

Spent before James Mow Providence and Ordinary over his Majesty's Province
of South Carolina 22nd August 1720

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James E. Koch

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appoint my well beloved friend Mr. William Elliott of Berkeley County Planter to be my
 executor and my loving wife Christiana LaRock (during lifetime only) that she should be
 my widow to be my executrix jointly & separately of this my last will and testament &
 notwithstanding whereof I have said I have LaRock have decreed to take my hand & seal
 the day & year first above written.

Signed sealed published & declared in g^t presence of
H^{on} Nelson - Sam^l Nelson - Tho^s Moore

James LaRoch (Sail)

Memorandum: That within eight days of Feb'y. 1794 personally came and appeared before me James Moore forin the shape of his majesty King George 3rd's Lieut. Carolina Willoughby and John Smith Oxen & Thomas Moore who made oath on the Holy Evangelists that they saw the said named James LeRoches signatall publick & private this 20th wthout mistaking to be his last will & testament.

Sworn this day 4th year aforesaid before me Jas. Moore

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Andrew Foster

D.D. in the Name of God Amen. I Andrew Foster of South Carolina March:
 No 50 being in good health Sound & perfect memory praised be my Almighty Creator
 do make & ordain this my present last will & testament in manner & form follow-
 ing (that is to say) first & principally I commend my soul into the hands
 of Almighty God my heavenly Father hoping thro' the merits death & pas-
 seurs of my blessed Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon & forgive-
 -ness of all my sins & to inherit everlasting life my body I commit to the
 earth to be decently interred at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named
 And as touching the disposition of all such temporal Estate as it hath pleased
 Almighty God to bestow upon me I give & dispose thereof as followeth vizt
 Impresnis I will bequease that all my debts & funeral expenses shall be paid
 paid & discharged. Item I will & bequeath unto my friend Col: Geo: Chickens
 One gold ring to the value twenty five shillings sterling. Item I give &
 bequeath unto my friend Maj: David Durban one gold ring to the value
 twenty five shillings sterling. Item I give & bequeath unto my friend
 Mr John Bough One gold ring to the value of twenty five shillings sterling
 Item I give & give & bequeath unto my dear & loving mother in law Christian
 Arthur one negro woman named Lilly wth all her increase during the
 said Arthur's lifetime & then to my daughter Ann Foster. Item I give
 & bequeath unto the said Ann Foster one Indian girl & one mulatto girl &
 my dwelling house wth I desire may be left white or aged or married to
 Item I give & bequeath unto my loving brother Christopher Arthur one negro
 boy named Smithkillew. Item I give & bequeath unto my Oz: Joseph one
 one Indian Boy named Dublin. Item I give & bequeath unto the said
 sum of fifty pounds ant^y money. Item I give and bequeath unto the said
 Holloney the sum of fifty pounds and in case my dear Sister Anne

Should die or marry, but the consent of my mother in law or Mr. Joseph Meade shall be out of the one half of what is left to her but in case of her dying what is left to her will and bequeath might be divided that is to say one quarter part to my Dr. & loving brother in law one quarter part to my bro. Joseph Meade and the other quarter betwixt Mr John Long & Margarette Mollony. Item. I give & bequeath to my above said mother in law one gray horse named Apple during her lifetime & after her decease to my daughter Ann Foster. I likewise give & bequeath unto my daughter Ann Foster all the remainder of my real & personal estate what so ever whether the same may be in lands or merchandise Shipp or vessels what so ever money bills lands or stock debts whether the same be in this Province or elsewhere & in case of her dying as aforesaid to be divided as aforesaid. These points I say Mother in Law Foster & the other quarter between Mr John Long & Margarette Mollony shall be equally divided. Lastly I ordain my truly well beloved friends Mr George F. Jenkins Esq. David Durham Esq. & Stephen Clinton Esq. to be the Executors & next of kin of this my last Will & Testament before written my son & next of kin to this my last Will & Testament as well as my hand seal the sixth day of Decemr 1791.

Signed sealed in the presence of
Rachel Harris Margarette Mollony

Andrew Foster (Seal)

Read before James Hite James and Company and Co. Notarys for the
day of February 1791

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Arthur Dicks

11 In the State of South Carolina. In the County of Colleton. I Arthur Dicks of Colleton County in the Settlement of South Carolina being in perfect sound & disposing mind memory full understood in firm bygone and knowing the uncertainty of this mortal life I am willing to settle my temporal affairs in such manner & form that no disputes may arise after my decease. But first of all I commend my soul to the hands of almighty God the Creator of all things from whom through the merits of our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ I hope for remission and forgiveness of my sins And my body I commit to the Earth from whence it is spring to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named. And also the just disposition of such things as it shall be pleased God to bestow on me while in this mortal State I desire they may be distributed in manner & form following. My will is that my just debts be duly paid & in order to the performance thereof I give satisfaction to my creditors hereafter bequeathed I order & ordain that immediately after my decease one plantation or tract of land

land containing three hundred and fifty acres situate lying and being on the Royal Island in Colleton County be immediately sold to the best advantage. Item. I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved son Benjamin Dicks a certain plantation or tract of land situate lying and being of the Royal Island containing one thousand odd hundred acres together with all the houses neat cattle stock of all kinds and nature of trees on the said plantation or tract belonging to me now being & shall be and to hold the said plantation or tract of land together with the said houses neat cattle and stock of — to him the said Benjamin Dicks his heirs & assigns forever. Item. I give and bequeath to my said son Benjamin Dicks three negroes viz. three negroes new named Angus, Toby, Raper and a woman named Bodo together with the said child the said Bodo now goes with to have to hold to him the said Benjamin Dicks his Executors & Administrators & assigns forever. Item. I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Kelema Macky the sum of one hundred pounds current money of this Settlement to be paid out of the money that shall arise from the sale of the three hundred and fifty acres of land before ordered to be sold and in case the said land should be sold for a sufficient sum to discharge all my debts and satisfy and pay my son Benjamin Dicks my will is that my said son Benjamin Dicks should make up the full sum of one hundred pounds said daughter Kelema Macky the said sum of one hundred pounds out of the estate I hereby bequeath unto to be paid to my said daughter Kelema Macky as aforesaid her Executors or Administrators. Item. I give and bequeath unto my eldest son David Dicks the sum of twenty pounds current money of Carolina to be paid to him his Executors or Administrators by the aforesaid Benjamin Dicks in one year or all manner of property & he may claim tall every part of the Estate I have now possessed of having here to fore given the said David Dicks a sufficient and competent portion of my Estate. And lastly I do constitute and appoint my good friends John Frazer of Charleston and Randall Evans of Colleton County the true and lawful Executors of this my last will and I do hereby revoke annul and make void all former and other will by me at any time heretofore made here or any other place publishing declaring and confirming this my last will and Testament by witnesses whereof I have hereunto put my hand and affixed my seal this twenty fifth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand one hundred and seven hundred and twenty.

Signed sealed published & declared by the
Wm Arthur Dicks to be his last will and
Testament in the presence of us who subscribed our names as witnesses thereto
in presence of the said Arthur Dicks. John Bellantyne Jonathan Tubb Robert Bellantyne

Read before James Hite James and Company and Co. Notarys for the
Province of South Carolina day of

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