

WILL OF

BETJE HENRICKSEN

17 R.^o South Carolina In the Name of God Amen I Betje
N^o 45 Henricksen of the Parish of St Philip in the
State aforesaid House Carpenter do make this my Last Will
and Testament in manner and form following that is to say,
I give to my Daughter Louisa Henricksen my negro man named
King and my negro girl Eliza together with the issue of E-
liza to be born after the date of this my Will. Item I
give to my son John F Henricksen my negro woman Nancy and
her child John my negro Woman Dye and her boy Sam together
with the issue of the females to be born after the date of
this my will. Item I give to my daughter Louisa Henrick-
sen two thirds of fifty six shares held by me in the Union
Insurance Company in Charleston to be transfered or paid
to her on her arriving to the age of twenty one years and
the remaining third thereof I give to my son John F. Hen-
ricksen to be paid or transfered to him on his arriving to
the age of twenty one years and in case either my said Son
or Daughter should die under age then the whole of the said
fifty six shares to go to the Survivor. Item it is my Will
that both my Lots and Houses one in Meeting Street contin-
ued Wherein I reside and the other in Hampstead shall be
sold by my Executors hereinafter named or such of them as
Shall qualify and Will act, on such terms as to them will
appear most advantageous and I give the monies to arise
from such sale to be equally divided between and amongst my
Six children Ann Margaret Curling, Eliza Ditmore Mary Liv-
ingston, Caroline Wienges, John F Henricksen and Louisa
Henricksen and in case any of my said Children should die
before me leaving issue surviving Such issue Shall take the
share intended for the parent to be equally divided amongst
them if more than one and if either my said Son John F. Hen-
ricksen or daughter Louisa Henricksen should die under age,
his or her share so dying shall be equally divided amongst

all my Surviving Children or issue as aforesaid. Item all the rest and residue of my Estate whatsoever and wheresoever I give and bequeath to my Sister Anna Margaritta Gierken her Executors Administrators and assigns forever. And Lastly I nominate and appoint my friends John Strohecker Thomas Raine and Thomas Winstanley Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills and Testaments by me made. In Witnefs Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Sixth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred & Eighteen.

B. Henricksen (LS)

Signed Sealed published pronounced and declared by the testator to be his Last Will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other have at his request signed our names as Witnesses hereto.

S. Smith ---- C.I Greuser ---- Peter B. Figuers ----

Proved before James D Mitchell Esquire O.C.T.D.

Jaunary 25, 1827 At same time Qualified Thomas Raine
Executor

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J.D.M.