

198 That all my Just debts & funeral Charges be paid and discharged from
after the decease of my Loving Sister Susanah Barlow, I give and bequeath
unto her Daughter, my Neice and God's Daughter Lucina Barlow my neg-
ro man Peter upon Consideration that the said Sister shall give her said dau-
ghter my neice suitable maintenance and Education until the day of
Marriage of my said neice. Item I give and bequeath unto my said Sister
Elizabeth Rivers wife to John Rivers Carpenter One hundred & twenty five
Current Money of this Province, Item all the rest and residue of my Real
and Personal Estate whatsoever, I give and bequeath unto my said Sister
Susannah Barlow and after her decease to her Daughter (the aforesaid Lucina
Barlow and her Heirs for Ever) All ably, I nominate constitute & Ordain
my said Sister Susanah Barlow who and sole Executrix of this my Last
& Testament for and during her life and after her decease then and in such
case I nominate constitute and appoint my Nephew Richard Godfrey whole
and sole Executor of this my Last will and Testament in her stead In
Witness whereof I the said Elizabeth Rose to this my Last will and Testament
have set my hand Seal the day and year first above written
Sealed published and declared the Testatrix as her Last & Rose (his
Will and Testaments in the Presence of who at her request
and in her Presence, have subscribed our names as Witnesses)
Charles Hill Henry Heap Richard Godfrey

This will was proved before the Ordinary the 27th of April
1759 at the same time qualified Susan Barlow as Latin

South Carolina, In the name of God Amen I James Hartley of the Parish of
Saint Paul in the Province of South Carolina Planter do make my Last Will
and Testament in writing, as follows, First I will & direct that all my Just
debts & funeral Expenses be fully paid & satisfied out of the Profits arising
or to arise out of or from all my Estate Real & Personal & with the Monies
that I shall be possessed of at the time of my death & that shall be then due &
Owing unto me Also it is my Will that my dearly beloved wife & Daughter
shall be maintained & clothed in a decent and befitting manner & that
my daughter be choold & Educated in the liking befitting manner of ex-
of the Profits, Produce & Income of all my real & personal Estate until there
shall be raised out of such Produce & Profit (above beyond what shall be
paid out in the Maintenance & clothing & Education aforesaid & in the
tation & other necessary Expenses & the Annual sum of two hundred &
fifty pounds herein after bequeathed to my Son) seven thousand Pounds
Lawfull Current Money Also I give to my dearly beloved wife Margaret
Hartley for Ever all my household Goods & Turniture in Charles Town
or that shall be there at the time of my death Three of my best Chair home
& also my Riding Chair & Harnesses Also I give & bequeath to my said
dearly beloved wife during her Widowhood the use & labour of my house
Slaves Grace & Bess & four Slaves Children of Bess & also during her life
the use of my four Negro fellow called Bristol & his wife Mumbo & son Gile
also, I give & bequeath to my Son Thomas Hartley to be paid him by my Ex-
& the Trustees therein after mentioned out of the Profits & Produce of all my

