

CHARLOTTE J RAVENEL

17 R^o State of South Carolina. In the name of God a-
 NY B men. I Charlotte J Ravenel of St Johns Berkley
 in the State aforesaid widow do make & declare this in-
 strument of writing to be my Last Will & testament. First
 it is my will and desire that as soon after my death as
 may be convenient a Tomb stone with a suitable inscription
 thereon shall be erected over the grave of my deceased hus-
 band, also one over my own grave of corresponding size and
 appearance with the other, the property with which Provi-
 dence has blest me I dispose of as follows that is to
 say I give and bequeath to my son Henry Ravenel his heirs
 and assigns forever all the lands of which I may die pos-
 sessed of except my Lot in Pineville hereinafter bequeath-
 ed also my negroes Nancy Ned Lucy and Clafs with the fu-
 ture issue and increase of the females also my Silver Tum-
 blers and one half of my Cattle hogs and Sheep. I give
 and bequeath to my Daughter Susanna Mazyck Stevens her
 heirs and assigns forever my negroes Jack Nanny, Jackson
 Snow and Belinda with the future issue and increase of the
 females. I give and bequeath to my Daughter Charlotte Rav-
 enel her heirs and assigns forever my negroes Juno Jameson
 & Louisa with the future issue and increase of the females.
 I give and bequeath to my Daughter Maria Ravenel to her
 and her assigns forever my negroes Dianna Mary Flora & An-
 nette with with all their future issue and increase, I give
 & bequeath to my son John S Ravenel his heirs and assigns
 forever my negroes Hector Esaw Catey and Hannah with the
 future issue and increase of the females also one half of
 my Stock of Cattle Hogs and Sheep. I give and bequeath to
 my Daughter Catharine Ravenel her heirs and assigns forever
 my negroes Richard Judy and William with the future issue
 and increase of Judy I give and bequeath to my grand son
 Henry William Ravenel his heirs and assigns forever my neg-
 roes Amelia and Minus with the future issue and increase of

Amelia I give and bequeath to my aforementioned three Daughters Charlotte Maria & Catharine all my Household furniture and plate, with the exception of the two Silver Tumblers before bequeathed, all my Kitchen furniture my Carriage and Horses and my riding chair I also give to my said three Daughters Charlotte Maria and Catherine my House and Lot in Pineville as joint property and for their use so long as they shall remain Single, but ^{it} ~~is~~ my will and desire that each one of them on getting married shall forfeit all her right interest or title to any part of the said house and Lot and it shall be for the use of the single ones only, but should none of my aforesaid Single Daughters ever get married, at the death of the last Survivor of them then it is my will and desire that the aforesaid House and Lot be sold and the proceeds thereof be equally divided between all my other Children or their heirs or assigns for ever. And Lastly I nominate and appoint my Sons Henry Ravenel and John S Ravenel and my Son in Law Charles Stevens the Executors of this my Last Will and testament hereby revoking all others by me heretofore made. In Witnefs whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this third day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five.

Charlotte J Ravenel (LS)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the testatrix as her Last Will & testament on the day of the date hereof in the presence of us who at her request in her presence & in the presence of each other have Subscribed our Names as Witnefses the words "to my" between the 8th & 9th lines of the second page was wrote before executed.

Elizabeth C. Ravenel --- D.J. Ravenel --- Sam¹ M Wilson
Proved before James D Mitchell Esquire O.C.T.D. March 3^d
1827. At same time Qualified John S Ravenel Executor
Exd J:D.M.

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