

In the Name of God Amen I James Ballenger Senr. of the District of Spartanburgh and State of South Carolina, being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, praised by God for the same, do make and declare this my last will and testament, in manner and form following: that is to say, I give and devise my Plantation and tract of Land on which I now live, my two Negroes, Jack and Jinny, my two Grey Horses, Cattle, sheep, hogs, Plantation tools, Household & Kitchen furniture to my wife Dorcas Ballenger during her natural life. Also I give grant and devise unto my Daughter Frances Ballenger, three Hundred Dollars, my mare called light foot, a loom & everything else claimed as hers at present. I also give grant and devise unto my Daughter Peggy Lewis, a mare called Sonny. All the rest of my estate not otherwise disposed of, consisting of a Horse called Paddy, a waggon and hind gear. I direct to be sold as soon as convenient, to be sold on a credit of twelve months, and the proceeds of said property to be lent out at lawful interest and disposed of in the manner as shall hereafter be mentioned, after the decease of my wife Dorcas Ballenger it is my desire that the whole of the property both real and personal she may be porsess of at the time of her death be sold on a credit of twelve months, and when collected, together with the principle and interest of the horse waggon and gear above mentioned be divided in the manner as followeth. I give and devise unto Richard Foster one Dollar, Also I give and devise unto my Sons John Ballenger Edward Ballenger James Ballenger, William Ballenger, Elizah Ballenger, Peggy Lewis, Frances Ballenger and Tabitha Foster, an equal division of the amount of the sale of my estate. And I do hereby nominate and appoint my Sons Edward Ballenger and James Ballenger executors of this my last will and testament.

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hereby revoking and making void all former wills testaments
at any time heretofore by me made and do declare this to be
my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have set
my hand and seal this 19th of July in the year of our Lord
1813.

James Ballenger (Seal)

Signed Sealed and

delivered in presence of us.

H Perrin

Edward Ballenger Senr

James Ballenger Son of John

Recorded the 3rd day of September 1813

Wm Lancaster, C. S. D.

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