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Jones County Court August Term 1802.

There was the within last Will & Testament of Charles Hay dec. duly proved in open Court by the Oath of Joseph Hill one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto & Orderd to be recorded.

Attest - Wm. Crum Ck

State of N. Carolina

In the name of God Amen I William Lavender of Jones County I State aforesaid planter being weak in Body but of perfect sound mind & memory blessed be God, do therefore this Eleventh day of October in the Year of our Lord 1802 make & publish this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following, viz,

First - I give unto my beloved Wife, Hannah Lavender my Bay Mare & four Cows with Calf, Ten year old Hogs I four small sheats two Sows & twenty She. Barrels of Corn, also I give unto my Wife 1 Bed. & furniture stead & Cord to her & her Heirs for ever -

Item - I also bind unto my beloved Wife Hannah Lavender all my land which I now live on during her natural life, then I give the same to my son Lavin Lavender after the death of my said Wife, to him his Heirs & assigns for ever -

Item - also I bind unto my beloved Wife all the rest of my house hold & kitchen furniture which is not given away until my son John Lavender arrives to the age of Twenty One, then the same to be sold & the money to be equally divided between all my Children except Lavin, who I have already made provision for -

Item - also my Will I desire is that all the rest of my property not mention'd shall be sold to enable my Executors to pay my just Debts, if any overplus after paying my Debts the same to be made use of as above mention'd amongst my Children -

I hereby nominate constitute & appoint my friend James Green my Executor to this my last Will & Testament, hereby disannulling all others by me heretofore made. In Testimony whereof I have unto set my Hand & seal the day & Year first within written

Witness my hand & seal the day & Year first within written
Signed, sealed, published & delivered for Jas his Wm. Lavender Ck
last Will & Testament in presence of us who have herunto set our names as Witnesses - Wm. Tippet, John Green & Dan. Lavender -

State of N. Carolina

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The foregoing last Will & Testament of William Lavender dec. was duly exhibited in open Court Proved by the Oaths of John Green & Dan. Lavender two of the subscribing Witnesses thereto & Orderd to be Recorded - At the same time James Green the Executor therein named Qualified as such a suitable to Law Orderd. that Letters Testamentary Issue accordingly -

I true Copy from the Original in the Clerk's Office of Jones County - Attest - Wm. Crum Ck

In the Name of God, Amen

I John Simmons of Jones County I State of N. Carolina being of a low state of health but of good & perfect memory under a sense of the omnipotence of God & the mortality of Man do this 13th day of July 1802 make & establish this my last Will & Testament in manner following -

Imprimis - I give I bequath unto my Wife Elizabeth three Negroes Toney, Pansy & Robin, two horses Jasper & Pinner, one Yoke of Oxen & Cart, one loom & tharnep, two ploughs two Hacks, two pair Iron Traces, two Axes two this one Grand Stone, One ending Chair & tharnep, two Whals a Cornner & Moolins one hand & Mill 1 Hoghead half. Pigeons, Oak Barrels Twenty Pounds one Cash all the stock of Rice fifty Barrels of Corn one third of my Pens one fourth of the Tabbler half of my Hogs, four Cows & Calves, all of my Shop one Equitable third part of my House hold & kitchen furniture to her & her Heirs I assign & provide I also bind to my beloved Wife during her natural life one third part of my plantation including the House with the privilege of Wood & timber for the same -

I also bind her during her widowhood two Negroe Girls viz Chloe & Clarry

Item - I give I bequath unto my daughter Polly Simmons one Woman saddle -

Item - It is my Will I desire that all my lands be equally divided between my sons as they arrive of lawful age, I for that purpose I do bequath my lands to them & I have for ever -

Item - Further it my Will I desire that all the rest residue & remainder of my Estate (with the two Girls Chloe & Clarry after the marriage of my Wife) be equally divided between my Children both sons & Daughters as they arrive of lawful age or marry And lastly it is my Will I for purpose I do ordain & nominate & appoint Turn Over

(265) my two Brothers Amos & Nedhara Simmons Executors to this my last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand. This the day & Year first above written.

