

Last Will of Dugald Monroe
Georgia, Forsyth County, October 27th 1884.
In the name of God, amen,

I, Dugald Monroe, being of advanced age and knowing that I must shortly depart this life do so it right and proper as respects myself and family, to make a disposition of the property with which a kind Providence has blessed me,

Item first: I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent, Christianlike manner,

" 2^d: I give and bequeath to my Daughter Louvenia D. Red, formerly Louvenia D. Monroe, Lot of Land No 626, also lot No 627, and one acre, more or less of lot No 671, to include all the orchard on said lot, both apple and peach. The above lying and being in the 3^d District and 1st Section of said County and State, said Louvenia D. Red to have and control said land during her natural life, at her death the said property to be equally divided between said Louvenia D. Red's bodily heirs, also said Louvenia D. Red is to have right of way from aforesaid land to and from lot of No 623, said Louvenia D. Red is to have all improvements on said land,

Item 3^d: I also give and bequeath to my Daughter Louvenia D. Red, all the property we received from her Grandmother Jones, to wit: One corn, one bed, one small cup-board, one arm chair and one small box, and at her death her bodily heirs is to have control of the same,

Item 4th: I give and bequeath to my granddaughter, Nancy E. Red, one feather bed and furniture

Item 5th: I give and bequeath to my grandson, Lacey L. Monroe, Seventy five dollars cash, not to fall her to said money until he is 21 years of age. If said Lacey L. Monroe before he is twenty one years of age, depart this life, said money

Dollars is to fall back to my estate, to be divided between the following heirs.

Item 6th I request and direct the balance of my property, both real and personal be sold and equally divided between all of my heirs not named in the foregoing part of this will, except enough to pay in the grave yard where my wife, to wit, Nancy Monroe was buried.

To wit: Lemuel J. Monroe, Francis M. Monroe, William M. Monroe, Wilber F. Monroe, Leonidas B. Monroe and Leander B. Monroe,

Item 7th: I desire and direct that my friend, S. A. Kolbrook be my sole executor.

I, Dugald Monroe, do hereby certify that this is my last Will and Testament. This 27th day of October 1884, (Signed) Dugald Monroe

Signed, sealed, declared and published by Dugald Monroe, as his last Will and Testament in presence of us, the undersigned, subscribed in the presence of said Testator, at his special instance and request, and of each other, this Oct. 27th 1884,

(Signed) B. H. Hammett

" A. P. Stewart

" W. Porter

Filed in Office for probate in solemn form, June 15th 1885, (Signed) W. E. Hawkins, Ordinary

Georgia

Forsyth County

2. Before me came A. P. Stewart

B. H. Hammett and W. Porter

named as witnesses to the within writing, purporting to be the last

will of Dugald Monroe, and being duly sworn, say that they at the request of said Dugald Monroe and in his presence, did attest as witnesses the within writing, and that the same was signed

and published by said Dugald Monroe, in
their presence at his last will; that he was,
at the time of said attestation and signing by
himself, of sound and disposing mind and
memory, and that he executed said the within
paper voluntarily

Swoon to subscribed before
me in Open Court, this
August 3^d 1885.

(Signed) W. L. Hawkins.

Ordinary.

(Signed) A. P. Stewart

" B. H. Hammett

" W. Porter

I do solemnly swear that this writing contains
the true last will of the within named Dugald
Monroe deceased, 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.

Swoon to subscribed before (Signed) S. A. Holthorse
me, August 3^d 1885.

(Signed) W. L. Hawkins

Ordinary

Recorded August 13th 1885, W. L. Hawkins, Ord'y