

Mrs. Mary P. Wood.

State of Georgia
Newton County

In the name of God!
I swear—

(widow and relic of Cary Wood deceased)
of the County and State aforesaid, being
of sound and disposing mind and
memory, but feeble in body, and well
knowing that this appointed unto all living
that they should die, and now wishing
to make a disposition of such worldly ef-
fects and property, wherein it has pleased
God to bless me, do make and ordain
this my last will and testament, hereby
revoking all former wills heretofore
made by me.

Item 1st I Commit my body to the dust,
in decent Christian burial, and my
soul to God, who gave it, trusting as I
most humbly do, in the merits of the
Lord, Jesus Christ, for salvation beyond
the grave.

Item 2nd It is my earnest desire that all my
just debts be paid as soon after my death
as it can properly be done.

Item 3rd To my five children (viz) Laura Hen-
derson the wife of Geo. Robert Henderson,
and Paulina Henderson the wife of Col
John J. Henderson, and Mary J. Coger,
the wife of Mr. Osborn Coger, and Cecilia
B. Gaither, the wife of Mr. William Gaither.
And my only son Robert P. Wood, I give
and bequeath the whole of my estate, real
and personal, in equal shares, as follows,
To my daughter Laura Henderson, I give
and bequeath one fifth, the same to be
managed and controlled for her sole
and separate use, by her husband Geo.
Robert Henderson, as trustee, and what-
ever portion of the said share may

before the death of my said daughter
 Susan, I desire may be divided among
 my children. I have said a like.

To my daughter Rebecca Henderson, I
 give and bequeath one fifth, the same to
 be managed and controlled for her sole
 and separate use, by her husband and
 John J. Henderson, as trustee, and what
 over portion of the said share may remain
 at the death of my said daughter, Rebecca
 Henderson may be divided among her chil-
 dren. I have said a like.

To my daughter Mary J. Rogers, I give
 and bequeath one fifth, the same to be
 managed and controlled for her sole and
 separate use, by her husband, O. B. Rogers,
 as trustee, and whatever portion
 of the said share may remain after the
 death of my said daughter Mary J.
 Rogers may be divided among her chil-
 dren. I have said a like.

To my daughter Cecelia J. Saiter, I
 give and bequeath one fifth, the same
 to be managed and controlled for her
 sole and separate use, by her husband
 William J. Saiter, as trustee, and whatever
 portion of the said share may remain after
 the death of my said daughter Cecelia
 J. Saiter may be divided among
 her children. I have said a like.

In the division of my estate as herein
 before set forth. It is my will and desire
 that my house and lot in Covington,
 wherein the Robert J. Henderson now
 lives, may be valued at a fair and
 reasonable price, by three just and proper
 persons, to be selected by my four
 sons in law, above named, and my
 sons and that my daughter Sarah
 Henderson have the privilege of taking
 the said house and lot, at the value

to be placed upon it, if she wishes to do so,
 and then it becomes hers under this my will
 as provided in the 3rd item thereof, this lot
 is intended to pay, and only the house and
 lot in which the Hendersons live, and of
 my daughter Laura, desiring to take the said
 house and lot at Valuation as aforesaid,
 then it is my wish that the said house and
 lot be sold, and also all my other property
 be sold, except my Rail Road Stock, &
 divided as herein before mentioned &
 that the Rail Road Stock be divided
 as a like.

Thus &c.

Witness my hand and appoint my
 Son Robert C. Wood to be the executor
 of this my last will and testament,
 In witness whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal this 9th
 day of June 1873.

Mary C. Wood

Signed, Sealed, acknowledged,
 and published, by Mary C. Wood
 in our presence, and at her re-
 quest, have each subscribed the same
 as witnesses, in her presence, and in
 presence of each other,
 This 9th day of June 1873.

W. B. Griffin
 A. L. Gaither
 W. A. Perry

Notary General of Ordinary
 July Term 1874

In open Court personally came W. B.
 Griffin, who being duly sworn de-
 poses and says that he saw Mary C.
 Wood, Sign, Seal, publish, and de-
 clare the aforesaid paper as her last
 will and testament while at

memory.
that deponee subscribed the same
as a witness, at the special instance and
request of A. L. Gaither and W. H. Perry, also
subscribed the same as witnesses, in
presence of A. L. Gaither, deponee and each
other, and that said will was freely
and voluntarily executed by A. L. Gaither
on the 9th day of June 1873.
Walter B. Griffin

Worn to & subscribed
in open Court
J. B. Simmons, Ordinary

Proven in common form and ad-
mitted to record, July Term 1874.
J. B. Simmons
Ordinary

Recorded July 14th 1874,
J. B. Simmons
Ordinary