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1. **JAMES¹ PERDUE^{1,2,3}** was born 23 Apr 1783 in Maryland^{4,5}, and died 12 Dec 1862 in Redbone, Monroe Co, GA^{6,7}. He married (1) **MARY "POLLY"⁸** Abt. 1807 in GA(?). She died 09 Dec 1825 in Monroe Co, GA⁹. He married (2) **ELIZABETH HORSLEY^{10,11}** Abt. 1826 in prob. Monroe Co, GA¹², daughter of **VALENTINE HORSLEY** and **SARAH KENDRICK**. She was born Abt. 1797 in York Co, SC¹³, and died 19 Dec 1854 in Monroe Co, GA¹⁴. He married (3) **REBECCA A.^{15,16}** Abt. 1855 in Monroe Co, GA. She was born 1809¹⁷, and died 06 Sep 1859 in Monroe Co, GA¹⁸. He married (4) **CLARISY^{19,20}** Abt. 1860 in Monroe Co, GA²¹. She died Aft. Jan 1863^{22,23}.

Children of **JAMES PERDUE** and **MARY "POLLY"** are:

- i. **BEACHAM² PERDUE²⁴**, b. Abt. 1809, GA²⁵; d. Dec 1860, Meriwether Co, GA²⁶; m. **BIDDY²⁷**, GA; b. Abt. 1808, GA²⁷.
- ii. **PARTHENA OR BETHENA PERDUE²⁸**, b. Abt. 1810, GA; d. Aft. 1880, Randolph Co, GA (last known residence)²⁹; m. **JAMES B. MORGAN^{30,31}**, GA³².
- iii. **PERLINA PERDUE³³**, b. 17 Jun 1812, GA³⁴; d. 21 Jul 1882, Lone Oak, Meriwether Co, GA³⁴; m. **GEORGE W. CULPEPER^{35,36}**, GA³⁷; b. Abt. 1809, SC³⁸; d. Aft. 1880, Meriwether Co, GA (last known residence)³⁹.
- iv. **PERMILIA PERDUE^{40,41}**, b. Abt. 1814, GA⁴²; d. Aft. 1880, Greene Co, GA (last known residence)⁴³; m. **LINDSEY PERDUE^{44,45}**, GA⁴⁶; b. Abt. 1807, NC⁴⁷; d. Bet. 1866 - 1870, Meriwether Co, GA⁴⁸.
- v. **JOHN PERDUE⁴⁹**, b. Abt. 1818, GA⁵⁰; d. Aft. 1880, Dalton, Whitfield Co, GA (last known residence)⁵¹; m. **PHEBE MAYBRY**, 15 Dec 1836, Monroe Co, GA⁵².

Children of **JAMES PERDUE** and **ELIZABETH HORSLEY** are:

- vi. **GREENE H.² PERDUE⁵³**, b. Abt. 1828, Monroe Co, GA⁵⁴; d. 14 Oct 1901, Union Hill, Upson Co, GA^{55,56}; m. **ARIAN⁵⁷**, Abt. 1851, GA⁵⁸; b. Abt. 1834, GA⁵⁹; d. Bet. 1880 - 1900, Union Hill, Upson Co, GA⁶⁰.
- vii. **CAROLINE PERDUE⁶¹**, b. 03 Oct 1829, Monroe Co, GA^{62,63}; d. 13 Sep 1883, Lockesburg, Sevier Co, AR^{64,65}; m. **HENRY W. PRATER^{66,67}**, 13 Feb 1845, Monroe Co, GA^{68,69}; b. Abt. 1824, GA⁷⁰; d. 14 Aug 1884, Lockesburg, Sevier Co, AR^{71,72}.
- viii. **JAMES KENDRICK PERDUE^{73,74,75}**, b. Abt. 1834, Monroe Co, GA⁷⁶; d. 19 Feb 1893, Cass Co, TX^{77,78}; m. **MARY A.**, Abt. 1860, GA or AL⁷⁹; b. Nov 1842, GA⁸⁰; d. Bet. 1900 - 1910, Miller

Co, AR (last known residence)⁸⁰.

