

State of Georgia } In the name of God Amen:
Douglas County } I Thomas J. Blanchard of said State and
County of advanced age, and knowing that
I must shortly depart this life, deem it right and proper,
both as respects my family and myself that I should
make a disposition of the property which a kind Provi-
dence has blessed me, do therefore make this my last
will and Testament, hereby revoking all others heretofore
made by me.

I desire and direct that my body be buried in decent
and Christian like manner, suitable to my circum-
stances and conditions in life. My soul I trust
shall return to rest with God who gave it as I hope
for eternal salvation therein the merits and atonement
of the blessed Redeemer Jesus Christ. whose religion I have
professed and as I humbly trust enjoyed for years.
Item - 2. I desire and direct that all my just debts be
paid by my Executor hereinafter named.

Item - 3. I give bequeath and devise to my beloved
wife Mary A. Blanchard, with whom I have lived
Lot of Land No. (247) Sec 2 in 2nd Dist. originally Carroll
now Douglas County (40) Sec 2 more or less No. (234) in (2) Dist.
and fifth section originally Carroll now Douglas County.
it being the South East Half of same lot: also 17 Sec 1 of
fraction No. 680. it being the South East portion of said
fraction, lying and being in the 1st Dist 3rd section orig-
inally Carroll now Paulding County Ga. Also all other
lands that I may own in Douglas Co. and also all lands
that I own in Paulding Co. Ga. Excepting those which I
have or may bequeath in this my last will and Testament
for now in fee simple to her to dispose of by sale or will
as she may think proper. I also give and bequeath to
my beloved wife in the same manner the
farming utensils used on and belonging to said
Plantation of every description whatever: also all
my stock of every description; also all my household
and kitchen furniture.

Item 4th - I give and bequeath to my beloved Son
& Law John M. Garner who now resides in the State
of Arkansas Lot of Land No. 233, in 2nd Dist and
fifth section originally Carroll now Douglas County
it being one hundred acres in square on the East Side

of the same lot, including the mill with all the personal
effects thereto to his own proper benefit forever.

Item 5. I give and bequeath Twenty five Dollars
in money to be paid by Executor hereinafter named to my
beloved grand daughter Mary L Blanchard.

Item 6. The residue of my property both real and
personal wherever and whatever it may be including
moneys notes &c I direct to be given to my beloved
wife after paying my Executor Twenty five doll-
ars for his services.

Item 7th I hereby constitute and appoint my
beloved Son and Law A. G. Weddington my worthy
Executor to this my last Will and Testament.

This 20th day of January 1881.

The words one hundred &c are

Entered and before assigned, T. J. Blanchard, D.S.

Signed sealed delivered and published by Thomas-
J. Blanchard as his last Will and Testament
in the presence of us the subscribers who sub-
scribed our names hereto in the presence of
said Testator at his special instance and re-
quest and of each other. This 20th day of
January 1881.

J. E. Polka

J. A. King

J. Q. Clouty

Thos M Hamilton

In person appeared before me A. J. Borow
A Notary Public in and for said County
J. E. Polka, J. A. King, J. Q. Clouty, and Thos-
M Hamilton who being duly sworn say
that this the within writing contains the last
Will and Testament of T. J. Blanchard late of
said County now deceased, that they saw
T. J. Blanchard sign the same and that the same
was signed, published and declared by said
T. J. Blanchard as his last will and testa-
ment, and that these deponents subscribed the
said will as witnesses at the special instance
and request of said Blanchard and in his
presence and in presence of each other.

Swores to and Subscribed before me this May 2nd 1881.
A. J. Boren N.P. James E. Polk
Thos M. Hamilton
Isaac A. Keing
L. O. Clouth

Georgia
Douglas County } Decree to probate of will in Court
of Ordning of Said County.

A. G. Weddington
Exr. of T. J. Blanchard dec'd
vs.

D. M. Taylor Guardian re } April Term 1881.

Whereas heretofore A. G. Weddington filed in the
office of Ordning of Said County a writing pur-
porting to be the last will and Testament of Thomas
J. Blanchard late of said County now deceased.
And one D. M. Taylor as Guardian for Mary L.
Blanchard filed his caveat to said will and ob-
jected to the probate of the same. (Process calling upon
Mary A. Blanchard widow of said Thomas J. to appear
at the proper term having been issued and served)
And witnesses having been duly examined to wit: all
the subscribing witnesses to said will, as well
as other testimony on part of both sides or parties
to said case, It is ordered by the Court that the
said will be pronounced for, and declared
duly proven in solemn form; and that the same
be recorded; that Letters Testamentary be is-
sued to said A. G. Weddington. And it is further
ordered that Attorney for propondens have leave
to sign up judgment for \$ dollars cost against
the Caveator. Order Granted Aug. 1. 1881. At King the
August Term. John V. Edge
Ordning

A. G. Widdington Executor & propounder
v.
D. Mc Taylor Guardian ad litem

W^h the jury find the paper propounded the last will and testament of D. J. Blanchard.

W. H. Leamy, J. M. Phillips, G. M. Souter, G. W. Blair & Co.
Entireties & Minors. Burrill Malone, J. L. Engle
W. L. Davis, Charles Willoughby.

This paper having been presented for probate in solemn form to the Court of Ordinary of Douglas County as the last will and testament of Thomas J. Blanchard and the same having been avowed by D. Mc Taylor as Guardian of Mary L. Blanchard and upon hearing the issue, the Ordinary rendered a judgement establishing said paper as the will of said Thomas J. Blanchard, and appeal being taken from said judgement of the Ordinary to this Court, and after a trial of the issue of said appeal and a verdict found the said paper to be the last will and testament of said Thomas J. Blanchard, it is ordered and adjudged that the said cause be and the same is hereby entitled and set up as the last will of Thomas J. Blanchard, declared and that it be admitted to record and executed as such, and it is further ordered that the Clerk of this Court do certify this judgement to the said Ordinary to be carried into effect, by him and that counsel for propounder have leave to sign judgement the said Caveator for the cost of this case.

S. W. Harris
J. S. C. C.