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WILL OF
JAMES KENNEDY

17 A.^o State of South Carolina City of Charleston 26th
17 19 October 1820. In the Name of God Amen. I James
Kennedy of the City of Charleston at present planter, be-
ing of sound mind and memory but Strongly impressed with
the uncertainty of human Life, do make this my last Will
in manner following Whereas by an Instrument of writing
bearing date the fourteenth day of June in the year of our
Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Sixteen and duly sign-
ed Sealed and executed by Lionel Henry Kennedy and Edward
Kennedy for the consider~~x~~ations in the Said instrument of
writing set forth, they the said Lionel Henry Kennedy and
Edward Kennedy did jointly and severally for themselves
their Heirs Executors and Administrators, Remise Release
surrender assign transfer and Set over to me the said James
Kennedy during my Life or to be disposed of by Sale as I
might think most beneficial or expedient or by any deed/pur-
porting to be a will all their and each of their rights
title interest claim and demand whatever which they the
said Lionel Henry Kennedy and Edward Kennedy their and
each of their heirs Executors or administrators could may
or might have of or in to the following slaves being part
of those contained and mentioned in a Deed of Trust to
John Bowman and Robert Goodloe Harper bearing date the 1st
day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hun-
dred and ninety one and which Said Deed of trust is duly
recorded or the issue of the females, or being of the pur-
chases and investments made under the authority of the Said
Deed of Trust Vizt Betty Judy and Sarah, Daughters of Beck
Liddy and her Son Tom a boy child, Chloe Liddy's Daughter
and her female child a mulatto named Liddy, nick named Ta-
to, Jem, Phoebe's son and Phoebe's other Children born af-
ter Jem, Guy Phoebe's brother, Perin Daughter of Abigail
Sarah daughter of Tinah, Joe a carpenter together with all

the Doctor and Nurse as well as the present increase
of the Doctor and Nurse increase and also in the
same condition all and each of their the said Edward
Kennedy a James Kennedy's right wife share and
each before mentioned or administrators and each may or
may not be or to a James and Lot of land and a ap-
portionment to Elizabeth White Williams defined according
to a plan of it and to the Doctor and Lot and appurtenances
to 15 Maple Street Charleston which said Lot of land is
bounded northerly on the estate of George James Mac-
donald on the South, East, and northerly on a lot
being the property of the aforesaid Edward Kennedy
and James Kennedy and now belonging to T. James but
with the except conditions and covenants that the said Edward
and the said and future increase of the Doctor and the
said James and Lot and appurtenances as by the said
Edward Kennedy and James Kennedy to be related in-
cluded aforesaid aforesaid transfer's and let over to the
specific use or other arising therefore should not then nor
at any time thereafter be subject to any debt or debts now
owing or hereafter or hereafter contracted by or let
that all and every part thereof should be forever except
therefrom Now be it known that from the Love and affection
I bear to my beloved Wife Mary Ellen Kennedy and to my
daughter Bernadine Kennedy I do hereby give and bequeath
and that all the considerations mentioned a described houses
and lots of land together with all the before mentioned
shares with the present and future increase of the Doctor
equally between them my said Wife Mary Ellen Kennedy and
my said daughter Bernadine Kennedy the whole to be held as-
signed and used by my said Wife Mary Ellen Kennedy until

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Signed Sealed published and declared by the Said James Kennedy 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 the presence of each other have hereunto Subscribed our names as Witnefses;

Jos. F. Ohear ----- Benjⁿ Elfe Jun ----- F. Ham -----

Proved before James D. Mitchell Esquire O.C.T.D.
September 12th 1826.

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J.D.M.

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