

Signed Sealed Published & Delivered by the  
 Statute to be his will & Testament in

Presence of us who at his Request and in  
 his presence have hereunto set our names as his Exors. the Exors. by the oath  
 of John Blamyer & Thos. Gard. & John  
 Gard. Sealed & being two of the Exors.  
 therein named.

Henry Denich  
 John Blamyer  
 Will<sup>m</sup> Fuller

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Sealy of St. Helena Parish being  
 at this time in good and perfect memory thus the Godness  
 of God do make this my last will & Testament in manner  
 as follows if it is to say

I leave to my Beloved wife Elizabeth Sealy the house & Land  
 I now live on for her use during her natural life or Widowhood  
 Imprimis I give to my loving wife her choice out of my stock one  
 Horse or near my Stallion excepted & her Saddle & when I leave to my  
 loving wife during her natural life a negro man named Sampson  
 and a Wench named Sarah & at her death to Return with her Success  
 of any to my four youngest Sons Samuel John Benjamin Paul  
 Sealy to their share for ever. I would Mr Richard Stevens 790<sup>Acres</sup> of Land  
 at St. Helena's Island be desiring that I should give <sup>him</sup> bonds to  
 engage my wife to Renounce her Dower he dying Before she  
 could renounce her Dower Mr Stevens dyed & it seems she  
 cannot do it

Case that my wife or any of her Children  
 Should say  
 is that they  
 Will or the  
 part of that Land as her Dower my will  
 of all other part of it I gift them in this  
 in force against them I then I give to my

Beloved Son Joseph Sealy one negro boy named Abraham & to his  
 care I then I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Thundaka one  
 negro girl named Jenny and to her care

I then I give to my Son Samuel Sealy & to his care one negro Boy  
 named Jacob one young wench named Nancy I then I give to my son Benj<sup>m</sup> Sealy  
 and to his care one negro girl named Dafney I then I give to my son Paul Sealy  
 and to his care one negro girl named Phillis I then I give to my son  
 William Sealy one tract of Land at St. Helena's Island containing five  
 hundred Acres to him and his heirs and my will is that my son  
 William Sealy be put to a trade as soon as he have Learning first to  
 go as apprentice I then I give to my two Sons Samuel Sealy &  
 John Sealy the tract I now live on & a piece that Little  
 Edingwell & one part tracts Isaac Simmonds Land and

another part to be the Land & I leave to begin when they  
 I have a plot & Grant in the Office for the Land which  
 was five hundred sixty odd Acres some of this tract Mr  
 Edingwell took from me when I bought of him & my  
 will is yet my Exors. take out of the Office the plot  
 & Grant & what Remains still in it for my two Sons  
 last mentioned as they shall set out an warrant & Run  
 it for Samuel Sealy & John Sealy their two tracts  
 I give to them & their heirs for ever I then I give to my  
 son Benj<sup>m</sup> Sealy one tract of Land containing five hundred  
 Acres one part joining the said tract I live on &  
 one part of old Mr. Isaac Simmonds Land to him & his  
 heirs forever my will is that my Estate be not  
 divided no one Slave taken out of my Estate till one  
 my Lawfull debts be discharged & a thousand pounds  
 be made of my Plantation for my youngest son Paul  
 Sealy to buy him a tract of Land and in case my  
 wife should have Lawfull Issue by me and the Child  
 should live my will is yet ~~the child~~ it shall have  
 a negro girl named Bess and a Childs part when the  
 thousand pounds is made for Paul Sealy and my  
 Lawfull debts be paid my wife Elizabeth Sealy & my son  
 Joseph Sealy and my Daughters Elizabeth Thundaka may  
 draw out their parts and the Rest of my Estate be kept  
 together till my son William Sealy come of age  
 & then my son William Sealy & my Daughters Susanna  
 Sealy may draw their part & so all the rest as  
 they come of age my will is that my son Joseph  
 Sealy have all my wearing apparel my will is that  
 my six youngest Children yet is William Sealy Susanna  
 Sealy Samuel Sealy John Sealy Benj<sup>m</sup> Sealy Paul  
 Sealy shall have apparel dyatt washing schooling  
 Lodging Convent for them it is my will & I hereby  
 Appoint & Ordain that the Remaining part of my  
 Lived Estate & Chattels

