

Signed, sealed published and declared by the above named Patrick
Doyle as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who
at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as
witnesses thereto the words "my hand" being first intimated.

Lawrence Ryan. James Houston.

Proved before James D. Mitchell Esq. C. B. J. D. February 10th 1819. At the

same time qualified the Rev^d James Wallace and Timothy McCormick Esq

South Carolina. In the Name of God, Amen. I Ruth Sawyer Todd,

of the City of Charleston, in the State aforesaid, Widow, being of sound
mind memory and understanding, but knowing the certainty of death
do make this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making

void all former and other Wills made by me. I primum give and bequeath
to Mr. Margaret Deas Wife of Henry Deas Esq. my negroes Bectia and her

children and fellow ^{named} from: also my mahogany Spoon case and twelve dessert
and tea Spoons contained therein: also a pair of plated cake baskets, one

pair of bats-grip candlesticks and a candle stand; together with every other
article of plate whereof I am possessed (except my Silver Coffee Pot which

is herein after disposed of) to her her Executrix, administrators and assigns
forever. Item I give and bequeath to Henry Deas Jun^r. Mr. Elizabeth

Hayward's Bond to me for four thousand and forty eight Dollars fifty four
Principal together with all the interest which shall be due thereon at

the time of my death and such as shall thereafter become due

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Item. I give and bequeath to John Deas his father's Bone
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Principal sum of Two thousand one hundred and forty two Dollars
Eighty five cents due to me, together with the interest due and
grow due thereon, to him, his executors, administrators and assignees
forever. Item. I give and bequeath to Allen Deas, my Negro
my Wardrobe and all my wearing apparel of every description.
Item. I give to Henry Deas my gold Watch. Item. I give and
bequeath to Mary H. Deas, my Satinwood Half Chest of Drawers, and
a patch work Quilt. Item. I give and bequeath to Mrs. Turner
wife of Robert J. Turnbull Esq. my Silver Coffee Pot, as a token
of my regard and esteem. Item. It is my Will that all the
Household and other furniture now being in the House and Kitchen
upon the Plantation at James Island and belonging to me, shall remain
there, and I do give and bequeath the same to my Son Richard
Todd. Item. All the rest, and remainder of my Estate both real
and personal whatsoever, and wheresoever, I direct my Executrix
or such of them as shall qualify on this my Will to collect in and
to sell or cause to be sold the real and personal property at public
private Sale for cash or upon such terms of credit and security as
they shall deem proper, and to make and execute Title Deeds and

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they shall deem proper, and to make and execute Title Deeds and
of Sale to the purchaser or purchasers thereof, for the same in full simple
and I do order and direct the Net proceeds thereof to be disposed of
follows to wit, To pay therefrom all my just debts and funeral exp.
To Miss Futterell the sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars as a
Testimony of my regard for her: To the Rev^d D^r Furman the sum
Two hundred and fifty Dollars: To Dr. Benjamin Huger the sum of
Two hundred and fifty Dollars: To Dr. Benjamin Simons the sum
Five hundred Dollars: To Charles Lining son of Charles Lining Esq^r the
the sum of One hundred Dollars: To each of three Daughters of Dr.
Lynch Horry Esq^r viz. Ann Emma and Margaret Horry the sum
Two hundred and fifty Dollars - the same is not to be paid to them
but to be laid out by my Executors in the purchase of such articles
stately as they may respectively choose and select - to be held by them
memorial of me and of my affectionate regard for them: To each of
my esteemed friends Mr. John Huger, Miss Eliza Huger, Miss
Maria Howell and Mr. Sarah Atkins, a mourning ring of about
value of Twenty five dollars apiece, which I request my Executors
purchase from the aforesaid residuary fund and present to them
the remainder of the Sale monies of the said real and personal estate
I desire shall be invested in Bank Stock or Stock of this State or

United States at the discretion of my Executors. She and I shall receive from
Dividends whereof I do direct shall be paid to my son Richard Deas
during his natural life; and from and immediately after his death she
will give and bequeath one half or moiety of the Principal sum, which shall
be so invested to Francis McBaw wife of St. William McBaw, for the use
of herself and ^{her} children, but to be paid over to such person as she shall nominate
or to such person or persons as the Court of Equity shall nominate
in case of her refusal or neglect to make such nomination or ap-
pointment, I trust for her and her said children. The yearly income
the yearly and interest whereof I direct shall be paid to the said Francis
McBaw upon her own personal receipt (and that per annum the tenth
participation direction or interference of his said husband and not
to be subject to his debts) for the separate benefit and advantage of
herself and her children, until the latter shall arrive at the age of
Twenty one years or days of marriage, then the whole of said moiety
to be paid or delivered over in equal proportions to the said children,
or in case of their being but one only who shall attain to the age of Twenty
one years or day of marriage as aforesaid, then to the one absolutely
and forever. And the other or remaining moiety of the said principal
sum so to be invested as aforesaid, I give and bequeath to be equally
divided among the children of Henry Deas Esq. and his present wife
Mrs Margaret Deas. the same to be paid over to the said Henry Deas

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divided among the children of Henry Deas Esq. and his present wife
Mrs Margaret Deas - the same to be paid over to the said Henry Deas
Sext. to be by him divided amongst all his children in manner
as aforesaid. Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my
respected Friends Henry Deas Sext. and Jacob Todd to be executors of this
my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my Seal, at Charleston, in the State aforesaid this Twenty
day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighteen and in the forty third year of the ^{Sovereignty and Independence of the} United States of America.

Ruth S. Todd 

Signed, sealed, published, pronounced and declared, by Mr. Ruth S. Todd, the
testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of, who
at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed
our names as witnesses to the due execution hereof.

Micah Jenkins. Wm. Penruddick. R. D. Poppe.

Proved before James D. Stithell Esq. O. B. D. February 11. 1819. -

February 15th qualified Henry Deas Sext and Jacob Todd Executors.