

Signed Sealed Published and Declared
by the said Peter Bonneau as his last Will &
Testament in the presence of Us who have
Subscribed our names as Witnesses in the
presence of the Testator

E. Bonneau
Thomas Hall
Frank Simons

This Will was proved before
his Excy the 16th Decemr 1748
by the Oaths of Anthony Bonneau
& Peter Hall & Henry Samuel and
Benjamin Bonneau Exors & Hester
Bonneau Exix were Qualified
at the same time

In the Name of God Amen the Twenty Sixth day
of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & forty
Eight I Jean Thom-son of Wadmalaw Island in Colleton County in the
Province of South Card a planter Being viz Sick and Weak in Body
but in perfect mind and memory thanks Be given to God therefore -
basing into mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed
for all ~~men~~ once to dye do Make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament
that is to say first and principally of all I give and Recommend my Soul
into the hands of God that gave it and as for my Body I Recommend
it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the Discretion of my
Executors Nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive
the Same Again by the Mighty Power of God And As Touching Such Worldly
Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give &
Bequeath and dispose of the Same in the following manner and form -
Item I give and Bequeath to my Beloved Son William Dunwoody &
my Beloved Daughter Mary Bon two Negro men and one Negro Woman
named Simon Hopewell and Flora to be Equally divided Betwixt
them two Item it is my Will that all the Remaining part of my
Estate should be Sold at publick Vendue to the highest Bidder which
consists in one Tract of Land on Wadmalaw Island Household Furniture
Cattells Hogg and plantation Tools to pay all my Lawfull debts &

Funeral charges and it is my Will that all the Remaining part should
be Equally divided Betwixt my Dear and well beloved Son and -
Daughters William Dunwoody Mary Bon and Ann Wilson to them and to
their Heirs for ever Item it is my Will that these my above named Children
should give to my Dear and well Beloved Daughter Jean Thomson
Twenty Shillings Currency to her and to her Heirs for ever - I likewise
Constitute Make and Appoint these my well beloved Sons William
Dunwoody Thomas Bon John Wilson Executors to this my last Will and
Testament And I do hereby Utterly Disallow Revoke & disannul all and
Every other former Will or Wills made or done By me in any way before this
then named Relified & Confirming this and no other to be my last Will &
Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the
day and year above Writing

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and) Jean^{her} Thomson (L.S.)
Delivered by the said Jean Thomson as her
mark
Last Will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers Viz

Jean Barr
John Beatty
Hugh Wilson

This Will was proved before his Excy the 16th
Dec^r 1748 by the Oaths of Hugh Wilson & William
Dunwoody one of the Exors was Qualified at the same time

In the Name of God Amen I Lewis Wroozon Junr
of Berkeley County in the Province of South Carolina Planter being in
Good Health and of Sound disposing mind & memory (Blessed be God
for the Same) do Make and Ordain this my last Will & Testament in
manner and form following First and principally I Commend my Soul
into the hands of Almighty God Hoping through the Satisfaction &
Merits of my Only Saviour and Dear Redeemer Jesus Christ to have full
and free Pardon of all my sins And to Inherit Eternal Life My Body

I Commit to the Earth to be Decently Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter named And Touching such Temporal Estate as it hath Pleased God of his Infinite Mercy to Bestow Upon me I give and Dispose thereof as followeth. Inprimis I Will that all my Just Bills and funerals Expenses be first paid and Discharged From I Give & Bequeath Unto my Loving Wife Ann, One Feather Bed - bolster Pills Two Blankets one pair of Sheets One Riding horse & Side Saddle & all her wearing Apparell at her Choice of what is in my House as Also her Equall Share with my Children of all my personal Estate And I Also give Unto my Said wife the Use of one Room & the Hall in the House where I now Live & Shall or may peaceably Occupy possess & Enjoy the said Room for and During such time & So long as She shall Continue my Widow & no longer But I do hereby Declare that the Several Legacies Gifts & Bequests by me herein and Bequeathed Unto my Said Wife Ann are so Given Unto her & are meant & Intended to be in full Satisfaction & Bar of all such Daves & Title of Doves & Interest & Contingent part Share or Thirds of my Real & Personal Estate which She can or may claim by any Right or Title or Claim whatsoever. From I Give Devise & Bequeath Unto my Son Lewis Mowson the Plantation or Tract of Two Hundred Acres of Land which I lately Purchased of Mr. John Laurens known by the name of Berisford's Cowpen or Great Savannah lying in Berkeley County To Have and to Hold the Said Two Hundred Acres of Land with all there Unto Belongin Unto my Said Son Lewis his Heirs & Assigns for ever But in Case my Said Son Should dye Before he hath Attained y^e Age of Majority or have Issue then I Order and Empower my Executors hereafter named or the Survivors of them to Sell and convey the Same & to Equally Share the Sum Arising Amongst my Surviving Sons - From I Give Devise & Bequeath Unto my Sons James Peter Samuel & Henry Mowson the Plantation whereon I now Live Consisting of

