

Georgia
 Newton County

In the name of God
 Amen

Knowing that at
 after death to appear before God and
 judgment, I Martha Polson being of
 advanced age and knowing I am not
 sparing my mind and memory do make
 this my last will and testament
 revoking all other wills heretofore
 made by me in which I wish to
 dispose of all my temporal effects
 a gracious Providence has blessed me
 with as follows

Item 1st I commit my body to the dust and my
 soul to God who gave me being
 hoping for a blessed immortality after
 death and that my Burial expenses
 and all my just debts be paid out
 of my effects

Item 2nd It is my will and wish that my
 beloved wife Elizabeth Polson shall
 have during her life for her use
 and support all my effects both real
 and personal that is all the house
 hold and kitchen furniture of
 every description also all the stock
 of horses mules cows hogs sheep and
 all the farming tools wagons Buggy
 &c I also give my beloved wife during
 her life for her support the land on which
 I now reside and have for many years
 resided it being all the real estate I
 own in said County containing one
 hundred and thirty seven acres

Item 3rd It is my wish that my single
 daughters all remain with their

Mother smile they marry or settle off
 to themselves a home Mother depend
 on this life and leave them. And at
 the death of my wife I is my will
 that my daughter Mary Jane Polson
 Eliza Polson, Elizabeth Polson, Anna Polson,
 Sarah Polson, Elizabeth Polson of they
 are unmarried and living single I
 give to them all the household and
 kitchen furniture I do divide equally
 between them and spend any of
 them on any and leave before the
 death of my wife I wish my wife
 to give them a bed & furniture
 and also with my son David to
 have bed & furniture or the value
 of them a bed in money at the
 discretion of my wife. I also give
 to my wife named Daughters or
 that of them that may be living
 at the death of their Mother the
 use of the Land I had given to
 my wife during their remaining
 single or that life unless they
 wish to abandon and give up
 the place before they marry. And
 when my named Daughters either
 marry or abandon the place, it is
 their my will that the plantation
 and stock that I may have be
 sold by my Executor hereinafter
 appointed and the proceeds be
 equally divided with all my
 children or share & share alike
 I repeat the beeding and all
 household and kitchen furniture
 I give to my Daughters to be
 equally divided by them after
 the death of my Beloved wife

Thus I hereby constitute and appoint
 my Beloved wife Elizabeth Polson Executor

my Beloved wife Elizabeth Polson Executor
 and that my son John Polson Executor to carry
 out this my last will and Testament
 in all things in respect of Mark Polson do
 hereby appoint my name and as my seal
 in presence of their subscribing witnesses
 27th of September 1878
 Signed by the Testator in our presence
 and in presence of each other
 and the Testator as subscribing witnesses
 the day and date aforesaid
 James Reynolds
 Wm. L. Smith
 Wm. P. Anderson
 Mark Polson (S)

Item 5th I add this 5th clause to my last will &
 Testament as a codicil for the purpose of
 modifying the 4th clause to my will here-
 fore made and which said will is contained
 on this sheet of paper and bears date
 the 24th day of September 1878 by con-
 stituting and appointing my Beloved wife
 Elizabeth Polson my sole Executor, to my
 sole use and leaving out my son
 John Polson as Executor this 27th day
 of May 1878

Mark Polson (S)

The above Codicil to the will of Mark Polson
 was signed sealed and published by him
 as Amendment to his last will and Testament
 and also signed the same in our presence
 and we each of us signed the same in
 the presence of said Testator and of
 each other
 Thus 27th May 1878

Wm. P. Anderson
 L. D. Wright
 H. K. Richardson

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 the death of my wife I is my will
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 and that my son John Polson Executor to carry
 out this my last will and Testament
 in all things in respect of Mark Polson do
 hereunto affix my name and seal
 in presence of three subscribing witnesses
 the 27th of September 1878
 Signed by the Testator in our presence
 and in presence of each other
 and the Testator, as subscribing witnesses
 the day and date aforesaid
 James Reynolds
 Mrs. L. Smith
 Mrs. P. Anderson
 Mark Polson

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 Thus 27th May 1878

W. P. Anderson
 L. D. Wright
 H. K. Richardson

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I Mr. P. Anderson do
swear that I as well as
Purmedus Reynolds and
Mrs. L. Beebe saw the within named Heart
Polson sign and publish the within
paper of September the 24th 1872 as his
last will and testament that I sub-
scribed the same as a witness thereto
at the Special instance and request of
the said Heart Polson and in his
presence as did also Purmedus
Reynolds and Mrs. L. Beebe that
the said Heart Polson signed the
same freely and voluntarily and
was at the time of such signing of
sound and disposing mind and
memory. Further I Mr. P. Anderson
do swear that I as well as G. D. Hight
and A. E. Richardson saw the within
named Heart Polson sign and
publish the within paper of May
27th 1878 as the first Codicil to his
last will and testament that I
subscribed the same as a witness
thereto at the Special instance and
request of the said Heart Polson
and in his presence as did also
G. D. Hight and A. E. Richardson
that the said Heart Polson signed
the same freely and voluntarily
and was at the time of such
signing of sound and disposing
mind and memory.

Saw to and subscribed
Before me June 1st 1888. Mr. P. Anderson
C. H. Edwards
Ordinary

I, J. J. Harris do swear
 that I as well as
 L. P. Herrington and
 D. J. Hyatt Saw the within named
 Mark Polson sign and publish
 the within paper of July 5th 1881
 as a second Codicil to his last
 will and Testament that I
 Subscribed the same as a witness
 thereof at the special instance
 and request of the said Mark
 Polson and in his presence as
 did also L. P. Herrington and
 D. J. Hyatt that the said Mark
 Polson signed the same freely
 and voluntarily and was at
 the time of such signing of sound
 and disposing mind & memory.

Sworn to & Subscribed
 before me June 1st
 1885. C. F. Edwards
 Ordinary.

I do solemnly swear that the
 annexed writing contains the true
 last will and Testament of the
 within named Mark Polson
 so far as I know or believe and
 that I will well and truly execute
 the same in accordance with the
 laws of this State so help me God.

Sworn to & Subscribed Before
 me June 1st 1885.
 C. F. Edwards
 Ordinary.

Elizabeth ^{per} Polson
 mark

Proven in Common Form of Law and
 admitted to Record June Term 1885
 of the Court of Ordinary, Newton
 County, Georgia.

C. F. Edwards
 Ordinary.

Recorded "Folio Will" Pages 215, 216
 217, 218, 219, 220, 221. June 5th 1885.
 C. F. Edwards
 Ordinary.