

Georgia Upson Jouty. In the name of God. Amen

I Patrick S. Holloway of said County, in view of my departure from this life, do make & ordain this writing to be my last will & Testament. I commend my Soul to the mercy of Him who gave it and I desire to be buried in decent Christian burial.

Item - My Will is that my just debts be all paid within a reasonable time after my death, and for that purpose hereby authorize and direct my Executors to sell my negro man Bill & to apply the proceeds of my Crop (Surplus over Support) & of said negro to the payment of the same, together with ^{all} the notes & accounts that may be due; and if this is not enough then I wish my lot of land number ninety five that lay west of my house lot sold, but not unless it is necessary.

Item - My Will & desire is that my wife Martha W. and my Children remain together with all my property not sold to pay my debts on my farm; and that my Executors have authority to conduct the farm so as to support my family & educate my Children; and to give them as little trouble as possible I hereby direct that no account be kept or required of the purchase & sale of small articles such as are usually bought & sold on the farm, but let them retain all balances of Crops that may be annually on hand.

Item - Supposing that it may be possible that my wife may at some time desire to change her residence, I hereby authorize my Executors to sell the settlement of land I now reside on & with the proceeds of such sale purchase another farm, enjoining though that said sale & purchase be a proper & prudent one in view of the interests of my family.

Item - My Will & desire is that my Children all share equal & alike in the portions of my estate that they may receive & whenever one shall become twenty one year old or marry, I hereby give them an equal share (including my beloved wife Martha W. as an heir) and which share my Executors shall allot to my Children at the time above named out of such property at a fair valuation as will be suitable considering the interests of all.

Item - I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Martha W. a child's part of all my estate, this is to include her right of Coward.

Item - If my beloved wife Martha W. should marry then I wish & direct my Executor as soon thereafter as will be practicable to sell all my estate & divide the same equally between my said wife and Children.

Item - I hereby nominate & appoint my beloved wife Martha W. Holloway, and my father in law Thomas S. Parham, Executors.

of this my last will & Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& Seal this 29th day of April 1847

Signed, Sealed, acknowledged &
published in presence of us, we
Subscribing as witnesses

J. F. Steagall

J. M. Colquith

A. C. Gibson.

The word 'Mary' intended before signed.

Patrick E. Holloway

State of Georgia, Inferior Court sitting for ordinary purposes
Upson County. } July Term 1847.

Present their Honors William Lowe.

William Spring.

William Miles - Justice

The within last will & Testament of Patrick E. Holloway dec^d
having been duly proven at this regular Term in open Court
upon the Oaths of Jory F. Steagall & Francis M. Colquith
two of the subscribing witnesses to said will.

Ordered that the same be admitted to record - and
that letters Testamentary issue to Thomas S. Parkman
one of the Executors named in said will.

Attest

Wm A. Cobb. Clk C.O.

Recorded this 8. March 1848

Wm A. Cobb Clk