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Item

in a decent Christian like manner with such expence as my Executors hereinafter named shall think fit and convenient and as to my worldly Estate Goods and Chattels I will that they shall be disposed of and bestowed in manner and form following that is to say

I will that all my Just Debts and funeral Charges shall be first paid and discharged to my Executors hereinafter named with all convenient speed after my decease

I Give and Devise and Bequeath unto my beloved and only son Suke Stoutenburgh at his arrivall to the age of twenty one years to him his heirs and assigns for ever All my estate Real and Personal whatsoever and wheresoever On Condition nevertheless that if it should please God he my said son should depart this life before his arrival to the said age of twenty one years and failing his heirs of his body lawfully begotten then and not otherwise I further Give Bequeath and Devise unto my three brothers namely John Stoutenburgh Jacob Stoutenburgh and Tobias Stoutenburgh respectively and to their several respective heirs and Assignes forever equally to be shared and divided between them to each one third part All my said Estate Real and Personal Except as hereafter excepted that is to say I will that notwithstanding the Minority of my said son my said Executors shall immediately after my decease put him in possession of all my household Goods Working tools and Utensils Slaves wrought plate all the Gold I shall leave Two hundred ounces of Silver and also pay and deliver him the Sum of five hundred Pounds Currant money of this Province to the end that he my said son Suke may be enabled to continue and carry on the trade business he is now in under my Care And as to the remaining part of my said Estate I will that my said Executors put out the same to Interest on good security and otherwise let and imploy it to the best advantage of my said son untill he is of age as aforesaid

Lastly

I nominate constitute and appoint Mr Francis Holmes Merch^t and my said son Suke Stoutenburgh Executors of this my last Will and Testament, desiring my friend Mr Thomas Gamboll to assist and advise them in the Execution of the same
In Witness whereof I the said Suke Stoutenburgh (the Testator) have to this my last Will & Testament set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

Signed Sealed Published & declared by the Testator
Suke Stoutenburgh as and for his last Will & Testament
in the presence of us who at his request in his presence have
hereunto put our Names as Witnesses.

Suke Stoutenburgh

SEAL

Gabriel Escott George Dedon
John Milner

South Carolina By Virtue of a Deedimus to me directed under the hand and Seal of the Honth William Bull Esq^r Sec^y Governour &c and ordinary of the said Province personally appeared John Milner and George Dedon who being duly sworn declares that they did see the within named Suke Stoutenburgh sign Seal Publish pronounce and declare the within to be and contain his last Will and Testament that he was then of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding that they signed their names as Witnesses thereto in the Testators presence and that they saw Gabriel Escott the other subscribing Witness to the same Sworn before me this 21 day of October 1743

John Blompeys Dep^y Sec^y

Recorded 25 October 1743

Henry Sindsay

In the Name of God Amen

I Henry Sindsay of Charles Town in the province of South Carolina Cooper being weak of Body but of sound & disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say My Soul I commend into the hands of Almighty

God hoping through his Mercy and the merits of our Saviour Jesus Christ I shall enjoy eternal life My body I commit to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereinafter named

First

my Will is that all my just debts and funeral Charges be well and truly paid and satisfied All the rest and residue of my estate whatsoever and wheresoever I do devise and bequeath unto my good friends Hugh Cartwright of Charles Town and Edward Richardson Bricklayers and Edward Swan of the same place Cooper In trust for the uses intents and purposes hereinafter expressed That is to say to be by them their heirs Executors and Admors or the Survivors or Survivor of them or either of them employed and applied towards Purchasing the freedoms of one negro Woman named Eve and her two Malatto Children named both Will which negro Woman and her two Malatto Children aforesaid are at present in the possession of William Scott of Charles Town aforesaid Merchant But if the said William Scott his heirs Executors or Admors shall not be prevailed upon to sell the said negro Woman and her two Malatto Children aforesaid according to the intent aforesaid Then my Will is that the residue of my estate given in trust as aforesaid to the said Hugh Cartwright Edward Richardson and Edw^d Swan for the uses before mentioned shall be by them or either of them or the Survivors or Survivor of them disposed of as they shall think most proper And do hereby Nominate and appoint the said Hugh Cartwright Edw^d Richardson and Edward Swan Executors to this my last Will and Testament Also do hereby revoke and make void and Null all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made and do pronounce publish and declare this to be my only last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this fifth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and forty three.

Signed Sealed Pronounced Published and Declared by the Testator being in his perfect Senses in the presence of us who at his Request and in his presence Subscribed our Names as Witnesses thereto.

Henry X Sindsay ^{his} mark 

Jer^e Sea Croft, W^m Canbury, Ja Drummond

South Carolina, By Virtue of a Sedimus to me directed by the hon^{ble} W^m Bull Esq^r Sicut Governor and Com^r in Chief of this province and ordinary of the same Personally appeared before me Ja^s Drummond and W^m Canbury two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within Will who being duly sworn declares that they saw the within named Henry Sindsay make his mark Seal Publish pronounce and declare the same to be and contain his last Will and Testament that he was then of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding that they signed their names as Witnesses thereto in his presence and that Jer^e Sea Croft the other subscribing Witness did the same in their presence Witness my hand this 25 October 1743/ at the same time Swore all the Executors.

Recorded 26th October 1743. John Champneys Dep Sec^y

James St. John

In the Name of God Amen.

First

I James St. John of South Carolina Esq^r Do make this my last Will in manner following I bequeath my soul to the Almighty God that gave it, my body I commit to the Earth to be interred at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named And as to the Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me, I dispose thereof as follows:

First

I Will and desire that all my just Debts be paid and do direct and appoint that James Champ