

WILL OF

MARGARET GIRARDIN

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN I Margaret

Girardin of the Town of Columbia being of sound and disposing mind thanks be to God for the same do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following.

~~My Will~~ - It is my will that my Lot of Land in Columbia with the Buildings thereon be Sold by my Executor upon such terms as he shall deem proper and the proceeds of such after the payment of my lawful debts and funeral Expenses, as well as any other expenses attending. I then give and bequeath as follows; first to my Sister Jane Shiell I give and bequeath the sum of one hundred Dollars --- Second I give my friend Joshua Sowden the sum of fifty Dollars in trust that he shall pay the same over to the Columbia Theological Seminary--- Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my said friend Joshua Sowden the rest and residue of said proceeds of Sale in Trust nevertheless for the use benefit and behoof of my Sister Mrs Janet Martin of Earliston Roxburyshire Scotland and if she be dead then for the use and benefit of such Child or Children as she may have ----- and Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my said friend Joshua Sowden sole Executor of this my last will and Testament witness my hand and Seal this Seventh day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty-five.

Margaret Girardin

Signed Sealed published pronounced

and declared by the Testatrix as her last will and testament in presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof

H. H. Cassin

Jesse Cooper

Sarah Creight

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RICHLAND DISTRICT) Before me personally appeared Jesse Cooper and made Oath that he saw Margaret Girardin sign seal publish pronounce and declare the within Instrument of writing to be her last will and Testament that she was then of sound and disposing mind according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief and that he with W. H. Cassin and Sarah Creight at the request of the Testatrix in her presence and in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof.

Jesse Cooper

Sworn to before me 20th. August 1845

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

Same day Joshua Sowden qualified as Executor.

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