

Book for Register of Wills

Will of John Cain Jr

State of Georgia } In the name of God Amen—
George County } I John Cain Jr of said State & County
being of advanced age and knowing
that I must shortly depart from this World
do deem it right & proper both as respect myself and
family; that I should make a disposition of
the property with which a kind Providence has blessed
me;

I therefore make this my last Will & Testament
hereby revoking and annulling all others hereto
before made by me;

Item 1st I desire and direct that my body be
buried in a decent and Christian like manner—
Item 2nd I desire and direct that all my just debts
be paid without delay by my executor hereinafter
named;

Item 3rd I give and devise to my beloved wife—
Frances A. Cain my house & Lot in the Town
of Cumming whereon we now reside and
the further Sum of One thousand dollars
to be paid to her by my executor; with all
my household and kitchen furniture, for
her own use and comfort so long as she
may live, and at her death to be equally
divided between my three children;

Item 4th I desire that I give & bequeath to
my Daughter Olivia my Gold watch

Item 5th I desire that all the balance of
my property both real & personal be
bequeathed to John by my executor either
public or private as my executor
may think best; And after making
these and every other bequest and gift
I give & bequeath the residue of my

equally divided between my three Daughters
to wit: Mary A. McFar, Helen McWhorter
& Elvira Brown; the match as mentioned
in the fourth is not to enter into the account
in making my three children equal in what
I have given them heretofore.

I hereby constitute and appoint Joseph
McFar, George A. McWhorter & John W. Brown
executors of this my last, will & testament
this April 26th April 1872 (Signed) John Cairns, ES

Signed, Sealed, declared and Published by John
Cairns as his last Will & Testament in
the presence of us the subscribers who
subscribed our names here in the presence
of said testator and of each other this
26th day of April 1872

(Signed) Jas C Blackstock
Jas C Hughes
Ira R Hudson
Jesse L Johnston

Georgia County } The will of John Cairns
being produced in open
Court for probate in common form by
Geo. A. McWhorter one of the nominated executors
who has filed his petition to prove the
same; and three of the witnesses to said
Will, James C Blackstock, James C
Hughes & Ira R Hudson, having
subscribed the following affidavit in
dorned in said will at this Term
of this Court. They the said James C
Blackstock, James C Hughes & Ira R Hudson coming into open
Court at this regular Term, and

day, sworn, depose that they saw John Wain
H. sign & publish the will as his last
will & testament while of sound and
disposing mind; that they witnessed the
same for him at his request & in his
presence & of each other; & that the same
was executed voluntarily by him on the
day & pursuant to have been executed

Signed J. W. Blackstock

" J. C. Hughes

" J. R. Hudson

Sworn to & Subscribed before me in open Court
August Term 1875 (Signed) Wm. B. Bessy, Org

Forsyth Court of Ordinary August Term 1875
Ordered that the will be admitted to record
as satisfactory proven in Commission
and that Geo. A. Webster have leave to
qualify & upon so doing that letters Test
amentary issue to him; and it is further
Ordered that Joseph M. McAffee & John B.
Brown ^{whether thus nominated or no} have leave to qualify ^{in and will} any time
within the time allowed by law upon their
Applying for the same.

(Signed) Wm. B. Bessy, Org

George A. Webster } I Geo. A. Webster: Do swear
County } that this writing contains
the true last testament of the
within named John Wain so far
as I know or believe & that I will
well & truly execute the same in accor-
dance with the directions therein given
& the laws of this state: So help
me God

(Signed) George A. Webster

Sworn to & Subscribed before me in open Court
August 1875 (Signed) Wm. B. Bessy, Org

Will of said by Geo A Webster one of the
nominated executors. 2nd August. 1878

(Signed) Wm D. Smith
Clerk of Court

Testimony in and under

The above affidavit administered to and sub-
scribed by Joseph H. Hefsee this 26th August 1878

(Signed) Wm D. Smith, Clerk

The above affidavit administered to and
subscribed by John B. Hefsee this 27th Sept 1878

(Signed) Wm D. Smith, Clerk