

and at the Death of My Mother from my Father's Estate or  
any other Claim whatsoever. Item it is my wish that in  
case my Childs that my Wife Ann M. Peak is now  
pregnant with, Should live it is my desire as soon as it  
is fit to live the mother my Dear Loving mother if alive  
I should take it and bring it up to her Grand mother and  
Lately I would wish my Mother to Give to my loving  
Wife Ann M. Peak if I should think proper Two Hundred  
Dollars after that I give up all Claim or Claim what  
ever to my Mother E. Peak to act as She think proper  
wherein unto I set my hand and seal this 10th. Day of  
June 1818

Oliver O. Peak

Witness Charles Butler Sarah I saw  
Proved before James D. Mitchell Esq. 6.6.8.2. November  
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South Carolina. In the name of God Amen. I Hugh  
Wilson of James Island in the State aforesaid, Planter  
do make publish and declare this as and for my last will  
and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me  
at any time heretofore made. First I confirm the  
deed made by me securing to my wife at my



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death certain real and personal Estates in  
 Lien Bar and Exclusion of her Right and Claim  
 of Dower of in or to my Estate in any part thereof  
 & in Lien place of all Claims or demands whatsoever  
 on or against my Estate and on or against the Estate  
 real or personal devised from her Father Isaac  
 Riffon as herein after mentioned - Item Whereas my  
 late Father in Law Isaac Riffon deceased did in  
 his life time in and by certain Indentures of Lease  
 and Release bearing date the eighth and tenth days  
 of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven  
 hundred & ninety five and recorded in the Secretarys  
 Office in Charleston in the State aforesaid convey certain  
 real and personal Estates particularly described in the  
 said Indentures upon the Trusts therein specified and  
 whereas I have devised the personal Estate therein  
 conveyed among my Wife and my two Sons Hugh  
 and Abraham without adverting to the Rights of my  
 other Children by my said Wife, and I also intend  
 by this Will to devise to my son Hugh and his Heirs  
 two Plantations on Wadmalaw Islands formerly the  
 Property of his aforesaid Grandfather and conveyed  
 in the Indenture of Lease and Release



Plantations on Wadmalaw Islands formerly the  
Property of his aforesaid Grandfather and conveyed  
in the aforesaid Indentures and Whereas without advert-  
ing to the consequences I have destroyed the Will of the  
said Isaac Rippon wherein he bequeathed all his  
Estate consisting of Ten or Eleven Negroes to my Sons  
Hugh & Abraham and being blessed with the means  
of preventing the foregoing Arrangements from operating  
injurious to any of my Children and intending to  
place my Children as nearly on footing of equality  
as I can in the Division of the aggregate of my own  
and their said Grandfather's Estate, I do therefore hereby declare  
it to be my Will that my Children shall and do conform  
the dispositions which I have already made & which I  
am about to make of the Estate real & personal of the  
aforesaid Isaac Rippon as well those specified in the Indentures  
aforesaid as the Negroes bequeathed under his Will & I also  
declare that their compliance in this respect with my Will  
is the Condition on which I respectively make in their favor  
the Devises & Bequests herein after mentioned and I moreover  
conjoin my Children to honour and protect their Mother  
and live in Harmony with each other - I give devise &  
bequeath to my Son Hugh Wilson & his Heirs Executors



Administrators and assigns. Given All that I have  
on Madras Island containing One hundred Acres  
more on which he now resides. Also One hundred Acres  
situate on a Tract and called Apple's Tract, the said  
Land formerly belonging to his Grandfather Isaac  
Rippon and being included in the deed of Release  
just mentioned. Also One thousand dollars and the fol-  
lowing Slaves namely Mrs. Bacchus, John, Tom, Jimmy and  
her Children, Mary Ann and her Children, Walter  
Lindia and her Children, Maria and her Son  
Dick together with the Issue & Increase of such of  
them as are Females, who have been born since they  
have been in his Possession and who shall hereafter  
be born - Item I give devise and bequeath unto my  
Son Abraham Wilson & his heirs Executors Administrators  
and assigns forever All that my Plantation or Tract  
of Land situate on James Island & on which I now  
reside. Also the following Slaves, Tom, Doney Jimmy  
& Wife Delcity and Child Jimmy and Wife Kelly and  
Children Cain Anthony and Alfred together with the  
Issue of such of them as are females, who have been  
born since the first day of January One thousand  
Eight hundred & Twenty