John Simmons Esq

Signed, sealed, published & declared as the last Will & Testament in presence of

Frederick Fay Jr.
John Bender
Elizabeth Humphord

Jones County Court & November Term 1802

Then was the within last Will & Testament of John Simmons rec'd. duly proved in open Court by the Oaths of Fred. Fay Jr. one of the subscribing Witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded at same time & for Simmons one of the Executors therein named qualified as such agreeable to Law. Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly.

Attest Wm Orme Clk

A true Copy from the Original in the Clerk's Office of Jones County.

In the name of God Amen Daniel Kornegy of Jones County & State of S. Carolina being sick & weak in Body but in sound mind & memory do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following.

In the first place I give & bequeath to my well beloved Wife Matilda Kornegy one Negroe Woman named Gracie one Grey Mare three Cows & Calfs. All my stocks of Hogs & five heads of Sheep, two feather beds & two Iron Pots & one young Yoke of Oxen. I give my Ploughs Hoes & Axes, one Cart, one young Yoke of Oxen. I give two pair Iron Trains & bolts & Clevises & Swingles & two new Flag bottom'd Chairs, one half of my earthen ware, & half of my Knives & forks, two pewter Dishes, one Wooden Stool, one Saddle, one looking Glass, one Candle Stick, one half my Bottles, all my Jugs, except one large one, one Linnet Whisk, & pair Cotton Cards, one pair smoothing Irons, one Tea Kettle, one Coffee Mill, one pair fire dogs, one Cotton Basket, one Riding Chair & harness, also one Loom & weaving Tharnes, one butter Pot, thirty Barrels Corn, three Blade Shacks of Fodder, one Yip ditto one third part of Peas, one half of my Cotton, Flax & potatoes, three Barrels Flour, Turley head of Goose & Italian fowls I give I give to her her Wines & Apples for ever.

Carry forward

(266) I bind to my well beloved Wife Matilda during her natural life my Dwelling house & one third part of my Lands thereto adjoining, the house to begin on the River & extend out so as to include my Dwelling House & other out Houses. Also I bind to Wife during her Widowhood one hundred Acres of Land lying on the West side of the State Road, beginning on the Road & running out so as to make the complement being part of the Land I bought of John Harrel.

I give & bequeath to my two Daughters Mary & Mary the Child that my Wife is now pregnant with the following Negroes, Viz.

one Negroe Boy named London, one Negroe Boy John, one negroe Boy Luke, one Negroe Girl Sally, one Negroe Girl Lilly, one negroe Girl Chloe to be equally divided among my said three Children when they arrive to full Age or Marriage to them their Wives & assigns forever. my Will I desire is should the Child that my Wife is now pregnant with be a son he should have all my Lands that I am possessed of, if a Daughter my Will is that all my Lands be equally divided among all my Daughters, also all the rest of my Property that is not particularly otherwise, till my Will is that my Negroe Man Simon be sold & the Money arises therefrom to be equally divided among all my Children. my Will also is that my Wife have the use of my six young Negroes which I left to be equally divided among all my Children, until my Daughter Mary comes to the Age of Eleven Years, if my Wife continues a Widow until my Children comes to full Age or marriage.

I also give to Wife forty Pounds in Notes, & twenty five Pounds Cash. I give her her heirs & assigns for ever. Lastly I nominate, I appoint my Wife Matilda & my friend Joseph Sanderson & my friend Enock Boy my Executors, and Executors to this my last Will & Testament, hereby revoking all other Wills by me made. I acknowledging this to be my only last Will & Testament. Given under my hand & seal this 23rd day of September 1802.

Daniel Kornegy (Sd)

In presence of us
R. Dickson,
Jas. C. Bryan,
Kader Knight
State of S. Carolina
Jones County Court & November Term 1802
Then was the aforesaid last Will & Testament of Daniel Kornegy rec'd. duly proved in open Court by the Oaths of Jas. C. Bryan & Kader Knight two of the subscribing Witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. At same time & Matilda Kornegy the Executrix, & Joseph Sanderson one of the Executors therein named qualified as such agreeable to Law. Ordered that Letters Testamentary issue accordingly.

Attest Wm Orme Clk

A true Copy from the Original in the Clerk's Office of Jones County, Wm Orme Clk