

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN;

I, Henry McDonald of the State and District aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and calling to mind the uncertainty of life do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, that is to say: as regarding such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with, I give, devise and dispose of in manner following:

I desire that immediately after my decease, my son Henry Duff McDonald shall pay all my just debts and funeral expenses; after my just debts and funeral expenses shall have been paid, I give and bequeath to my wife Susan McDonald all the residue of my estate, during her natural lifetime, to be owned occupied and enjoyed by her as her own right and property, at the same time I desire that my son Henry Duff McDonald remain on the premises as he heretofore has done and that he shall aid and assist in the proper management of the farm and affairs thereof, and to the ease and comfort of his mother, and that he receive whatsoever amount as an equivalent for his services, as he and his mother Susan McDonald may see proper to agree upon. I also desire that immediately after the decease of my wife Susan McDonald, my son Henry Duff McDonald, whom I constitute make and ordain my only and sole executor of this my last will and testament, that after he pays all funeral expenses occasioned by the burial of his mother, that he the said Henry Duff McDonald shall then be only and sole heir and proprietor of all lands, tenements, stocks, goods, chattels, houses and household furniture and of every part of my estate, both real and personal which I have not previously disposed of (that previous to my decease) I leave and bequeath to my daughter Selena Shoyers (formerly Selena McDonald) One dollar, she having already received from me the portion of my worldly estate which I designed for her. (Notwithstanding from my parental love and affection towards my daughter Selena, I desire that my Executor and son Henry Duff McDonald shall maintain

comfortably his sister Selena, above mentioned, during her natural
lifetime, or that he pay to her the above named Selena (if she would
prefer it) the sum of Twenty five dollars annually of good and law-
ful money, and in case of a noncompliance of either of the above, it
is my desire that the said Selena receive the amount of twenty-
five dollars as above mentioned annually, to be obtained from the pro-
perty which he the said Henry D. McDonald shall have become in poss-
ession of, after the decease of his mother Susan McDonald, as herein-
before mentioned.

And I do hereby utterly Dissallow, Revoke and Disannul all and
every other former Testaments, Wills and Legacies, Requests and
Executors, by me in any wise before this time named, willed and be-
queathed.

Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and
testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
this this thirty first day of August in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand eight hundred and forty six and the seventieth of American In-
dependence.

Signed, Sealed, Published and
Pronounced and Declared by the
said Henry McDonald, as his last
Will and Testament in presence
of us the undersigned.

his
HENRY x McDONALD, (SEAL)
mark

JOSEPH B. MCGRIFFIN.
ROBT. FULLERTON.
WILLIAM OWEN.

SOUTH CAROLINA.
PICKENS DISTRICT. }

PERSONALLY appeared before me, W. D. Steele, Ordinary Pickens Dis-
trict, Joseph B. McGriffin and made oath that he was present & did see
Henry McDonald sign the within (by making his mark) as his last Will
and Testament and that Robert Fullerton & Wm. Owen were with himself
subscribing witnesses to the same.
SWORN to before me 4th Dec'r 1848.
W. D. STEELE, O.P.D.

JOSEPH B. MCGRIFFIN.

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 4th day of December 1848 the last
will and testament of Henry McDonald late of Pickens District, De-
ceased, was proven in common form by the oath of Joseph B. McGriffin.

W. D. STEELE, O.P.D.