

WILL OF

WILLIAM ARCHER

In The Name of God Amen, I William Archer of Rockey Creek in Chester County Pinckney District in the State of South Carolina being Sick & Weak in Body but of Perfect mind & Memory Blissed be the God of all my Mercies for the Same Therefore Calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and that I must shortly Give up this Mortal Life, Do Therefore make and ordain this my last Will & testament in manner & form following. Viz. First, I give up my Soul ~~into~~ the hand of God who give Et hoping that through the Merits & Intercession of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ he will Graciously Receive the Same: Next I commit my Body to Earth to be Burried in Decent Burrial At the Descretion of my Executors, As to my World Estate I Leave Demiss & Bequeath in the following order & way---Imprimus, first. I Leave & Bequeath to Isbel Archer my beloved Wife the House & Plantation I now live upon with the Household furniture and black Cattle, Sheep & Hogs & also the use of the Negroes During her whole Life time and the use of the Plantation Tools with a Third <sup>all</sup> Part of / the Debts Due to me: But at her death the plantation & other Particulars or Bequeasts ~~allow~~ in the form & Manner following, Viz. The Land to be thee Property of William Archer son to Robert Archer & none other, & I Likewise allow my Son Robert to plow & Cultivate the land I now live upon during the whole Lifetime of his Mother, she ~~Remaining~~ in Widowhood for her use & Benefit. and further I allow that at the Decease of my Beloved wife Isbel Archer an Immediate Inventory to be taken of the whole Estate Real & Personal (Except my Land) belonging to me & being duly Estimated or Vendued four Equall

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of the Property to be Removed off the Premises untill an  
Inventory & Sale & Division is Made---And I do hereby appoint  
Constitute & ordain Robert Archer & William Peden both of Rock-  
ey Creek to be the Sole Executors of this my Last Will & Test-  
ament & hereby Revoling Nullifying & making void all former

Wills & Bequeasts of any kind or in any Manner of way &  
Certifying this this to be ~~my~~ Last Will & Testament & none  
other In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal  
this Nineteenth day of October A. D. One Thousand Seven  
hundred & Ninety four in the Nineteenth Year of the Indepen-  
dence of the United States of America-----

Signed Sealed Published & Pronounced

In Presence of-----

John Orr

Andrew Smith

David Stormond

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William O Archer(Seal)  
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Probate Date Not Recorded