

State of Georgia } In the name of God,
Ware County } Amen:

I Sarah A Lurier
of said State and County, being of
sound mind and memory, do make
this my last will and Testament.

Item 1st.

I desire and direct that first of
all after my death, that my body
be buried in a decent and Christ-
ianlike manner, suitable to my
circumstances in life, my Soul
I trust to the God who gave it, as
I believe in eternal life through
the merits of our Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ: ~~~~~

Item 2^d.

I desire and direct that all of
my just debts be paid by my
Executor, hereinafter to be named,
without delay, taking into
consideration, first my Doctors
bills, and funeral expenses. ~~~~~

Item 3^d.

I desire and direct, that my
present home which I now occupy
situated on Tebeau Street, in the
City of Waycross, Ware County Georgia,
be exclusively kept for a home for
all or any of my five children, to-
wit: Olive, George, Jane, Lucile and
Laura May Lurier, so long as they
or any of them may desire to
occupy the same for that purpose
or if desired by them until
my said youngest child Laura May
shall have arrived at the years of
maturity, or shall have

after which time said homestead
may be sold by my Executor here
in after to be named and the
proceeds thereof equally divided
share and share alike among my
said five children heretofore named,
- provided however, that if it
shall be found advisable by my
Executor to be here-in-after named,
and to the best interest of my
said five children, Olive, George,
Jane, Lucile and Laura May, he
may have the right to sell and
convey said homestead property,
and dispose of the proceeds there
of, to the best advantage for my
said five heirs, and the title made
by him shall be good and valid
to the purchaser without process
of Law, through any Court what
ever after the probating of this, my
last will and Testament in Solemn
form in the Court of Ordinary
of Ware County Georgia.

Item 4th:


I desire and direct that my
said Executor to be hereinafter
named shall have power to sell
sufficient of my other property
not already provided for in this
will consisting of two houses and
lots on Tebeall Street, and one
house and lot on Pond Street,
known as the T M Sweat place,
all in the City of Waycross, Ware
County Georgia, and ~~Ware County~~
consisting of Thirty ~~three~~ acres of
land

thereon, situated one and one half miles from the City of Waycross Ware County Georgia, or any other property that I now have or may be possessed of at the time of my death to pay off ^{and} satisfy all of my just debts, and make good and sufficient title thereto, without recourse of Law from any Court whatever: in
Item 5th.

I desire and direct, that after the payment of my said debts, and after the raising, maintenance and education of my said five children heretofore named, that my beloved husband Thomas E. Lanier, shall have all the Residue ^{and} Remainder of all of my Estate not otherwise provided for in this will, during his natural life, after which time, whatever may be left, shall be divided, share and share alike among the living heirs of my body: ~~~~~ Item 6th. ~~~~~

If it should at any time become necessary for the benefit of my said husband and five children afore-
-said after my death to sell or dispose of any of my last named property, it may be lawfull for my said Executor to sell or dispose of the same, either at public or private sale, and the title made by him to the purchaser shall be good and valid, without recourse to any Court
Item 7th: ~~~~~ Lastly. ~~~~~ I

Constitute and appoint my
worthy husband Thomas C. Lavier
as my Executor to this my last
Will and Testament, and desire
bequeath and direct that he
carry out the provisions of the
same, as set forth therein;

Sarah A. Lavier 

Signed, Sealed, Declared and published
as the last will and Testament of
Sarah A. Lavier, she signing in
our presence, and we signing in
her presence, this the 19th day of March
1899.

J. D. Smith.

W. H. Cason.

W. P. Lee.