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WILL OF
MARY BAXTER MCCUTCHEM.

In the name of God Amen. I Mary Baxter McCutchen of the State of South Carolina & District of Williamsburgh being of sound & disposing Mind & Memory do make publish & declare this instrument of writing to be my last will & Testament in Manner & form following

Item 1st. I give devise & bequeath to my daughter Sarah B McCutchen for & during the term of her natural life, the following named three negroes, Hannah Little Mary & Statira, with their future issue & increase & at her death I give devise bequeath said three negroes & their future issue & increase to the lawfully begotten issue of her Body, but if my said daughter Sarah die leaving no such issue, the said three negroes with their future increase shall return and be equally divided between my Surviving children, & the issue of any who may be dead at the time. the child or children of any who may be dead, taking the part or portion that their parent or parents would have inherited if alive

Item 2nd. I give devise & bequeath to my daughter Jennet McCutchen one Negro Named Rectina with her future increase & Issue during ~~the~~ the term of her Natural life, & at her death to the lawful issue of her body, but if she die leaving no such issue said Negro with her future issue & increase shall return & be equally divided between my Surviving children & the issue of any who may be dead at the time, the child or Children of any who may be dead taking the part or portion the parent or parents would have taken if alive

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Item 4th. I give & bequeath to my daughter Emma McCutchin 2 negro-

es viz David & Amarita with the future issue & increase of the female during the term of her natural life, & at her death to the lawful issue of her body but should she die leaving no such issue said two negroes with the issue & increase of the female & shall return & be equally divided between my surviving Children & the issue of any of them who may be dead, such issue taking the part or portion their parent or parents would have inherited if alive.

Item 5th. I give & bequeath to my daughter Jennett McCutchin Three hundred dollars

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Item 8 I give & bequeath to my daughters Martha Ann & Emma McCutchin twenty five dollars each to purchase Bureaus

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Item 10th. I give devise & bequeath all the rest residue & remainder of my Estate of Nature or Kind Whatsoever to be equally divided between my Thomas M McCutchin, son James McCutchin & daughters Sarah B McCutchin, Jennett M McCutchin, Martha Ann

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McCutchin & Emma McCutchin

lastly I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my two Sons
Thomas McConnell, & James McCatchin Executors of this my last
will & Testament, hereby revoking all others made by me or for
me at my request, ratifying & confirming this & none other as &
for my last Will & testament, Signed Sealed published & delivered
by the above named Mary Baxter McCutchin as & for her last Will
& testament in the presence of us & who at her request in the
presence of each other have Subscribed Our names as witnesses
thereto this 15th day of July in the year of our Lord One thous-
and eight hundred & fifty one

The twenty first line on first page } Mary B McCutchen)
was interlined with the word children }
before the signing of the presents }

Witnesses

James Bradley

Elizabeth Gotea

A A Skinner

Recorded in Will Book "D" page 87.

Recorded on the 14th day of August, 1851, by W. R. Nelson,
Ordinary of Williamsburgh District.

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