

WILL OF
GEORGE REID

In the Name of God, Amen. I George Reid of the District of Ninety Six, in the State of South Carolina Planter; being of Sound Mind and Memory, & considering the uncertain Continuance of this Life, do make this my last Will and Testament, in manner & form following, Hereby Revoking a ll former Wills, by me made, And first, I Refign my soul to that Supreme Being, Who gave it, & mybody I commit to the Grave, to be decently interr'dat the discretion of my Exor.^{ts} And as for my temporal Estate; & Effects I give and dispose of the same as followeth. First it is my will that all my just Debts & Funeral Charges, be paid & satisfied, Imprimis I Give & bequeath to my Daughter, Rose Bowie, Wife of John Bowie Esqr: of the District afores'd; my Negro Wench, nam'd Bet, with the increase of the s'd Negroe Wench-- Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Baskins, Wife of Captain William Basking Esqr. of the District afores'd my Negroe Wench Named Mille With the increase of the s'd Negroe wench. Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Margaret Reid Wife of Hugh Reid of the District afores'd Plantermy Negroe Wench nam'd Senna, with the Increase of the s'd Negroe Wench, Item I give and bequeath to my Son Samuel Reid Three head of Horses, four Cows & Calves which he formerly Received, and also a Negro Fellow Nam'd A dam, and Likewise whatMoney I Gave to purchase the Negroe Wench Kett, And also the Plantation that he now lives on which I Purchased from Joseph Salvadore for him Item I give and bequeath to my son Alexander Reid Four Negroes, & a Negroe fellow Nam'd Munnuth Philip his Wifea negroe Bey Nam'd Tom, & a Negroe Wench Nam'd Prue, Item I give and bequeath to my son Joseph Reid Four Negrees, a Fellow Nam'd Primifs, a Fellow Nam'd Befon a Negroe Bey, Named Ifaac a Negroe Wench, Named Hannah. Moreover it is my will that if the a beve nam'd Negroe wench Philips Should ha ve any more Children that they shall be Divided Equally between my Sons Alex^r and Joseph. Item it is my will also that the Mills with all the Land that now belenge to them, be Equally Divided between my Two Sons, Alexander, and Joseph, and that neither of them; shall have it in their Power to Mortgage, sell or Dispose of the same, or the Premises.

with out the consent of the other. It is my will Likewise that the Horse that my son Alex^r Claims, and a Mare that my son Joseph, Claims as their present Property; Shall remain such; Further it is my Will the Remainder of a ll my Personal Estate, Consisting of Horses, Cows, House hold, Furniture & be Divided Equally Between my Two sons, Alexander and Joseph; Item, it is my Will that if my son Alexander should Die without Issue, that my son Joseph; shall Enjoy his part of my Estate only Giving unto my son Samuel Two good Negroes, or Eighty Pounds Ster in Lieu thereof; it is my Will also that in case my son Alexander should happen, as above mentioned, that my son Samuel shall have whatever Riding Horse he Owns's and also his Clothes whatever suits him. Item I give and bequeath my Wearing Apparel to my son Samuel, I Also Recommend Polly McGee to the care of my Two Sons Alexander and Joseph, hoping that they will help her, and Give her Something, in case of need as Their Own Prudence may Direct. And Lastly it is my Will that the Plantation Lying on the Waters of the Men Coops Containing Three Hundred & Twenty Acres, is my last Gift, Which I give & bequeath to my son Samuel, And I do hereby Appoint ^{Major} John Bowie Esqr. Capt: Hugh Wardlaw, & Capt: William Perkins, Esqr of the District aforesaid; to be Guardians or Overseers, of this my Last will & Testament, in case any Dispute or Controversy should happen amongst my Sons; that it may be left to their determination also that what is to be Divided that they may see it Equitably done; IN Witness Whereof the said George have hereunto set his hand and seal this Twenty third Day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven Hundred

& Eighty six
Signed, Sealed, & Published, by the
said George Reid, to be his last will
& Testament; in the Presence of us
who subscribed our Names in the
Testators presence and at his request

George Reid (Seal)

James Reid
John Bowman
John Wardlaw Jun^r

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