£1000 Real and Personall the Annual Sum of Two hundred and fifty pound
lawfull money untill he shall attain to the Age of Twenty two years also
I Give and bequeath to my daughter Mary a Compy Right & Title of in & to
Certain Leases that were formerly Given to her by her Grandmother Mary
Miles Called Phileas & her Children Havanna & Juny also Jane the
daughter of Rose & Betty the daughter of Judy also I Give and bequeath
to my daughter Sarah my Slaves Silvia also my Slaves Edy & Beary —
daughters of old Sarah, I Give and devise all my Real Estate Plantations
& Houses whatsoever & wheresoever to Thomas Hutchinson of Ashpoo
John McQueen & James Parsons of Charles Town Esquires & the Survivors
or of them & the Heirs & assigns of Survivor to have & to hold the
same to them the said Thomas John & James & the Survivors & Survivor
of them & the Heirs & assigns of such Survivor upon the special Trust and
Confidence & to & for the severall Uses, Intents & purposes hereinafter men-
tioned & declared of for and Concerning the same & to & for no other Use, Trust
Intent or purpose whatsoever that is to say In Trust that they the said
Trustees & the Survivors & Survivors of them & the Heirs & assigns of such
Survivor shall permit & suffer my dearly beloved wife during her Widow
hood & the Kindred, Non Marriage of my Daughter Sarah to have jointly
with my said Daughters untill they shall be respectively married the Use
Occupation & Enjoyment of my House & Out houses fronting the River in
Charles Town & after the Intermarriage or Death of my said wife or my
Daughter Sarah & the Heirs of her Body lawfully begotten for ever But
if my said Daughter shall die without Issue then upon her so dying past
the Intermarriage or death of my said dearly beloved wife in Trust & for
the use of my said Daughter Mary if she shall be then living & her Heir
for ever but in Case my said Daughter Mary shall be then dead & Issue of
her Body lawfully begotten living then in Trust & for the use of such Issue
for ever also in Trust that that the said Trustees & the Survivors & Survi-
vors of them and the Heirs & assigns of such Survivor shall after the said
sum of seven Thousand Pounds is raised by my debts & Funerall expences
are paid, aforesaid permit & suffer my said dearly beloved wife for and
during the Term of her natural Life to have good Use occupy & possess
Enjoy at her Will and Pleasure without Impeachment of waste all
that & thore my Plantation called Hyde Park with the Houses Edifices
buildings & appurtenances thereon & thereto belonging and also in Trust
that they the said Trustees & the Survivors & Survivors of them the Heirs
& assigns of such Survivor shall after my son Thomas his arrivall
at the Age of twenty two years & after the said sum of seven Thousand pound
is received Permitted & suffer him the said Thomas for & during the Remain-
der of the Term of his natural Life to have the Use Occupation & Enjoyment
for his own profit & advantage of all that my Plantation inclint in Pauls
Parish Called Buck Hall with the appurtenance without Impeachment
of waste & after the death of the said Thomas & the said sum of seven
Thousand Pounds is received in Trust & to & for the use of the Children of the
said Thomas lawfully to be begotten or of such one or more of them & to
and for such Estate & Estates & in such Parts & Proportions manner & form
as the said Thomas shall at any Time or Times after his arrivall to the
age aforesaid by any Writing or Writings under his hand & Seal duly attested
by two or more Credible Witnesses direct Limit or appoint & for want of such
Direction Limitation or Appointment then to the use of all and Every the said

200 & Children of the said Thomas Lawfully to be begotten for & to be Equally
Divided between them & more than one Share & Share alike as Tenants in
Common & for default of such Issue then in Trust & to the use & behoof of the
Heir or Heirs at Law my said Son Thomas for Ever and for And Concerning
the said Plantation Called Hyde Park in Trust that they the said Trustees &
the Survivors and Survivor of them the Heirs & assigns of such Survivor shall
Immediately upon & from & after the Death of my said dearly beloved wife
Remiel & suffer my said Son Thomas if he shall be then living & of the Age of
Twenty two years for & during the Remainder of the Term of his natural life
To have the use Occupation & Enjoyment for his own Profit & Advantage of my
said Plantation Called Hyde Park with the Appurtenances without Impeachment
of waste & after the death of my said Son Thomas then to & upon the
Lives Uses Trusts & Limitations as are herein before Limited declared &
appointed of & concerning the said other Plantation Called Buck Hall in
Case the said Thomas shall as is before mentioned direct Limit or appoint
the same to the Uses of his Children dying & leaving Issue Lawfully begotten or die
without such Issue and as for & Concerning all that my Plantation or tract
of Land containing one Thousand seven hundred Acres or thereabouts at
Combahie in Trust that they the said Trustees & the Survivors & Survivor of
them & the Heirs & assigns of Survivor shall work & Employ the same for
the Profit & Advantage of my Daughters untill the Arrival at Age or Inter
marriage of either them and that upon the arrival or Inter marriage which
shall first happen of either of them or as soon after as conveniently
may be the said Trustees & the Survivors & Survivor of them and the Heirs
and assigns of such Survivor shall divide the said Last mentioned Plan
tation into two Equal parts Moieties or Shares & deliver up to the daughter
that shall be then married or of Age one of such Moieties or Shares & to
devide to hold the same her during her Life and after her death it is my Will
that my said Trustees & the Survivors & Survivor of them and the Heirs & assigns
of such Survivor shall have & be seized of such Moieties in Trust for Issue then
Of the Body of such Daughter & the Heirs of such Issue for Ever And for
want of such Issue in Trust for my other Daughter if she shall be then living
and the Heirs of her Body for Ever But in Case my said other Daughter
shall be then dead & Issue of her Body Lawfully begotten living then in
Trust & for the use of such Issue for Ever and as to the other Moieties Moieties
of the said Last mentioned Lands it is my Will that my said Trustees &
the Survivors and Survivor of them & the Heirs & assigns of such Survivor
shall continue to use Occupy & Enjoy the same in Trust & for the Use &
Benefit of my other or youngest Daughter untill she shall arrive at Age
or marry & shall therefore for and during the Remainder of the Term
of the natural life of such Daughter permit & suffer her & her assigns
to have use Occupy & Enjoy the same without Impeachment of waste
and after death it is my Will that my said Trustees and the Survivor
& Survivor of them the Heirs & assigns of such Survivor shall stand
seized thereof in Trust for the Issue of the Body of such Daughter & the
Heirs of such Issue for Ever and for want of such Issue in Trust for my
other Elder Daughter if she shall be then living and the Heirs of her Body
for Ever But in Case my said other Elder Daughter shall be then dead &
Issue of her Body Lawfully begotten living then in Trust & for the use of
such Issue for Ever also I give and bequeath to my dearly beloved wife

