

Bunter District

) of the State and District aforesaid planter

ter being Sick and weak in Body but of Sound and disposing Mind and memory thanks be to god And Calling to mind the mortality of my body Knowing that it is Appointed for all men once to die--Do make & ordain This my last Will and Testament in Manner and Form following----First I recommend My Soul to god who gave it and my body to the Earth in genteel Christian Burial and as touching my worldly Estate that it has please god to blefs me with in this life I will and bequeath as follows, and first it is my will and Desire that all my Just debts be paid--Item, I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Naomi Harvin during the term of her natural life and no longer the use of the plantation whereon I now live and all the adjoining lands also the labour of the following negroes To wit Willoby Sharper Leah Rachel Derry Sam Charlotte and Jary also one horse ^{Snep} one bay mare Peg Fifty head of Stock Cattle all my Stock of hogs one waggon and gears one Riding Chair and harness all my plantation tools or as Many as will be Necessary for the use of the plantation all my Carpenters tools all my Household & Kitchen furniture including the large Clock, to be Kept on the plantation for the Support of my wife & Support and Education of my Children at the discretion of my Executors Hereinafter to be appointed-----and it is my will & desire that my children do remain on the plantation under the direction of their mother & my Executors, but should any any of my children prove disobedient to their mother & my Executors & will not labour nor contribute to the Estate then they are not to be supported out of my Estate---and should my wife Naomi marry again to a man that should misuse my Children or waste my the property then my Executor to take the Property left in her care & pay her annually a sum sufficient to support & maintain her gently & comfortably during her life out of my Estate--Item. I give and bequeath unto my loving Daughter Caroline & Blackwell three hundred acres of land lying on Black river & bear Creek Joining Robt R. Whites land & all the lower part of my Swamp Surveys from the upper corner of Michael Blackwell

Ox Swamp land that is in or near the mouth of ox Swamp to run across Black river north forty degrees East to her and her lawfull issue forever also the use & labour of two negroes named Suckey & rose that is now in her possession and the money that Michael I Blackwell is owing me which is ninety two Dollars fifty six & a half cents clear of Interest or hire untill My Son James A Harvin is of age or marries, Item. I give & bequeath unto my loving Son Rich^d W Harvin Six Hundred & Seventy Acres of land lying on Spring branch and Farecoat in Black river fork whereon William Eveleigh now lives provided Said Eveleigh should fail in Complying with his contract with me, But should he pay for said land then Rich^d W. Harvin is to be paid out of my Estate the principle amount of the land which is two thousand nine Hundred & three Dollars to him & his lawful issue forever. but he the said is to pay to Susanna E Harvin the sum of Eight Hundred and forty Dollars---Item--I give & bequeath unto my loving Son James A Harvin The lower part of the land where I now live which is supposed will be One thousand Acres--adjoining Sam^l Harvins land & by a division line There after to be laid out beginning at the north East end of the ditch That runs near ^{George} Evans old house to the Sumterville road from Thence running North fifty Six degrees East to my back line, thence along said ditch continuing the course of the ditch which is South forty four Degrees west to the margin of Idigo Branch from thence sixty five degrees East to my back line in the Swamp, to him & his lawfull issue forever--And he the Said Jas A Harvin is to pay to Susanna E Harvin the sum of four Hundred & fifty Dollars-- Item, I give & bequeath unto my ~~xx~~ Loving Son William N Harvin all the balance and remaining part of The land whereon I now live not already bequeathed to him & his lawfull issue forever--and he the said William N. Harvin is to pay

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Item. I give & bequeath unto my ^{loving} son Thomas E Harvin all my land
Supposed to be one thousand acres lying on Big branch South side
of Black River also all the remaining part of my Swamp Surveys not
already Bequeathed to him & his lawful Issue forever Item I give
& bequeath unto my loving Daughter Susanna E Harvin one Hundred &
fourteen acres of land lying on Maning branch that I bought from

