

## WILL OF

## EPHRIAM PETTIPOOL

In the name of God Amen, I Ephriam Pettipool of the State of South Carolina in Fairfield County Planter being very sick and weak in Body, but of perfect mind and memory, Thanks be given to God; calling unto Mind the Mortality of my Body, and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die; do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament: This is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the hand of Almighty God that gave it, and <sup>my</sup> Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in Christian decent Burial at the Discretion of my Executors. And as touching such Worthy Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to blefs me with in this Life, I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and Form. First I lend to my wife ~~the said Sarah Pettipool~~ <sup>Fairfield County Will Book 2, 1792-1795</sup> ~~the said Sarah Pettipool~~ during her natural Life or Widowhood all my Estate both real and Personal by her freely to be pofessed and enjoyed provided she doth not waste or embezzel the same or any part thereof. And afterwards I give and devise all my Lands and Plantation whereon I now dwell containing three hundred acres to my two youngest Sons Ephriam and Thomas Pettipool, and after my said Wife decease or Widowhood I will that thes<sup>d</sup> Lands & plantation be rented out and the profit thereof to go to the use of my said Sons Ephriam and Thomas, and thes<sup>d</sup> Eldest son Namely Ephriam not to have any command or pofefsion of thes<sup>d</sup> Lands or any part thereof, until Thomas arrives to the Age of Twenty-two years. I give and bequeath to my Son William Pettipool one Negree Man named George to have Pofefsion of him as soon as he shall recover or get a Negree from James Hunt to the Value of sixty Pounds Sterling, and

for all Men once to die; do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament: This is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the hand of Almighty God that gave it, and <sup>my</sup> Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in Christian decent Burial at the Discretion of my Executors. And as touching such Worthy Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to blefs me with in this Life, I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and Form. First I lend to my well beloved Wife Ursella Pettipool during her natural Life or Widowhood all my Estate both real and Personal by her freely to be pofessed and enjoyed provided she doth not waste or embezzel the same or any part thereof. And afterwards I give and devise all my Lands and Plantation whereon I now dwell containing three hundred acres to my two youngest Sons Ephriam and Thomas

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Pettipool, and after my said Wife's decease in Widowhood

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Daughters (Namely) Tabitha, Frances, Nanny & Ursilla  
(Likewise the Houshold Furniture in the same manner.)--

And that Negree which my Son William is to deliver to  
his Mother ~~due~~ due from James Hunt I will that these  
Negroe (after the<sup>d</sup> Mother's decease) be sold and the  
Money arising therefrom be equally divided between m<sup>y</sup>  
said two youngest Sons Ephriam and Thomas Pettipool.  
And lastly I do constitute and appoint my said Wife  
Executrix and my Son Abraham Pettipool Executor to  
this my last Will and Testament In Witnefs whereof I have  
hereunto set my Hand and Seal, the second Day of Feb-  
ruary, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand seven  
Hundred and Ninety-three-----

Signed Sealed published pro-

Ephriam Pettipool, Seal

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the Presence of us, who in his

Presence and in the Presence

of each other have hereunto

subscribed our Names-----

John Yarborough

his

William X Graham

mark

his

Charles X Graham

mark

Thos. Starks

Nichs. pea

James Hart

John Yarbroe