after the said Sum of Seven Thousand pounds is raised & my debts & fune-
ral Expences are paid as aforesaid) for and during the Term of her natural
Life the use work and Labour of all my Slaves at Hyde Park Plantation
Except Betty & Ebo, Leaver & also the use of all my Horses & breeding mares & rams
worken Oxen Carts Plantation Tools & implements thereon all as if my Will
that my said dearly beloved wife shall during the Term of natural Life
have and enjoy the Profits & advantage to arise from all my Cows black
cattle sheep & Hogs on the said Plantation & shall be at Liberty during
the time aforesaid to sell & dispose of such Part of such Cows black
cattle sheep & Hogs as she shall think proper for her own Profits & advan-
Provided never the less & it is That she do keep up & preserve the same
number of Cows black Cattle sheep & Hogs on the said Plantation as
shall be thereon at Time of my death & leave such number at the Time
of her death upon the said Plantation to go with the said Plantation
to the use of my said Son Thomas to whom upon the death of my said
wife & upon his arrival at the age of Twenty two Years, I do hereby give
and bequeath such Cows, black Cattle sheep & Hogs as shall then remain
on the said last mentioned Plantation & also I give & bequeath to my
Son Thomas upon his arrival at the age of Twenty two years and not be-
fore all my breeding Mares upon the said last mentioned Plantation
also, all my Horses Mares black Cattle, sheep & Hogs & all the Carts -
Plantation Tools & implements & all my Household Goods & Furniture
that shall be on or belonging to my said other Plantation called Duck hall
at the Time of my Death also I give & bequeath to my Son Thomas upon
his arrival at the age of Twenty two Years & after my debts & Funerale
Expences & the said Sum of Seven thousand Pounds are paid & raised out
of the clear Profits of all my Estate the use of all my Slave at Duck hall
Plantation & their Issue & also the use of Betty & Ebo, Leaver Negroes belong-
ing to Hyde Park Plantation & of Lewie & Sharpor Boat Negroes for & during
the Term of his Natural Life & also after the death of my said dearly beloved
wife and his arrival at the age of Twenty two years the use of all my other
Slaves at Hyde Park Plantation together with the use of the said Negroes
named Bristol his wife mumbo & their Son Giles for and during the Term of
his natural Life and after his death I give & bequeath all the Slaves
the use whereof I have hereby bequeathed for any Time to my said Son
Thomas to the Children of the said, Thomas lawfully to be begotten or to
such one or more of them & in such Parts & proportions Manner & Form as
the said Thomas shall at any Time or Times after his Arrival to the
age aforesaid by any Writing or Writings under his hand & Seal duly attes-
ted by two or more Credible Witnesses direct limit or appoint for want
of such direction Limitation or Appointment then to the use of all and
every Child and Children of the said Thomas lawfully to be begotten for
ever to be Equally divided between them if more than one share & share
and for default of such Issue, I give and bequeath all the said last
mentioned Slaves with their Issues and Increase to my Daughters Mary
and Sarah Equally to be divided or in Case they my said Daughters be then
to & amongst their Children or such Child or Children of either of them as
shall be then living but in Case one only of them my said Daughters shall
upon the Contingency aforesaid be Dead leaving Issue, It is my will That

