

one seventh part to Martin Bush upon the same trust as the property heretofore given him in trust from my daughter Mary Ann & her children & one seventh part back to John Joseph Palmer son of Palmer Robert W Palmer Lucimus & Alston & George W Goldston

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and officed my seal this 1st day of September AD 1848

Signed sealed published & declared by the said Robt W Palmer to be his last will & testament in our presence who in his presence at his request & in the presence of each other attested it as witnesses ~~the same~~
 A A Stedman
 I W Stedman

Chatham County May Term 1850

This certifies that the foregoing last will & testament of Robert Palmer Decd was proven in open court by the oath of A A Stedman & I W Stedman the subscribing witnesses thereof & ordered to be recorded on motion John Jos Palmer is appointed administrator with the will annexed & enters into bond the sum of five thousand dollars with George W Goldston and Robt W Palmer as his sureties and is qualified

Teste

Wm Taylor Clerk

Chatham County } November Term 1850
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In the name of God amen I Gabriel Utley being of sound mind and understanding and impressed with the great uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and being desirous to dispose of my Temporal affairs so that after my death no contention may arise relative to the same that I Gabriel Utley of the County and State aforesaid do make ordain publish and declare this my last will and testament revoking all other wills by me heretofore made

First I bequeath my body to the dust when it comes and my soul to God who gave it hoping for a happy immortality through the atoning merits of our Lord Jesus Christ the Saviour of the world my desire is that my body be buried in a neat and Christian like manner

Secondly that all my just debts be paid out of the proceeds of such property as shall hereinafter direct to be sold

Thirdly I doan unto my wife Lucy Utley during her natural life or widowhood the following property to wit Slave Mary and child Amy also my plantation with the exception of one hundred as hereinafter named with such far many Tools as she may need fit with Two beds Frames & covering one side board & cupboard candle stand crockery & glass ware of every description with all the kitchen furniture 2nd choice Table & all the Chairs

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and all other articles that may be needed
for house keeping also one bay horse and gray
horse cart & sters fifty barrels of corn fifteen
hundred pounds of porks one sow & pigs and
and Ten dry hogs first choicer six head of
sheep 100 lb coffee 100 lb sugar Three milk
cows & calves thirty Bushels wheat seven
blade stacks

Fourthly I give to my beloved son Jacob Utley
to make him equal to my other two sons one
hundred acres of land adjoining the lands of
of William Boylan to be ~~valued~~ and layed
off by any three disinterested men to at least
to be in valuation equal to the land I gave
to my son Asa Utley.

Fifthly I give and bequeath unto my daughter
Helen Elizabeth Utley one negro girl slave
Mariah

Sixthly I give and bequeath unto my daughter
Mary Utley one slave by the name of

Emily 7th I give and bequeath unto my
daughter Anne Utley one slave by the name
of Martha

8th I give & bequeath unto my daughter Emeline
Utley one slave Sally having hereof one given
Paris Money & Asa Utley a lot of land I think
equal in valuation to the property named to
my other children therefore I have bequeathed
to them only an equal part of my remaining
property here in after named to be sold
To wit the residue of my crop & stock
& gun & other articles not disposed of

in my will with slaves Minty Levery & Chark
with all debts due me either by note or account
with cash on hand shall be equally divided
share and share alike among all my liv-
ing after paying my just debts of every kind
and at the death of my beloved wife Lucy
the land given her shall be equally divided
between Jacob Utley & Asa Utley my
beloved sons the residue of my Estate

to be sold by my executor and equally div-
ided among all my children share &
share alike my children are not to ac-
count to one another for any thing I may
have given them heretofore

Lastly I appoint my beloved son
Jacob Utley my whole & sole Executor to
this my last will & Testament and direct
that no security be required of him for the
faithful Execution and discharge of the
trust I hereby reposed in him

In testimony whereof I have this day
the 6th day of September one thousand
eight hundred and fifty hereunto set
my hand and affixed my seal
in the presence of

Thos Bagland

J M Buchanan

his
Gabriel X Utley
witness

Chatham County Nov Term 1850

This certifies that the foregoing last will
& Testament of Gabriel Utley was duly presented
in open court by the oaths of Thos Bagland & J M
Buchanan The subscribing witnesses there to & was
to be recorded whereupon Jacob Utley the last therein
named appeared in open court &
was duly qualified

W R Taylor Clerk