

WILL OF

JOHN HARDY

In the Name of god amen I John Hardy in the State of South CarolinaERRY Districk Beingg Sick and weak in body but of perfect Sense and memory Thanks be to God do make this to be my last will and testament in maner And forme as followeth -

first I Give my Soul to allmighty God that Give It and my body to the Earth to be desently buried to the Discretion of my Exe^r here After named as to my worldly Estate I will and positively order that all my Debts be Paid -----

I, I Give to my deerly beloved wife Charity Hardy two Cows and Calves to her use and Disposhel for Ever also I Give the use of my plantation where on I now live with three hundred and ten acers of land my horse and ex with all my household furniture and my hoggs with all my plantation tools to be my wifes During her widowhood or natural life that is as long as she bares my name and no Longer then the above mantioned property I Give to my Son Thomas Hardy him and his heirs for Ever -----

I, I Give to my Daughter Elisibeth two Cows and Calves to her and her heirs for Ever

I, I Give to my Daughter mary two Cows and Calves to her and her heirs for Ever

I, I Give to my Daughter Hanah two Cows and Calves to her and her heirs for Ever

I, I Give to my Daughter Catron two Cows and Calves to her and her heirs for Ever

I, I Give to my brother Robert Hardy one Cow to him and his heirs for Ever and I do appeint and leave my friends Charity Hardy and Wright Sellers Exe^r to this my will and testament by me maid Revoking and Disnulling all other wills In Witnefs where of I have hereunte Set my hand and Seal the Second Day of September In the year of Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Nine

his
John I Hardy
mark

(Seal)

Witnesses

Benjaⁿ Sellers

his

Edmond I Hattaway

mark

his

Robert X Hardy

mark.

as it was forget untell this will was Signed and Seald I now
leave two hundred and Eighty Six acers of land to be Equally
Divided between my four Daughters and also two Cows and Calves
to my Son Thomas

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