

Georgia
Tattnall County To All to whom these
presents shall come Greeting
Whereas Andrew J. Padgett hath made application
to me for letters of Administration on the Estate
and effects of Elizabeth Stafford (deceased)
and whereas in consequence thereof the necessary
process have been followed and a citation issued
from this office returnable to the next Court of
Ordinary and it being suggested to me that
unless authority is granted to some person to
collect and gather up the goods chattels and
effects of the said deceased during that period
of time the same will be liable to be made
waste and injury

Now therefore know ye that I P. G. Jippins ordinary
of said County by virtue of the power reposed in
the General Assembly have and by these
presents do grant unto the said Andrew J. Padgett
full power by the tenor of these presents to collect
and gather up all and singular the goods chattels &c
of the said deceased and to keep the same without
improvement or waste under legal administration
thereon shall be granted and to render a just and
true account of the same when demanded required
Given under my hand this second day of September
1861.

P. G. Jippins ordinary