

In the name of God, Amen. I Elyah G. Hanes of the County of Buckingham in the State of Virginia being of sound and disposing mind do make this my last Will and Testament in manner as follows, viz:

1st It is my will and desire that all my just debts and funeral expenses be first paid.

2^d I give to my beloved wife Judith the tract of land on which I reside, being one thousand and forty nine acres together with the household and kitchen furniture and all the stock of every description and plantation utensils, during her lifetime with this reservation, that my daughter Sarah continue to reside with her mother and be furnished with board and clothing and be treated in all respects as she would be, if I were living so long as she remains unmarried and no longer.

3rd And after the decease of my wife Judith I give to my daughter Eliza Maria Edrings the tract of land lying south of the road passing through John Gashings land to Morleys well known as the Oliver Tract containing one hundred and seventy five acres more or less.

4th I give to my grand sons John L. Ayres, Samuel B. Ayres, Thomas E. Ayres, James N. Ayres, William L. Ayres, Elyah Hanes Ayres, one hundred and seventy five acres of land to be taken from what is called Bagleys adjoining the estate of Mat. L. Ayres their own land.

5th It is my will and desire that the balance of my land six hundred and ninety nine acres more or less on which is the homestead with all the improvements become and be the property of my two sons Richard and James and my daughter Sarah jointly so long as she remains unmarried.

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but if she is married at or before the decease of my wife Judith or any
time thereafter, then my two sons Garland and James by paying my
daughter Sarah twelve hundred dollars shall become the sole possessors
of said land and premises and shall either of my sons Garland
or James die childless then the survivor shall inherit his portion.

6th I confirm to the son of my daughter Martha and to my daughter
Eiza Maria the property I have heretofore given them and to my sons
Garland and James that which I have expended in their education.

7th I give to my daughter Sarah three negroes and their increase
viz. Bonas, Ellen and Martha, and to my son Garland and James
I give two negroes jointly viz. Harmon and Tom, and to my wife
Judith I give Aaron and Eiza -

8th I give to my grand son Elijah Hanes Agnes a horse to be
valued at one hundred and fifty dollars, also two shares James
River and Kanawha stock and one share State Court Stock.

9th I give to my grand son Rolfe Eldridge a horse to be val-
ued at one hundred and fifty dollars and that portion of my
library called John Wesley's works.

10th I give to my wife Judith all debts due me by bond
open account or otherwise also all money in hand.

11th I give to my two sons Garland and James and my daughter
Sarah after the decease of my wife Judith, all the stock of every
description, household and kitchen furniture and all the plantation
utensils in fact, every thing appertaining to the farm.

12th And lastly, I appoint my wife Judith B. Hanes executrix
and my sons Garland B. Hanes and James B. Hanes as executor of
this my last Will and Testament, and if it please the Court I
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and signed with my own seal this the 28th day of July in the
year of our Lord 1856

Elijah G. Hanes

At a Court held for Buckingham County, December 13th 1858. This
paper purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Elijah G. Hanes,
deceased, was offered for probate, and there being no subscribing witnesses
to the same, William P. Kyle and Owen M. Ayres were sworn and
examined, who testified that they are well acquainted with the hand
writing of the testator, and that they verily believe that the said
writing, and the signature thereto, to have been wholly written by the
testator's own hand. Thereupon the said Will was ordered to be
recorded. And on the motion of James B. Hanes, one of the executors
named in the said Will who made oath thereto, and entered into an
acknowledgment a bond conditioned according to law, without security,
the testator by his Will directing that none should be required, certifi-
cate is granted the said executor for obtaining a probate of the
said Will in due form.

Teste R. K. Irving C. D. C.

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Buckingham County Court Clerk's Office, January 2^d 1872. This attested copy of the last Will and Testament of Elizabeth H. Hays, deceased, heretofore recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Buckingham County, the book containing the record of said Will, and the original Will itself, having been lost or destroyed, was this day produced in my Office, and admitted to record anew.

Teste P. A. Forbes, C. R. C.

I John W. L. Tindall, of the County of Buckingham, State of Virginia, being of sound and disposing mind, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament.

1. I desire my Executor, herein after named to pay all my funeral expenses and debts as soon as possible after my death, and after said payments to deliver to my sisters, Eveline Hocker and Mary Jane Tindall, or the survivor of them, all the remaining cash in hand, to be equally divided between them, or to be held solely by the survivor. I also give to my said two sisters, or the survivor of them at the time of my death, all debts due me by bond.

2. I give to my brother Powhatan Tindall and Owen, the son of Paulina Holmes, all of my wearing apparel, to be equally divided between them, or wholly to the survivor at the time of my death.

3. I desire my Executor to continue my farming operations as arranged by myself for the year in which my death may occur, until the end of that year, and then to divide the net proceeds of the farm for said year between my said two sisters, or deliver the said proceeds entire to the survivor at my death. P. A. Forbes, C. R. C.