

WILL OF ANDREW WATSON.

State of South) In the name of God Amen, this 13th
Carolina, Will) Day of September in the year of our
Williamsburgh Dist) Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and
Sixteen, I Andrew Watson of the District and State afore-
said being weak in ^Bbody but yet of Perfect, ^Bmind, memory, and
understanding but calling to mind the Mortality of my
Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to
die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament
that in ^Sprincipally and first of all, I ^{re}commend my Soul to
God who gave it, my Body I ^{re}commend to the Earth, to be bur-
ied in a decent and Christian manner at the discretion of
my Executors, nothing doubting but I shall receive the same
again, at the General Resurrection, by the Almighty Power of
God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it has
pleased God to ^Bbless me with in this Life, I demise & be-
queath in manner and form following - Imprimis, I order
all my just debts and Funeral Charges to be paid out of my
estate - Item, I will and bequeath unto my Brother John
Watson all my part of a tract of Land lying on Santee, in
Bumpton District, and all my part of a tract lying on the
South East Side of the ^Rroad leading from Murrays ferry to
the Lower Bridge - Item I will and bequeath to my Nephew
John Watson all my other possessions of lands, or real
estate, lying on Thorntree and the waters thereof, with all
my stock of Horses, Cattle, and hogs, and sheep, together
with my fire arms, Item, I will and bequeath to my Nephew
John Watson, and my Neice Sarah Ann Watson, all my Negroes,
namely Sam, Billy Sarah, and Ben, and my house hold and kit-

body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament that ^Sin principally and first of all, I ^{re}commend my Soul to God who gave it, my Body I ^{re}commend to the Earth, to be buried in a decent and Christian manner at the discretion of my executors, nothing doubting but I shall receive the same again, at the General Resurrection, by the Almighty Power of God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to ^Bbless me with in this Life. I demise & bequeath in manner and form following - Imprimis, I order all my just debts and Funeral Charges to be paid out of my estate - Item, I will and bequeath unto my Brother John Watson all my part of a tract of Land lying on Santee, in Sumpter District, and all my part of a tract lying on the South East Side of the ^Road leading from Murrays ferry to the Lower Bridge - Item I will and bequeath to my Nephew John Watson all my other possessions of lands, or real estate, lying on Thorntree and the waters thereof, with all my stock of Horses, Cattle, and hogs, and sheep, together with my fire arms, Item, I will and bequeath to my Nephew John Watson, and my Neice Sarah Ann Watson, all my Negroes, namely Sam, Billy Sarah, and Ben, and my house hold and kitchen furniture, to be Equally divided between them when my said Nephew John arrives at age, or when my Neice Sarah Ann, arrives at age or marries, It is my will and desire that my Nephew John should take possession of his property at the age of Twenty one years or marries - And I do hereby nominate and appoint my Brother John Watson, and William Salters executors of my last will and testament- In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal, the day and year

above Mentioned

Andrew ^{Nr} Watson.

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Witness Present.

Mary C Witherspoon

James M. Gowdy

W Salters.

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David McClary Ordinary Williamsburgh District.

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