

SOUTH CAROLINA RICHLAND DISTRICT. IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN.***

I Ann Adams of Columbia in the District and State aforesaid do make and declare the following to be my last will and testament I give devise and bequeath my whole estate real and personal to my sister Eliza Adams during her life, to be disposed of and used in such way as may promote her control during her life,--- with Power to change the invertment thereof, but the proceeds to be subject to the same uses, as the original property, that is to say to her use for life, and after her death in manner following After the death of my sister Eliza Adams I give devise and bequeath my whole estate real and personal to my sister Mary Brown to her sole and separate use, free from the debts contracts or control of her husband Alexander Brown, and with power to the said Mary Brown to dispose of the same in such manner as she may see fit either by deed or by will, not with standing her coverture and if she should die without disposing of the same by deed or will, then it is my will and desire that her husband Alexander Brown shall have the use of the proceeds during his life for the support of himself and James Alexander Brown, formerly called Forsyth whom we have adopted into the family, and after the death of Alexander Brown the husband of my sister I give devise and bequeath my whole estate real and personal to the said James Alexander Brown forever, that is to say provided my sister Mary Brown shall not dispose of the same by deed or will as she is authorized above to do,-----

The death of Mary Brown before my sister Eliza shall not affect the power of the said Mary to dispose of the said estate by her will, subject always however to the life estate hereinbefore given to my sister Eliza.-----

I nominate and appoint John S. Scott and Andrew Crawford Executors of this my last will and testament -- dated this 14th day of May 1850-----

Ann Adams

Signed executed and published by the Testatrix as her last will & testament in our presence who in her presence and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses hereto
Wm. F. Desaussure

S. M. Howell

E. Morris

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

RICHLAND DISTRICT) By Jacob Bell ordinary of Richland District
Personally appeared before me William F. Desaussure who being duly sworn, made oath that and saith that he saw Ann Adams sign, publish, pronounce and declare, the annexed instrument of writing bearing the date the 14th day of May 1850 to be and contain her last will and Testament. that the said Ann Adams was then of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding according to the best of deponents knowledge and belief, and that the said S. M. Howell and E. Morris with himself at the request of the Testatrix in her presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof,-----

Sworn to before me the 17th July A.D. 1857

Jacob Bell Ordinary

W. F. DeSaussure

I John S. Scott one of the Executors named in the will of Ann Adams deceased do hereby renounce my Executorship given under my hand and seal this 8th Feby 1858-----

Jno S. Scott

I Andrew Crawford one of the named Executors in the will of Ann Adams deceased do hereby renounce my Executorship given under my hand and seal this 8th Feby 1858-----

And Crawford.

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