

WILL OF

AARON MARTIN, SR.

South Carolina) In the name of God amen. I, Aaron Martin of the Dis-
 Marion District) trict and State aforesaid do make this my last Will and
 Testament. - First I give and recommend my Soul to. God who gave it. my
 body to be buried in a decent Christian manner.- and as touching such
 worldly Estate. as it hath Pleas'd God to blefs me with I dispose of in
 the following manner.-

To my beloved wife Elizabeth Martin I loan during her natural life.- all
 that Plantation or tract of Land with the improvements thereon, on which
 I now live, on the East side of Maiden down Swamp.- Containing about one
 hundred & fifty acres, allowing her full and free priveledge to Cultivate
 all, or any portion of the Same-. I also loan to her. the use of a certain
 negree Girl by the name of chloe during her life aforesaid - and give to
 her all my household and Kitchen furniture - all my bacon: and Corn on hand.
 at the time of my death - fourteen head of Cattle,- Twenty head of hogs.
 and one horse and Also the sum of one hundred dollars to be paid as follows.
 to wit Twenty five Dollars a year.-

To my Son Emanuel Martin, and to his children I give the property mentioned
 in a deed, Executed, on the .20. Jany. 1841. and I do hereby ratify and Con-
 firm the Same.

To my Son Aaron Martin, and to his Children I ratify and Confirm the Deed
 Executed on the 20th. Jany 1841.

To my Daughter Mary Stephens, and her children I ratify and Confirm the Deed
 Executed on the 20th Jany. 1841. I also give her the Sum of fifty dollars
 to be paid whenever applied for -

To my Daughter Olivia, I give the sum of Two hundred dollars. to be paid
 fifty Dollars annually.-

To my Daughter Mourning Flowers, I give the sum of fifty Dollars, to be paid,
 when applied for.

To my Son. Matthew Martin, after the Death of my Said wife, and to his child-
 ren, I give the Land loaned to her., ratifying and Confirming a deed Executed
 20 Jany. 1841.-

upon the Death of my said wife., I give to my three sons Matthew, Emanuel and

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Aaron Martin, and to their children the negroe Girl. chloe. and her increase said. negroe chloe. and increase to be equally divided between them, by a Sale, and the proceeds divided accordingly. - Confirming a Deed Executed the 20 Jay. 1841 -

It is my Particular desire that my said sons. should assist my said wife in the management. of said negroe chloe, and enjoin upon them all to live in peace one with another.- and I sincerely hope no dispute will be. among them Concerning my Worldly Estate -

Lastly, as the Land I now live on, is given to Matthew Martin I appoint him Executor of this will: and enjoin him particularly to attend to the assistance of his Mother the Said Elisabeth Martin in the management of her farm and the negroe..chloe. aforesaid

Witness my hand & Seal Sixth day of may. 1841

Witness

his Sr.
Matthew X Martin
mark

his
Aaron Martin (SEAL)
mark

James bryan

Ed. B. Wheeler

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E. B. Wheeler, Ordinary

Roll No. 206