

came before me, John Hammerton Esq^r. Matthew Brece one of the subscribing Witnesses to the within written Will who being duly sworn deposes that he was present when the Testator John Hambleton Signed Sealed & pronounced this to be his Last Will and Testament And that he was of good sound understanding and memory at that time and also that the other subscribing Witnesses John Dayant & Algernon Ash, were present at the same time with him and Subscribed their Names as Witnesses at the Same time & in presence of the Testator. at the same time swore his widow Patience Hambleton Executrix.

Recorded the 11th July 1741
J Hammerton.
J Hammerton.

Thos. Gadsden

South Carolina

In the Name of God, Amen,
I Thos. Gadsden of St. Phillips Parish in the Province of South Carolina do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following:
I do Give to my Eldest son Christopher the Sott of Land in Charles Town w^{ch} I lately purchast of Mrs. McKensie, containing Thirty four foot front on Elliotts Allie & Eighty foot Back, with all ye Buildings & improvements thereon, or shall be at my Discease, & likewise I give to my said Son three hundred acres of Land near Dorchester I purchast of Mr. Alex^r. Sherne & I give to my said son all my Lands at Ninian, as likewise a lott in the Town, there — I likewise give to my said son four Negroes, named Prince, Pane, Scippo, & Hannah.

I now give to my other two sons James and Thomas, all my Real & Personal Estate, Excepting as above mentioned, to be sold and shared Equally alike, and when sold, to be deliverd to their Grand Mother Mrs. Anne Mighels, at Stratford in Essex, & Mr Esq^r. Hall Merchant in London, Jointly, I desire them two to have the care, of my two Children & what fortune, they may have, & to manage it to the best of their advantage, as they the said Mighels & Hall, may think proper, In the meantime - till orders, may come from them. I do hereby appoint Mr Richard Hill & Mr John Garard, to be my Lawfull Executors, of this my last will, & to take Into their possession, all my worldly Goods, till further orders from the said Mighels & Hall, but as for my son Christopher, & Rents of 5 Houses on 5 Sott, I give to him will serve to maintain him in his Apprentiship but I would have it under 5 care of 5 said Hill & Garard till he is Twentie one years of age, w^{ch} will be at 5 time he is free from his Master as Mrs. McKensie is not paid for 5 lott of Land, I would have her paid out of 5 money, that may arize out of my two sons shares James & Thomas, That my son Battie may have his share Cleare without any Incombrance and in case one or two, sons should dye before, they come of age, it shall be shared to 5 two equally alike, or if but One left he to take all, as to the Sott of Land, I purchast of Mr Rose, I give ten, foot, on 5 west side, for a Publick Allie, a fott way only — all my Funeral Charges & what debts is Due to any one, I would have it all paid out of my Son's James,

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Thomas part, and the Ballance to be paid to said Mrs Anne Nichols
Esq. Hall, which I constitute my Executors & Guardians of my two
Children or to be paid to their order - Bonds, notes, Debts, or any Demands
I have on any one, is to belong to said James & Thomas's fortunes after
paying all my Lawfull Debts Given under my hand this 20 day of July 1741
Witness
Thos. Gadsden.

Jacob Martin
Jm Hare
Anne Gough

N.B. I give to my two Sisters In England, Twenty five pounds
Sterling each, that is to say fifty pounds, Witness my hand this
21 of July 1741.

Thos. Gadsden.

Memorandum this will was proved before me 20 August 1741 by
Jacob Martin & Jm Hare.
Recorded 21 August 1741.

J Hammerton.

James Green

In the Name of God, Amen.

I, James Green of Colleton County in the Province of South
Carolina, being sick and wear in Body but of Sound and Perfect
memory blessed, for the same and knowing the uncertainty of Life
and the certainty of Death & being desirous to settle my worldly
affairs whilst I have opportunity do therefore make this my Last
will and Testament in manner and form following, first and
Principally I commend my Soul to Almighty God, my Creator assured
ly believing that I shall receive a full pardon and free remission of
all my sins and be saved by the precious Death and Merits of my
blessed Redeemer Christ Jesus, and my body I commit to the Earth
from whence it was taken to be buried in such decent manner as my
Executor (hereafter named) shall fit and as touching such worldly
Estate as the Good in his Mercy hath blessed me with all my Will is
that the same shall be employed & Disposed as hereafter by this Will
and Testament shall be express, and therefore do revoke, renounce
and make void all Wills and Testaments heretofore made by me
and do hereby declare this to be my Last Will and Testament:

Imprimis
Item

I will that my just & Lawful Debts be first paid.

Item

I give and bequeath one younge Horse Colt and one younge Negroe
boy to Jonathan Thomas Jun. Son of Jonathan Thomas & Ann Thomas.
I give, will and bequeath all the rest of my real and Personal
Estate to my brother in Law Jonathan Thomas Sen. I constitute
and appoint my loving brother Jonathan Thomas to be my Executor
to this my Last will and Testament. In Witness hereof I have here-
unto set my hand and Seal the second day of May, Anno Dom-
ini one thousand seven hundred and forty

Signed, Sealed & acknowledged }

In Presence of

Joseph Gibbons Jun.
Joseph Gibbons Jun.

Samuel Nimbom.

James Green (seal)