

friend Sylvanus Harlow as Guardian for Jane Lipsey to take her
and her above named property. and lastly I also nominate and
appoint my loving Son Readin Borden my whole and sole Ex-
ecutor to sell the above named property and to divide the money
between the above named Frances R. Borden and Readin
Lipsey to this my last will and testament signed sealed and
delivered in the presence of us this the 31st day of October in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

Subscribing witnesses

Nancy ^{her} + Stephenson
mark

Thomas Love.

Thomas Yerty

Arthur Stephenson.

Georgia } Court of Ordinary November term 1832.
Jones County } Their came into open court Thomas Yerty
and Arthur Stephenson who being duly sworn say that they
were present and saw Nancy Stephenson sign execute pro-
nounce and declare the above to be her last will and tes-
tament and that they witnessed the execution thereof as also
did Thomas Love in each others presence at the request of
the testatrix and in her presence and that she was of sound
mind at the execution thereof.

Sworn to and subscribed in
open Court this 5th November 1832.

Thomas Yerty
Arthur Stephenson.

Charles McCarthy clk. C. D.

Silas Ledbetter's Will.

In the name of God amen I Silas Ledbetter of the State of Geo-
gia and County of Jones do make and constitute this my last
will and Testament. I give and bequeath to my child Mary
Ann Leah Ledbetter my negroes Frank John Bobb Charles Lee
+ Lucy + Mary with all their future issue to her the said Mary
Ann Leah and her issue forever also two feather beds + fur-
niture I also give and bequeath to my wife Eliza Ledbetter
the following property namely the land on which I now
live in the County of Jones — on the waters of Commissioners
Creek and my negroes Perry Henry Sam Ginny Amy + Jane with
all their future issue to her the said Eliza during her natural
life also to my wife Eliza Ledbetter all the stock of every descrip-
tion Household and kitchen furniture of every description Plan-
tation tools after all my debts are paid the land and neg-
roes and their future issue which I give + bequeath to

wife Eliza at her decease I give and bequeath to my child Mary Ann Lead Ledbetter to her and her issue forever I give and bequeath the care and management of my child Mary Ann Lead Ledbetter to my Brother Henry Ledbetter. Lastly I appoint my Brother Henry Ledbetter Executor of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I herunto set my hand and seal this day of

Signed acknowledged and delivered in the presence of
Wilson Pope
James R. Jones
Daniel P. Pepper

Silas Ledbetter (S.S.)

Georgia } This day personally came before us James R. Jones
Jones County } and Daniel P. Pepper subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will and say they saw Silas Ledbetter execute the same as his last will and testament and that they subscribed them as witnesses to the same at his request and they saw Wilson Pope sign his name as a witness in their presence, and at the request of the testator, and that he the said Silas Ledbetter was of sound mind at the execution thereof.

Sworn to and subscribed before

J. R. Jones

us this 5th November 1832

Daniel P. Pepper.

Thomas B. Slade J. D. C.

Peter Northern J. D. C.

Noah Messer's Will.

Georgia } I in the name of God Amen
Jones County } I Noah Messer knowing that it is appointed for man once to die but being in perfect mind and memory have thought fit to make this my last will and testament. I will that all my just debts be paid. Then I will, I give unto my beloved wife Bill + Simon Charlotte and Sila to have and to hold until Sara Ann should marry then Charlotte is to be given to my daughter Sara Ann and her children during her natural life and at my wife's death Bill Simon + Sila to belong to my daughter Sara Ann at her mother's decease I give unto my wife all the land on the East side of the creek where the house is and that laying down the creek and a few acres of the below square to have and to hold during her natural life and at her decease the land to be equally divided between my three Sons I give unto my wife four horse