

WILL OF

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

SOUTH CAROLINA LEXINGTON DISTRICT. OCT 1822

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN. I William Taylor being of sound mind & disposing memory do make & declare this to be my last will & Testament -----

First I desire that all my just debts & burying expences be paid by my Executors from the proceeds of my Estate.---

Item I give & devise & bequeath to my brother Thomas Taylor Jesse Peter Taylor & my Nephew William Henry Taylor son of Thomas Trustees & Executors & to the survivors of them. of this my last will & Testament The whole of my real & personal Estate to & for the use & purposes herein after declared.-----

Viz. To and for the only use benefit & behoof of my three Children Thomas, Frances & William to be equally divided between them share and share alike, (Whereas my Father in the year 1815 June to my Son Thomas a negro woman Tener &

her child together with her Increase, Now it is my will and desire that my said Executors & Testators in the Distribution of my Estate between my children Thomas, Frances, William & to the survivors of them, shall so divide my said Estate as that Thomas share including Tener & her children shall be only equal to the share^s of my other children).

but if one or more of my said children should die before he or she come of age or be married then the share of such child or Children shall enure & be the benefit & use of such survivors or survivors.-----

in case the whole of my said Children shall die before they become of age or be married Then the said Estate real & personal to enure & be for the benefit use & advantage of my brother Thomas & Jesse Peter Taylor. Children to be equally divided between the living children of those two named brothers. I bequeath Mary Euphemia the full enjoyment & gratification of her unbounded Lord her only Heaven.

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WILLIAM TAYLOR.

It is my will & desire that my Executors & Trustees shall not suffer a ~~funeral~~ funeral sermon preacht on account of my remains because I dispise hippooricy & Deception so please have no berimony of words or songs about my remains, but have me decently burryed & furnish plenty to eat & drink of the best let none go away empty or dry realitys.-----

And I hereby appoint my said Executors or such of them as shall take upon themselves the execution herein reposed, to be guardians of my Children till my said Children come of age or get married.

Signed sealed published pronounced

& declared by the testator to be his) William Taylor

last will & Testament before us

who at his request in his presence

& in the presence of each other subscribed

our names as witnesses to the due

execution thereof.-----

Lewis Jones

Daniel Rambo

Thomas Williamson.

William Henry Taylor qualified
as Executor 23 December 1825

Jesse P Taylor qualified 29 May 1826

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