

State of South Carolina }

Richland District

In the Name of God Amen.

I Mary Ann Oliver of the State and District aforesaid being of a sound mind memory but very sick in body, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament. first I commit my body to its Mother dust and my Soul I resign to my Creator. Secondly It is my desire that my body be decently interred and my Funeral expences and all my just debts be paid so soon as funds are in the hands of my Executors. Thirdly. I lend unto my Son Matthew H. Oliver one Negro man named Jess and one Negroe Girl named Eliza during his natural life and after his death to go to his the said Matthew H. Oliver's lawful begotten Children with their increase forever. and in case he the said Matthew H. Oliver should die without Heirs lawfully begotten of his body it is my Will and desire that the said named negroes be given to my Son Samuel W. Oliver and in case the said Samuel should die without lawful begotten heirs of his body then and in that case it is my Will and desire that they the said Negroes and their increase return to my nearest relations . Fourthly. I lend unto my Son Samuel W. Oliver one Negro Woman named Nancy and one Girl named Juda during his natural life and at his death to go to his the said Samuel W. Oliver's lawful begotten Children with their increase forever and in case he the said Samuel W. Oliver should die without heirs lawfully begotten of his body it is my Will and desire that the said named negroes be given to my Son Matthew H. Oliver and in case the said Matthew H. Oliver should die without lawful begetten heirs of his body then and in that case it is my Will and desire that they the said negroes and their increase return to my next nearest relations. Fifthly it is my Will and desire. in

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consideration of a difference in the value of the above named Negroes that my Son Matthew H. Oliver pay over to my Son Samuel W. Oliver the sum of One Hundred dollars. Lastly Now I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved Son Matthew H. Oliver and my Dear Brother Matthew R. Howell my Executors hereby declaring this to be my last will and Testament and revoking all others whatsoever done this twelvth day of March in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three

Signed and Sealed

Mary A Oliver

in the presents of

John S. Chappell

Arthur Howell

Maria L Hay

South Carolina } Personally appeared ~~John S. Chappell~~

Richland District ) and made Oath that he saw Mary Ann

Oliver sign seal publish pronounce and declare the foregoing Instrument of Writing to be his last Will and Testament that she was then of sound and disposing mind and memory according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief and that he with Arthur Howell and Maria L Hay 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 1 April 1833

John S. Chappell

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

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