

begetten that then the whole of my Estate both real & personal
shall go to & be equally divided amongst the Children of my Bre-
ther Jonathan Roberts of Virginia & my Sister Christian Thomas
(now the wife of John Thomas of North Carolina) that shall be
then living, To have & to hold the same to them & their heirs respec-
tively for ever, as tenants in Common & not as joint Tenants
Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my dearly
beloved wife Mary Roberts & my friends Gabriel Manigault &
Peter Manigault Esq^r Executors & Executors of this my last will
& Testament & Guardians of the person of my Son William Roberts
untill his arrival to the Age of Twenty One Years as aforesaid
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this
fifteenth Day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand
Seven hundred & Sixty three

Signed Sealed, published &
Declared by the above named
Benjamin Roberts as & for his
last will & testament in the
presence of us who have here
unto subscribed our names as
Witnesses thereto in the presence
of the said Testator & in the pre-
sence of each other

Thos Webb
Mary Proybould
Thos Bee

Ben^{ro} Roberts

Proved by virtue of a dedimus from
his Excellency the Governor directed to
Thos Motture Esq dated 3 July 1772

South Carolina

In the Name of God Amen I Peter Ma-
zych of Charles Town in the province of South Carolina Merchant
being at present sick & weak in body but of sound & disposing mind
memory & Understanding blessed be God for the same, do make pub-
lish & declare this to be & contain my last will & testament in manner
following. First & principally when it shall please God to call me
hence I resign my Soul into his almighty protection humbly ho-
ping for the remission of my Sins thro the merits of my Saviour
Jesus Christ & my body I commit to the earth to be decently buried at

the Discretion of my Executors hereinafter named And as to what
 worldly Estate it hath pleased God to bestow upon me as of all
 & Singular my Just debts & funeral Expences are fully paid &
 satisfied, I do hereby give devise & bequeath the same as follows
 That is to say Improvements Whereas I have agreed with the Execu-
 tors of Isaac Mazzyck deceased my late honoured Father for the
 purchase of a certain tract of Land Originally Granted to my said
 Father containing four hundred & fifty Acres situate on Brittons
 Neck for the price or Sum of two thousand pounds Currency, it
 is my Will & I do hereby direct my Executors hereinafter named
 to pay out of any Monies belonging to my Estate the said Sum of
 two thousand pounds Currency to the Executors of my said deceased
 Father upon their executing good & Sufficient Titles for the
 said Land & upon the Execution of such Titles I do hereby give
 devise & bequeath the said tract of four hundred & fifty Acres of
 Land unto my Brother Paul Mazzyck, Also all that my
 Plantation or tract of Land which I purchased of Moses
 Britton containing four hundred & Ninety three Acres situate
 & lying on Brittons Neck in Craven County on the North side
 of Pedee River adjoining the above mentioned tract of four hun-
 dred & fifty Acres to hold to him the said Paul Mazzyck & the heirs
 Male of his body lawfully begotten forever, But in case of the death
 of my said Brother Paul Mazzyck without Issue Male of
 his body then it is my will & I do hereby give devise & bequeath
 the said two tracts of Land with the Appendments & appurte-
 nances thereto belonging unto the heirs male of the Bodies of my
 Brothers Isaac Mazzyck & William Mazzyck respectively as
 Tenants in Common for ever Item I give & bequeath to my Bro^r
 Paul Mazzyck the Sum of two hundred pounds Currency upon
 this trust & Condition that he do pay the Sum of twenty pound
 Currency, To Fance Sylvia a Negroe Woman formerly the pro-
 perty of my deceased father yearly & every Year during the term of
 her natural Life And upon her decease I do hereby give the said

