

I James Corbett of the State of South Carolina and Sumter Diatric planter do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following--That is to say my Executors to be hereafter named shall pay all my Just debts as soon after my decease as they can conveniently do so-----

I Lend to my beloved Wife Susanna Corbett during her natural life for her use and benefit the Plantation Whereon I now live and comprising a Moiety of the Winn and Chandler Tracts of Land also the three Negroes belonging to me Vis Cyrus Albert and ^{Sue} ~~use~~ to-gather with all my stock of Horses Cattle Mules, Hogs and household & kitchen furniture and plantation Tools and Implements for her support and benefit during her life-----

Secondly--After the death of my Wife I give and devise unto James Washington Sheriff Henry Brunson and ^{Sumter Co. S.C. Wills 1823-1825} ^{www.southcarolinapioneers.net} of the state and

District aforesaid in trust only for the benefit and behoof of my Son William Corbett and grand son John Stone until John Stone shall be twenty one years old at which time his portion of the under mentioned property shall be given up to him--That is to say for the use and benefit of my Son William and his heirs all that Moiety of a Tract of Land originally granted to Edmonson Wien or Edmondson Win also part of a Tract granted to John Chandler viz two hundred yards north from the north side of my plantation that is the cleared ground shall be the width and a line running east and west from the East side of the Chandler Tract to the half way Swamp shall be the length also my Negro Man Cyrus after the decease of my wife and one bay mare also the remainder of my stock of Cattle Hogs plantation Tools household and Kitchen fur-

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to be hereafter given to my grand son John Stone-----

I give to my grand son John Stone as soon as of age the following
property Vis all that Moiety of a Tract of Land granted to John
Chandler not otherwise disposed of and a Negro Boy named Albert
also my black Mares Colt and the stock of Cattle which I have al-
ready given to him marked with an upper figure seven and an under
bit in each ear there are not to be used for the maintenance of
my family but to be kept together at the discrefeion of my Exe-

tutors to increase for his benefit until he is of age a part of
 which they will dispose of occasionally and furnish him with the
 proceeds-----If it should so happen that my son William and
 grand Son John Stone should both die without leaving either wife
 Child or Children then that portion of my Estate both real and
 personal bequeathed to both or either as it may happen shall be
 sold by my Executors and the proceeds be divided equally betwixt
 my surviving Children-----My Brother Benjamin Corbett hav-
 ing died In testate from which circumstance I am entitled to a
 Moiety of his Estate which I request my Executors to collect or
 receive as soon as possible and apply it when collected in the
 following Manner two hundred Dollars of which sum I give to My
 Daughter Nancy Terry otherwise ^{Sumter Co., SC Wills 1823-1836} Ann Terry two hundred Dollars to
 my Daughter Mary Thigpen --Two hundred Dollars to my Daughter
 Harriot Boshette all of which is to be paid as soon as possible
 after the above specified money is collected I give and bequeath
 to my Daughter Elizabeth Campbell five Dollars having Already
 given her a portion of my Estate-----I give to my Daughter
 Alsa Carpenter five Dollars having already given her a portion
 of my Estate---I give to my grand son Matthew Terry the Colt of
 mine not already disposed of on condition that his father relin-
 quishs all claim or demand against my Estate for building some
 small houses near where I live but this is not intended to deprive
 my Daughter Ann Terry from the claim of the two Hundred Dollars
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property not otherwise disposed of shall be sold also and the proceeds thereof shall be equally divided betwixt my Children share and share alike----It is my intention in leaving my wife to the greater part of my property that she may be maintained from the use of the land and benefit of the services of the Negroes therefrom I wish to be distinctly understood that no sales of the property left her will be agreeable to my wish or meaning until after her death-----

Lastly I do hereby Nominate constitute and appoint my friends James Washington Sheriff Henry Brunson and Executors to this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven

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Signed Sealed and acknowledged by James Corbett to be his last will and Testament in presence of us who have subscribed our names as witnesses-----

John Boyd

Matthew Davis

Huldah Davis

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(Recorded September 3rd 1827)

William Potts Ordy S.D.

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