

In the name of God amen.

I Thomas Cochran of the State of South Carolina, and District of Marlborough being perfect health and of sound mind and memory Yet knowing the end of man is death which I am fast approaching do make this my last will and Testament, in the manner following that is to say after all my just debts are paid, I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Cochran and my son Claudius my Dwelling house and furniture and all the land which I now live on together with all the stock all the horses Mules Waggons and plantation tools Cattle and hogs my riding chair and my negro man named Pompey and my negro Aggy and a small girl by the name of Harlot Ginneys Child and all the Negro Slaves possessed by her before our marriage and after her death or marriage to descend to my son Claudius and if he dies without an heir from his own body, to be subject to an equal division among his half brothers and sisters.

I will and bequeath to my son Robert's two Daughters namely, Hannah and and Mariah Cochran, all my land at the Beauty Spot Joining the tract which I gave to Covington together with my Negro woman called big Harlot and her increase, and if one of the said heirs, Hannah or Mariah, should die without an heir from their own body, the above Harlot and her increase should fall to the other and if both of them should die without an heir, to fall back to the other heirs, - I also will and bequeath all the rest of my Negroes, viz; Tom and Nan, Gin Bimor, and their increase to be equally divided between Nancy Hamer, Rachel Bethea, Peggy Bethea and Martha Gorgill, to be divided in the following manner; to it to be divided into lots according to the number of heirs, Covington excepted, and each heir draw them by lots and if one lot should be valued higher than another the difference to be made up to those heirs who get the least valuable lots by those who get the most valuable, I also express

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it as my will and particular desire that the Negroes may not be sold nor go out of the possession of the above mentioned heirs, I all so will Henry Covington all that tract of land which I own in the Ocean. I also will that the notes which I have on Henry Covington should be collected to pay my just debts and the overplus to go to make the lots of the heirs equal in the division, I also will that the land which I have left to my son Robert's two Daughters in the Beauty Spot should be rented out and the profits arising therefrom should pay for their schooling and other expenses, In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and Seal, this the twenty seventh day of December the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventeen.-----

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Thos. Cochran (SEAL)

William Evans

In addition to this will I appoint the following persons as Executors on my will, John Hamer and Sandy Corgill, James Bethea and Philip Bethea to which I have also affixed my name according to date and place in the above will.

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