principal Sum of two hundred pounds to the sole use & behoof of ²²³him
my brother Paul & his assigns for ever. Item I give & bequeath unto my
Sister Mary Parker the wife of Phillipe Parker of Charlestown
Gentleman & her assigns forever the sum of three thousand pounds
Currency. Item I give & bequeath unto my sister Mary Ann Mazyck
& her assigns for ever the sum of two thousand pound currency
Item I give & bequeath unto my Brother Stephen Mazyck & his
Assigns for ever, the sum of Twelve hundred & fifty pound Currency
Item I give & bequeath unto my Nephew Isaac Mazyck son of my
Brother William Mazyck his heirs & Assigns for ever all those
my three tracts of Land originally Granted to me containing respec-
tively One thousand Acres Three hundred Acres & five Hundred acres
situate & being in Craven County between the waters & confluence
Rivers Also my tract of Land which I purchased of Ephraim Mit-
chell containing One Hundred Acres situate & being in St Marks
Parish Craven County Also my tract of Land which I purchased
of Moses Kirkland containing five hundred Acres situate & being
in Craven County being part of a larger tract of Land containing
Six Hundred ~~Acres~~ fifty acres Originally Granted to one W^m
Lucker, Also all those my three tracts of Land which I purchased
of John Mitchell containing respectively One hundred Acres
Two hundred & fifty Acres & two hundred Acres situate & being in
St Marks parish Craven County aforesaid And also all that my
plantation or tract of Land containing four hundred Acres
which I purchased of Mr Philip Parker Together with all &
Singular the Hereditaments & Appurtenances to the said se-
veral tracts of Land belonging. But in Case of the death of
my said Nephew before he attains the Age of Twenty One Years
without Issue of his body Lawfully begotten then it is my will
& I do hereby give devise & bequeath All my said lands, heroin
abovementioned bequeathed & given him with the Heredita-
ments & appurtenances thereto belonging unto the heirs male
of the Bodies of my Brothers Isaac Mazyck & William
Mazyck to hold to them their heirs & Assigns for ever as Te-

wants in Common & not as Joint tenants Any thing in this
 my Will contained to the contrary thereof in any wise not-
 withstanding, I Item Give devise & bequeath unto my Ne-
 phew William Maryck Jun^r son of my Brother William
 Maryck & to his heirs & assigns for ever, All those my two tracts
 of Land which I purchased of Moses Hickland containing
 respectively One hundred Acres & One hundred & eighty three
 Acres, situate & being in Amelia Township. Also all that
 my tract of Land Granted to me by the Hon^{ble} Wm Bull Esq
 Lieut Gov^r of this province the twenty eighth day of January
 in the year of our lord One thousand Seven hundred &
 Seventy One, containing two hundred & fifty Acres situate
 & being in Amelia Township. Also all that my tract of
 Land which I purchased of Jacob Johnson containing two
 Hundred Acres situate & being in Amelia Township afoe-
 said And also all my right & title in & to a Certain tract
 or parcell of Land containing forty seven Acres situated
 in Amelia Township for the purchase of which I have
 agreed with Morgan Sabb together with all & singular
 the Hereditaments & appurtenances to the said several
 tracts of Land belonging, But in case of the Death of my
 said Nephew before he attains the age of twenty One years
 without Issue of his body lawfully begotten then & in such
 case it is my Will & I do hereby give devise & bequeath all
 my said lands herein above mentioned bequeathed him with
 the Hereditaments & Appurtenances thereunto belonging
 unto the heirs male of the Bodies of my Brothers Isaac
 Maryck & William Maryck to hold to them their heirs &
 assigns for ever as tenants in Common, I moreover Morgan
 Sabb hath agreed to convey to me a certain piece of Land con-
 taining forty seven acres situate & being in Amelia Township
 in Lieu of thirty five Acres of Land which I purchased

of Daniel Strobell's payment of the Sum of Sixty five pounds ²²
Currency being the supposed rated Difference in value between the
said two tracts which said Sum of Sixty five pounds I have
lately paid to the said Morgan Sabb, I do therefore hereby fully
authorize & empower such of my Executors herein after named as
shall Qualify & take upon them the Execution of this my will
& the Survivors & Survivor of them to make & execute good &
Sufficient Titles & Conveyances for Conveying & assigning the
said thirty five Acres of Land unto the said Morgan Sabb his
heirs & assigns for ever & as may by Council be advised upon
Condition nevertheless that the said Morgan Sabb or his repre-
sentatives in case of his death do carry into Execution his part
of the said Agreement & do make good & Sufficient Titles for
the said forty seven acres of Land to my Nephew William
Marzuck Jun^r to whom I have & do as above give bequeath
& Assign all my right & title to the same, Item I do hereby
give & bequeath unto my Nephews Isaac Marzuck & William
Marzuck Jun^r Sons of my Brother William Marzuck & to their
heirs & Assigns for ever All my plantation & other Negroe
Slaves in the Country (Except Joe, Boatman & Dick who
I yet direct be continued on the plantation at work as usual
untill April next) Also my following Negroe Slaves in town
Viz Frank Holland, Stephen & Martin & it is my Will &
I do hereby direct that the Lands given & devised to my said
Nephews be carefully improved from time to time & planted in
Common And the plantation Slaves be employed thereon as
usual & to the utmost advantage for their Joint use & benefit
& my said Nephews maintained & Liberally Educated & all taxes
& other Charges on the said lands & Negroes paid out of the
Issues & profits arising & accruing therefrom untill my
Nephew Isaac shall attain his full age of twenty One
Years & then & not before the said Negroes & other Slaves &
their Increase equally divided between them share & share

