

HOLLOWAY JAMES

I Holloway James, being in my proper senses & Knowing the uncertainty of life--Do make this my Will---Viz I give to my Wife Roxana James during her life time or so long as she remains Victuoulsly my Widow, The plantation & House where I now live, The furniture & out ~~xxxxxx~~ Buildings, utensils tools &ca necessary to carry on the said plantation--together with the following Negroes--Rose, Bob Lucy & Nuson Handard--secured to her by Marriage Contract, & duly recorded in Columbia--~~together~~ also with the Negroes her Mother give her, with the following proviso--I appoint John B Miller my Executor--I charge all ^{concerned to pay off} my just Debts, & I charge all concernd to give my Children as good an education as circumstances will permit--and when the eldest becomes of age or marrys, then all the lands & residue of my property to be equally divided The Mothers part if she be alive covering the Settlement where I now live, on the same condition specified before, & if she does well up to this time may take charge of the property of the Jun^r Children until they become of age but if she violates the condition in that case, I give her only the Herny Tract of Land in lieu of the land first given during her lifettime, adjoining lands of W^m Wheloing & others, containing one hundred Acres By plot, and about a Mile below where I now live, or an equevalent in land (if that should be sold,) according to the discretion of my Executor--But under ever circumstance of the management of my Estate, I give to John B. Miller ~~the~~ my Executor the right to sell the whole or any part of my Estate at any time; & to make such disposition of the same as he may think best for the Interest & Welfare of all the children--Shou'd any one or more of my Children die before becoming of age, the survivor or survivors as the case may be of the child or Children shall heir all--The Mother being already provided for during her life time--& after hir death all the property she may have

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Benj Albert James; & Marth a Ann James there may be more or less
at my Death for all that I know.-----

Done at Home)

Holloway James (SEAL)

April 9th/1836)

James G Spann

Peter Mellott

W. L. Brunson

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William Potts Ordry S.D.

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