

WILL OF
JOHN T. YOUNG.

The State of South Carolina,

Newberry District, I, John T. Young of the District and State aforesaid being of Sound and disposing Mind and Memory do Make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following. That is to say.

First - I will that My funeral expenses, and all my just debts be first paid as soon after my decease as possible.

Secondly - I give devise and bequeath to Ellen O'Connor daughter of William O'Connor My Negro girl called Caroline (daughter of Leah) further Sole and Separate use, to her and her heirs forever.

Thirdly - I give, devise, and bequeath to Frances Shell daughter of Dece Thomas Shell deceased a Negro girl worth five hundred dollars to be purchased by My executors which I fully autherize to do so, for her sole and Separate use, to her and the heirs of her body forever but in the event of her Not having issue alive at the time of her death, then the girl and her issue if any to revert to My estate and become apart thereof, to be disposed of in the same manner as the balance of My estate is herein after directed to be disposed of.

Fourthly - I give, devine, and bequeath to My friend William O'Connor and to his heirs and assigns forever the grave yard generally Known as Lorick lying in Edgefield District on the plantation of Mrs. Hewit and for which I have a reserve in the deed given by Me to Jacob Hewit in his lifetime, on the express condition that he the said William O'Connor Nor his heirs or assigns ever hereafter permit any of the Lorick family to be buried there in. Should it occur that there would be a burial of any of the Lorick family in the said grave^{yard} I humbly beg My friend P. C. Cald

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Fourthly - I give, devine, and bequeath to my friend William O'Connor and to his heirs and assigns forever the grave yard generally Known as Loricks lying in Edgerfield district on the plantation of Mrs. Havit and for which I have a reserve in the deed given by Me to Jacob Havit in his lifetime, on the express condition that he the said William O'Connor Nor his heirs or assigns ever hereafter permit any of the Lorick family to be buried there-in. Should it occur that there would be a burial of any of the ^{yard} Lorick family in the said grave I humbly beg my friend P. C. Cald well to interpose and assist the said William O'Connor or his assigns to prevent the same.

Fifthly - I direct my executors to have the graves of My two children who are buried in the Lorick grave yard put in complete order and proper Tomb Stones erected over them. And the grave yard pail-ed in out of the Most durable timber without any entrances thereto. I also want my body covered with a Marble Slab with my name inscribed thereon So that the passer by may know where the relics of Jno. T. Young lies. (I dont Care where I am burged).

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Sixthly- I give to My executors the sum of five hundred dollars as a compensation for their Services over and above their regular Commissions

Seventhly- I authorize My executors to give My Old Negroe Woman Nan to any Charitable one who will treat her with hospitality (that is any person out of the family) to keep untill her death, together with the sum of twenty dollars per annum for her Support and at the time of her death to have her decently buried at My expence.

Eighthly- I do hereby humbly, ask, desire and request of My executors to send My girl Anne to the State of Ohio there to be put under the protection of some good person who I hope will accept ^{my} of the Charge and will is that all the expenses in the travelling be paid and to give her One hundred dollars in Cash when she gets there, and that she be made free from the claim of any person whomsoever claiming --

Ninthly- I direct all My property of Whatsoever kind it may be to be sold on Such terms as My executors may deem it most beneficial to enhance the value of My estate except My girl caroline (daughter of Nelly) who I give the liberty of Cheasing a person to purchase her (out of the family) at a fair valuation and I do further authorize and empower My Executors to take My Negroes away from the place and sell them, so as to prevent any of the family, ever becoming owners of them.

Tenthly-- After the sale of My property as made and the foregoing specific legacies being deducted I want the ^{balance} kept at interest to pay this pension of two hundred and fifty dollars semi annually if there should be enough, and if not enough, resort to the Capitol until it is exhausted, should life remain in the donee that long,

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Ninthly I direct all My property of whatsoevers kind it may be to be sold on such terms as My executors may deem it most beneficial to enhance the value of My estate except My girl caroline (daughter of Kelly) who I give the liberty of choosing a person to purchase her (out of the family) at a fair valuation and I do further authorize and empower My Executors to take My Negroes away from the place and sell them, so as to prevent any of the family, ever becoming owners of them.

Tenthly-- After the sale of My property as made and the foregoing specific legacies being deducted I want the ^{balance} kept at interest to pay this pension of two hundred and fifty dollars semi annually if there should be enough, and if not enough, resort to the Capitol until it is exhausted, should life remain in the donee that long, but in all fortune it will evaporate before that time.

Eleventhly If there should be any residue or remainder I wish it divided into four equal parts-- One part to Ellen O'Connor, one part to Mary O'Connor, daughter of William O'Connor, Frances Shell, and the child of Miss Mary Cooper (now in expectation) for their own and separate use forever.

Lastly--I do hereby nominate and appoint P. C. Caldwell and Silas L. Heller executors to this My last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills and Testaments by Me heretofore made and

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declaring this to be My last will and Testament.

Signed, Sealed published and declared in the presence of us who
in the presence of each other and of the testator, Witnesed the
due execution thereof. (The words (yard and balance interlined
before Signed)

Jno. T. Young (L.S.)

31st July 1841 ~

H. K. Boyd

-/-/-/-

John Long

-/-/-/-

H. P. Watson

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Proved May 2nd, 1842.

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W. Wilson, Ordinary Newberry District.

Box No. 107. Rkg. No. 280. Est. No. 2749.