

all and every other ^{former} Testaments Wills Legacies and Bequests and Estates by me before made Willed and Bequeathed ratifying and Confirming this & 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 and declared by the said Abraham Matthisen as his last Will and Testament & in the presence of us the subscribers

Thomas Harnett
Rich^d Linter
Thomas Colson

Abra^m Matthisen (L5)

This Will was proved before his

Excellency the 29th April 1748 by the Oaths of Thomas Harnett & Rich^d Linter at the same time qualified David Matthisen Sole Executor therein named

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In the Name of God Amen I Daniel Dwight Rector of the Parish of St. Johns in Beaufort County in the Province of South Carolina being of sound and perfect Mind Memory and understanding and considering that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Imprimis I recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God thro' the merits and mediation of his ever blessed Son Jesus Christ and my Body to a decent burial in the corner of the Church Yard at Bluffsbury where my dear wife and two children lie Interred with this Inscription (if any) upon a Stone or Monument affixed to the head of my Grave Here lyeth the Body of Daniel Dwight late Rector of this Parish who departed this life in peace such a day such a year I die in the safe Communion of the Church of England In which I have lived constantly endeavouring to recommend its constitution to all who were either disaffected or Strangers to it And as Touching my Worldly Estate I give and dispose thereof in form and manner following first I will and ordain that all my just Debts be fully paid and Satisfied Item I give Devise and Bequeath all my Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever and wheresoever together with all the Appurtenances thereto belonging to and amongst all my children their Heirs and Affigns forever to be equally Divided Between them regard being had to their Quality and Value only And I will and ordain that my Execs hereinafter named and the Survivors and Survivor of them or as many of them as shall take on them the probate of this my last Will & Testament shall have power to Divide and Apportion my said Lands &c^s to my said Children respectively as they shall respectively attain the age of twenty & one years and my will is that in case either one or more of my said Children

should die before he ^{or they} shall respectively attain the said Age of Twenty one years and leave no lawfull Issue behind them that then his or their part & share in my said Lands Tenements and Hereditaments shall remain & go to my other surviving Children equally their Heirs and Affigns forever Item I give Devise and Bequeath to my said Children forever all my personal Estate Goods & Chattels forever to be equally Divided between them as they shall respectively attain the age of twenty one years and I will and ordain that my Execs hereinafter named and the Survivors and Survivor of them be Guardians to my said Children till they shall respectively attain the age of twenty one years

Item I do hereby nominate ordain will and appoint Timothy Dwight of New England Esq^r Coll^r Francis Lejeune Thomas Broughton Esq^r Eldest Son of Nathaniel Broughton Esq^r Mr William Alstone of Waccamaw and my Eldest Son Thomas Broughton Dwight Execs of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby revoke disannull and make void all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made and do publish and declare these presents to be and contain my only Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty Sixth day of July and in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and forty four and thus having endeavoured to set my House in order I humbly beseech the great God who has so graciously conducted me through the changes & chances of this world never to leave me nor forsake me but of his great goodness and in his own time to Grant me a safe and easy passage to everlasting felicity. This Jesus Christ Amen

Signd Seal published & declar'd by the Testator Daniel Dwight to be & contain his only Last Will & Testament in the presence of us

John Hentie
Constantia Broughton
Elizabeth Kirk

Dan^r Dwight (L1)

This Will was proved before his Excellency the Gov^r the 6 May 1748 by the Oath of John Hentie and Thomas Broughton and Francis Lejeune two of the Execs therein named were qualified at the same time

In the Name of God Amen the twenty fourth day of March one thousand seven hundred and forty Seven I John Jackson Sen^r of Colleton County in the Province of South Carolina Planter Being of sound memory and understanding well & full do dispose of my Estate both real and Personal in form and manner following Imprimis my will is that ^{all} my just and Lawfull Debts be paid for the discharge whereof I do hereby give full power and Authority to my Execs herein after mentioned to Sell and dispose in the first place of my Stock of Horses and Cattle at Saltketcher and if that should not be sufficient any of my Lands or Woods not yet disposed off in Jacksonborough which my said Execs shall think fit and the remainder of