202/ all the said Slaves with their Issue & Increase shall my said Son or the Sur-
vivor or survivor of them or the Executors or admors of such Survivor be Equally
divided one half to my surviving Daughter the other half to the Child or Children
of my deceased Daughter And in Case one of my said Daughters shall be then
Dead without Issue then that all of the whole of the said Slaves with their
Issue and Increase shall go to my surviving Daughter to whom upon the Con-
tingencies aforesaid, I Give and bequeath the same for ever also It is my
Will that my Negroes Called Dublin & Sancho all my Slaves Stock, Plantations
Tools & Implement & other Personal Estate that shall be on or belonging to my
said Plantation at Combebie at the time of my Death together with the Issue
& Increase of the said Slaves & also my Stock of horses to the Southward of
Combebie River shall upon the arrival at age or Intermarriage of either of
my Daughters or as soon after as Conveniently may be divided by my Executors
or the Survivors or Survivor of them or the Executors or admors of which Surviv-
into two Equall parts & Moieties or Shares one Moiety or Share whereof I
Give & bequeath to my Daughter Mary upon her Arrival at Age or Inter-
marriage as aforesaid and the other Moiety or Share of the said Last men-
tioned Slaves & other Personal Estate, I Give & bequeath to my Daughter
Sarah on her Arrival at age or Intermarriage And in Case either of my
Daughters shall depart this Life before her Arrival at age or Intermarriage
Then it is my Will that my other Daughter upon her Arrival at Age or Inter-
marriage or in Case of her Death that the Issue of such other Daughter shall
have & take the Moiety or Share of my said Last mentioned Personal Estate
heretofore bequeathed to the daughter dying under Age or unmarried with the
Profits thereof And in Case both my said Daughters shall die before either of
their Arrival at age or Intermarriage Then it is my Will that all the
Last mentioned Personal Estate with such Part of the Produce & Profits thereof
as shall be then remaining shall be and Remain to & for the Use & Purposes
as are herein before bequeathed to the Use of my said Son Thomas
for Life after his Arrival at the age of twenty Two years also I Give &
bequeath to my Daughter Mary upon her Arrival at Age or Intermarriage
or as soon after as the same can be raised (which it is my Will
shall be raised out of the Profits of all my Estate Real and Personal
as soon as may be) the sum of Seven thousand Pounds Current Money
With the Payments of which sum I hereby charge all my Estate Real and
Personal But in Case my said Daughter Mary shall happen to die before
her Intermarriage or Arrival at age That it is my Will that the said sum
of seven thousand Pounds shall go & be paid to my other Daughter Sarah upon
her Arrival at age or Intermarriage also, It is my Will that the said Trustees
and the survivors & survivor of them & the Heirs Executors Administrators
& Assigns of such Survivor shall manage & occupy the Estates & Employ &
work the Negroes & Slaves herein before bequeathed to and for the Use of my
said Son Thomas in such manner ways & means as they shall think fit &
as will best answer the Intentions of this my Will untill such Time as the
said Thomas shall be by this my Will Intitled to have the Use & Man-
agement thereof & shall after the said sum of seven thousand Pounds Current Money
when & as often they or any of them shall be in Cash from the Profits Increase
or Produce of the respective Shares of my Estate herein before bequeathed to
Share respectively on such Part thereof as they shall think proper at Interest