- ix. **HIRAM PERDUE**^{81,82,83}, b. 30 Oct 1834, Monroe Co, GA⁸⁴; d. 14 Jan 1896, Barnesville, Pike Co, GA⁸⁵; m. **ELLEN (OR HELEN) M. NEWMAN**⁸⁶, Bef. 1876, GA⁸⁷; b. 10 Sep 1843, GA^{88,89}; d. 07 Dec 1904, Barnesville, Pike Co, GA⁹⁰.
- x. **ENOCH PERDUE**⁹¹, b. Abt. 1837, Monroe Co, GA⁹²; d. 02 Aug 1854, Upson Co, GA⁹³.
- xi. **ELIJAH PERDUE**^{94,95}, b. Oct 1840, Monroe Co, GA⁹⁶; d. Bet. 1910 - 1920, Cass Co, TX⁹⁷; m. **MARIETTA "MARY"**, Abt. 1865, GA⁹⁸; b. Feb 1842, GA⁹⁹; d. Bet. 1910 - 1920, Cass Co, TX¹⁰⁰.

Endnotes

1. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co.
2. Sarah T. K. Horsley letters 1871 to Green Horsley Knowles, originals in possession of Charles Knowles.
3. Mary McKeown Overby, *Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879*, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 .
4. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. Gives age as 66 (b. 1784), place as Maryland.
5. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date, no source cited.
6. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date and place, no source cited, but place was also James Perdue's residence in 1860 census. Redbone is now in Lamar County, formed 1920 from parts of Monroe and Pike counties. .
7. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365.
8. Pat Wilkerson research, to me by personal correspondence, Gives maiden name as BRYAN. Pam Thompson's research gives maiden name as HOWARD. Neither gives sources.
9. Pat Wilkerson research, to me by personal correspondence, No source given.
10. Dale Grammer Hopper, *Wm. G. Horsley Family Bible Affidavit*, (Notarized 28 Apr 1940, El Paso County, TX), Lists "Elizabeth" as daughter of Valentine Horsley.
11. Sarah T. K. Horsley letters 1871 to Green Horsley Knowles, originals in possession of Charles Knowles, Names "Elizabeth Perdue" as daughter of Valentine Horsley. Also names "James Kendrick Perdue" and "Hiram Perdue" as children of Elizabeth.
12. Date based on death of James Perdue's first wife Dec 1825 and birth of Elizabeth's first child c1828. Place based on Elizabeth's father's residence as of 1 Jan 1827 for the 1827 GA Land Lottery. No marriage record found.
13. *U. S. Census, 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. gives age as 53. Place based on residence of parents in 1797.
14. Mary McKeown Overby, *Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879*, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , p. 179, citing Christian Index issue of 8 Feb 1855, p. 23, col. 3.
15. Mary McKeown Overby, *Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879*, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , p. 179, Christian Index 9 Nov 1859. p. 3, col.

