

I, E. C. Jackson of the County of Gordon and State of Georgia being full in body out of sound and disposing mind and memory do Make and Ordain this My last will and Testament. In the name of God Amen

First - I will my body to Christ My Spirit to God who gave it

Next - I will that my funeral expence and just debts be paid out of such property as Can be best spared and in such manner as May be Most to the interest to my estate

Next - I will to my beloved wife Harriet Jackson my Lands whereon I now live known as Lot No (8) Eight in the 7th South District and (3) Third Section Gordon County Georgia during her life time or widowhood and then to Equally divided between my Children

Next - I will to my beloved wife Harriett Jackson all my personal property after my just debts is paid

I Constitute and appoint my beloved wife Harriett Jackson Executrix to this My last will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal This 7th June 1874

Signed in Presence of
Melie Roberts

E. C. Jackson

A. Mayfield

Bird Wilson

Robert C. Robinson

Gordon Court of Ordinary

February Term 1876

The within instrument having been produced in open Court by Harriett Jackson as the last will and Testament of E. C. Jackson deceased for Probate in Common form of four and three of the witnesses to said will to wit Melie Roberts Bird Wilson and A. Mayfield being duly sworn in open Court - deposed and sworn that the same said E. C. Jackson sign seal publish and declare the within instrument as his last will and Testament

freely & voluntarily and without Compulsion
or influence whosoever that they signed said will
as witnesses in the presence of said testator at his
special instance and request and in the presence
of each other and that John M. C. Roberts the other
witness to said will was also present and a
witness to said will as above stated and that
said E. G. Jackson was of sound and disposing
Mind

Mylie Roberts

Bird Wilson

A Mayfield

Sworn to and subscribed before me this February 7th
1876

D. McVee C. J.

State of Georgia & In the name of God Amen
Barrow County & I John Chastain of the County
of Gordon & State of Georgia being of advanced age
but of sound and disposing mind and memory
knowing that I must depart this life deem it right
and proper both as respects myself and family that
I should make a disposition of the property with which
a kind Providence has blessed me I do therefore make
this my last will and Testament hereby revoking
and annulling all others by me heretofore made

I direct & desire that my body be buried in a decent
& Christian like manner suitable to my Circumstan-
ces & Condition in Life My Soul I trust shall return
to rest with the God who gave it as I hope for salva-
tion through the merits and atonement of the
bleed Saviour Jesus Christ

Secondly I desire & direct that all my just debts be paid as
early as practicable if I should owe any by my
Executors herein after made and appointed

Thirdly I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth
Chastain for & during her Natural life all my real
estate only all my property both Real and personal
of any & all kinds that I may own or have at my
death Consisting of Lots of Land Numbered
Hundred & Thirty Six (136) & One Hundred & Thirty
Seven (137)