born since the first day of January One thousand  
Eight hundred & Ten and also who shall hereafter  
be born. I also bequeath to my said Son and his Executors  
Administrators & assigns forever. Betty with her Issue born  
since the first day of January 1818. and hereafter to be born  
~~Stephen & Children~~

Item I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Sarah Wilson  
& her heirs Executors Administrators and assigns forever  
my Plantation on Johns Island called Lane Hatch pur-  
chased by me of the late John Ward Esquire And also the  
following Slaves Rachel and her Children Amos, Dick,  
Salena, Major & Billy yellow John Silvia and her  
Children Elizabeth Josephine and Abram Ross and her  
Children August Lydia Lyons and Ishmael Kate  
Peggy and Children Keit Son to Driscoll Keit Mary Phillis  
and her Children August Abner, Binah, & Dick Ben.  
Abram Son to Phillis. Stephen and his Wife Betty and  
their Children. Bella Stephen Ulce and Wife Diana &  
Child Pompey and Wife Eloy and Child, Sam. Will.  
Sab. & Loua and her youngest Child April. Together  
with the Issue of such of them as are females who  
have born since the first day of January One thousand



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Eight hundred and Ten who shall hereafter be  
 born— I give and bequeath unto my Son  
 John Calder Wilson and his Executors Administrators  
 and assigns forever the following Slaves. Sabunia &  
 her Children Renah Gay Beck Sacko and Ned Abram  
 Son to old Abraham Bob and his Sister Hannah  
 Friday and his Wife Maria and their Children  
 Paul and Sindia Monday Fenis Senah Charlotte,  
 Johnny William and their Sister Sabra Marius.  
 Jack Country born Jimmy Kate and Child Doney  
 Becko Andrew Gongs Stepney and his Wife Sarah  
 William the Son of old Abram George Virginia Betty  
 and Children Daphne and Child fellow Jack  
 Driver basar Son to Samer together with the I four  
 and Increase of such of the said Slaves as are females  
 who have been born since the first day of January  
 one thousand Eight hundred and Ten and who  
 shall hereafter be born— And Whereas I have  
 purchased of my Son Hugh Wilson a Plantation  
 on John's Island formerly belonging to Thomas  
 Hanscome and the same has been conveyed by  
 my said Son to James Legare Esquire In Trust  
 among other Things for such purposes as he



transcribe and the same has been conveyed by  
my said son to James Legare Esquire In Trust  
among other things for such person or persons and  
for such Estate & Estates as I should devise or appoint  
the same by my last Will now in Pursuance of the  
said Power I devise bequeath and appoint the  
said Plantation to my aforesaid son John Calder  
Wilson this Heirs & assigns forever and I also bequeath  
to my said John Calder Wilson this Executors Ad-  
ministrators and assigns my Negro woman Hagar  
whom I got of my son Abram and her Issue  
born since the first January 1818 or hereafter to be  
born - and it is my Will and Desire that the Estate  
real and personal herein before devised and be-  
queathed and appointed under the Power aforesaid  
or hereinafter devised and bequeathed to my Sons  
and daughters before mentioned shall be taken in  
lien & satisfaction respectively of & for their several  
Rights, Titles, Claims and Interest of the and to the  
Estate real and personal derived from their Grand-  
father Isaac Rippon I mentioned either in the  
Indentures first mentioned or his Will and in  
case they or any or either of them should claim the



