

Richland District

I Joseph Stanton of the State and District aforesaid being of Sound mind and memory but weak in body and calling to mind the uncertainty of life and being desirous to dispose of all such worldly estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with do make and ordain this my last will in manner following that is to say:

Item. I desire all the rest of my estate both real personally of what nature or quality soever it may be not here in before disposed of to be Sold and after the payment of my just debts to be equally divided amongst my Several children viz Richard Rachel Hester John H. William Mary Lydia Martha & Joseph E. and I give the same to them their heirs executors administrators and assigns for ever.

Signed Sealed published and Joseph ^{his} Stanton

John H Kinsler - D.D. Fenley - Joel P. Fenley

South Carolina

Richland District - Personally appeared before me Daniel D Fenley and made Oath that he saw Joseph Stanton Sign Seal publish pronounce and declare the foregoing Instrument of writing to be his last will and Testament that he was then of sound and disposing memory according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief and that he with John H Kinsler and Joel P. Fenley at the request of the Testator in his presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof

D.D. Fenley

Sworn to before me 16 October 1851

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

Daniel Scuter qualified same day
as Executor

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