Five Hundred Acres of Land with all there Unto Belonging To Have & to Hold the Said Five Hundred Acres of Land to my Said Sons James Peter Samuel & Henry Mowson to them & their Heirs & Assigns for ever to be Equally Shared & Divided Amongst them as they shall Attaine to the Age of Majority and as my Son James is the Eldest of the four he may have his Choice (Excepting that part where the Houses & Buildings are or which is to be for my Son Henry) But in Case Either of my Said Sons James Peter Samuel & Henry Should dye Before he or they hath Attained to the Age of Majority or have Issue (then my Will is that my Son Lewis Mowson shall have the Share of the One so Dying And In Case my wife Should be with Child at the time of my Decease & it Should be a Son when Born that he shall have his Equall Share of the Five Hundred Acres of Land with his Above s^d four Brothers But if they Should all live to the Age of Majority or have Issue then & in such Case & my Will is that the Son so Born shall have Equall Share of the Above Said Tract of Five Hundred Acres of Land with his four Above named Brothers to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever) Also my Will is that the Survivors of my five Sons Lewis James Peter Samuel & Henry Mowson & the One that may be Born shall have Equall Share of the Said Tract of Five Hundred Acres of Land with all there Unto Belonging And in Case the Child so Born Should be a Son or Daughter that then he or she so Born shall have Equall Share of my Personal Estate with my Wife and the Rest of all my Childrens From I Give Devise & Bequeath unto my two Daughters Caliralette Mowson & Ann Mowson two Negro Girls named Phibby & Eley with there hereafter Increase to them their Heirs and Assigns for ever Share & Share alike and In case Either of them Should dye before they attaine the age of Majority or Day of Marriage then the Survivor

to have the whole But in case my wife should be with child at the time of my death & it should be a daughter she my will is that she shall have equal share with my two above said Daughters of the two above s^d girls & their increase for ever Item my will also is that all the remaining part of my personal Estate be divided in even & equal proportions amongst my wife & children to wit my wife Ann my Sons Lewis James Peter ^{Samuel} Henry Mourzon & my Daughters Calabette & Ann Mourzon & to the child or children hereafter may be born of mine by my s^d wife Ann And I do hereby nominate and appoint my Loving Brother Henry Mourzon my Loving Cousin Anthony Bourneau & my Good Friend John Dutangue Executors of this my Last Will & Testament hereby Revoaking and making null & void all former & other Will & Wills by me heretofore made And this is to be & stand as and for my Last Will & Testament In Witness Whereof I the said Lewis Mourzon Jun^r have to this my Last Will & Testament set my hand and seal this

Day of

In the Year of our Lord One Thousand

Seven Hundred Forty & five

Signed Sealed Published & Declared by the Testator Lewis Mourzon as & for his Last Will & Testament in Presence of us who Subscribed our Names in the presence of the Testator

David Batcheller

Thomas Webb

John Barkerfield

John Bonhose

Lewis Mourzon Jun^r *LD*

This Will was Proved before his Excy the 16th Decem^r 1748 by the Oath of John Bonhose & Henry Mourzon one of the Exors was Qualified at the same time

South Carolina

In the Name of God Amen

I Rachel Porcher of Berkeley County in the Province of South Carolina Widdo being Sane & perfect both in mind & Memory thanks be to God for the same Do make Ordain & Declare my Last Will & Testament in manner & form following and first I Remitt my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God my Creator Hoping & Assuredly believing the

all in red line writing

Salvation of the same through the Alone Merits of Jesus Christ my Blessed Saviour & Redeemer & my Body to be Buried in such manner as to my Exors hereinafter named shall seem fitt & convenient and as for what Temporal Estate as it hath pleased God to Bestow upon me in this World I do Give Devise Bequeath and Dispose of the same as is hereby & herein particularly Set Down mentioned & Expressed. I will that all my Just Debts be first Satisfied Contented & paid Item I give & Bequeath unto my Son Isaac Porcher my French Bible & French Salm Book and to my Daughter In Law Mrs. Martha Porcher the Wife of my said Son Isaac my black Velvet Cloke my black Silk Gown & my purple Silk Quilt Coat Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Paul Porcher my Wedding Ring Item I give & Bequeath unto my Son Samuel Porcher one trustee Boy named Joney Item I give & Bequeath unto my Son Joseph Porcher one Negro Girl named Endom Item I give & Bequeath unto my Daughter Rachel Fairchild the Sum of three Hundred pounds to be paid to her in such manner & form following (that is to say) that my four Sons Isaac Paul Samuel & Joseph shall yearly pay amongst them to my said Daughter Rachel Fairchild the Sum of fifty pounds untill the said Sum of three Hundred pounds be paid and I do also give & Bequeath unto my said Daughter Rachel Fairchild all my Whersein Apparit in Lieu & for all manner of Claim & Demand which she can or may pretend to have in this my Last Will & Testament Item I give & Bequeath unto my two Sons Samuel & Joseph all my household Goods to be Equally Divided between them Item I give & Bequeath unto my Daughter Calabette Marshall the Sum of five Shillings proclamation Money in Lieu & for all manner of Claim & Demand which she or her Heirs can ^{shall} or may claim & Demand of in or to all or any part of my Estate in this my Last Will & Testament Item I do hereby order & it is my Will & pleasure that all the Remaining part of all my Estate shall be Appraised and Inventorized & then the same to be Divided as near as possible may be Into Four Equal parts or Shares to be Equally Divided amongst my