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Georgia } In the name of God. Amen.
Meriwether County } I Miram H. Hussey of the County
and state aforesaid, being feble in
body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, but
knowing that all men must die, do make this my last
Will and Testament, in doing of which I first of all
recommend my soul to God who gave it, and my
body to be buried in a decent & Christian-like manner,
In disposing of my Estate I desire first that all of
my just debts be paid as soon as convenient,
Second, the Interest I have in the Mercantile business
of the firm of Hussey, McSpender & Company, I will and
direct be sold out and closed up in the ordinary
manner by my surviving Copartners.

Third, after the payment of all my just debts, the
balance of my Estate both real and personal I will,
bequeath and devise to my beloved wife and children
in equal shares, but that the same be kept together
for the support and benefit of my wife and children
jointly, so long as my wife remains a widow
but upon her marriage, then my Will and direction
is that all my Estate be equally divided between
my wife and children share and share alike,
allowing a fair and reasonable proportion according
to the age of my children for their raising and education.

Fourth, should my wife not marry and my property
remain together as provided in the third Clause of
this Will, until my children marry or arrive at
age, I then in that event, Will and direct that
my Executor and Executors, hereinafter named
give off to each child as they marry or arrive
at age, such sum of money or property as they
in their judgement can do without injury to
the interest of my other children, taking a receipt
for the same and charging each child with the amount
of property or sum of money so given off. so that

the shares may be made equal.

Fifth, should my wife die then my will and directions shall all my property be equally divided, between my children share and share alike.

Sixth, I hereby appoint my brother Amos Hussy and my wife Sarah Hussy my Executor and Executrix confiding in them for the faithful execution of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness of all which I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the 6th day of November 1857

Signed sealed and acknowledged before us

L. M. Adams
John Robinson
J. A. Boykin
W. H. Lindsey

H. H. Hussy

Georgia }
Meriwether County } Court of Ordinary
January Term 1858
The last Will and Testament
of Hiram H. Hussy having been proved at
this regular Term in open Court, upon the oaths
of L. M. Adams, John Robinson and Francis
A. Boykin, Ordered that the same be admitted
to record.
11th Jan'y 1858

A. C. Graham, Clerk

Recorded this 11th Jan'y 1858
D. C. Graham, Clerk