

I am and guardian of the person and Estate of my son Henry during his minority, and I do hereby empower my said Executor if he shall think proper to sell and dispose of all or any part of my Real Estate and to make good and sufficient titles in his simple for the same and in case my said Executor shall sell my said Estate I give and bequeath the money to arise from the sale thereof after payment of my debts one fourth to my wife and the remainder to my son, I also give and bequeath after payment of my debts one fourth of my personal Estate to my said wife and the remainder to my son that in case he shall die under age I bequeath his share of the money to arise from sale of the said land and of the said personal Estate Jacob William Harrey and Ann Harrey children of my brother Benjamin and the survivor of them subject nevertheless to the payment of all charges of maintenance and Education of my said son that in case my said Executor shall think proper not to dispose of my Real Estate or to sell only part thereof I give and devise the same to the said son to be by him enjoyed of to my son in his simple or his attaining the age of twenty one years and will that my Executor shall in the mean time use work and employ it for my said sons Benefit and Advantage but if my said son shall die before the said age I give and devise my said Estate to the said children of my brother Benjamin in Fee allowing however to my wife her residence on

on my land which shall not be sold by my Executor from the time of my death during her Widowhood and I give and bequeath my said personal Estate in the same manner shares and proportions as in case my real Estate should be sold. I will and direct that the above bequests to my wife be considered paid before in lieu of dower and if she shall claim that the bequests herein to her shall be void as to her and the Estate or legacy willed to her hereby shall go as the remainder of my said Estate is hereby disposed of. My Witnesses whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 18th April 1764.

Signed sealed, published and declared by the said Testator as and for his last will & Testament in presence of us who at his request and in the presence of him and each other subscribe our names as witnesses hereto

Elizabeth Wilson
John Stevenson
Robert Harrey

Arnold Harrey (seal)

Done before the Honble William Daniel Esq^r Justice of the Peace 24th August 1764 at the same time qualifying Sophia Harrey Executrix to the said will

South Carolina
In the Name of God amen, I Thomas Cooper of Charleston in the Province of South Carolina Merchant being sick and weak in body but of sound mind memory and Understanding do make publish and declare this my last will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made And first and principally I commit my soul into the hands of my Creator who gave it and my Body to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors herein after named and as to such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Entrust me I dispose of the same as followeth I give and bequeath unto Hannah Wright of the parish of St Peter in the City of Bristol in the Kingdom of Great Britain widow the sum of two hundred pounds Sterling money of the said Kingdom, I then I give and bequeath unto Mr James Wright and Mr Benedict Wright Living

(being the son and daughter of the aforesaid Hannah Wright)
 the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds Sterling Money
 appraised by each of them I give and bequeath unto
 Barland Britten late of London Merchant of the age of
 16, alone at my decease the sum of five hundred pounds
 Sterling money aforesaid but in case of the dying before
 me I then give and bequeath the said sum of five hundred
 pounds Sterling unto the aforesaid Hannah Wright
 Item all the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate
 whether real or personal or of what nature soever or
 whosoever the same may be I give devise and bequeath
 unto the aforesaid Hannah Wright and to her heirs
 Executors administrators and assigns forever. But
 in case she should not be alive at my decease then I
 give devise and bequeath the said rest residue and
 remainder of my Estate real and personal unto the
 above named James and Benedict Wright to be shared
 Equally between them share and share alike and to
 their heirs Executors and Administrators forever.
 Item it is my will and Express desire that all the
 legacies herein by me given and bequeathed be remitted
 in good Bills of Exchange to the legacies aforesaid by
 my Executors hereafter named as soon as possible after
 my decease. And Lastly I hereby nominate constitute
 and appoint my friends Messrs John Chapman
 William Price of Charles Town in the Province aforesaid
 Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby
 repeating all former and other wills and wills by me
 heretofore made in Witness whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and seal this 23rd day of March in the year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty four
 and in the fourth year of his majestys Reign.

Thomas Cooper (seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the
 above named Thomas Cooper as and for his last
 Will and Testament in the presence of us who
 have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses
 thereto in the presence of the said Testator and in
 the presence of each other.

Negmaw Spallan } Proved before the Honble William Byrd Esq^r
 Thomas Poole } Lieut Governor 24th August 1764
 William Poole }

In the Name of God amen This 24th day of
 July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty
 four I Richard Rippon of Edisto Island in the Province of South
 Carolina being sick in Body but of sound memory and perfect
 Judgment, praise be given to God for the same, and knowing
 the uncertainty of life on earth and being desirous to settle
 my affairs in order do make this my last Will and Testament
 in manner and form following that is to say, first and principally
 I commend my soul to Almighty God my Creator and my
 body to the earth from whence it was taken to be buried in a decent
 Christian manner according to the direction of my Executors here
 after named and first I Revokes Renounces frustrate and make
 void all wills by me formerly made and declare and appoint
 this only to be my last Will and Testament, and first I desire
 that all my just and lawful debts be paid and discharged
 together with my funeral charges as soon as possible after my
 decease. Item it is my desire that my lower Island contain
 ing seventy Acres in a Separate plat be sold either at private
 or publick sale as my Executors shall think best in order
 that the monies arising therefrom should be to discharge my just
 and lawful debts Item It is my desire that all my personal
 Estate be equally divided between my loving wife Hannah
 Rippon