

WILL OF  
CHARLOTTE BOWERS.

I Charlotte Bowers, of the Town of Columbia, in the State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, but weak in body, and calling to mind the uncertainty of life, and being desirous to dispose of the worldly Estate which it hath pleased God to bless me with, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, in manner following, that is to say; I desire, that should my daughter Hannah Bowers die in her infancy, or without marrying and leaving Heirs of her body; then and in that case I desire, that my negro girl Harriet, should be the property of my friend Mrs. Sarah Fleming, the wife of James Fleming, the wife of James Fleming, and of her Heirs; and in the said Event, of my said daughter's death--happening under said circumstances, I give to my said friend Mrs. Fleming the said negro girl named Harriet together with her future issue and increase--Also a Lot of Nine Acres or upwards of Land lying on the South Side of the Hookey Branch, being the same conveyed by the Rev. W. B. Johnson to my late Husband Adam Boers, under the same circumstances that I give the negro -girl---

I do nominate, constitute and appoint my friend, the said James Fleming Executor, of this my last Will and Testament, Also I appoint him Guardian of the Person and property of said daughter Hannah--

Given under my hand and Seal this fifth day of February eight Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and Forty--

Charlotte Bowers.

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Signed, Sealed published and decl  
red in the presence of  
us, who have Subscribed our names at the request of Test-  
atrix (the word the interlined in 2. line-- )

Edward J. Arthur

m F.

W. Arthur

Mary B. Arthur

(South Carolina)

Richland District)

Personally appeared Edward J. Arthur and made Oath that  
he saw Charlotte Bowers sign seal publish pronounce and de-  
clare the foregoing Instrument of Writing for the uses and  
purposes therin mentioned and that he with W. F. Arthur  
and Mary B. Arthur at the request of the Testatrix in her  
presence and in the presence of each otherl

Witnesses the due execution thereof and that she was  
of sound and disposing mind according to the best of this  
Deponents knowledge and belief.

Edward J. Arthur.

Sworn before me)

3 April 1840

James S. Guignard. Clerk.

James D. Flemming qualified

13 April 1840.

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