

WILL OF

HENRY LENUD

In the Name of God Amen. I Henry Lenud of Caaramont County in the State of South Carolina, being in full possefson of my mental faculties, do this first day of February in the Year of Our Lord, one Thousand Eight Hundred & Nine make and publish this my last Will and Testament(that is to say) I recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my Body to the Earth from whence it came in hopes of a joyful resurrection through the merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ. And first I give, bequeath and devise to my beloved Sister Eliza Love Theus all my Up-Lands and Tenements, to hold to her during her life, and from and after her decease I give and devise the same to be equally divided amongst her Children. Item I give to my Brother George Craft one Half of my Personal property. The remaining half I bequeath in trust to my Executor for the benefit of my Brother Peter Craft so long as he shall live, and in case of his death without lawful issue I give and bequeath the same to my God son--Craft youngest Son of my Brother Edward Craft-----

Item. I give to my said Brothers George and Peter the use of my Wateree Swamp Tract, and after their decease if it shall sooner take place I devise the same to my said God son--Craft youngest son of Edward

Item In case of the death of my said God-son--Craft before the age of Twenty and the death of said Peter and George without Lawful issue it is my desire that my Nephew Henry Leonard Theus inherit their separate gifts and bequests, and I hereby give and bequeath the same to him. And should my Sister Eliza Love Theus die without leaving issue which shall arive if a male at the age of Twenty or if a Female at the age of Sixteen I then give that proportion of my estate bequeathed to her issue to the children of

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Whereas the Personal property of my Fathers Estate has never been divided between my Sister and Myself agreeable to the directions of his will and it is doubtful which particular Slave will fall to the lot of either; and it being my desire and wish to emancipate and set Free the Yellow Woman Lettice who has attented about my House, Now Therefore it is my desire that no part of my Gifts,

Legacies or bequests be inherited by either of the aforesaid
Parties or Persons until the said woman Lettice be emancipated.
But that the same be appropriated to the establishment of an
Academy in Claremont County. Item. I desire an Annuity of Fifty
Dollars per Annum to be paid annually out of my Estate to the
said woman Lettice for her support and maintenance, and to give
to her separate use as long as shee shall live a lot of ground
not to contain less than Ten Acres to be taken off of the Tract
I live on and pointed out by My executors.

Lastly. I nominate constitute and appoint my Sister Eliza Love
Theus my Executrix, and William J. Rees Francis G. Dasießeline
and William D. Walter my Executors--And I do hereby revoke
dasannul and make void all other Wills by me at any time hereto-
fore made, And do make and declare this only to be my last Will
and Testament. In Witneſſ whereof I have hereunto subscribed
my hand and Seal, the day and Year above written Signed and
Sealed in the presence of

Henry Lenud (SEAL)

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Isaac Carr

Wⁿ. Walter

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