

with full power to settle all the affairs of my Estate, and I do hereby give unto my said Executors by and with the consent of my Son Charles W. D'Oysey full power to make Sale of any part or parts of my Estate for the purpose of paying my debts or such other purpose as they may deem expedient. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this sixth day of February in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

Daniel D'Oysey

Signed and Sealed this 6th February 1819. in presence of us, the word "wife" between the eleventh & twelfth lines of the first page being previously interlined. Joseph B. Winthrop. Fred^{ly} Fraser. James W. Ladd.

Proved before James D. Mitchell Esq. C. B. J. D. August 28th 1820. At the same time qualified Charles W. D'Oysey Executor.

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State of South Carolina. Be it known: That, I, Charles Drayton, of the aforesaid State, now, being of sound and disposing mind. Do making this my last Will. I bequeath to my Son Charles Drayton his heirs and assigns, absolutely and to do what he or they please with, that part of my Plantations called Johopes, of which there shall be the Boundaries, commencing at the larger creek crossing the

206, causeway leading from the Island called the Back landing, thence running along the causeway and road Northwardly until it meets the boundary of lands heretofore given to him, then thence boundaries westward to the River, then the course of said River Southwardly till it passes four tasks beyond the Island called the Back landing, then strike a ditch parallel with the said causeway to the larger creek, then follow the course of said creek till it strikes the causeway at the first set off: (Observing) that aforesaid road and causeway, as now standing, shall be kept open to the aforesaid larger creek, for the use of the Plantations. Secondly I direct and order that my lands at Boasack hatch and my Plantation called Savannah, if not previously sold, together with the remaining part of Jhops, be sold. And after all my debts and just claims or demands against my Estate are discharged, then the remainder of the Funds proceeding thereupon, to be equally divided among my three daughters, Annetta Augusta Drayton, Charlotte, now Mrs. Joseph Manigault, and Maria Annetta, now Mrs. Lewis Laddson, and which I bequeath to them absolutely. Thirdly I leave my place called Drayton Hall, situated on Ashley River and the adjacent Tracts, or as now comprising three contiguous tracts, to my Son Charles Drayton his heirs and assigns absolutely and to do what he or they please to do with. Fourthly I direct & order, all my negroes, except Benjamin, to be sold.

Tracts, or as now comprising three contiguous tracts, to my Son Charles Drayton his heirs and assigns absolutely and to do what he or they please to do with. Fourthly I direct & order, all my negroes, except Ben, who was heretofore given to my daughter Charlotte, to be divided into six lots, bearing as equal a valuation as possible, and going in families as nearly as possible. Of which said lots, one is to be drawn by my Son Charles Drayton, and which I devise to him his heirs and assigns absolutely and to do what he or they please with. The remaining five lots I order to be mingled and again divided into three lots of equal valuation, and number if possible: of which last three lots, one lot is to be drawn by each of my aforesaid daughters, and which said three lots as drawn, I devise to them their heirs and assigns forever. Fifthly I direct and order that any other lands bought of Colonel Dry of North Carolina the lands derived from Mr. Middleton, the Salla Lands in Georgia, be sold at the discretion of my Executors, and the proceeds therefrom I devise to my aforesaid four children for their use and behoof to be equally divided among them. Sixthly I do also direct and order that any ^{other} property real and personal, which may not have been and is not mentioned in the foregoing items, be disposed of in the following manner. (Whereas two married Daughters, I now do give to my daughter Henrietta A.

Drayton, for her use and disposal absolutely all my State Bank Stock
(^{that} And Whereas a manifold division of my library, Prints, Papers,
Silver, Plate, Household furniture and liquors would each amount
to but a small value, I devise or give them wholly to my Son Charles
Drayton absolutely, except my drawings and sketches which I give to
my daughters.) Then I direct an equal division, of all my live stock
and of any other of my remaining property not before and herein
mentioned to be made, by Sale or otherwise at the discretion of my
Executors, between my aforesaid four children and which I give them
wholly to be at their disposal. Seventhly and lastly I do hereby nominate
appoint and constitute my Son Charles Drayton, and also my Sons
in law Mr Joseph Manigault and Mr Lewis Luskon Gibbs the Execu-
tors of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I do here-
unto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day of July in the year of our
Lord One thousand eight hundred and twenty. Signed, sealed pub-
lished and declared by the Testator as and for his last Will and Testament
in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in
that of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto this
fifteenth day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand eight
hundred & twenty. The words "all my State Bank Stock" having been
first interlined ^{Charles Drayton L.D.} John Parker. Robt R. Gibbs. Joseph S. Gibbs.
codicil. It appears necessary to make some remarks as to some
particulars relating to this Will. It is to be noted that the first thing

just underlined. — John Parker.
codicil. It appears necessary to make some remarks as to some
particulars relative to my Will and the execution thereof. First. That
my daughter Henrietta A. Drayton, should have an Appurtenance
at Drayton Hall and a right to free ingress and egress, and
to any two particular rooms in the House with suitable furniture
so long as she remains single or until she marries. Second. That
my aforesaid daughter Henrietta shall be permitted to choose any
two Negroes she pleases, before any division is made of my negroes,
which said two negroes I give to her, at her disposal absolutely, over and
above the lot which she may draw in the general division. Third.
That I give to my said daughter Henrietta all my older silver spoons
in which spoons I include those which I heretofore gave to my son.
They being a part, and which it is my desire that he give up, as
I now give ^{to} ^{all} the newer spoons. Fourth, that the Grand or Upright
Piano, is for my daughter Henrietta. Fifth. That for the better comfort
of my said daughter, I trust to the affection and discretion of my son.
I declare this to be a codicil to my last Will and Testament. In testimony
of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifteenth day of
July One thousand eight hundred and twenty. Charles Drayton
Witness. John Parker. Rob^t R. Gibbs. Joseph S. Gibbs.

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J. D. M.

Read before James D. Mitchell Esq. C. C. J. D. September 5. 1820. Sept 12. 1820
qualified Charles Drayton Executor.