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Last Will and Testament of Thomas Chandler deceased

Georgia Carroll County

I Thomas Chandler make and publish the following Will for the disposition of my property to take effect at and after my death. In the first place all my just debts to be paid together with funeral expenses, and all expenses of Administration.

2^d After debts and expenses are paid then the balance of my estate both real and personal to be equally divided amongst my eight Children, those of my Children that may be dead before my death the share falling to her or him to go to the Children of such deceased Child and to be divided equally between said Children share and share alike, and should any of my said Children or either of them die without Child or Children then he or she own dispose of the interest held in my estate, and if they fail to do so by will or otherwise then such interest or share shall go to their lawful heirs, as other property belonging to such deceased Child.

3^d I hereby authorize my Executor or Executors to fulfil and carry out all Contracts standing out for the sale of land by me and to execute titles when the purchase money is all paid and to make deeds Conveying title in order to lay in and sell the property to raise the purchase money when there is bond for title and the purchase money is not paid and to do every other act in regard to the same just as I myself could do and in every case without any order of Court of Ordinary authorizing deeds to be made, my Executor or Executors shall also have power to sell and convey any part of my estate both real or personal either at private or public sale as he or they may think best and to execute titles Conveying the right to the same without any order or leave to sell from the Court or the Ordinary. As I should be of still in life after my Rail Road stock of any kind to be sold by them without order of any of my said Children that be indebted to me by note the said debt to be paid in full to the estate and charged to such Child or in debt in the division

to be made and each of them shall
appoint Master J. Chandler and Thomas Bladen
my Executors to execute this will and administer my
estate. This made the 16th day of October 1884

Signed sealed and published by Thomas Chandler Sr.
of his last Will and Testament in presence of the
undersigned, who subscribed our names here to in the presence
of the said Testator at his Special instance and request
and in the presence of each other as witnesses to the same.
This 16th day of Oct 1884.

G. C. Merrill

E. J. Merrill

W. P. Merrill