and ordain this my
last Will and Testament in manner & form following viz
First. I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Nancy
Chesnut the Bed! Bedstead, and furniture on which I gener-
ally lie, to her and her heirs for ever
Secondly. After the payment of my just debt. I give and
bequeath to my son in law Daniel Chesnut to him & his
heirs for ever the Balance of my property that I now
have in possession (except two Notes made payable to me
by Ormon James, One for Forty Dollars payable the Eight
May of this last, and the for Seventeen Dollars payable
the Ninth day of April Eighteen hundred & twenty six. That
is to say the property given to my son in law as above, is all my
House and kitchen furniture except the donation to my Grand
Daughter) My working tools of every description, My stock of
Hops, and Wools such as are, my Horse Bridle & Saddle
and my crop.

Thirdly. Having drawn in the late Lottery, Three Squares Land
one of which in Lee County Number One hundred & Eighty four