

Richland District.

In the name of God Amen

I William Montieth of the Town of Columbia in District and State aforesaid being Sick and weak in body but of Sound mind and memory and calling to mind the Mortality of Man and knowing that is Appointed Once for all men to die do make and Ordain this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

1st. I recommend my Soul to good who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent & Christian manner.

2ndly. It is my will and desire that my Just debts and funeral Expences be paid as early and with possible Speed after my decease.

3rdly. I give and bequeath unto my beloved Sisters Martha and Margarett Montieth One thousand Dollars to them and their heirs forever. to be paid out of my monies which may come into the hands of my Executors.

4thly. It is my Will and desire that all my Property both real and personal be Sold by my Executors at public Sale and the Amount after paying my debts and Funeral Expences together with the foregoing Legacy of One thousand Dollars to my two Sisters to be equally divided between my beloved wife Mary Montieth And my two Sons Galloway and Nathaniel Montieth Shear and Shear alike to them and their Heirs forever.

5thly. I do hereby nominate Constitute and Appoint my Wife Mary Montieth and my friend Ainsley Hall Executrix and Executors to this my last Will and Testament and Guardians to my two aforesaid Sons.

In Testimony thereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal hereby revoking and disanulling all former Will or Wills Testament or Testaments by me made & declaring this to be my last Will and Testament dated this 18th Jan'y A.

D^re 1821

Wm. Montiet

Signed Sealed and acknowledged
in presence of us, to be his Will
& Testament

J. Kinsler

Wm B. Watts

C E Williamson

South Carolina } Personally appeared Jeremiah Kin-
Richland District } sler who being duly Sworn upon the
Holy Evangelists of Almighty God did make oath that he saw
William Montieth sign seal & pronounce and declare the fore-
going ~~to be his last will and Testament that he was~~
~~then of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding~~
~~according to the best of this Deponents knowledge and belief~~
~~and that he with Wm B Watts and Chestian E. Williamson at~~
~~the request of the Testator in his presence and in the pre-~~
~~sence of each other Subscribed their names as witnesses to~~
~~the due execution thereof~~

J. Kinsler

Sworn to before me this

12th day of February 1821

James S. Guignard

Ordinary

Mary Montieth qualified

14th February 1821

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Box # 21, Package # 525.