

lina and of Sumter District being of informed body but of sound
and disposing mind and memory thanks be given to thy almighty and
calling to mind that it is once appointed for all men to die do
make and ordain this my last will and testament Imprimis. I comit
my body to the earth to be buried in a decent and christain like
manner at the descretion of my Executors and my soul to its Maker
god (Item) I will and request that all my Just debts be paid out of
my Estate by my Executors to be heare after named for which purpose
I will that clancey and her two small children clarecey and solo-
man Jean and her two children Sarah and Susey with my stock of
hogs and cattle with any part of or all of my land except one hun-
dred acres to Mathew Bowman lying on pearse bay originally grant-
ed to Mathew Bowman to be sold by my Executors to pay my debts
(Item) I will and bequeath to my beloved grand daughters Elijah
Bowman and Sarah Isabella H Bowman three negroes Tom Rheubin Eli
(Item) I will and bequeath unto my beloved Son John A Bowman one
hundred acres of Land lying on pearces bay originally granted to
Mathew Bowman (Item) I will and bequeath unto my beloved daughter
Martha Bowman two negroes Tom the Elder and antony and should my
daughter Martha Bowman die with out Bodily issue then in that case
the property to return to the surviving heirs (Item) I will that
my two negroes york and hester be Kept and managed by my Executors
to the best advantage and the profits arising from thare labour
to go to the support and benefit of my beloved daughter Sarah L
Dinkins during her natural life and should she die leaving children
the the property to go to said children with the female heirs
should she die leaving no children the property to be Equally to
be divided among my surviving heirs, should there be a balance left
after paying all my Just debts it is my wish that it shall be
Equally devid among my three children Lastly in order to carry this
my Last will into effect I do hereby nominate my beloved Son John
A Bowman and my nephew Samuel Neilson my Executors to this my last
will and Testament made this nineteenth day of September one thou-

WILL OF
JOHN BOWMAN

In the name of god amen I John Bowman of the State of South Carolina and of Sumter District being of inform^{er} body but of sound and disposing mind and memory thanks be given to thy almighty and calling to mind that it is ownc^e appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament Imprimis. I comit my body to the earth to be buried in a decent and christain like manner at the descretion of my Executors and my soul to its Maker god (Item) I will and request that all my Just dets be paid out of my Estate by my Executors to be heare after namd for which purpose I will that clancey and her two small children clarecey and soloman Jean and her two children Sarah and Susey with my stock of hogs and cattle with any part of or all of my land except one hundred acres to Mathew Bowman lying on pearse bay orriginally granted to Mathew Bowman to be sold by my Executors to pay my dets (Item) I will and bequeath to my beloved grand daughters Elijah Bowman and Sarah Isabella H Bowman three negroes Tom Rheubin Eli (Item) I will and bequeath unto my beloved Son John A Bowman one hundred acres of Land lying on pearces bay orriginally granted to Mathew Bowman (Item) I will and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Martha Bowman two negroes Tom the Elder and antony and should my daughter Martha Bowman die with out Bodily ifsue then in that case the property to return to the surviveing heirs (Item) I will that my two negroes york and hester be Kept and managed by my Executors to the best advantage and the profits arising from thare & Labour to go to the support and benefit of my beloved daughter Sarah L Dinkins during her natural life and should she die leaving children the the property to go to said children with the female heirs should she die leaving the children the property to be Eaually to be divided among my surving heirs, should thare be a balance left

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in the presence of

his
Thomas X Defee
mark

John Bowman (SEAL)

Jemimah Defee

John P Bowman

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William Potts Ordway S.D.

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