upon security as they shall think fit or therewith or with such part thereof
as they shall think proper purchase Slaves or Lands for the Benefit of such
Child as will be Intitled to the Estate Real or Personal from which such Pro-
fit or Cash shall arise & to go upon the like Contingencies in the same manner
with the like Limitations as the other Personal Estate hereby given to or
in Trust for such Child is ordered directed Limited or appointed Also it is my
Will & I do hereby declare that the aforesaid several Bequests to & for the Use
of my said dearly beloved wife are & shall be Considered as Given & bequeathed
in full satisfaction of all Dowry & Third which she may or can have
claim Challenge or demand out of all or any Part of my Real & Personal
Estate it is my Will that if my said dearly beloved wife shall claim any dowry
or Thirds out of any Part of my said Estate Real or Personal then the several
Bequests herein before made to her for ever shall cease & determine & the Real
& Personal Estate herein before bequeathed to my said dearly beloved wife during
her Widowhood & Life shall go to the several Persons & to & for the several
Uses Intents & Purposes herein before mentioned Limited & expressed & declared
of for and concerning the same after the death & Intermarriage of my said Negro
named Dublin, Tanchu, Sharpe & Lewis be Wed & Employed on Board of
attending my Schooner & that my Schooner be also used Employed in
bringing to Market the Produce of my several Plantations and Other
uses for the benefit & advantage of my said dearly beloved wife & Child
as my Executors shall think fit Untill my son Thomas his Arrived at the
Age of Twenty two Years & That then the said Slaves shall go & be divided
as herein before is Directed & the said Schooner be sold & the Money arising from
the Sale thereof Equally Divided amongst my Children & that the said
or Master & to be Employed One Board the said Schooner during the time
aforesaid shall be paid his wages out of the Profits to arise from my whole
Estate also I give and bequeath all the rest Residue & Remainder of my Estate
Real & Personal not herein before disposed of to & amongst my said son
Thomas & Daughter Charly & Sarah their said Executors, admors and assigns
for her to be Equally divided between them & their several Respective
Heirs Executors & Admors & to have & to hold the same to them severally &
Respectively as Tenants in Common & not Joint Tenants Lawful Enmi-
rate Constitute & appoint The said Thomas Hutchinson John Queen
James Parsons & the survivors & Survivor of them Executors & Trustees of
this my Last Will & also Guardians of the Persons & Estates of my said
several Children untill they shall respectively attain to the Age of Twenty
One Years, In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & to my hand
at the Twenty fourth day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand
Two hundred and fifty seven

Signed & Sealed by the Testator James Hartley & by him published
Declared as & for his Last will & Testament in the presence of us who have
Subscribed our Names as Witnesses hereto in his presence & at his Request
George Sommers, Joseph Ball, John Bulledge

Memorandum this twenty fourth day of December in the Year of
our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty seven I James Hartley
named in the foregoing will do make this Codicil thereto & it is my Will that
this my Codicil shall be deemed and taken as Part of my said Last Will &
Testament And I do hereby Order and direct that the dwelling House &

204 & other Buildings in Charles Town in the foregoing Well mentioned be completed
by finished upon the Plan and present Design thereof at the Expense of & out
of the Crofts to arise from my Cohole Estate. In Witness Whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & seal the said fourth day of December in the Year of
our Lord One thousand Seven hundred & fifty seven
Signed Sealed Published & Declared by the said James Hartley
James Hartley in the Presence of us who in his
Presence have subscribed our Names as Witnesses
George Sommers, Joseph Ball John Butcher