said Estate or any part thereof according to the dis-  
positions I have heretofore made of them or which is  
now made of them then my Will is that the Property  
real & personal hereby devised or appointed to each  
of my children, respectively as may prefer such  
claim shall go the Person or be divided among  
the Persons respectively and his her or their heirs  
executors & administrators, to whom the Property  
so claimed has been heretofore conveyed or is now  
devised & bequeathed in a Ratio proportionate to the  
Loss or Injury severally sustained from such claim  
or claims. Item I bequeath to my Grand Son Hugh  
Wilson forever my Negro Boy David. Item in case  
the Residue of my Estate hereinafter disposed of  
should be insufficient for the Payments of my debts  
and the Legacy to my Son Hugh, the deficit shall  
be charged both on the Property derived from my Father  
in Law Isaac Phipps and my own Property (excluding  
that secured to my wife) as well that heretofore conveyed  
as that which passes under this Will in Proportion to the  
Amounts respectively conveyed and given to my children  
above named. Item I give and bequeath unto my  
I do hereby certify that I am the Administrator



above named. Item I give and bequeath unto my  
Son John Calder Wilson and his Executors Administrators  
and assigns forever, All my Stock of Cattle that were  
on my Oak Plantation and to my Son Abraham  
Wilson and his Executors Administrators and assigns  
I give and bequeath one half of my Stock of Cattle  
to James Orlando. All the rest Residue and Remain-  
der of my Estate real and personal and of every De-  
nominati<sup>on</sup> and Kind whatsoever I give devise and  
bequeath unto my Wife Joanna Wilson and my afore-  
said Children Hugh Wilson, Abraham Wilson, John  
Calder Wilson and Sarah Wilson and their Heirs  
Executors, Administrators and assigns as Tenants in  
Common to be equally divided among them charged  
in the first instance including the Share of my Wife  
with the payments of my debts and Legacies. the  
Exclusion from the payment of Debts as to the property  
herein before mentioned as secured to my Wife being  
intended to be confined to such part of the property from  
her Father as has been secured to her. And I declare  
it to be my Will that if my said Wife shall claim  
any part of the Estate real or personal devised for



her said Father beyond the part secured to  
 her as aforesaid he shall make any claim  
 against my Estate for Dowers or otherwise, the  
 aforesaid share of the Residue of my Estate  
 shall go to and be divided among such of my  
 above named children and their Heirs Executors  
 Administrators and assigns respectively as may be  
 injured thereby in the Proportions in which they shall  
 have of the Dowers and Bequests under this Will had of the  
 Gifts heretofore made, in consequence of such Claims or  
 Claims on the part of my Wife. For Payment of my  
 debts and Legacies aforesaid I empower my Executors or  
 such of them as shall qualify on this Will to sell the whole  
 or such part as may be requisite of the aforesaid Res-  
 idue and Remainder of my Estate & good and sufficient  
 Titles to make execute and deliver to Purchasers who  
 are bona fide and released from the necessity of seeing  
 to the Application of the Purchase money. By the Executors  
 And lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my Sons  
 Hugh Wilson and Abraham Wilson Executors of this Will  
 In witness whereof I have set my Hand and Seal to this  
 my last will and Testament contained in five pages of  
 paper and this part of aforesaid will is the last



I in witness whereof I have set my Hand and Seal to this  
my last will and Testament contained in five pages of  
paper and this part of a page all written in one Hand  
but at different times, and in some Places interlined in the  
same Hand, connected by my aforesaid Seal affixed to  
this part of a Page in the margin, which said Will is  
signed in four places to wit immediately underneath &  
at the Bottom of the second page and at the Bottom of the  
fourth page and in the Margin opposite my Seal this  
Nineteenth day of August in the Year of our Lord One  
thousand Eight Hundred and Eighteen

