

I Samuel Montgomery of the State of South Carolina, and District of Sumter, (Planter,) being Weak in Body, but ~~of~~ in the full Exercise of my Reason, and Memory, Thanks be to God, for his Mercies and Calling, to mind the Mortality, of my body, and Knowing that it is Appointed for all men Once to die, do make & appoint this my last Will, and Testament.---(Viz) First I Give & bequeath to my dearly beloved Wife, Jane, Montgomery, a Horse and Riding Chair, One Negro Boy Hamlet, and one Woman Phillis & her Ifsue, Second, I Give and bequeath to my beloved Son Isaac, Two Plantations or Tracts of Land, the One Purchased from Robert Frierson and the other from John Frierson, on which the said Isaac now lives, and Three Negroes, (Viz) Dick, dido, and Jim.

Third, I Give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Rachel Plowden and her Surviving ifsue, One Plantation, Purchased from John Dickey Esquire, and three Negroes, Sarah and her ifsue Silvia and her ifsue, and Satira and her ifsue,-----

Fourth.--- I Give and bequeath to my beloved Son William One <sup>our</sup> ~~Plantation~~ <sup>Hundred</sup>, Purchased from William Frierson Esquire, and ~~and~~ <sup>John</sup> ~~ninety~~ <sup>Eight</sup> ~~Acres~~ <sup>Acres</sup>; Originally granted to ~~to~~ <sup>John</sup> Dickey Esquire for 1627 Acres,---And Four Negroes (Viz)-----

Titus. Clarifsa, January and Nancy.-----

Fifth--- I Give and bequeath to my beloved <sup>son</sup> John the following Negroes (Viz) Sharper, Elvira, and Paul,-----

Sixth--- I Give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Jane Plowden, And her Surviving ifsue, the following Negroes (Viz) Harry, Mary ann, and Cyrus.-----

Seventh---I Give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Letitia One Negro Girl Named Mary,-----

Eighth, I Give and bequeath the Plantation, on which I now live, to my Four Youngest Son's to be Divided between them as Equally as Practicable, in the following Manner--John to have his dividend, on Tentors Branch James at Arnots old Field. Samuel to the West of John on Cold Hill, and Henry the Upper part of the Said Plantation, Including the Dwelling House. Reserving to my beloved Wife

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Nineth, I will and bequeath the Remainder of my Personal property to my wife Jane, and my Son's James, Samuel and Henry and my Youngest Daughter Letitia, to be Equally Divided between them, as these Children Shall Come of Age, or Shall Marry----- It is my wish that the Property bequeathed to the last Mentioned Children, Should Only be Divided as they Arive Respectively Arive to year's of Maturity, or Marry,---And that the Said Four Mentioned Children Should Continue, to live, with their Mother, during their Minority, or her lifetime, as the Case may be,---But if in or die before any; or all, of the four last mentioned Case my wife Should Marry <sup>then</sup> and in that Case it is my wish and desire that they Should have their Dividends of my property made to them According to the true intent and Design of this Will And Testament-----

Lastly, I do hereby Nominate, Constitute, and Appoint, my beloved  
wife Jane Executrix, And my three Eldest Sons, Isaac, William, and  
John, Executors of this my last will and Testament,-----  
And I do hereby Revoke, and Disannul, all and Every other former  
Will and Testament by me made,---and appoint and Confirm this a  
my last Testament,-----

Signed and Sealed in the Presence  
of each and all of us, On this

Sam<sup>1</sup> Montgomery (SEAL)

Twenty ninth day of June in the Year of Our

## Lord and 42 of American Independence

Sam<sup>1</sup> Pendergrafs, Ju.<sup>n</sup>,

Tho <sup>8</sup> Tobias

Mallichiak Brogdon

(Recorded in Will Book AA page 202)

(Recorded November 12th 1819)

William Potts Ordy S.D.