

WILL OF CATHERINE DICKEY.

In the name of God Amen. I Catherine Dickey the elder of the State of South Carolina in the District of Williamsburgh.

(Widow) being sick and weak in Body; but of Sound mind and memory thanks be given to God for the same. calling unto mind the mortality of my Body and knowing it is appointed for all persons once to die; Do make constitute and Ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following. ----

Imprimis ----- I order all my Just debts and funeral charges to be paid out of my Estate, 9 ----

Item ----- I will and bequeath to my Daughter Soticia S. Durant one Negro Boy Jacob one Boy Frank one Boy Ben. these are to be delivered to her at my death. and to her Sole and Seperate use. so as not in any manner whatsoever to be liable for any debt or engagements of John H Durant her husband. nor at his disposal to sell or Convey the same in any manner whatsoever; But should my daughter Seticia S Durant die leaving no Issue of her Body. then in that case the foresaid negro Boys are to return to my surviving children living at that time. ---

Item ----- I will and bequeath unto my Daughter Catharine C. Blanchard one negro woman Lucy one Girl Sarah. One boy Moses. these with their increase are to be Delivered unto her at my death to her and her heirs forever. -----

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Item -- I also will and bequeath unto my two Daughters above named Sarah McDonald Dickey and Martha Elvira Dickey the one fifth part of the Legacy which fell to me as being Joint heir of my Son Isaac Munroe Dickey who lately died intestate leaving an Estate of seven negroes, to wit, one named Rachel a negro woman and her children. and one Other negro woman named Sookey and her child. and one other negro Girl named Binkey

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with his equal share of real Estate which fell to him as heir at law. with all the lands I now Possess. also all my stock of every kind. Household & Kitchen furniture of every description to be equally divided between them at the time above mentioned. ----- Lastly I nominate. Constitute and appoint my Brother in Law Samuel E Dickey Executor of this my last will & Testament. utterly revoking & disannulling and making void all former wills by me made heretofore. acknowledgeing this only to be my last will & Testament, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal and also pronounce this as my last will & Testament this                      day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, and in the forty second year of the sovereignty & Independence of the United States of America --- Signed sealed & declared in Presence of

Isaac Nelson

William N Murrell

William Nelson

Catherine Dickey (SEAL)

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David McClary Ordinary Williamsburgh Dist.

Apt. 8.

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