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WILL OF JOSEPH COCKFIELD

State of S. Carolina

In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Cockfield Planter of williamsburgh district being Sick and weak of body but of Sound disposing mind and memory and understanding. do make and declare this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to Say I will and order all my Just debts funeral expendes & Charges be paid out of my cotton and stock, I Giva and bequeath unto my Brother We hington Cockfield Eighty acres of Land more or less it being the upper part of the old house tract butting and bending on Said Washingtons Land and making taylers branch the line I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife one negro woman named Jinny and his child Bess also all the Lands that she Heired of his Fathers Estate also one Feather bed and furniture I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Clealand Washington and my son Josiah Joseph and if my wife should have a Son in nine months after my decease all the rest of my Lands Containing two Thousand one and fifty acres more or Less to be equally divided between them Share and Share alike Cleaveland washington to have the upper part and Josiah Joseph to take the Lower part of the Land and if there should be a Son borne of my wife in nine months after my decease for him to have the middle part I al-80 Give and bequeath unto my Son Clealand Washington one negro boy named Jim and one feather bed I also Give and bequeath unto my on Josiah Joseph one negro boy named Ben and one feather bed I also Give and Bequeath unto the child my wife

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should marry my will is that she Shall take his part and the

Remainder to be kept on the plantation togather and if she should then continue to live on the plantation after mairing the children Shall draw their parts of the Crops in proportion to their hands, and for the Land I further will in case either of the children Should die before they marry or arrive to the age of twenty one their Respective Share Shall go to the Surviveing child or children I do hereby consetute and appoint my Brother washington Cockfield my whole and Sole Executor of this my Last will and Testament hereby Revoking—and making void all and every other will by me made. and do declare this to be my Last will and Testament in witness whereof I the Said Joseph Cockfield have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Seventeenth day of April one Thousand Eight hundred and twenty Seven and in the fiftieth year of the Independance of the united Statesof america

Joseph Cockfield (SEAL)

by the above Joseph Cockfield
his
to be last will and Testament
in the presence of us and at whose

Request and in whose presence we have Subscribed

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John Singletary
Samuel Singletary

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Recorded 5th Day of May 1828.

Samuel G. McClary Ordinary Williamsburgh Dist.

Apt. 6. Pkg. 7.