

18. 5. In the name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Valler Widow, do make and ordain this my last
N. 2. Will and Testament

First, I bequeath my Body to the dust and my soul to the mercies of Almighty God, humbly trusting in the Intercession and Atonement of my Saviour as my only Hope of Salvation.

Secondly, It is my Will and Desire and I request my Executor to have me buried alongside, if possible of my late beloved Father, that there shall be no Parade at my Funeral, that the Ceremony be performed in the House, and I trust to the Benevolence of some Friend, to see my Body consigned to the earth.

Thirdly, I request my Executor to have a plain neat Tombstone placed over the remains of my Father

Fourthly. I give and bequeath to my friend Sarah Jeffords, all my clothes, Bedding, Plate and Household Furniture of every Kind; and also, during her natural life, the Interest of One Thousand Dollars, which I have at Interest to be paid her half yearly, as it becomes due, which I request her to accept as a Compensation for her Kindness and attentions to me in sickness and in health.

Fifthly, I give and bequeath, to Margaret Bennett Johnson, Daughter of my Friend The Hon^{ble} William Johnson, my Girl Mary, trusting that she will make a kind Mistress to a girl that has been brought up with much care and tenderness.

Sixthly, I give to my Friend Doctor Philip Prescote One hundred and fifty Dollars, in consideration of his great ~~and~~ and gratuitous attention to me and mine in sickness.

Seventhly. My Will is and I hereby authorize and empower my Executor to sell in Fee Simple the Lot on which I reside, and to remit the Proceeds of the sale to the

I do hereby give and bequeath the same to the children of William Vale, Brother to my late Husband, to be equally divided amongst them and if any of his children be dead at the Time of my Death, leaving Issue, then such Issue, to take the proportions of their respective Ancestor. The family are now residing in England, and my Executor will find from Letters enclosed here with, in what manner to identify them and direct to them.

Eighthly, I particularly devise and appropriate my Interest in the House in Saint Philips Street, to the payment of my Debts, funeral Expenses, pecuniary legacies and other Expenditures under my Will, hereby empowering my Executor to sell and dispose of the same, in any Way he thinks best for that Purpose, in Fee Simple.

Ninthly. As to the remainder of my Slaves, not before particularly disposed of, my Will is that my Executor shall give them each a coarse mourning suit and that he have full and absolute power to dispose of them as he shall think fit without being responsible or accountable in any manner, either for their value or their lives. He knows my will with regard to them and whatsoever he does respecting them I hereby declare to be my Will.

Tenthly, As to all the rest and Residue of my estate real and personal, I give devise and bequeath the same, to be equally divided among all my Nieces, who shall be living at my Death, to be equally divided among them share and share alike, and if any of them shall be then dead, leaving Issue, such Issue to take the share of their respective Mother.

Lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my Friend The Hon^{ble} William Johnson to be sole Executor of this my Will, hereby repealing and revoking every other Will by me heretofore executed and declaring this to be my only last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof

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Lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my Friend The Hon^{ble} William Johnson to be sole Executor of this my Will, hereby repealing and revoking every other Will by me heretofore executed and declaring this to be my only last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have herein to set my Hand this

day of October Anno Domini One thousand Eight hundred and twenty-
seven Elizabeth Vale (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared in Presence of us, who in the
Presence of each other and of the Testator, have at her request hereunto set
our Hands.

W^m L. Felder Mrs L. Vance W^m Vance

Proved before Edward McBrady by virtue of a Subpoena to him direc-
ted, on the twenty fourth day of June 1834, who at the same time qualified
The Hon^{ble} William Johnson, Executor. On 9th September 1834 qualified Edward McBrady as
Clerk on this Will being Oath of the Hon^{ble} William Johnson the former Clerk.

18. P.
N^o 3. State of South Carolina

I, Philip S. Porcher of Charleston District in the State aforesaid
do publish and declare this to be my last and testament, hereby revoking any
former will or wills by me made

I give and bequeath to my two children, Richard S. Porcher and Selina
S. P. Porcher, their heirs and assigns, the whole of my property, both real and perso-
nal, share and share alike; subject however to the following provision. I give
and bequeath to Jane Melford, her heirs and assigns, the sum of Four hundred
(400) Dollars, to be paid to her as soon after my decease as my Executor may
find funds in their possession.

Lastly, I nominate, constitute and appoint my Father Samuel Por-
cher, my Brother Thomas W. Porcher and William Mazzyck Porcher, my
Friends James Gaillard, William Mazzyck Junior, Alexander M. M. M.

my Friends James Gaillard, William Mazyck Junior, Alexander Mazyck, Thomas Porcher Junior, my Nephew S. Porcher Gaillard and my Son Richard S. Porcher, when he arrives at the age of Twenty one Year, Executors of this my Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of February, One thousand eight hundred and Thirty four, and the Fifty eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

P. S. Porcher (Seal)

signed, sealed, published and declared, by the Testator, in the presence of us, who in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Edward Mazyck Peter P. Layton Samuel Foxworth

Ex?

J.L.

Proved before Thomas Leche Junr O. G. J. D. on the twenty sixth day of June 1834 and by virtue of a Decree directed to Wm Dubose (J. W.) qua- lified Thomas W. Porcher Executor.

18. S.

18. 6.

Ex
J.L.

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W. 4.

In the Name of God Amen.

I Wellington Parker, being of sound mind, memory & discretion, Do hereby make this my last Will and testament in form following, to wit: After the Payment of my ^{just} Debts and funeral expences, I give and divide all my Property and estate between Washington Parker, Amelia Van der horst & Margaret Wightman to be delivered to them each for his or her separate use and behoof forever, And I request Bonf. T. Hunt to act as Executor of this my last Will.