

and that in his presence and at his request ⁴⁷
H. S. Franklin and H. A. Franklin all signed the same
in presence of each other and of the said Testator as
witness thereto
H. S. Franklin
sworn to and subscribed
in open Court the date first
above written
at the same place

Georgia Warren County
Clerk's Office of the Court of Ordinary of said County
I Patrick A. Maddy Clerk of the Court of Ordinary
of said County, do certify that the above and foregoing
pages contain a true copy of the last Will and Testament
of Thomas Haynes and said of the Probate thereof
as they stand and are found of record in the office
of the aforesaid Court. In testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed Seal of said
Court this September 24th 1892

Patrick A. Maddy Clerk of C. O.
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Georgia I, James H. Taylor, being of Sound
Mind & Memory and disposing mind and memory
conscious of the uncertainty of life and
the possibility of death at any stage of life and
being anxious to dispose of my property after death
in a manner different from the distribution made
by Law of Intestate and Testament but to be my last
Will and Testament

I do hereby give my wish and desire that my land
and appurtenances here given to Taylor shall re-
tain and protect you from any possible interests
of mine all the property which I possessed
previous to our marriage including the following
I agree purchased with my funds since our
marriage, viz Joe about fifty years old, Thos
45 Geo 15, Joe J. Bitts 35, Plat 33, Phil
Little Mary 30 Paul 19 Mariah 15, Adam

And Dick 4 years old, This Negroed however to remain on the Plantation and work with the balance ~~until the last distribution herein of~~ provided for.

Item 2nd until the arrival of my youngest child to the age of Twenty one, provided my wife remains so long unmarried I will and bequeath to my wife annually the sum of one thousand Dollars to be paid out of the proceeds of my plantation or other sources as my executors may provide; upon the Marriage of my wife or the arrival of my youngest child of age my Will and desire is that my executors pay to my wife for her support and benefit during her natural life annually the sum of five hundred dollars.

Item 3rd My Will is that my wife shall have the use and control of my House and lot in Athens and my furniture there together with the House servants and slaves during her life or widowhood free from any rent, tax or for the same, The vacant lot with adjoining I give and bequeath to my son Robin upon his arrival at age, to be estimated as a part of his share of my estate.

Item 4th My Will is that during the minority of my children all my property shall be kept together and the proceeds applied to the payment of my just debts the annuity herein before bequeathed and the support of Education of my children.

Item 5th I will and bequeath all of my property besides the above consisting of Two thousand acres of land in Early County 1500 acres in the 28th and 500 in the 4th Dist. the Negroes and other personal property tools, Cattle and all other rights and credits together with all other property I may hereafter acquire by purchase gift or devise to my children.

Robert and James V. and such others as may hereafter be born to me of my first wife Taylor, to be equally divided between them as each of my children or lives or age. My wish is that he may receive his proportion of my estate each at his age, obligating himself in such manner as my executor may prescribe, to pay his proportional share of the annuity hereinbefore bequeathed. My wish is that my children shall each receive their share specifically, that is a portion of the land and a share of the negroes, which I wish my children to keep and not dispose of, in the event of the death of either of my children without leaving child of their own, my will is that the property herein bequeathed revert and go to my surviving children or their legal descendants,

Item 6th In the event of the death of all my children without leaving children of their own or legal descendants, my will and desire is that my property be divided one half to my wife of the one is the other and the balance (or if she be dead) to be equally divided between my two Brothers Robert and Richard Taylor and my Cousin Thomas Davis or the survivor of them.

I nominate and appointed General Robert Taylor of Clark County, Benjamin Celler of Early County and Thomas R. Cobb of Clark County the Executors of this my last will & Testament.

James Jones Taylor

Signed sealed and published this the 15th of June 1848 in our presence; And saw the Testator sign and signed it in the presence of each other

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Joseph D. Dampkin
Thomas R. Cobb

Georgia } Court of Ordinary
 Clark County } June 12 1833

Personally appeared in Open Court, Moss Crane
 one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the will and
 foregoing Will, of James Jones Taylor deceased,
 who being duly sworn depose and saith that
 he saw said deceased sign said said instrument
 and heard him acknowledge the same to be his
 last Will and Testament, that at the time of us
 so doing, he was of sound and disposing mind
 and memory, that he signed the same as a witness
 in the presence of the Testator, and of Joseph
 Lumpkin and Thomas R. R. Cobb, the other two
 Witnesses to said Will, also signed the same as
 Witnesses in the presence of the Testator,
 Sworn to and Subscribed
 in Open Court, } Moss Crane

Asa M. Jackson }
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Whereupon It is ordered by the Court, that
 said Will be recorded in the Law,
 Asa M. Jackson
 Ordinary

Georgia }
 Clark County } Monday June 1833

The Honorable the Court of Ordinary met
 pursuant to adjournments, it being the Regular
 Term of said Court, Present and presiding
 Asa M. Jackson
 Ordinary of said County

The last Will and Testament of James Jones Taylor
 deceased, was produced in Open Court, and in
 due form of Law, proved which together
 with the Probate proceedings were ordered to be
 Recorded in books of the Law