

In the name of God. Amen.

State of Georgia

Washington County.

I, Burwell Chester of the State and County aforesaid, being weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, deeming it proper that I should make a disposition of the property with which a kind Providence has blessed me, do make this my last Will and Testament, revoking all others heretofore made by me.

Item First: It is my will and desire that at my death my Executor hereinafter named shall sell such of my property as may be necessary to pay all my just debts.

Item Second: I give, bequeath and devise my estate and property, real and personal as follows, that is to say, to my daughter Rebecca A. Morris I give the plantation upon which I reside in said State and County upon the waters of Big Ocoee containing about eighty acres more or less; I also give and bequeath to my daughter Rebecca A. Morris all the movable property of whatever kind I may die possessed of consisting of one black horse, one wagon, one cow and calf and one yearling plantation Tools, cotton, cottonseed, corn, fodder, oats and hatoatoes, household and Kitchen furniture that remain unsold after my just debts have been paid.

Item Third: It is my will and desire, that when my grand children Dora Chester, Mary Chester, Covie Chester, Inmen Chester and Elizabeth Chester children of my deceased William G. Chester, shall receive from my Executor to be paid out of my estate the sum of Twenty Dollars in cash. This to be paid each one as he or she arrives at the age of Twenty one years.

Item Fourth: I appoint George W. Morris of the State and County aforesaid, the husband of my daughter Rebecca, Executor of this my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal and published and declared this instrument as my Will. This 25th day of October 1883.

Burwell G. Chester (L.S.)
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The said Burwell Chester, at his place of residence in said State and County signed and sealed this instrument and published and declared the same as aforesaid in his last Will. And we at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto written our names as subscribers witnesses.

George L. Smith

G. V. Smith

M. G. Hatch

State of Georgia
Washington County

I, George L. Smith do swear, that I as well as G. V. Smith and M. G. Hatch, saw the within named Burwell Chester sign and publish the within paper as his last Will and Testament, that I subscribed the same as a witness thereto at the special instance of the said Burwell Chester and in his presence, as did also G. V. Smith and M. G. Hatch, that the said Burwell Chester signed the same freely and voluntarily and was at the time of such signing of sound and disposing mind and memory.

George L. Smith.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 5th day of November 1883.

J. Newman

Ordinary W.C.

Court of Ordinary, Washington County

Autumn Term 1883.

Upon hearing the foregoing affidavit of Jesse A. Smith, one of the submitting witnesses to the will of Russell Estes deceased. It is ordered by the Court that said will be admitted to record, as satisfactorily proven in common form and it is further ordered, that the last testamentary issue to George W. Morris the Executor named in said will upon his taking and subscribing the oath required by law.

This 5th day of November 1883.

J. Newman

Ordinary W.C.