

ROBERT ROWAN

SOUTH CAROLINA)

RICHLAND DISTRICT). I Robert Rowan of the State and District afore said, being in my perfect senses, do make and declare this to be my last will and testament.

First- I direct that all my lawful debts be paid.

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my brother John Rowan, my sister Martha Gurr, and the children of my deceased brother James Rowan five dollars each- The children of James Rowan representing their father.--

Thirdly I give and bequeath unto James U. Adams, John W. Adams Joel R. Adams and Absalom Joiner, the remainder of my property both real and personal estate, for the use and benefit of my wife Harriet Rowan during her natural life, and after her death to be equally divided between the children of Ann Halloway deceased; that is to say, I wish the said James U. Adams, John W. Adams Joel R. Adams and Absalom Joiner, to give to my wife Harriet Rowan the annual use and profits of the estate; and the property not to be liable for any debts which she may contract

Fourthly I give and bequeath to my wife Harriet Rowan all the property she had when I married her to dispose of as she pleases

Lastly I do hereby appoint James U. Adams John W. Adams , Joel R. Adams and Absalom Joiner executors of this my last will and

testament with full power to manage and sell the Estate, if they think proper, to make any other investment of it- that is to exchange it for other property or convert it into money

but always subject to the disposition above made Given under my hand this tenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and forty four. Executed in presence of us.-

Robert Rowan

William Hagg-- Daniel H Gray----- William Gray-

Robert Joyner qualified as administrator with will annexed 19
April 1847

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RICHLAND DISTRICT) Personally appeared William Hugg and made
Oath that he saw Robert ~~Rowan~~ sign seal publish pronounce and
declare the above Instrument of writing to be his last will
and Testament that he was then of sound and disposing memory accord
according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief and
that he with Daniel H. Gray and William Gray at the request of
the Testator in his presence and in the presence of each other
witnessed the due execution thereof

William G. Hugg

Sworn to before me.

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

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