

WILL OF

JOHN TAYLOR

In the name of God Amen. I John Taylor of Sumter District and State of South Carolina, being weak in body, the sound in mind and memory, Calling to mind the mortality of this life do make this my last will and testament in manner and form following, First I desire all my just debts to be paid out of my personal Estate, Secondley, I send to my beloved wife the house, out houses and plantation where I now live, together with all my house hold and kitchen furniture and plantation Tools, with all my stock during her Widowhood & no longer, my small Children at the same time to be supported out of it with her, thirdly, I give and bequeath unto my two oldest sons John and Hasten Taylor all that plantation or tract of Land lying on dog funnel Branch Commonly Cald the Norton Tract of Land to be Equally devided between them also the stock of hogs which they now Claim the Land and hogs here mentioned is the full partion allotted for the fore mentioned John and Hasten Taylor-----

Forthly, I give and bequeath unto my sons, Asa, Harvey, Leonard, Sion, and Tylor, Taylor all my plantation or Tract of Land whereon I now live to be Equally Divided amongst them at the death of my wife, or on her marriage. and if any of the last mentioned sons should die before the last mentioned tract of land is devid- ed then and in that Case his part is to go to the surviving Brothe last mentioned. and further my will is at the death or marriage as before mentioned of my wife Margret Taylor that all my personal Estate goods and Chattles be Equally devided between the following named Children, Asa Taylor, Harvey Taylor, Tabitha Taylor Leonard Taylor, Sion Taylor, Milford Tylor, Tylor Taylor, and in Case any of the last mentioned child, or Children should die before

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Sixthly, I do hereby appoint and Constitute my friends Jefse Nettles Jr and John Nettles my only and lawful Executors to this my last will and Testament. Given under my hand this 27th day of

February in the year of our Lord 1820-

Signed in the presance of)

James Cantey)

Mary McKellar)

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John X Taylor (SEAL)
Mark

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