my lands to be equally divided between my loving Son John Jackson and my loving Daughter Jane Butler to them and their Heirs forever Item I give and Bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Jane Jackson any one Negro Woman in the plantation which she shall choose as also one riding horse and Side Saddle one Bed and furniture half doz. Chains one Large Mahogany Table one dressing Glass one Chest Draws all the China, and Silver Tea Spoons To her and her heirs forever Item I do Give and Bequeath unto my well beloved Daughter Jean Butler one Negro Girl named Hager to her and her Heirs forever Item I do Give and Bequeath unto my well beloved Daughter Esther Jackson one Bed & furniture as also one hundred and fifty pounds Lawfull Money to be paid her Yearly and every year during her life out of my Estate (that is to say) out of the three Divisions — hereafter mentioned, for her maintenance and if any of the sum is not expended at the end or Term of any year it shall be put to Interest for her life only Item I do Give and Bequeath unto my beloved Son Charles Butler my New Gun to him & his Heirs forever Item I do Give and Bequeath all the remainder part of my Estate after paying my just and Lawfull Debts & Legacies above mentioned to be equally divided into three parts between my beloved Wife Jane Jackson my beloved Son John Jackson and my beloved Daughter Jean Butler to them and their Heirs forever And lastly I do make Constitute ordain and appoint my well beloved Wife Jane Jackson Executrix my beloved Son Charles Butler and my loving Brother George Jackson Exors of this my last Will & Testament Liquid Seal'd Publish'd pronounced & cleard by the Testator to be his last Will & Testament

John Jackson (L)

John Laird
Joseph Glaser
Thos: Dean

This Will was proved before his Excellency the 13 May 1748 by the Oaths of Joseph Glaser & Thos: Dean and Charles Butler one of the Exors was qualified at the same time.

In the Name of God Amen this twenty fifth day of April one thousand seven hundred and forty eight I William Connor of Edisto Island in the Province of South Carolina being Sick in Body but of sound memory and perfect Judgment because be given to God for the same and knowing the uncertainty of human life on Earth and being Desirous to settle my affairs and things in order do make this my last Will & Testament in manner and form following; that is to say first and principally I commend my Soul to Almighty God my Creator assured by believing I shall receive full pardon and free remission of my Sins and to be Saved by the precious Death and Merits of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer Christ Jesus and my Body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such Decent and Christian manner as my Exors hereafter named

shall be meet and proper and touching such Estate and worldly Interest as the hand of Mercy hath left me, my Will and meaning is the same shall be employed and executed as hereafter by this my Will is Express'd And first I revoke revocate frustrate & make void all Wills by me formerly made and Declare and affirm this only to be my last Will and Testament In witness whereof after paying my Lawfull & just Debts I will and Bequeath to my Heireson John McKullock & his wife Betty — McKullock the Burf now up on the Ground all my Stock of Hogs the two Cows all my Household Goods Excepting my Body Cloaths which I leave unto Andrew and John McKarries as also two Guns and Master Accoutrements I Give & Bequeath unto the Presbyterian Church upon Edisto Island for the support of a Minister whose principals is Agreeable to the Established Fundamentals of the Church of Scotland a negro man named Prophet also a Negro Girl named Hanna and all my Herd Cattle I will and Bequeath unto David Alexander of Edisto Island a Negro Wench named Goloye for his and his Heirs use at my pleasure that John McKullock Sen: give unto his Daughter Mary McKullock thirty pounds Currency I Give John McKullock Sen: the use of the following Negroes during the natural life of his wife Betty McKullock Yrs Caesar, a wench Rose, Dolly, Marya, & Rose and upon the Decease of his said wife then these Negroes to be sold at Vendue and the money to be equall Divided betwix the above named Hance Andrew and John McKullock Jun: and Andrew and John McKarries and the said McKarries part to be put on Interest by the said Hance Andrew and John McKullock till the said McKarries is of age when they are to have their part Lastly it is my Will and pleasure that the Negro man I have given to the use of the Meeting House & the Wench I have left David Alexander remain upon this plantation till the Burf now upon the ground is made and nothing is ever there to be applyed for the uses above mentioned I appoint Constitute and Ordaine William Edings Sen: James Borthick and William Jenkins of Edisto Island as Exors to this my last Will and Testament as Witness my hand and Seal
Signed Seal'd and pronounced
in presence of

Wm Whippy
Ja Borthick
Joseph Whippy

William Cunningham (L)

This Will was proved before his Excellency the 20th May 1748 by the Oath of James Borthick and Wm Edings and William Jenkins were qualified at the same time

In the Name of God Amen I William Hancock of Charles Town in the Province of South Carolina Merchant being Weak in Body but in sound and perfect Memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will & Testament