9th June 1726 In Council So. Carolina. Personally appeared before me Joseph Moody and Thomas Lambell two of the subscribing witnesses to this will who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God declare they did see the above named Francis Holmes sign seal publish & declare the above instrument to be his last will and testament & that he was at the same time seemed and disposing mind & memory & understanding and those deposts says that the other witness James Mosher set his hand also as witness together with these deposts in the presence of the said testator at his request.

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Isaac Holmes being in the Province wheat the same time took the Oath of Fait. Test. Jno. Hussam Clk Com.

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John Right

John Right's last will & testament Bundle K.K. No 16

In the Name of God Amen. The twentieth day of June Anno Domini 1726 I John Right of the Province of South Carolina Pantaumbing being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye do make & ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally & first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian burial & the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the generall resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give dispose of the same in the following manner & form. Imprimis I will that my just debts and funerall charges be first paid. Item I give and bequeath to my Aunt Elizabeth Bayly provided she shall come to this province and live here three years one hundred and fifty pounds current money of the said Province to buy her a negro woman to be paid at the end of the said term. Item I give and bequeath to my cozen John Bayly & his heirs & assignes forever two tracts of land at Cape Fear each containing six hundred and forty acres the whereof is situate about twelve miles above the old town & known by the name of the Reed Bluffs the other at Rocky Point. Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary a mourning ring. Item I do give and bequeath to my loving wife Mary Right All the rest & residue of my real & personal estate either in this Province or elsewhere to me belonging or by any manner of way or means appertaining & I do likewise constitute make and ordain my wife Mary & my cozen John Bayly Executors of this my last will & testament & I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other former testaments wills legacies and bequests & Executors by me in any wise before named ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year above written.

Signed Sealed published pronounced declared by the said John Right as his last will & testament in the presence of us the subscribers.

John Right (LS)

John Herbert Wilson Saunders Catherine Snelle

19th July 1726

Personally appeared before me Wilson Saunders & Catherine Snelle two of the subscribing witnesses to the above & within will who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God depose they were present and did see the testator John Right signe seale publish & declare the above & within will to be his last will & testament and that he was at the time of executing the same of sound and disposing mind memory & understanding to the best of these deponents knowledge & that these deponents did severally subscribe their names as witnesses together with the other witness John Herbert in the said testator's presence at his request. 28 July 1726

Recorded per Chas. Hart Sect.

Arthur Middleton

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