

WILL OF

JAMES GAMBLE SENR.

In The Name of God Amen. I James Gamble Of The State Of South Carolina Williamsburgh District (Planter) Do Make and,----
Declare This my Least Will and Testament In Manner and Form
Following First. I Resign my Soul Into the Hands of Almighty
God Hoping and---Believeing In a Remission of my Sins by The
Merits and Mediation of Jesus Christ and my Body I commit to
The Earth to be Buried at The Discretion of My Executors Herein
after Named and my Worldly Estate I give and Devise as Follows-

Item. I give Devise and Bequeath unto my Wife Sarah Elizabeth
Gamble all This meSSuage or Tenement with the Appertenances
Belonging Thereto Whereon I Now Reside During her Natural Life
Time. & No ~~Longer~~ Longer. at her Death To Be Equally Divided among
my Three Sons James Robert and William Gambles Share and Share
alike Also I give Devise and Bequeath Unto my Wife Sarah Eliza-
beth Gamble her Choice of Six Negroes to be Chosen among my
Stock of Negroes also all my Household and Kitchen Furniture
Plate &c. All my Stock of Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and Goats and
Poultry of Every Description One Horse and Riding for her Own
Use To Use and Dispose of as she may Think Proper at her Own
Discretion.-----

Item. I give Devise and Bequeath Unto My Three Sons Namely.
James, Robert, and William Gambles. Two Lotts Of Land In
Kingstree My Tracts or Plantation of Lands on Bennettes Swamp
In Williamsburgh District and Lands In Sumter on the South
Side Of Black River Equally Between Share and Share alike To
them and Their.----Heirs for Ever.-----

Item[#] 3 I give Devise and Bequeath Unto My Daughters Namely

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Item^{#3} I give Devise and Bequeath Unto My Daughters Namely
 Susannah Staggers, Elizabeth M. Tisdale, Jane Tisdale, Mary
 McCleary, Adelaide Dick Gamble, and Sarah Matilda Gamble To
 each of Them One Negroe Girl Or Boy which Ever they May Make
 Choice of In Lieu of their portion of my Lands-----Togeather
 with Their Increase To Them & Their Heirs for Ever The Said
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 of Age.-----

Item. I give Devise and Bequeath The Ballance of My Estate Say

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The Residue Not Already Disposed of In my Will after Paying all My Just Debts Unto my Sons and Daughters Namely James Gamble, Robert Gamble, William Gamble, Susannah Stagers, Elizabeth M. Tisdale Jane Tisdale, Mary McClary, Adalade Dick Gamble, and Sarah Matilda Gamble Share and Share Alike To Them and Their Heirs for ever.-----

Item. It is my will That the Four Negroe Girls which Were Loan'd To my Son James Gamble And Daughters Elizabeth Tisdale, Jane Tisdale, and Mary McCleary. Namely Betty, Sally, Lavenia, and Dinah, Be Return'd Into My Estate as they are a Part of it. Before any Legacey's Given Up By My Executors. herein after Named.

Item. It is My Will That My Sons & Daughters Yet Unmarried and Under The age of Twenty One Years. Shall Receive Their Legaceys as They Marry or Arrive to The age of Twenty one Years and not Before.-----

Item. And I Do Hereby Nominate and Appoint as Executors to this My Last Will And Testament My Son James Gamble and My Son In Law John Tisday Placeing Every Confidence In Them In Acting Justly and Judiciously On This my Last Will and Testament-----
In Witness Whereof I have thereUnto set My hand and Seal. This Thirteenth Day of August In The Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty six and The Sixty first Year of The Sovereignty and Independency of The United States of America.-

Signed Sealed Published

And Declared by the said

Jas. Gamble Sr. (L.S.)

Testator as and For his Last

Will and Testament In Presence

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Our Names as Witnesses ThereUnto

William. E. Mouzon

Leonard Mouzon

W. H. Mouzon.

Recorded in Will Book B" page 121.

Recorded by S. G. McClary, Ordinary of Williamsburgh District, on the 23^d January, 1837.

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