

memory that he executed the within paper
voluntarily) St. O. Conington
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 29
day of March 1887

W. H. Black Ordinary

Georgia
Gordon County I Rebecca K. Baxter do
Solemnly Swear that this writing contains the
last will and of the within named Ben
B. Baxter, 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. Rebecca K. Baxter
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the
22 day of May 1887

W. H. Black Ordinary

Recorded this 10th day of June 1887

W. H. Black

Ordinary

A. G. Holcomb Adm'r with will annexed

of
John Taylor

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Will

State of Georgia I have all seen by these presents
Gordon County I John Taylor of Gordon
County Georgia being in full health
and of sound and disposing mind and memory do make
and Publish this my last will and Testament hereby declaring
all former wills by me at any time heretofore made and as
to my mortally estate all the property real personal or
mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed or to which
I shall be entitled at my decease, I devise bequeath and dis-
pose of the manner following To wit:

First my will is that my beloved wife live and hold all
and singular the following Property both real and personal
consisting of the house hold and kitchen furniture with all the
live stock farm stock and tools with all the profits and
crop - With all that part of Lot of Land known and de-
scribed as No One Hundred and Ninety five (295) 15th Dist
and 3rd Section of Gordon Co next located with Margaret
Holcomb with (22nd) Twenty two and half acres of North East
corner of Lot (294) said Dist and Section, with two acres
of South west corner of Lot No (282) said Dist & Section

with eighty acres, west half of Land Lot 41 (281)
said District and Section all the above described Property
with all and singular the hereditaments to be at the dis-
posal of my Wife Rebecca Taylor for her own proper use
and benefit for and during her Natural life and
after her decease to be the property of our dear Daugh-
ter Margaret her heirs and assigns for ever in fee
Simple - In Testimony whereof I the said
John Taylor hath hereunto set my hand and seal this
the Eighth day of August A.D. One thousand Eight
Hundred and Seventy Nine

Signed Sealed & delivered in presence
of us, who at his request and in
his presence and in the pres-
ence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names as witnesses
thereof

John Taylor (S)

James Quinn
Cassell Johnson
Silas H. Mates A.P. & J.P.

Probate.

State of Georgia Before me came Silas H. Mates named as
Gordon County Ga. witness to the within writing per-
petrating to be John Taylors last Will
and being duly sworn saith that he with James
Quinn and Cassell Johnson at the request of John
Taylor a resident of said County and in his presence
did attest as witnesses the within writing as his John
Taylors Will, that the same was signed and published
by John Taylor in their presence as his last Will; that
he was at the time of said attestation and signing by
himself of sound and disposing mind and memory;
that he executed the within paper voluntarily

Silas H. Mates

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 29th
day of September 1884.

W. H. Black

Ordinary

Oath

Georgia E. S. A. G. Holcomb do solemnly swear
Gordon County that this writing contains the
true last will of the within
named John Taylor deceased, so far as I know or believe
and that I will well and truly execute the same

with eighty acres, west half of Land Lot 41 (281)
said dist and section all the above described Property
with all and singular the hereditaments to be at the dis-
posal of my wife Rebecca Taylor for her own proper use
and benefit for and during her natural life and
after her decease to be the property of our dear Daugh-
ter Margaret her heirs and assigns for ever in fee
Simple - In Testimony whereof I the said
John Taylor hath hereunto set my hand and seal this
the Eighth day of August A.D. One thousand Eight
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Signed Sealed & delivered in presence
of us, who at his request and in
his presence and in the pres-
ence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names as witnesses
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John Taylor (S)

James Quinn

Cassell Johnson

Lilas H. Mates A.P. & J.P.

Probation

State of Georgia Before me came Lilas H. Mates married as
Gordon County Ga witness to the within writing per-
porting to be John Taylors last Will
and being duly sworn saith that he with James
Quinn and Cassell Johnson at the request of John
Taylor a resident of said County and in his presence
did attest as witnesses the within writing as his John
Taylors Will, that the same was signed and published
by John Taylor in their presence as his last Will; that
he was at the time of said attestation and signing by
himself of sound and disposing mind and memory
that he executed the within paper voluntarily

Lilas H. Mates

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 29th
day of September 1884.

W. H. Black

Ordinary

Oath

Georgia E. J. A. G. Holcomb do solemnly swear
Gordon County that this writing contains the
true last will of the within
named John Taylor deceased so far as I know or believe
and that I will well and truly execute the same

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in accordance with the laws of this State. In help me
God. Sworn to and subscribed
before me Decem 2^d 1884. } A. G. Holcomb
W. H. Black Ordinary

Filed in office Sept 5th 1884.
W. H. Black Ordinary

Recorded this Jan 13th 1885.
W. H. Black Ordinary

John S. Black & wife
of } Last Will and Testament
J. S. Black }

State of Georgia {
Gordon County { In the name of God Amen:
I Zachariah S. Black of said State
and County, being of very feeble health, but of sound
and disposing mind and memory: feeling that I may shortly
depart this life, deem it right and proper 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 revoking and annulling all
others by me heretofore made -

First: That my body be buried in a decent manner
becoming my estate in life trusting that through the
merits of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ my soul
will return to God who gave it.

Second: That all my just debts be paid out of the
proceeds of my estate.

Third: I bequeath to my beloved Brother, John S. Black
my King farm to wit, lot of land, 20 3/4 and 120 Acres
off of No 22-15-20 Dist and 3rd Section Gordon County Ga
Subject to the provision in the next paragraph

Fourth Believing that my King farm is worth three
hundred dollars more than my home farm, I direct
that John S. Black pay to my beloved Cousin Mary C
fisher the interest on three hundred dollars as long
as she remains single and on her marriage to pay
her the principal three hundred dollars -

Fifth: I bequeath to my beloved Sister Mariah C
Boswell and her heirs my home farm to wit