

16 P.<sup>o</sup> In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Heyt of the Parish of St. John  
N<sup>o</sup> 10. bolliton, and State of South Carolina. Do make this my last Will and Tes-  
tament. I resign my soul to its creator in all humble hope of its future  
happiness as in the disposal of a being infinitely just, and my body  
to be buried by my Executors hereinafter mentioned in a decent man-  
ner. And as to my Estate I give and dispose of the same in the follow-  
ing manner Viz<sup>t</sup>. All my property both real and personal I leave  
to be sold by my Executors, excepting only, what I have otherwise  
disposed of in a codicil to this my said Will. The Estate to be sold upon  
such terms as my said Executors shall deem the best, and after  
payment of all my just debts, I give and bequeath the remainder  
to my two Grand children to be equally divided between them  
share and share alike, to them and their Heirs forever, when they  
arrive to the age of Twentyone years or day of marriage, whichever  
ever shall first happen. It is my desire that the interest arising  
from the property be applied by my said Executors to the schooling  
and maintenance of my said Grand children. And if either of  
them should die before he attain the age of twenty one years or  
day of Marriage, then his part shall go to the Survivor, but should  
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same to my Executors herein named, to be equally divided be-  
tween them, to them and their Heirs forever. Lastly I constitute and ap-  
point my three friends, William Reynolds, Benjamin Reynolds and  
John Larocke, Executors to this my last Will and Testament. In  
witness I hereunto set my hand and seal this third Day of March

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in the year of our Lord ~~one thousand~~ Eighteen hundred and  
nineteen.

Thomas Hext

being a Scaled and acknowledged in presence us.

James Freeman. Richard J. Lobb. Benj. Freeman.

I, Thomas Hext of the Parish of St John's Colleton & State of South Carolina, Do now make and declare this to be a codicil to my Will executed on the third day of March 1819. And first I confirm the said Will in all its parts, except only what may be repugnant to this codicil. And it is my desire that this codicil be taken as part of my said Will, and acted on by my Executors therein named as such. Item. I give to my two Mulattoes Slaves named Maria and Daniel their Freedom, immediately after my death, And it is my Will that neither my heirs nor Executors shall have any manner of control over them, but I consign them to my friend Wm Reynolds as their Protector. Item I give to my said two Slaves Maria & Daniel their mother, my wench Wench Sibb, until the youngest attains the age of sixteen years, then it is my will that the Mother Sibb shall have her freedom also. And in case of the death of both Maria & Daniel. It is still my Will that Sibb shall have her freedom. Item. I give also to my two Mulattoes above named, all <sup>my</sup> ~~the~~ Stock of battle and wearing apparel. Item. I particularly will and ordain, that if either of my heirs, or any

part of my said Will, and acted on by my Executors therein named  
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above named, all ~~the~~ <sup>only</sup> Stock of cattle and wearing apparel. Item.  
I particularly will and ordain, that if either of my heirs, or any  
Person for them, should molest or interfere with my said Slaves  
so as to prevent their freedom, then his or their Share of Property  
given to him or them in my Will shall be null & void, but in  
that case, I give the same to my said Executors and their heirs for  
ever. Witness my hand and Seal this third day of March in  
the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred & nineteen.

Thos. Aust (L.S.)

Witness James Freeman. Richard J. La Roche. Benj. Freeman.  
Proved before James D. Mitchell Esq. 66 J.D. May 25<sup>th</sup> 1819  
for agreement see original Will & enumeration.

Examd  
S. Gosh  
J.D. McK

16 P.  
No 11.

I give and devise to my son R. M. L. ...