

South Carolina's.

In the name of God.

Amen, the first day of January One thousand seven hundred and thirty six I, Charles Russell Esq^r of Berkeley County in the Province aforesaid being of sound health of body mind and memory thanks be to God for it, therefore calling to 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 have it and my body to the Earth to be buried in a Decent manner at the Direction of my Executors nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive the same again by the mighty Power of God as touching such Worldly Estate as it hath Pleased God to bless me with in this life Give and Devise of the same in the following manner and form.

In primis I leave my Whole and sole Estate whether Real or Personal to be Equally Divided between my Will Beloved Wife Mary Russell and her Executors that is to say Richard Heally, William Hedley, Charles Russell Sophianis, Russell, John Russell, Eugenia Russell and Joseph Russell that is to say after all my Lawfull Debts are Paid.

Secondly I do appoint my abovesaid Will Beloved Wife Mary Russell my Whole and sole Executrix Revoking all former Wills by me hitherto made or done in any wise Whatsoever, In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and Date above mentioned, signed sealed and

Charles Russell. (Seal)

Witnessed in the presence

of us the Subscribers.
Christian Gottlieb Fieber,
Henry Spacks
John Pearson.

South Carolina.

Before the Hon^{ble} Thomas Broughton Esq^r
Lieutenant Governor &c^r and Ordinary of this
Province.

This 26th day of February 1736. Appeared before me Christian Gottlieb Fieber and Henry Spacks two of the subscribing Witnesses to this Will who being duly sworn & related they were present and saw the deceased Charles Russell sign Seal and Publish the within Will as his last Will and Testament and that the Other subscribing Witnesses John Pearson sign his name as Witness at the same time with them and in the presence of the Testator and also that he was in good sound disposing mind and Memory at that time.

Eodem die were the
Executrix,

Recorded the 3rd April 1737.
Tho^s Broughton

James Michalson

In the Name of God Amen Charles Hayes of Berkeley County in the province of South Carolina of the County of Berkeley in the Parish of St. Thomas being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory Praise be given to Almighty God do make and ordain this my Present last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to say) first and Principally I commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping through the merits death and passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to Inherit everlasting life and my body I Commit to the Earth to be decently buried.

Directed at the Discretion of my Executors named and as touching the Disposition of such Immovable Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I give and dispose thereof as follows

First, Will that my just Debts and funeral Charges shall be first paid and Discharged.

Item. I give and devise and bequeath unto my Well beloved Wife one third part of my personal Estate.

Item. I give Devise and bequeath unto my Loving Son John Hayes also, One third part of my personal Estate.

Item. I give Devise and bequeath unto my Loving Daughter Elizabeth Hayes also one third part of my personal Estate to be Equally shared and Divided to them and their heirs for ever.

Item. I give Devise and bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Primer to my Children a riding horse saddle and furniture.

Item. I give Devise and bequeath unto my Loving Brother George Hayes my saddle and wearing apparel.

Item. I give Devise and bequeath unto my said son The Plantation or Tract of land wherein I lately built a Dwelling House and Out-houses containing about Two hundred fifty and five Acres be the same more or less being the One half of the Lands I possessed at the Death of my late Deceased Father Charles Hayes to hold the same unto my said son John his heirs and assigns for ever.

Item. my Will is that my said son John and Daughter Elizabeth shall have their maintenance and Education of the Profitts of my Estate till they shall attain to the age of Twention years And lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my said Loving Wife Executrix Trusty and well beloved friends Captⁿ Thomas Tommy and William Poole Executors of this my

Last

Last Will and Testament hereby making and making null and void all former and Other Wills by me herebefore made and this to be and contain my last Will and Testament having my Executrix and Executors full and ample power if they see Occasion to mortgage the said tract of land bequeathed to my said son John Hayes In Witness Whereof I the said Charles Hayes have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand and Seal this eighteenth day of January Anno Domini One Thousand Seven hundred thirty and four.

Signed sealed Published and Delivered by the testator Charles Hayes as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us Joseph Wernock Joseph Russell Samuel Wells.

Charles Hayes. *(Seal)*

By the hon^{ble} Thomas Broughton Esq^r Lieutenant Governor and Ordinary of this Province, February 10, 1736.

Personally Came and appeared before me Joseph Wernock and Samuel Wells being two of the Witnesses to the within written Instrument who being duly sworn declared they were present and saw the Within named Charles Hayes the testator sign seal Publish and declare the said Instrument to be and contain his Last Will and Testament and that they verily subscribed their names as Witnesses thereto together with Joseph Russell the Other Witness in the presence of the said Testator and do further say that the said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory at the Executing the said Instrument.

Godm die Sworn the Executrix and Thomas Tommy Tho^s Broughton

By the Honourable Thomas Broughton Esq. Lieutenant
Governor and Commander in Chief in and over his Majesty's
Province of South Carolina & Ordinary of the same.

To all to whom these Quents shall come greeting.

Whereas Esther Querry Infant Child of James Querry late of
this Province deceased hath this day made humble Application
to me that Andrew Rembert now of this Province Planter,
whereas also desired that he may take into his care & charge
the management of the said Infant Child and her Estate and
may be appointed her Guardian. Therefore for the better securing
her Estate and for the more careful maintenance and Education
of the said Child out of the confidence I repose in the Wisdom and
Integrity of the said Andrew Rembert Do hereby commit
the Tutelage Guardianship and Education of the said Infant
Child unto the said Andrew Rembert according to his desire hereby
charging him that he do maintain her in meat drink Washing
Lodging Clothing and such good Education as may be fitting
according to the Circumstances & Interest of the said Infant Child
during her minority And that the said Andrew Rembert
do Enquire into and take care and Charge of her Estate both the real
and personal and do all other things as a Guardian by law
may do, and a true and faithful account thereof and what
Estate of the said Esther Querry shall come to his hands to render
when he shall be thereto required by such Guardian as shall be
Chosen

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the first day of March in the year One thousand seven hundred
and thirty six seven Peter Gentry of Orange County in the
Province aforesaid planter Being sick in body but of good and
perfect mind and memory do hereby be to Almighty God and
Calling to remembrance the uncertain Estate of this transitory
life and that all flesh must yield unto Death when it shall please
God to Call do make constitute and Ordain and Declare this my
Last Will and Testament in manner and form following. I do hereby
and annulling by these presents all and every testament and last will
will and Will heretofore made by me either by word or writing and
first being penitent and sorry for my sins past most humbly Desiring
forgiveness for the same Give and Commit my soul unto Almighty
God my Saviour and Redeemer in Whome and by the merits of Jesus
Christ I trust and Believe to be Saved and to have forgiveness of all
my sins and that my soul with my Body at the General day
Resurrection shall rise again with joy and through the merits of
Christ death and passion I hope to inherit the Kingdom of Heaven
prepared for Elect and Chosen and my Body to be buried in such
place where it shall please my Executors hereafter named to be interred
and now for the settling of my temporal Estate and such Goods
Chattles as it hath pleased God for above my Dearest to bestow upon
me I do Order Give and Dispose of the same in manner and form
following (that is to say) first I will that all my Debts be lawfully
paid within convenient time after my Death by my Executors
hereafter named. I Give for the good love and affection I do bear
unto my Beloved Wife and for the good will and I bear unto John
Burnett and John Querry and for Divers other Reasons me thereunto
Specially moving I do Nominate and appoint my Wife John Burnett
John Querry Executors of this my Last Will and Testament, Item