Do (Especially divided between my living wife & all my Children Joseph Sealy Elizabeth Thundail William Sealy Susanna Sealy Samuell Sealy John Sealy Benjamin Sealy Paul Sealy & the other if there should be any one) shall at the discretion of my Ex<sup>rs</sup>. herein mentioned be managed as they think best for the Discharging of my Lawfull debts & the Good of my wife & Child<sup>ren</sup>  
 Lastly I constitute appoint & ordain my Belov'd wife & Mr Francis Peto and my Daniel Heyward Executors to this my Last Will & Testament & I do hereby Disallow Rooke & Susanmull all and Every other former Testament will & Legacies Bequests & Executors by me in any ways before named Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my last Will & Testament in Witness Hereof I have hereunto set hand & seal the twenty fourth Day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty signed sealed published pronounced & declared by this Joseph Sealy as his Last will & Testament in the presence of us the subscribers

Isaac Gimbrell  
 Daniel Wright  
 David Scanlan

Joseph Sealy (LS)  
 This will was proved before his Ex<sup>ts</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> by the oath of D<sup>o</sup> Scanlan & F<sup>r</sup> Peto & D. Heyward Sworn as Ex<sup>ors</sup>.

In the name of God Amen I Richard Middleton Being Very Sick weak and now in Body but in perfect mind & memory I think to give unto God therefore I first Recommend my my Body into the hands of God that I am to be buried at the discretion of my Ex<sup>rs</sup>. nothing omitting but at the Generall Resurrection to Receive the same at the Almighty hands of God therefore I first Bequeath my Estate Both Real & Personal into the Care of W<sup>m</sup>. Bantley and John Bantley whom I authorize & ordain as my whole & sole Ex<sup>rs</sup>. to manage sell & make Sale of my Personall Estate as they said William Bantley & John Bantley shall think proper to discharge my Lawfull debts as far as my Estate will allow them after my Lawfull debts is paid I Give the Remainder of my Estate to my two Belov'd Sons John & Richard after the Death of my wife & I disavow all other Gifts & Legacies I acknowledge this to be my last Will & Testament and to Remain in full force and

Nature as witnesses hereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 1749/50  
 Signed sealed and acknowledged as my Last Will and Testament in the presence of us

Robert Stewart  
 Joseph <sup>his</sup> Smith mark

Richard <sup>his</sup> Middleton mark  
 This will was proved before his Ex<sup>ts</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> the 24<sup>th</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1750 by the oath of Robert Stewart & at the same qualified W<sup>m</sup>. Bantley one Ex<sup>or</sup> then named

### South Carolina

In the name of God Amen I Henrietta Fisher of Charles Town being weak in Body but of perfect memory & understanding do make ordain and publish these present to be and contain my Last Will & Testament first after payment of all my just and Lawfull debts I Give Bequeath and Bequeath all the Estate Real & personal that I shall be possessed of or have a right to at the time of my Death to my two Sons Dr Law Alex<sup>r</sup>. Petrie & Daniel Crawford to be equally divided between them share & share alike and to their heirs Ex<sup>ors</sup>. Adam & George forever upon the Condition nevertheless that my said two Sons Alex<sup>r</sup>. Petrie & Daniel Crawford and their heirs Ex<sup>ors</sup>. or Adam & George do equally and with their joint Expense maintain & Intertain my living Uncle W<sup>m</sup>. George Brown in his last washing & lodging and cloathing during all the days of his life and that they shall be at the joint Expense & Cost of a Decent burial for the said Geo. Brownell when it shall please God to call him hence Lastly I do nominate and appoint my said Uncle Geo. Brownell and my Sons Dr Law Alex<sup>r</sup>. Petrie & Daniel Crawford Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby Revoking all former and other Wills In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this fifth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & fifty signed sealed published & declared by the Testator to be & contain his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who are in her view and at her requests have hereunto set our names as Witnesses

Helen Robertson  
 Tho<sup>s</sup>. Lee  
 Will<sup>m</sup>. Mount

Henrietta Fisher (LS)  
 This will was proved before his Ex<sup>ts</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> (by the oath of the Gov<sup>r</sup>) the 31<sup>st</sup> of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1750 & Daniel Crawford & Alex<sup>r</sup>. Petrie Ex<sup>ors</sup> then named qualified