

WILL OF

SAMUEL GAMBLE

Gamble

In the Name of God, Amen. I Samuel/ of the District of Abbeville and State of South Carolina Being weak in Body, but of Sound Memory, ( blessed be God) do this Day being the nineteenth Day of O ctober in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred, make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the Manner following: (that is to say)

First, I resign my Soul and Body to God who gave it in hopes of a blessed, Glorious, and happy, Resurrection:

Secondly I give and bequeath, to my well beloved Wife Jane Gamble, the plantation with all the Improvements thereon, whereon I now live to be occupied by her and her Family as long as She Remains my widow; and no longer. I also leave under ~~her~~ ~~my~~ moveable property for the Support of her & her Children She making no waste nor Destruction of the Same; except one youngest Berral Mare, which I give and bequeath To Harris Jones, together with what he hath already gotten; - - - - - My Desire is, that she may Divide all my movable property (except my Plantation tools) as She thinks proper between all my Daughters that now lives with me. To my oldest Son John, I give and bequeath to him and his Heirs forever that same Hundred and twenty-five Acres of Land on which I now live; at the expiration of his Mothers Widowhood The same Land I desire that it may be Survey'd (or Run) into an oblong or Square, beginning at the Corner Joining Mr. William Adams's plantation Southerly, So as my Spring may be left as convenient as possible to all my Sons, and that and that each of them, and their Heirs, or assigns may have free liberty to take water out of the same as occasion Requires. The other two ~~Hundred and~~

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according to the True Intent and meaning of the Same.

The word (Gamble) in the upper line and the word (Divide)

in the eighteenth line was Interlined before

Signed. As also a few words Razed out in the ninth line.

Signed. Sealed and delivered by by the said Samuel Gamble,

as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of

us who were present at the Signing and Sealing thereof.

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Samuel /X Gamble Seal  
mark

Jas. Keown

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W. Adams

Alexa. Keown

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