Whereas, I James Hartley of the Parish of St. Paul in the Province
of South Carolina Planter have made my last Will & Testament in
writing duly executed bearing even date the twelfth fourth day of Decr
in the Year of our Lord One thousand, seven hundred & fifty seven where
by, I have amongst other things therein mentioned, given devised all my
Real Estate, Plantations & Houses whatsoever & wheresoever to Thomas
Hutchinson of Ashepod, John McQueen & James Parsons of Charles
Town Esqrs and the survivors and Survivor of them & the Heirs & Assigns
of such Survivor, To have to hold the same to them the said Thomas, John
& James, & the survivors & Survivor of them & the Heirs and Assigns of such
Survivor upon the special Trust & Confidence to & for the several Uses &
Intent & purposes therein after mentioned & declared of for & concerning
the same And did thereby make & appoint the said Thomas Hutchinson
John McQueen, James Parsons, Executors of my said Will & Guardians of
the Persons, Estates of my several Children, and whereas I am minded
to leave out the said, John McQueen & Thomas Hutchinson from being
Trustees, Executors & Guardians as aforesaid & to revoke that Part of my said
Will appointing them such & in their stead & place to add or insert to
the said James Parsons, my son in Law Robert Philp of Charles Town
Merchant and Daniel Dalton of Combahee in the said Province North
therefore, I do by this my said Codicil annexed to my said Will revoke that part
of my said Will appointing the said Thomas Hutchinson & John McQueen
Trustees, Executors & Guardians as aforesaid, and I do hereby give & devise all
my Real Estate Plantations & Houses whatsoever & wheresoever given &
devised by my said Will to the said John McQueen, Thomas Hutchinson
& James Parsons & the survivors & Survivor of them & the Heirs & Assigns of
such Survivor as aforesaid unto the said, James Parsons, Robert Philp &
Daniel Dalton & the survivors & Survivor of them & the Heirs & Assigns of
such Survivor to the Use of them the said James Parsons, Robert Philp
& Daniel Dalton & the survivors & Survivor of them & the Heirs & Assigns
of such Survivor for ever upon such Trusts, Nevertheless to & for such Intent
& Purposes as in & by my said Will are mentioned, expressed & declared of &
concerning my said Real Estate Plantations & Houses so devised to my said
first & named Trustees & the survivors & Survivor of them & the Heirs & Assigns
of such Survivor And I do hereby make constitute & appoint the said James
Parsons together with the said Robert Philp & Daniel Dalton Executors of my

Said will & the said Robert Philp & James Parsons, Guardians of the Person & Estates of my said Thomas & daughter Sarah until they shall respectively arrive at their full ages of Twenty One Years my Daughter Mary having informed since the making of my said will with the said Robert Philp and I do hereby declare that since the making of my said will I have given to the said Robert Philp in Part Portion towards the Advancement of my daughter Mary some of the slaves by name given her by my said will which it is my will shall be considered as a Recompence to her for the said Slaves, And I do hereby ratify & confirm all & every the Gifts Devours Bequeaths in aid by my said will made & given not here by altered or otherwise determined, And do hereby declare this Writing to be a Codicil to my said will & it is my desire that the same be accepted & taken as Part thereof as fully & Effectually to all Intent & Purposes as if the same had been actually inserted therein, All Witnesses whereof the said James Hartley have hereunto set my hand & seal this Twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & Eighty eight.

This Writing was Signed & Sealed by the Above mentioned James Hartley & by him published & declared as a Codicil to be annexed to his last will & Testament in the Presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our Names as clerks thereto in his Presence
George Carpenter, Samuel Hamlin, John Rutledge

At the same time Qualified James Parsons
& Robert Philp Executors - 27th Apr. 1759.

James Hartley (Seal)

South Carolina, In the name of God Amen, I William Donaldson Minister of the Gospel at Kingston in the Parish of Prince George being weak in body but of sound memory, do make publish and declare the substance of my last will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to wit Principally, I commend my soul to Almighty God Hoping for the Mercy of my Sins and a blessed Immortality thro the mediation of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ And as for my worldly Estate, I have disposed of the same in the following manner, I Primes, It is my will that at a convenient ^{time} after the Reaping & In gathering of my Present Crop now planted, My Executors herein after named, do and shall dispose of and sell to the best Advantage all and singular my Estate both real and personal, And I do hereby Authorize and empower them and the survivors of them their Heirs Executors and Administrators, to make Execute and deliver good and sufficient Titles for the same, and every part thereof to the purchasers or purchasers, And to the end that my Estate may be sold, to the best advantage, I desire my Executors if possible to obtain the consent of my Creditors that the same be sold for one Years Credit from the day of sale and not for ready money. - Item it is my will that the moneys arising from the sale of my said Estate be applied by my Executors, First