

WILL OF

PETER FITZPATRICK

In the Name of God Amen. I Peter Fitzpatrick of Sumpter District & State of South Carolina planter being sick & weak in body but of perfect ~~Mind~~ & Memory thanks be given unto God therefore, and calling to mind the mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed unto all Men once to die, do therefore make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament.

Imprimise: First and principally I give & recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, in sure and certain hope of the Resurrection; & my Body I commit to the Earth, to be buried in decent & Christian Burial at the discretion of my Executors hereafter to be named. And for such worldly Goods as it hath pleased God to blefs me with in this life. I give, bequeath, & dispose in the following manner & form; That is to say first, I give & desire that all my lawful Debts be paid.

Item, I give & bequeath unto Agnes's my well beloved Wife the whole of the plantation or Tract of Land whereon I now live containing one hundred and eighty Acres; Together with a Negro Wench named Cate, & a negro Fellow named Farmer; Also six Cows & Calves, or six Cows big with Calf; Also a Mare called Fly and four two year old Stears, or Heifers; The Cattle to be of her own choosing out of my Stock: Also six Sows & Pigs or six Sows big with Pig; with ten two year old Barrows, & Ten year old Hogs, of her choice of my Stock of Hogs: Also six Ewes & Lambs, or an equivalent of other Sheep, with a sufficient quantity of Corn & Fodder for the use of her Stock one Year: Also one hundred Bushels of Corn, one Grind Stone, & one hand Mill; Also all my Beds bed Steads, & Furniture: Also her choice of my two Carts: Also ~~Barabear~~ ^{Sumter Co. SC. Wills 1783-1815} & one ^{www.southcarolinapioneers.net}

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Peter

Item. I give & bequeath unto Fitzpatrick (Son of Manoah

Fitzpatrick) a Negro Girl named Mary, to be & remain in the care

& possession of Agnes Fitzpatrick untill said Peter Fitzpatrick shall arrive to the Age of twenty one Years, & then to be given up to the use & disposal of the aforementioned Peter Fitzpatrick.

Item. I give & bequeath unto Patrick Ratcliff McCoy fifty Pounds to be Paid out of my Estate, the same to be lent out at Interest untill Said Patrick Ratcliff McCoy shall arrive to the Age of twenty one Years & then to be given up to him with the Interest for his own Use &, Purpose. Item. I will & ~~bequeath~~ desire that a certain Tract of Land conveyed to me by Robert Fullwood containing five hundred Acres bounded N.W. N.E. & N.W. on Robert Fullwoods Land S.E & S.W. on Players Land S.E. on Peter Patricks Land; be divided by a Line beginning at a lightwood Stake or Corner, & running diagonally to a Corner next to Players Land, & Sold in two Lots.

Item. I will & desire that all my Estate not, ^{before} mentioned, both real & Personal be sold in convenient Lots to suit Purchasers & for the good of my Heirs hereafter mentioned (to wit) the Money arising from the Sale to be equally divided among Monoah Fitzpatrick, Penelope McColaster, Ann Fitzpatrick, Annah Fitzpatrick, Mary Fitzpatrick & Sarah Adams.

Item. I will & desire ^{that} if my decease should happen in the Spring or Summer Season that my Estate remain undivided untill the present or ensuing Crop be finished & as many as possible of my Hogs fattened & Sold to the best Advantage & the Money arising from the Sale thereof applied as above directed. Lastly I make & ordain John Frierson, Charles Story & Thomas Chandler Sen. all of said District & State Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking, disannulling & making void all other Will or Wills, Bequest or Bequests by me in any wise ^{heretofore} made

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Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced & declared to be the last Will & Testament of the Testator in the presence of

Thomas Rofe

N. Graham

Wm P. McKay

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Peter ~~X~~ Fitzpatrick
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Wm Taylor, Ordinary

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