

Box. 18. Charleston July 26th 1835. } Knowing the uncertainty of Life
N^o. 1. and how soon it may please God to call us to another World
I wish while in health to make a disposition of my Property
as follows, my Negroes Carry and her Children Mariann, Tony
Peter, Nancy two Children of Mariann Elizabeth and William
Judy and her Children Nancy Betty Robert Ten Shares in North
& Mechanics Bank & whatever other Negroes I may have at my death
I give and bequeath to Mrs S. Matilda Grayson and her Children
after the payment of my debt funeral expenses and whatever other
debts I may owe, which I wish to be immediately paid by the State
and if that is not enough by the sale of Negroes, as some of the Negroes
may not wish to leave Town I desire that they be sold and the money
be disposed of as above. Six large and eight small Spoons & Sugar tongs
I give to Maria Grayson my Pearl ring to Ann Primrose it is her grandmother's
hair my Bible Prayer Book and Pictures I give to Maria Grayson. It
is also my wish to be buried at John's Island by Mrs Ward if one of
Mrs Mother sons will take the trouble to see it done and I appoint
William J. Grayson Executor of this my Will.

Witness - J^{ts} Ward Motte Harriet Emma Motte Joshua W. Verrier
Given before Thomas Lusk Esq J^{ts} C. D. this thirty first day of March 1843.
Ordinary Office April 4th 1843. Disqualified William J. Grayson Executor