6. Names her as Rebecca A. Perdue, wife of James Perdue.
16. Pat Wilkerson research, to me by personal correspondence, Gives Rebecca's maiden name as Palmer-no source provided.
17. Mary McKeown Overby, Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , p. 179, Died 6 Sep 1859, age 50.
18. Mary McKeown Overby, Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , p. 179, Christian Index issue 9 Nov 1859, p. 3, col. 6. "Died 6 Sep 1859, Monroe Co, GA."
19. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Names wife Clarisy.
20. Pat Wilkerson research, to me by personal correspondence, Gives maiden name as Aslin. No source given.
21. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Gives full date of 7 Oct 1860. No source given but fits with death date of James' previous wife Sep 1859 and date his will was written Jun 1861 naming Clarisy as his wife.
22. Date of Monroe Co, GA deed whereby Clarasy Perdue, widow of James Perdue, relinquished dower. Monroe Deed Book O, p. 580. (Transcribed by Pam Thompson).
23. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Gives death in 1879, Barnesville, Lamar (previously Pike) Co., GA. No source given. Not found in 1870 or 1880 census. .
24. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365.
25. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Meriwether Co. Gives age 42. 1860 Mortality Schedule give age 51 in Dec 1860.
26. *U. S. Census*, Mortality Schedule, Meriwether Co, GA. Cause-Accidental death. Ancestry.com database Mortality Schedules 1850-1885, citing United States. Federal Mortality Census Schedules, 1850-1880, roll T655_8, p. 449, line 7.I .
27. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co.
28. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Clerk's copy of will names as daughter "Parthena Morgan", but censuses for 1870 and 1880 name her as Bethenie and Bethena.
29. *U. S. Census 1880*, GA, Randolph Co.
30. *U. S. Census 1870*, GA, Randolph Co.
31. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as James Morgan, husband of James Perdue's daughter "Parthena."
32. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365.
33. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as Perlina Culpeper in father's will.

34. Pat Wilkerson research, to me by personal correspondence.
35. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Meriwether Co. with wife "Paulinna"--wife spelled Perlina Culpeper in father's will.
36. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as George W. Culpepper, husband of James Perdue's daughter Perlina.
37. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365.
38. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Meriwether Co. Listed as "G. W. Culpepper" with wife Perlina and children.
39. *U. S. Census 1880*, GA, Meriwether Co, Lutherville.
40. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as Perlina P. Perdue in father's will.
41. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Meriwether Co. .
42. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Meriwether Co.
43. *U. S. Census 1880*, GA, Greene Co. "Permelia Perdee" listed as mother-in-law in household of W. R. and E. J. Mullins.
44. *U. S. Census*, 1850, Meriwether Co, GA.
45. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as Lindsey Perdue, husband of James Perdue's daughter Permilia.
46. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365.
47. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Meriwether Co.
48. 1866 - Lindsey Perdue, District 4; Monthly and Special Lists; NARA Series: M762 NARA, Roll: 8. Cited in Ancestry.com. Database U.S. IRS Tax Assessment Lists, 1862-1918. In 1870, wife Permilia living with family of Hiram and Emily Hays, Meriwether Co, GA .
49. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in father's will.
50. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Monroe Co.
51. *U. S. Census 1880*, GA, Whitfield Co, Dalton. May be the "J. P. Perdue" (b. c1818, GA, father born MD) listed as father-in-law in household of W. S. and Eugenia Murray.
52. Monroe Co, GA Marriage Book A, p. 109. (Monroe Co, GAGenWeb Project, Index by Groom).
53. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in father's will, also named an executor.
54. 1850 census, Upson Co. GA - age 22. 1900 census, Upson Co, GA - age 72, born July 1827. Pam R. Thompson Ancestry.com tree- born 4 Jan 1828.
55. *U. S. Census 1900*, GA, Upson Co, Union Hill Dist. - age 72, living with son James A. Perdue family.
56. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Gives full date, no source.

