

Georgia
 New South Georgia
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 Federal do not go as far as I present or believe and
 that I will with and truly speak the
 are audience with the laws of this state
 1870
 Respected J. H. P. Dean
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

Dear Sir
 In the name of God Amen
 bearing of sound and disposing mind and memory
 but knowing that in the course of nature I must
 about the disposal of this life I deem it right and proper
 both as respects my family and myself that I
 should make a disposition of the property which
 without a kind Providence has blessed me with
 therefore make during my last will & testament
 by writing and amending authentic be-
 fore made.

Item 1. I desire and direct that any body be-
 lieved in a decent and Christian like man-
 ner to my children & Successors be in-
 vited to my house I trust shall return to me in
 God in the good it and hope for salvation. Item
 the power and statement of the blessed God
 and Successors be in-
 Item 2. I give grant and devise to my beloved
 and faithful daughter Mary E. Jones, one hun-
 dred dollars on account of her services in
 my household duties, and to my grandson
 Albert B. Dyer, the only child of my deceased
 and lawless daughter Mary H. Dyer.

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 I give grant and devise five hundred dollars
 and twenty five cents to the said Mary E. Jones
 to make them equal with any other share
 to each of them I have heretofore advanced that
 sum.

Item 3. All the real and personal property which I
 own, possess and hold or shall in future
 give grant & devise equally to my beloved wife
 Elizabeth Jones and my dear children Mary
 and John Jones, James Jones, George Jones,
 Mary E. Jones, Sarah Jones, wife of John
 Jones, James Jones, George Jones, wife of John
 Jones, and Albert B. Dyer, and for the poor of
 distribution my Successors hereafter named
 with so little delay as the best interests of my
 estate may require, shall collect up my share
 in action and bring to trial my property real
 and personal selling the same at Public
 or Private sale or their discretion pay my
 just debt of any and the expenses and
 distribute the balance as herein before directed.

Item 4. I nominate, constitute and appoint
 my Sons James Jones and George H. Jones
 Executors of this my last will and testament
 requiring them before receiving the duties
 thereof to enter into bond with good security
 to double the value of my estate to be ap-
 proved by the Ordinary of said County, Condi-
 tioned faithfully to discharge their trust as
 such Executors, This October 11, 1870.

He D. Jones
 Signed, sealed, declared and Published by Hugh E.
 Jones as his last will and testament in the pres-
 ence of the undersigned who subscribed our names
 here to in the presence of said testator as his lawful
 witnesses and request and in the presence of
 presence of each of the said 11, 1870, Henry R. Mitchell