

WILL OF
JOHN A WICKER

In the name of God Amen, I John Adam Wicker of the state of S^C Carolina and Newberry Distric^t, being sick and weak of body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God: Calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and Ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say--

first my will and desire is that all my Lawfull debts be paid out of my estate--

2^{dly} my will is that my wife Katherine to possesse my present Plantation and Dwelling place during her natural life- And after her decease all the Land to Devolve into the possession of my Two sons (Namely, Mathias and A. Abraham provided the pay out to my six Daughters namly Mary the wife of Mich^l Dickert, Elizabeth the wife of David Cromer, Soloma the wife of Henry Dickert, Katherine the wife of simon Cromer, Anna and Christiana, according to the Value of the Land so as to make the said Two Boys and six Girls on an Equality- which being my desire the Two above named Boy pay out to the s^d girls five Hundred Dollars jointly.

3^{dly} My will and desire is that my son John Wicker pay out the above named girls five hundred dollars on a Tract of Land for which he holds a Title from me but my desire is that my above named Daughters give the s^d Brothers a Liberall credit for the payment arising out of the several Lands so as not to distrefs either of them.

4^{thly} My negroes I leave for the support of my wife Katherine either to keep them on the plantation or hire them out during her life.

5^{thly} My desire is that after the death of my wife Katherine all my personall estate to be sold and out of the money arising from s^d sale, each of my daughters to have Twenty dollars Extra and

one hundred dollars to my grand daughter Called Elizabeth Kinsard and the Ballance to be Equally devided amongst all my Children.

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Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament this fifteenth day of April in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven

Signed, Sealed, published

pronounced and declared

by the said John Adam

Wicker as his Last will and

Testament in presence of us

who in his presence and in the

presence of each other have

hereunto subscribed our names

his
John A. X Wicker (L.S.)
mark

George Ze Betaler Jun.

Simon Wicker Jun^r

his
Simon S W Wicker sen^r
mark

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W. Wilson, Ordinary Newberry District.

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