

In the name of God, Amen, I, Stephen Dill, of the State of South Carolina in the District of Greenville being very sick and weak but of perfect senses and memory, do make petition and declare this to my last will and testament. First, I give my soul to almighty God who first gave it to me and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors, and as to my worldly estate the Lord has pleased to bless me with I give and desire in manner as follows.

Item 1st, I bequeath unto my wife Polly Dill my tract of land containing of one hundred and fifty acres her lifetime and also I bequeath unto her all my ready money and also my stock of hogs also my stock of cattle also mare and gag and also my stock of sheep and also two feather beds and their clothing; I also bequeath unto her a negro boy named Mays her lifetime, and I also bequeath unto her a negro woman named Mint her life time and at her decease she is to live with them that treat her best/ This bequeath and will unto my beloved wife Polly Dill as above named.

Item 2nd. It is my will and desire that my son Charles that I bequeath unto him one hundred dollars out of my estate.

Item 3rd. It my will and desire that my son Eneas that I bequeath unto him one hundred and twenty-five dollars out of my estate.

Item 4. It is my will and desire that my son Jefferson that I bequeath unto him one hundred dollars out of my estate.

Item 5. Tis my desire that my daughter Franky Henson that I bequeath unto her one hundred dollars out of my

Item 6. Tis my desire that daughter Polly Henson that I bequeath unto her one hundred dollars out of my estate after these three sons and two daughters receive the above named sum they are equal with the rest and after the property is sold and debts paid they come in for an equal share with

the rest.

Item V. It is my will and desire that I bequeath unto my son George Dill one negro boy named Rubin and also one Clay bank colt.

Item S. It my will and desire that I bequeath unto my Benjamin F. Dill one negro boy named Zed and also one horse-colt with these two sons George and Benjamin receive the above named property they have received their part and portion of my estate all the rest of my property to be sold and equally divided between the rest of my children.

I hereby appoint my wife Polly Dill and my son Elyah Dill to my executor to manage my estate agreeable to how both of them whom I put my ~~trust~~ confidence in to manage my estate as executors to carry this will into execution.
Signed and sealed this 18th day of February 1839.

In presence of

his

Bunel I. Stewart

Stephen I Dill
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William Mitchell

T. Jefferson Dill

George M. Dill

B. F. Dill

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