

17A
N 47

In the year one thousand Eight hundred and twenty two, on the 17th July
at eight o'clock in the morning I Remain Marie Dautherive wishing to let
my Last Will be known and leave it partially expressed before my death
which I do not think very distant, not only to my Friends but yet to all those
it may Concern. Do declare to transfer Surrogate all my affairs and finally
to put in my place my Cousin Charles Auguste just twenty two years of
age whose intelligence activity and Wisdom are known to me, for him to
prosecute by all possible means, when and wherever it may be necessary the
termination of the Law Suits which concern or will concern my constituents
or myself and particularly my Law Suit at the Court of Columbia, and
to this End constitute my attorney or all attorneys that he shall think neces-
sary, or agreed if he should prefer it with him or them already appointed
to receive all Sums resulting from the conclusion of said Law Suits already
pending or to be entered before any Court in the United States to settle all
Accounts and in general do every thing the Interest of my Family will
require or may hereafter require. In order to give to my Cousin an un-
equivocal proof of my gratitude for the Care attention and Goodness
constantly shown me since his arrival during my long sufferings I give him
the two hundred and fifty Dollars which I have lent to Mr. Rippon
with all the confidence and loyalty of a disinterested friend and which
Doctor How counted out to him according to my instructions given in a letter
which I wrote to him a little while ago. Although the good opinion I have
of Mr. Rippon has not permitted me to take his name as a witness in this

constantly shown me since his arrival
the two hundred and fifty Dollars which I have lent to Mr. Brisson
with all the confidence and loyalty of a disinterested friend and which
Doctor Mow counted out to him according to my instructions given in a letter
which I wrote to him a little while ago. Although the good opinion I have
of Mr. Brisson has not permitted me to ask him for any acknowledgement of
that sum of two hundred and fifty Dollars. However I rely positively that
he will count out immediately that sum to my said Cousin whom
I moreover recommend to him as a young man in all respects worthy of
his friendship. I have also and bequeath to my said Cousin my small
moveables clothes plate and other various effects I desire him when he part
with my watch as a remembrance of me. I wish and intend that all sums
resulting from the conclusion of my law suit before the Court of Columbia
or from all those that might yet occur, be sent to my Wife and Daughters
whom I sincerely regret not to have it in my power to embrace before I die
I bequeath also to my dear Wife and Daughters all I have or may put in
to have in France. I entreat them to receive my last farewells and regrets to
have been so long away from them. I give my Voltaire's Dictionary in Eight
Volumes to the doctor Labartie and desire that he may remember me. I
appoint for my Executor in the present Will Mr. Doctor Mow whose kind
friendship is known to me. May he will take charge of the Execution of
this act and grant his friendship to my Cousin whose sentiments fully

426

I have well known to me receive from the hands of my Cousin all
 sums that I may have to receive from the conclusion of my Law Suit at
 the Court of Columbia is from any other he might happen to take Cog-
 nizance of, having intended when I charged my Cousin with all the
 pursuits and proceedings to spare him the troubles and inconveniences his
 age does not allow him to take. I bid Farewell to all my Friends whom
 I regret not to have seen. I will die as I wished it with all my Judge-
 ment. The present moment not permitting me the use of my Hand
 and account of my extreme weakness which prevents me from setting
 up I set to this act a cross as a Seal for the authenticity of my last
 Will all others not being so -

The present act has been dictated by the said Testator Romaine Mani
 (Daughter) to Mr. Louis Nicholas Hyacinthe Sabastien Mandayor
 who together with Mr Mathurin Auguste Hugue have signed
 here below as Witnesses. Charleston July the first 1822
 Sabastien Mandayor. A. Hugue

Proved before James D. Mitchell Esquire D. C. J. & July 12th 1822
 July 18th 1822. Qualified Doctor Moses Executor. Sep 20. 1822. Qualified
 Charles Auguste Host Executor

17 A South Carolina. In the Name of God Amen, I Eliza Canoe of
 No 48 Charleston Widow do make my this my Will as follows I give to my
 friend Miss Elizabeth Sarah Mathews Two hundred Dollars and my

Ex. 2
 500
 17 A
 No. 48