57. *U. S. Census 1880*, GA, Upson Co, Union Hill .
58. *U. S. Census*, Upson Co, GA: Greene is single in the 1850 census; oldest child born c1852 per 1860 census.
59. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Upson Co. (GMD 588) PO: The Rock.
60. *U. S. Census*, 1880: Living with family in Union Hill, Upson Co, GA 1900: husband Greene Perdue, widowed, in Union Hill, Upson Co, GA.
61. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named as Caroline Prater.
62. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Upson Co., GMD 589, P.O.- Flint River Factory - age 30 (b. c1830)
63. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date, citing Eva Alford Dougherty.
64. *U. S. Census 1880*, AR, Columbia Co, Warren (Dist. 49).
65. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date, place. Citing Eva Alford Dougherty for date..
66. *U. S. Census 1880*, AR, Columbia Co, Warren. Full name.
67. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in will as Henry Prater, husband of James Perdue's daughter Caroline.
68. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Names daughter Caroline as wife of Henry Prater.
69. Monroe Co, GA Marriage Book B, p. 4 .
70. *U. S. Census 1860*, GA, Upson Co., GMD 589 (P.O.- Flint River Factory).
71. *U. S. Census 1880*, AR, Columbia Co, Warren.
72. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date, place. Citing Eva Alford Dougherty for date.
73. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in father's will as James K. Perdue .
74. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. James K. Perdue, In household with parents.
75. Sarah T. K. Horsley letters 1871 to Green Horsley Knowles, originals in possession of Charles Knowles, Named as cousin Jim Perdue, mother Elizabeth Horsley Perdue (29 Apr 1871). Also gives full name as "James Kendrick Perdue" (7 Jun 1871).
76. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co.
77. *U. S. Census 1880*, TX, Cass Co.
78. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Full date, no source given.
79. *U. S. Census 1860*, AL, Pike Co. - PO White Water - recently married, no children .
80. *U. S. Census 1900*, AR, Miller Co. - Township: Garland - Town of Texarkana.
81. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in father's will and named an executor.

82. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. in household with parents.
83. Sarah T. K. Horsley letters 1871 to Green Horsley Knowles, originals in possession of Charles Knowles, Named as cousin, mother Elizabeth Horsley Perdue.
84. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Date from grave marker, Greenwood Cemetery, Barnesville, GA.
85. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Date from grave marker. Buried Greenwood Cemetery, Barnesville, GA, now in Lamar Co (formed 1920 from parts of Pike and Monroe Co).
86. *U. S. Census*, Listed as Ellen M. Perdue in 1880 and 1900 (only censuses found). Name on grave marker is Helen M. Perdue (image from Pam Thompson).
87. Date based on son Charles, age 4 in 1880 census. Full name of Hiram Perdue's wife from research of Pam R. Thompson. Although listed as Ellen M. Perdue in the 1880 and 1900 census, grave marker reads Helen M. Perdue. .
88. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Date from grave marker, Greenwood Cemetery, Barnesville, GA .
89. *U. S. Census 1900*, GA, Pike Co., Barnesville - birth date is listed as Sept 1844 (age 55 in census dated 7 Jun 1900).
90. Pam R. Thompson, Ancestry.com Public Tree, Date from grave marker. (Named as Helen M. Perdue) Buried Greenwood Cemetery, Barnesville, GA. Barnesville is now in Lamar Co., formed 1920 from part of Pike and Monroe counties.
91. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. in household with parents.
92. Mary McKeown Overby, Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , Age 17 at death 2 Aug 1854.
93. Mary McKeown Overby, Obituaries Published by the Christian Index 1822-1879, Macon, GA: Georgia Baptist Historical Society, Mercer University, 1975 , p. 179, Citing Christian Index issue of 8-24-1854, p. 135, col. 5 .
94. Will of James Perdue, Will dtd 24 Jun 1861, codicil dtd 11 Jul 1861. Monroe Co, GA Will Book B, p 360, 365, Named in father's will.
95. *U. S. Census 1850*, GA, Monroe Co. in household with parents.
96. *U. S. Census 1900*, TX, Cass Co. (Justice Precinct 7, District 29). Gives birth mo/yr. Place is based on parents' residency in 1840.
97. *U. S. Census 1910*, TX, Cass Co, Atlanta. Not found in 1920.
98. *U. S. Census 1900*, TX, Cass Co. - marr. 35 yrs.
99. *U. S. Census 1900*, TX, Cass Co. (Justice Precinct 7, District 29).
100. *U. S. Census 1910*, TX, Cass Co, Atlanta. Not found in 1920.

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