

Last Will and Testament of William M. Haughton, Esq. Recorded

State of Georgia } In the name of God Amen.

Warren County } I William M. Haughton of said State and County of sound and disposing mind and memory, knowing that I must depart this life, deem it right and proper both as respects my family and myself, that I should make a disposition of the property with which I kind Providence has blessed me, I do therefore make this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all others by me here before made

First I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian manner suitable to my circumstances and condition in life My Soul I trust shall return to rest with God who gave it; as I hope for salvation through the merits of the blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ

Secondly I desire and direct that all my just debts be paid without delay by my Executor and Executor's heirs after named and appointed

Thirdly I desire and direct that my estate shall remain together for the mutual support of my wife and children, until all my children shall become of age. To be controlled and managed by my wife Mary H. and friend Nathaniel Bridges; but should any of my children marry, my wife Mary and Nathaniel Bridges, if they see proper, may have the privilege of loaning a portion of my estate to said child or children that may marry to be returned at the final division of my property with the income there of. Should my wife Mary marry again, then it is my wish and desire that my estate shall be divided immediately after said marriage - Equally between my wife and six children - to wit: Mildred H. Seaborn H. Mary E. Martha C. William H. and John H. Haughton - my wife Mary receiving a child's part, and should my wife Mary H. have any other children by me begotten, then it is my will and desire they share alike with my wife and children above named.

Fourthly I desire and direct that should my wife Mary H. and Nathaniel Bridges deem it proper and prudent they may dispose or sell any property Real or Personal which they may think for the benefit and advantage of my estate at any time necessity may require and the proceeds of said sale apply to the purchase of other property for the benefit of my estate

Fifthly I hereby constitute and appoint my friend Nathaniel Bridges Executor and my wife Mary H. Haughton Executrix of my last Will and Testament - This 2nd day of April 1862

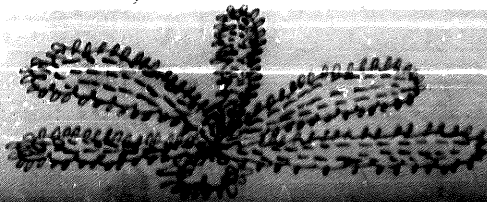
Wm. M. Haughton (23)

Signed, sealed, declared and published by William M. Haughton as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us the undersigned who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said Testor at his special instance and request and in the presence of each other This April 2nd 1862.

E. H. Beall

W. H. Brown

John H. Hoar



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In open Court-came Nathaniel Bridges and Mary T. Haughton Executors and Executors constituted and appointed in & paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Wm M. Haughton late of said county deceased as executors of said deceased and produced said paper writing; And also personally came Elias H. Beall and William W. Bruce two of the subscribing witnesses to said paper writing who being duly sworn depose and say that they saw the said William M. Haughton, sign, seal, declare and publish the said paper writing now presented in open Court as his last Will and Testament; freely, voluntarily, of his own accord without any compulsion or any undue influence whatever - that at the time of the execution of said Will said Testament was of sound, disposing mind and memory - that defendants signed said Will as witnesses in the presence of the Testator and at his request - and in the presence of each other, and that they saw John H. Harris the other subscribing witness sign said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his request -

Sworn to & Subscribed before me
in open Court this Sept 1-1862

Geo. W. Mullins Ordinary

E. H. Beall
W. W. Bruce

