

John Hunt's Will

In the Name of God amen I John Hunt of the County of Greene and State of Georgia, Being in ill health and not expecting to survive but for a little time, But being of sound mind and memory do make and constitute this my last Will and Testament viz. -

- Item 1st My will is that all my Just debts be paid
- Item 2nd I leave to Sarah Deborah one dollar and twenty five cents as her interest in my Estate. -
- Item 3rd My wish is that my beloved wife Elizabeth remain with my children and that they support her as long as she may live or remain in a state of widowhood and that my Executors, retain my Estate after paying my debts, in their possession for her support or until each of my children after arriving at age shall give Bond and Security for her maintenance or a return of the property they may receive if necessary. -
- Item 4th My will is that after paying my Just debts, and the above specified legacy that all my estate both personal and Real be disposed of and equally divided between my seven children viz. Matilda, F. W. C., George S., Samuel, D. Henry E., and Elizabeth A. Hunt, share and share alike, giving to each, one seventh part, when they shall have complied with the requisitions found in the 3rd Item. -
- Item 5th I do hereby appoint and constitute Mr. Jones and Thomas S. Davis my Executors to carry into effect this my last Will, with full power to sell convey and dispose of my Estate both personal and Real as they in their discretion may adjudge best. - In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 27th day of June A.D. 1831.
- Thomas Mosely
John Mercur
Samuel D. Durham
- John Hunt

Georgia Greene County, Court of Ordinary Sept. Term 1831
Personally appeared in open Court, Thomas Mosely, John Mercur, Samuel D. Durham, the three subscribing witnesses to the within last Will & Testament of John Hunt and on oath sworn they saw him subscribe the same and that they each believed him to be of perfect sound mind & disposing memory, at the time of his signing the same, and that they in the presence of each other and in the presence of this Testator, subscribed their names as witnesses thereto. -

Subscribed to in open Court

5th day of September 1831
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