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South Carolina. In the Name of God Amen. I Tho: Fitzgerald of
 Christ Church Parish in Berkeley County and Province aforesaid being
 much indisposed and weak in body but of sound and perfect memory thus
 be to God for it, do make ordain publish and declare these presents to be and
 contain my last will & testament hereby revoking making null and void
 or former or other wills and testaments heretofore by me made. First and
 principally I recommend my soul to Almighty God my Creator assuredly
 believing that I shall receive full pard and free remission of all my
 sins and be saved by the precious death and merit of my blessed Sa-
 viour and Redeemer Christ Jesus and my body to the Earth from
 whence it was taken to be buried in such decent and Christian like
 manner as to my Executors hereafter named shall be thought fit and
 convenient. And as to my worldly goods which it hath pleased God
 to bless me wth my will desire and meaning is that the same be disposed
 of as hereafter by this my last will is expressed. First, my will and desire
 is that all my just debts in this Province or elsewhere and funeral
 charges be full discharged and paid by my Executors hereafter
 named. And in order therunto I will and ordain my who Contract
 of land commonly known by the name of Little Daniel's plantation to
 be sold by my Executors and that what money soever shall remain of
 that it shall be sold for, after my just debts are full satisfied my
 will is that the same shall be equally divided between my loving wife
 and all my children & equal share to each of them. I give bequeath
 and devise unto my eldest beloved Son James and to the heirs of his
 body lawfully begotten all that tract of land whereon I now live, re-
 servation that he shall well truly pay unto his brother John and Edward
 two thirds of what money my said plantation shall be valued at,
 within the space of three years after my decease but should my said
 Son James refuse or neglect to pay the same I ordain that my said
 plantation shall be divided into three equal parts viz: one for each
 of my sons. Secondly my will and desire is and hereby order that
 all my negroes and cattle of what kind soever and all other my per-
 sonal estate be equally divided between my beloved wife and all
 other my children to each of them an equal share wth division here
 to be made within twelve months after my decease by my Executors here-
 after named except one young mare wth Shueby give to my beloved
 wife for her sole use thereof. Lastly I make constitute ordain
 and appoint my said beloved wife Lucy Fitzgerald the Tho: Allen
 and the James Davis my Son-in-law Executors of this my last will
 and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal the twelfth day of March in the year of our Lord 1789

Signed Sealed published and declared by the
 testator to be his last will and testament in the
 presence of us. Gilt^d Jones Rich^d Hall
 John Sovereance

Thosth Fitzgerald
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This 12th March 1789 Personally came appeared before me the Hon^{ble} Mr. Robert

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2d 25. In the Name of God Amen. On twenty sixth day of October in the year of our Lord 1798 I Anna Smith the wife of Christopher Smith lastly lately dead being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God therefore calling unto my mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament: that is to say principally and first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting butt all the general 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 devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and forme. I imprimis I give and bequeath to Martha Stone my sister one gold chain. Item, I give to my well beloved children all my personal estate both equally to be divided to them when they come to age or at their marriage and in case it should please God to take them hence before they came of age or married I give and