

in the State of Georgia being in sound mind and
memory do make this my last will and
testament hereby revoking all former
wills by me heretofore made

Item 1st I give and bequeath and
devise unto my son Henry H. Hines for and
during his natural life and after his
death to such child or children as he
may leave free from his debts liabilities
or contracts all that parcel of land situate
in said county of Scriven containing two
hundred and thirty three acres more
or less the same originally granted to
Edonick Boykin for two hundred and
ten acres and upon which the said
Henry H. Hines now resides

Item 2nd I give and bequeath unto my
son Henry H. Hines for and during his natural
life free from his debt or other liabilities
and after his death to such or such child
or children as he may leave all the residue
of my estate wherein and whatsoever it
may consist

Item 3rd Inasmuch as I have heretofore
given to my grand daughter Mary Bonds
one half of a tract of land situate in Emory
county No 349 containing 20 1/2 acres and which
she has already received I consider that as
much of my estate as I can bequeath to her
and herein make no further provision for her

Item 4th Should it at any time during the
lifetime of my son Henry H. Hines and after
my decease be deemed expedient to sell
or change the property herein bequeathed I
herely authorize my executors in the premises
directed by law to sell or change the same
provided the proceeds thereof be immediately
reinvested in other property for the use and interest
and subject to the same as the property
herein bequeathed and provided also that
the wife of my son Henry H. Hines shall have
in my estate the use of a home that is it

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Long during her widowhood should the deceased
Henry H. Hines

Item 8th and I appoint my son Henry H. Hines and
Charles Humphreys Executor of this my last will and
in witness whereof I have hereunto signed my own
affix my seal this 20th March A.D. 1860

Martha Hines

The names names are heretofore subscribed have signed
at the special instance and request of Martha
testatrix as witnesses to this her last will and to
in her presence having seen her subscribe the
and in the presence of each other the day and
written

Hope B. Scott
John M. Scott
Elijah P. Reese

Georgia Lexicon County

In the Court of ordinary for said
May Term 1861

And now at the above term of the court
aid personally comes Henry H. Hines execu-
tor of the last will and testa-
ment of Martha Hines late of said County de-
ceased and in open court produces for prob-
the said will and testament of
the said Martha Hines deceased. And
witnesses to said will to wit John Scott,
B. Scott, and Elijah P. Reese and the
said witnesses on their oath say that the
said Martha Hines sign seal pub-
and declare the paper now produced
last will and testament and that she
subscribed the same as witness in
presence and at her special instance
and request and in the presence of
other that she did the same freely
voluntarily and without any comp-
or any undue influence for that purpose
by any person whatsoever that she was
of sound mind and disposing mind
the time and that the same remain
unaltered

sworn to and in open Court
this 19th of May 1861
Dr. Robert Hines
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