

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN.

I Malachi Howell of the District of Richland & State of South Carolina being weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind, & calling to mind the uncertainty of Life do ~~make~~ make my last will and Testament in manner and form following Viz I recommend my Soul to God its giver & I desire my Executors hereinafter named to commit my Body to the Earth with a decent Christian burial and as touching my worldly Estate I dispose of the same in following manner It is my will and desire that my Executors hereafter named do sell to the best advantage Two acres of Land which I own, situate in Columbia near the College the proceeds thereof to be ~~applied~~ applied towards the payments of my Debts and I do hereby vest them with full power to sell the same & to make Titles therefor.

I give devise and bequeath all my Estate both real and personal unto my beloved wife Eliza D Howell and my to my dear adopted Daughter Eliza Howell Goodwyn to them and their Heirs absolutely and forever, to be divided equally between them. But if my said adopted Daughter Eliza Howell Goodwyn shall die without leaving any Issue alive at her death, then it is my will and desire that her share of my Real Estate shall descend to and vest in my Nephews & Nieces the Children of Lucy ~~Stanton~~ Stanton and Elizabeth Ware, to them and their Heirs forever.

I give and bequeath unto each of the Children of my said Nieces Lucy Stanton and Elizabeth^D Ware the sum of five hundred Dollars to be paid them within Twelve months after they shall respectively attain the age of Twenty one, or be married, whichever of these events shall first happen; but if either or any of the aforesaid Children shall die before attaining his or her age of Twenty one, or before his or her marriage when his or her Legacy as aforesaid shall be considered

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as lapsed, & his or her Heirs shall not be entitled to claim said Legacy.

I give and bequeath unto my said wife and my said adopted daughter Eliza Howell Goodwyn a full and entire confirmation of a Deed executed by me five or six years ago, by which I conveyed to Thomas J. Howell in Trust for them under certain conditions, certain Negroes therein named, hereby declaring my will to be that they shall have the full benefit of said Deed & the property there in conveyed to them and their Heirs forever and I do hereby Nominate appoint and constitute my said wife Elizabe D. Howell and my said adopted Daughter Eliza Howell Goodwyn Executors, and my Friends Thomas Heath, John Howell and John J. Chappell Executors of this my last will & Testament Hereby revoking and declaring void all former wills by me made, and declaring this & this only to be my last Will & Testament.

In witness whereof I herunto set my hand and ~~an~~ affix my Seal this twentieth day of November anno Domini One Thousand eight hundred and twenty one & in the 46 year of the American Independence.

Signed Sealed and pronounced by the Testator)
to be his last will and Testament in our) Malachi Howell
presence, who subscribed the ^{same} as witnesses in his
presence & at his request & in the presence of each other)

Witness

Brian Gunter

Richard M. Todd

William S. Partridge.

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WILL OF
MALACHI HOWELL

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SOUTH CAROLINA

RICHLAND DISTRICT) Personally appeared Richard M. Todd who being duly sworn upon the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God did make Oath that they saw Malachi Howell sign seal publish pronounce declare the annexed writing to be his last will and Testament that he was then of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding to the best of this Deponent's knowledge and best belief and that they with Brian Gunter at the request of the Testator in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed their names as witnesses to the due execution thereof,-----

Sworn to 16 December

Richard Todd

1821 before

William S. Partridge

James S. Guignard

Ordinary.

Same day Wm Howell Thos Heath & J. J. Chappell qualified.

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