Hugh Wilson & L. G. 3  
Signed sealed published and declared by the Testator  
Hugh Wilson as and for his last Will and Testament in  
the Presence of us who at his Request in his Presence  
and in the Presence of each other have subscribed our  
Names as Witnesses to the due Execution thereof —  
Benjamin Jenkins, William Adams, Int. Jersey Manger,  
South Carolina — I Hugh Wilson of James Island in the  
State aforesaid Plantist do make this present Codicil which  
I order and direct shall be taken as and for part of my last  
Will and Testament dated the nineteenth day of August in  
the Year of our Lord One thousand Eight hundred & Eighteen



and which Will, in all Respects now and except as  
herein otherwise directed. I do by this my last Will  
ratify and confirm. And as touching and concerning the  
Allegations in my said Will intended by this last Will  
they are as follow Whereas in my said Will I bequeath  
ed my Slave Virginia Betty and her Children to my  
Son John Calder Wilson now I give and bequeath the  
said Virginia Betty and her Son John and the future  
Issue of Betty to my Son Abraham Wilson and the Rest of  
the Children of the said Betty disposed of in my Will  
I direct shall become part and Parcel of the Residue  
of my Estate mentioned in my Will to be disposed of  
as is ordered in my Will of and concerning the said Residue  
to my Son John Calder Wilson. I give and bequeath in  
Gift of the aforesaid Slaves my Slaves James and her  
her Children Phillis Auber Jimmy and an Infant in  
Arms with the future Issue of such of them as are Females  
And Whereas in my aforesaid Will I bequeathed Betty  
with her Issue born since the first day of January 1818  
And hereafter to be born to my Son Abraham, now my Will  
is that all and singular the said Slaves shall become  
part of the aforesaid Rest Residue and Remainder of



4 That all and singular the said Slaves shall become  
part of the aforesaid Rest Residue and Remainder of  
my Estate in my Will mentioned & be disposed of as  
in my Will is directed concerning the said Rest. Res-  
idue and Remainder: I also declare that I have no  
Slave by the name of Congo as would appear from  
the Bequest in my Will to my Son John Caban Wilson  
the same being a term of Distinction to the Betty whose  
Name had been inserted by mistake in that part of my Will  
and when her Name was erased the Word Congo was left in-  
advertently. I give and bequeath to my grandson Isaac  
Rippon Wilson Son of my Son Hugh Wilson my slave  
Ismael the Son of Jenny. In Witness whereof I have set  
my Hand and seal to this Codicil to my aforesaid last  
Will and Testament on this twentieth day of August in  
the Year of Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Nin-  
teen.

Hugh Wilson E. S.

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Hugh  
Wilson as and for his Codicil to his last Will and Testament  
in the presence of us who at his Request in his Presence  
and in the Presence of each other have subscribed our  
Names as Witnesses to the <sup>and</sup> Execution thereof.



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Proved before James D. Mitchell Esq. C. J. D. November the 1st.  
1826, at the same time qualified Hugh Wilson and Abraham  
Wilson Executors.

Examd  
by J. D.  
J. D.

101. State of South Carolina. In the name of God. Amen.  
I James Clark of Wadmalaw Islands, in the State  
aforesaid planter, being of sound and disposing mind, mem-  
ory and understanding, do make this my last will and testament  
hereby revoking all former wills (at any time heretofore) made  
by me. I hereby direct that all my just  
debts, and funeral expenses be paid by my Executors  
hereafter named, as soon as possible after my decease.  
Item I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Mary S. Clark  
and to her Executors, Administrators and Assigns forever;  
my riding chaise and horses, Plate & plated ware, all my  
household & Kitchen furniture; all my stock of poultry;  
one half of my stock of cattle, sheep & hogs, & one small  
Boat. I also give & bequeath to my beloved wife Mary S.  
Clark, a child's share or proportion of my Estate, real  
& personal, for and during the term of her natural life  
only; in full consideration, here & here of her dower or  
dower.