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WILL OF

JOHN KELLEY

In the name of God Amen,--- I John Kelley of Newberry District South Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and memory, but weak in body, and calling to mind the uncertainty of life, and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to blefs me with, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, hereby revoking, and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made,--- And first, I direct that my body be decently interred in the burying ground on my place, and that an exception of thirty yards square be made in ^{the} sale of my land, And that my grave be ~~be~~ honored with decent tomb stones, such as my Executors hereinafter mentioned may choose And as to such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to blefs me with, I dispose of the same as follows:- First, I direct that all my debts and funeral expences be paid as soon after my decease as possible, out of the first moneys that shall come into the hands of my Executors, from any portion of my estate, real or personal:- Also I direct that a fair Valuation, or appraisement to made, by three judicious neighbours, of all my said estate, and after being signed with their names, that a copy of the same shall be given by them to each of my Executors:- Also, I direct that my land, or real estate of which I may die seised or possessed, and all my personal property not otherwise disposed of, shall be sold by my Executors at public auction on such credit, and the amount thereof secured in such manner, as is usual in like cases to insure the full and punctual payment thereof; And to effectuate this my intention, I do hereby Vest in my Executors full power and authority to dispose of my property both real and personal, with the exception above mentioned, as I could myself do, if liveings:- Also, I do di-

that my body be decently interred in the burying ground on my place, and that an exception of thirty yards square be made in ^{the} sale of my land. And that my grave be ~~be~~ honored with decent tomb stones, such as my Executors hereinafter mentioned may choose. And as to such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, I dispose of the same as follows:- First, I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible, out of the first moneys that shall come into the hands of my Executors, from any portion of my estate, real or personal:- Also I direct that a fair Valuation, or appraisement be made, by three judicious neighbours, of all my said estate, and after being signed with their names, that a copy of the same shall be given by them to each of my Executors:- Also, I direct that my land, or real estate of which I may die seised or possessed, and all my personal property not otherwise disposed of, shall be sold by my Executors at public auction on such credit, and the amount thereof secured in such manner, as is usual in like cases to insure the full and punctual payment thereof:- And to effectuate this my intention, I do hereby Vest in my Executors full power and authority to dispose of my property both real and personal, with the exception above mentioned, as I could myself do, if living:- Also, I do direct that the nett produce of my personal estate heretofore ordered by me to be disposed of, be divided equally, as soon as it can be done, share and share alike, amongst my several children who shall survive me; and that the produce of the real estate shall be divided in like manner, as soon as it shall come into the hands of my Executors; with this exception, One hundred dollars which Ann E Kelley has had must be taken from her share, One hundred from the ^{the value of horses} shares of Langston A. Kelley and John T. Kelley'. My negro Boy

Refs not otherwise disposed of, I leave in the hands of my Executors until the minors are of age :- Also, I direct that my beloved son William L. Kelley born to me by my first Wife have a portion of fifty Dollars out of my estate.-- And I do hereby make and ordain my esteemed friend and Neighbour George Graham, and my loveing and beloved daughter Harriet, C. Kelly, Executor, and Executrix, of this my last Will and Testament,-- In testimony wher of, I John Kelley the testator, have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal,-- This, twenty first day November one thousand and eight hundred and thirty six, and sixty first year of American Independence

Signed sealed and delivered as the
last will and testament of John
Kelley in the presence of us

John Kelley (L.S.)

James Liles

Henry Adams

B. Z. Durgott

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W. Wilson, Ordinary Newberry District.

Box No. 107. Pkg No. 281. Est. No. 2754.

Clause of Guardianship.

If in case I shall die leaveing minor children my Will is, and that I do appoint ' my within mentioned Executor, and Executrix, shall have the Guardianship and tuition of them during their minority, in consequence of the Refusal of my son John T. Kelley
Signed sealed published and declared the day and year within mentioned, in the presence of us

James Liles

John Kelley (L.S.)

Henry Adams

B. Z. Durgott