

I Absolum Burn of the District of Marlborough in the State of South Carolina in having Taken into Consideration the uncertainty of this mortal life; and as I have awish to make a Disposition of all the property & effects that it has pleased divine providence to endow me with, I do hereby make & ordain this to be my last Will and Testament # # # (Viz).

1st It is my will and Desire that all my Just debts shall be fully paid & discharged # # # #

2nd I lend unto my Loving Wife Nancy Burns all my Estate of every description that I may possess or be entitled to at the time of my death, during the term of her natural life # # # #

3rd I Give and bequeath unto my Children after the payment of all my Just Debts and at the decease of my loving wife all my Estate of every description then remaining which said property now bequeathed was by the foregoing Clause lent to my Loving Wife To be equally divided among them Share & Share alike to them and their Heirs forever

4th & Lastly I do hereby Nominate and appoint my Loving Wife to be Executrix & my trusty friends Joseph Wright & William F. Ellerbe Executors to this my last will & Testament and I do hereby Vest in them full power & authority to Carry this my will into full & Compleat effect #.#.#.#.#

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal This 25th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & sixteen and in the Forty first year of the Independence of the United State of America

Signed Sealed & acknowledged

In the Presence of # # # #

D. Robertson

Samuel Goodwin

Ch. W. Lide

Absolum Burn (Seal)

Recorded in Will Book A.