Eliza Windom also the Sum of Eight Hundred & forty Dollars to be
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 dred & fifty dollars to be paid her by William N Harvin to her &
 her Lawful Issue forever-----But Should either of my Children
 die without leaving lawfull Issue then all the real Estate bequeath-
 ed unto him or them to be divided between all my Surviving Children
 Share & Share alike to them & their lawfull Issue forever--And it
 is my will & desire that when my Son James A Harvin is of age or
 Marrys which ever may First Happen, that all my Personal Property
 except the Part bequeathed to my wife, shall be Equally divided
 between all my Surviving Children and my daughter Carolina B Black-
 well & my Sons Rich^d & James to receive into their Possession
 thier dividind & the remaining Part to be kept together untill my
 daughter Susanna is of age or marrys then the said remaining part
 to be Equally divided between my Sons William N and Thomas and my
 daughter Susanna and at the death of my wife all The rest & residues
 of my state to be Equally divided between all my Surviving Child-
 ren And it is my will & desire that all the negroes belonging to my
 state not already disposed of shall be annually hired out at the
 discretion of My Executors untill all my Just debts are paid &
 longer should they think it advantageous to my Estate and it lastly
 my will & desire that all the remaining Part of my Stock of Horses
 & Cattle not already disposed of one Jack one Cart Some Plantation
 tools one brass Clock and all uselefs & perishable articles that is
 will not be needed for the use of the Plantation Should be Sold on a
 Credit of Two years--It is farther my will & desire that my Rifle
 gun & new shot gun be Kept for the use of the Plantation And that
 all the rest of the guns belonging to my Estate & my Silver watch

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be Sold as above directed And I hereby make ordain Constitute and
appoint M^r Sam^l E Plowden My Brother Richard Harvin My Son inlaw
Michael I Blackwell and My loving Son William N Harvin--Executors
to this my last will and Testament and hereby revoke set aside &
make void any & all wi ls Heretofore made by me and declare this
to be my 1 st will & testament In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this Eighteenth Day of October in the year of

our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty one--and in the Forty
sixth year of Independence of the United States of America

Signed Sealed Published and declared

by the testator as and for his last

will & testament in the presence of us

James E Harvin (SEA.)

who at His request have subscribed our names

as Witnesses hereunto-----

W^m R Harvin

Daniel Delany

Thomas Davis

John Harvin

Sam^l R Gibson

Codicil

Be it Known to all men by these presents that I James E Harvin
Planter of the District of Sumter & State of S^c Carolina have made
and declared my last will & Testament in writing bearing date the
Eighteenth day of October one thousand Eight Hundred & ~~twenty~~ one
I the said James E Harvin by this present Codicil do ratify and
confirm my Said last will & Testament, but do order direct and
desire that if my wife Naomi Harvin Shoud wish or desire to leave
the Plantation ~~wherein~~ I leave her, that in that case my Executors
do pay her annually a ~~sum~~ sufficient to Support her Jentully & Com-
fortably during her life out of my Estate. And I also hereby forbid
& wish to prohibit forever my Son James A Harvin & his heirs from
clearing or cultivating the ridge of land lying between my plantatio
tion & poplar Branch known by the name of the Indian grave Ridge
& will & desire that all my children shall have a previledge of
getting any timber off of Said land that they may actually need and

as Witherses hereunto-----

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The first day of January one thousand Eight Hundred & twenty three-
And my will & meaning is that ~~this~~ this Codicil be adjudged to be
a part & parcel of this my last will & testament and that all things
therein mentioned & contained be faithfully & truly performed & as
fully & amply in every Respect as if the Same were so declared &
Set down in my last will & testament Witness my hand & Seal this Six
teenth day of November one thousand Eight Hundred & Twenty one

Signed & Sealed in presence of

James E Harvin (SEAL)

Wm R H arvin

Daniel Delany

Thomas Davis

Sam R Gibson

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William Fotts Ordway S.D.

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