

In the name of God Amen; I Richard W Chewning of South Carolina, Sumter District, Planter, being Sick and Weak in body; but of Sound, and disposing, mind, memory, and understanding praised be God for the Same, do make, constitute, and ordain this my last Will and testament, in manner and form following; first I recommend my Soul to God who gave it, and request that my body be buried in decent, Christian, burial; and my Will and desire is that all my Just debts be paid that are rendered in according to law; Item- I give and devise all that my house or tenement, Land, and hereditaments; with the appurtenances; Situate, lying and being in the District of Sumter State aforesaid and now in the tenure or occupation of myself, unto my beloved Wife Nancy Chewning of State & District aforesaid, her, heirs and assigns for Ever: Also I give, devise, and bequeath, unto my Said Wife, Nancy Chewning, all my Negroes, Money, Securities for Monies, Goods, Chattels, Estate, and effects, of what nature or kind Soever: to hold the Same unto my Said Wife, her Executors, administrators and assigns: my will and desire is that my Executrix and Executors, deliver unto Capt. John Singleton of District and State aforesaid when Called upon; a Certain Negro boy named John about fifteen years of age which Said boy John is now in my possession and has ben loaned to me for Several years past by the Said Cap. John Singleton for the Sum of one dollar per year: And I do hereby nominate, Constitute, and appoint my Said Wife Nancy Chewning Executrix; and James Singleton and Francis Spring Esquires, Executors, of this my last will and testament; hereby revoking and making Void all former Wills and Testaments at any time heretofore by me made; and do declare this to be my last Will and testament; In Witnefs Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal, this Seventeenth of Jun in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Seventeen Eighteen

Signed Sealed, declared and pub- }

Richard W Chewning (SEAL)

Witnessed by the above named Richard

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request, and in his presence, have)
Subscribed our names as Witnesses.)

William Dow.

Neilson Cantey

Jared N, Cantey

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line was erased - -