alike And in the Mean time the Clear Profit & Gross
 Increase & profits arising therefrom be placed out at Interest
 or invested in the purchase of Lands Negroes or other Slaves
 as by my Executors shall be judged most conducive to the
 benefit & Advantage of my said Nephews, Item I
 do hereby order & direct that my house or Messuage con-
 sisting of two tenements fronting on Todd Street &
 Bedons Alley in Charles Town aforesaid & my house
 & lot situate at the upper End of Broad Street lately
 conveyed to me by my Brother Isaac Mazyck in pur-
 suance of the last Will & Testament of my late deceased
 Father be sold as soon as conveniently may be after my
 decease either at publick or private Sale as my Execu-
 tors may see fit, hereby fully authorising & empowering
 my said Executors & the Survivors & Survivor of them or
 such as shall Qualify & take upon him or them the
 burden & Execution of this my Will to make & execute good
 & sufficient Titles & Conveyances whatsoever in the Law
 necessary for Conveying & assuring the same or any part unto
 the purchasers or purchaser thereof Item as for & concerning
 all & Singular the rest Surplus & Residue of my Estate
 both real & personal whatsoever & Wherever (after de-
 ducting all & Singular my Just Debts Funeral Expenses
 & pecuniary bequests herein before Mentioned & the charges
 & Expenses incident to the Execution of this my Will)
 I do hereby give devise & bequeath the same unto my
 loving Brothers Isaac Mazyck Paul Mazyck &
 William Mazyck their heirs & assigns for ever to be
 equally divided between them as tenants in Common
 share & share alike Lastly I do hereby nominate con-
 stitute & appoint my Brothers Isaac Mazyck William
 Mazyck & Paul Mazyck & my Brother in Law Mr
 Philip Porcher Executors of this my last will & Testa-

ment ranking by these presents all former & other Wills by ²²⁹
me at any time heretofore made & declaring this only to be & con-
tain my last will & testament written in this & the two preceding
pages of One Sheet of Dami Royal paper In Witness whereof
I the said Peter Marych have hereunto set my hand & seal
this twenty fourth day of June In the year of our Lord One
thousand Seven Hundred & Twenty two & in the twelfth year
of his Majesty's Reign

Signed Sealed Published & declared
by the above named Peter Marych as &
his last Will & testament in presence
of us who in his Sight & in the sight of
each other have at his request Subscribed
our names as Witnesses the name Paul
Marych being first interlined in the
eleventh line from the bottom of this last

Page Charlotte Ravenel
Daniel Ravenel Junr
Wm Mason

Peter Marych



Proved by virtue of a Statute
from his Excellency the Governor
directed to Tho: Ashton Esq the
23 July 1772 at some time qua-
lified William Marych Esq as
Executor to the above Will
My Virtue of a Statute to me directed
I have this 22nd Dec^r 1772 qualified
Peter Marych Esq to the above
Will — Tho: Ashton

S Carolina

In the Name of God Amen the fifteenth
day of February 1764 I William Parmenter of Granville County
Planter Being very Sick & weak in Body, but of perfect
Mind & Memory thanks be given to God therefore calling to
Mind the mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed
for all Men once to die, Do make & Ordain this my last
Will & testament, that is to say principally & first of all, I give
& recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that
gave it & my Body I recommend to the earth to be buried in
decent Christian Burial 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 as hath pleased God to
Bestow on me in this life I give demise & dispose of the same