

FIFTH DISTRICT.)

I IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN:

I, James Murphree of the District and State above mention being in good health of body of a sound mind and understanding calling to mind that it is appointed unto men once to die I commit my body to the earth and my Soul to God who gave it. I do make this my last Will and Testament.

In the first place I wish my body to be buried in a Christian like manner and all my just debts to be paid.

Secondly, I give and bequeath unto my son Joseph Murphree the tract of land whereon I now live all that lyes on the East side of the South fork of Twelve Mile four hundred acres be the same more or less and one negro man Jack, and I do appoint my son William his guardian to take care of him as long as he may live the property to be under his contrall and at his death the land and negro and all he makes over a comfortable support for my son Joseph to go to my son William to him and his heirs forever - and I also give unto my son William the place where he now lives two hundred and twenty acres more or less it being the land I bought of him all except the part I sold and convey to my Grandson James M. Murphree and one negro man David to him and his heirs forever.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath unto my son Isaac the place or tract of land where he now lives lying on the West side of the South fork of Twelve Mile beginning at the waggon road at John Clayton line thence up sd road to the long branch down sd. branch to the Creek thence down sd. Creek Jackson Calaspa line adjoining lands of him and others to the beginning Containing one hundred acres more or less and one negro man Isaac to him and his heirs forever.

Fourthly, I give and bequeath unto my son-in-law Heron Patterson and Annedine his wife a tract of land lying in North Carolina on the waters of Taraway known as part of the big Canebrake containing 25 acres more or less to him and his heirs forever.

Fifthly. All the property belonging to my estate and not otherwise disposed of in the will to be sold on a credit of twelve months and the money arising therefrom to be equally divided between my seven daughters. For the purpose of carrying this my last Will and Testament into effect I have appointed my son William executor to execute this my last Will and Testament revoking all former wills by me made and this only to be put in execution.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 20th day of May, 1843.

In the presence of us

DAVID BLYTHE.
JER'N COMPTON.
A. G. FIELD.

MOSES MURPHREE. (SEAL)

SOUTH CAROLINA.)
PICKENS DISTRICT.)

Personally appeared before me, William D. Steele, Ordinary for Pickens District, A. G. Field, and made oath in due form of law that he was present & seen Moses Murphree sign the within as his last Will & Testament and that David Blythe & Jeremiah Compton was with himself subscribing witness to the same.

Subscribed before me 8th day of May, 1846.

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

A. G. FIELD.

Be it remembered that on the 8th day of May 1846 that the foregoing last Will & Testament of Moses Murphree late of Pickens District, Deceased, was proven in common form by the oath of A. G. Field.

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