

Wm. Frederick C. Fisher
In the name of God Amen

Fisher of the County of Clayton
And State of Georgia, being
of sound and disposing mind
and memory, and being desirous
to settle my worldly affairs, which
I have strength to do, do make
and publish this my last will
and testament, hereby revoking all
wills by me at any time heretofore
made, and first, I bequeath my
soul to God who gave it, and
my body I desire to be buried in a
Christian-like manner, and my worldly
estate I dispose of as follows:
I desire that all my just debts
be paid.

First
Second

It is my will and desire that my
daughter Fanny W. Metcalf have
possession and control of my house
and lot in the City of Corinth
where I now reside together with
the household and kitchen fur-
niture as long as she may desire to
live on the same, if that should
be during her natural life; but if
at any time she should consent to
a sale and division of the same, it is
my will that my executor hereafter
appointed may sell the same, and di-
vide the proceeds equally between my
said daughters Fanny W. Metcalf &
Julia Henderson and my son Robert
C. Fisher, after charging my daughter
Julia Henderson with eight hun-
dred dollars that I have heretofore
advanced to her, and after charging
my son Robert C. Fisher three
hundred and fifty dollars that I

have heretofore advanced to him, so
that the three shall be made equal. And
it is my further desire that, in case my
daughter Fanny W. Metcalf shall die
without issue, that the share of my
estate that I bequeath to her shall
be equally divided between my daughter
Julia Henderson, and my son
Robert C. Fisher, and in case that
my daughter Fanny W. Metcalf should
die before any such ordination of my
said house and lot in the City of Cor-
inth without issue, then I desire
that my two children, Julia Henderson
and Robert C. Fisher, shall have the
same after Robert being paid a sum
sufficient to make his share equal
to Julia's - that is to say, that he is
to be paid four hundred and eighty
dollars, so as to bring him up to the
eight hundred, that I have advanced
to Julia - then the balance of the pro-
ceeds of my property to be equally
divided between them, and in case that
my daughter Fanny W. Metcalf should
consent and desire to leave my house
and lot and household and kitchen
furniture sold and the proceeds di-
vided as provided by this item, then
I desire that my said daughter Fanny
W. Metcalf be paid eight hundred
dollars from the proceeds so as to
make her equal with Julia Henderson
and that my son Robert C. Fisher be
paid the sum of four hundred and
fifty dollars so as to make him
equal with Julia and Fanny
And that the balance be equally di-
vided between the three to wit:
Julia Henderson, Fanny W. Metcalf

And Robert C. Hoker and the heirs
of that Anne M. Hoker, deceased, be-
long to her during her natural life
and at her death of the two without
leaving a child or children in the sur-
vivorship of the same that her share
shall be equally divided between Julia
Henderson and Robert C. Hoker and
any other persons that I may dis-
pose of. I have disposed of
nothing to this son of my will.

Third

It is my will and desire that my
two grand children the offspring
of my daughter Florence Thompson
shall have no part of my estate
as a benevolent friend provided
them with a grand father who is em-
ployable to furnish them with all
the comforts and necessities of life
I appoint my friend John
B. Henderson Executor of this my
last will and testament and hope
that he may execute the same ac-
cording to my will and desire.

Witness my hand and seal
this 18th day of February 1896
Jas M. Belcher (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared
by the above named Frances A.
Hoker as her last will and testament
in presence of us who at her re-
quest, in presence of each other have
subscribed our names as witnesses
hereto.

J. H. Hixon
J. D. Kelly
J. D. Harris

Georgia

Newton County, I, J. D. Harris, do swear
that I as well as J. H.
Hixon and J. D. Kelly and

the within named Frances A. Hoker, sign
and publish the within paper as her last
will and testament that I subscribed the
same as a witness thereto at the special
request and request of the said Frances
A. Hoker and in her presence, as did also
J. H. Hixon and J. D. Kelly, that the
said Frances A. Hoker signed the same
freely and voluntarily and was
at the time of such signing of sound
mind and disposing mind and memory
and I subscribed before
me, this 18th day of February 1896, J. D. Harris
Jas M. Belcher
Ordained

Georgia

Newton County, I, J. H. Henderson, do swear
superior that this writing
contains the true last will and
testament of the within named Frances
A. Hoker deceased before so I know
or believe and that I will well and
truly execute the same in accordance
with the laws of this State. So helps
me God
Witness to & subscribed
before me this 18th day of February 1896
Jas M. Belcher
Ordained

Proven in common form of law
at Chambers Feb 18th 1896, and admitted
to record at March Term 1896 of
Newton Court of Ordained
Jas M. Belcher Only
Recorded in Fidelity's pages 394, 395, 396
+ 397 March 3rd 1896
Jas M. Belcher Only