

Authority than is herein given; & Attornies one or more under him for the Purpose aforesaid to make & constitute & again at Pleasure to Revoke; ratifying alluring and holding for him & effectual all & whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully do in and about the Premises by Virtue hereof
In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand & Seal the 29th March in the Year of Our Lord 1749
Matthew Petit (Seal)

Witness Geo: Bellinger
Tho: Ladson

S^c Carolina

I Matthew Petit Reader of St. Peters Parish Granville County of the Province aforesaid Considering the Uncertainty of this Transitory Life, Do make & declare these Presents to contain my last Will & Testament, That is to Say I give & bequeath unto my said Attorney Doct: Frederick Holsendorff All my Debts Dues, & Demands with all my Estate both Real & Personal, Wherein at the Time of my Decease I shall be Possessed or Directed Or Which shall then Belong or of Wright Appertain unto me And I do hereby nominate & Appoint the said Frederick Holsendorff to be my Executor & to receive my Substance of this my Will & Testament - hereby Revoking all former Wills & Testaments by me made And do declare this to be my last Will In Witness whereof I have hereunto Sett my Hand & Seal the Twenty Ninth day of March In the Twenty third Year of his Majesty's Reign Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred & Forty Nine Signed, Sealed & Delivered }
in the Presence of }

Geo: Bellinger }
Tho: Ladson }

Matthew Petit (Seal)

This Will was Read before his Excellency the 19th Day of May 1749 by the Oath of George Bellinger and Frederick Holsendorff Sole Executor was Qualifid at the same time

South Carolina

In the Name of God Amen I William Edwards Esq^r of Colleton County & Province aforesaid, being of Sound & perfect mind & Memory, but calling to mind the frailty & uncertainty of this Present Life, & being willing to put my Affairs in order before my Death do make & Ordain this my last Will & Testament & do hereby dispose of my Estate as follows, Viz: first & principally I commend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God who gave it, & my Body to be decently Buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named 2nd I Will that all my Lawfull Debts shall be paid off & discharged By my Executors out of my Estate, & for the more Speedy Discharge of the Same, they shall sell Two Hundred & fifty Acres of Land lying in Colleton County on a Neck of Land called Wannells Neck, on a Creek out of Combee River, it being a part of five hundred Acres given by my Grandfather William Edwards Deceased in his last Will & Testament to be Divided Twixt me & my Sister Mary, & the Monies arising from the Sale of sd Land shall be applyd towards paying off my sd Debts. 3rd I Bequeath to my beloved Wife Hannah the one half of all my Personal or Moveable Estate to be for her & her Heirs forever. I also Allow to my 2^d Wife the Liberty of Dwelling on Either of my Plantations During her Natural Life & to fall Timber, Clear, Plant, Manure, Possess & Enjoy any part of one of my Plantations as She shall think most Convenient During her Life & 4th I Bequeath to my Dutyfull Son Hugh & to his Heirs forever all the Islands of Land which was formerly given to me by my Grandfather aforesaid in his last Will & Testament & also the 1st moiety or half part of my Personal or Moveable Estate which is not herein before disposed of. 5th I Bequeath to my Dutyfull Son William & his Heirs for ever all my Lands which lyeth near the Head of Ichthyar River & also the other moiety or Remain ing Quarter of my Personal or Moveable Estate Not herein before disposed of. 6th My Will is that my Personal Estate hereby given to my Two Sons aforesaid shall not be Divided Twixt em till my Said Son Hugh shall Arrive at the Age of Twenty one years & then at his request his part shall be given to him into possession by my Executors 7th at Each time of Dividing the Moveables of my Estate Twixt my Wife & Sons as afores^d the Whole Estate then to be Divided shall be Appraised by my Executors & Two or Three

freeholders whom the shall Appoint, which Appraisement shall be made upon Oath by the said Appraisers & the Division of Each part shall be in Value According to the Appraisement of Each particular then Divided & Lastly I hereby - Appoint my Said Wife Hannah & her two Brothers Hugh Bryan & Jonathan Bryan to be my Executors of this my Last Will & Testament & do hereby disannul Revoke & make void all former Will or Wills & Testaments by me heretofore made & do Ordain these Presents & Every particular herein Contained to be my Last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & affixed my Seal this twenty first Day of April in the year of our Lord 1736
Signed & Sealed after the word (Edwards) -
being first Interlined above in presence of us

W^m Edwards Cochran (Seal)
Mary Bryan } This Will was Proved before his Ex^{cy} the 19th May 1749 by the Oath
Hugh Bryan } of Mary Bryan & Hannah Cochran Ex^{rs} was qualified at the same
Arthur Tucker } time

South Carolina

In the Name of God Amen, I Susannah Duroseau of Charles Town in the Province of South Carolina Widow, being Sick & Weak in Body but of Sound & disposing Mind Memory & understanding do make publish & declare this to be my Last Will & Testament in manner following to wit. Infirmis I Recommend my Soul to Almighty God who gave it hoping for Remission of all my Sins thro the Merits of my only Saviour Jesus Christ & my Body I Commit to the Earth to be decently Buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereinafter mentioned Item after payment of all my Just & Lawfull Debts I give Devise & Bequeath unto my Executors hereinafter named all my Estate both real & personal of what nature kind or Quality soever the same be to be by them or such of them as shall please this my Last Will Sold for the most money that can be got for the same & the Money arising from such Sale Order & direct after payment of my Debts as aforesaid that my Executors put the same out to Interest for the use benefit & behoof of my Grandson John Lewis W^m Rott his Heirs Exors Admins or Assigns But in Case the said John Lewis W^m Rott shall happen to dye before

before he attain the age of Twenty one years I that Case I hereby give Devise & Bequeath the said Money or such part thereof as shall remain after maintenance and Education of my Grandson unto my Niece Mary Magdalen Curstome wife of John Curstome & to her Heirs Exors Admins & Assigns for ever & Lastly I hereby Constitute & appoint John Newfille Sen^r & John Rattray Esq; both of Charles Town to be Executors of this my Last Will & Testament & Guardians of the said John Lewis W^m Rott my Grandson Revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this Tenth Day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred & Forty Nine
Signed Sealed published & Declared by the Testator to be & Contain her Last Will & Testament consisting of this & the preceding page In the presence of us who at her request & in her presence have set our names as Witnesses

Susanne Duroseau (Seal)

(J. a. g.) Bourneau } This Will was Proved before his Ex^{cy} the 19th May 1749 by the Oath
John W^m Dorell } of James Grindlay & John Rattray & John Newfille Exors
James Grindlay } were qualified at the same time

In the Name of God Amen I Susannah Lonsae being sick & weak in Body but of sound & disposing Mind & Memory do make & ordain this my last will & Testament in manner following That is to say Infirmis I will that my Body be decently buried at the Direction of my Executor hereinafter named & that the Expences of my Funeral & all my just Debts be discharged in the first Place Item I give & Bequeath unto my Dear Cousin Ralph Izard Son of Henry Izard Esq; deceased the sum of Three hundred Pounds Current Money of this Province to be placed & improved at Interest for his Use at the Discretion of my Executor untill the said Ralph Izard attain his Age of Twenty one Years & then the said Principal Sum and the Interest thereon accrued shall be paid him by my said Executor. Item I give & bequeath unto my Dear Cousin Margaret Izard Daughter of the said -
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