

WILL OF
MARY ELLIS.

State of South Carolina)

Williamsburgh District)

I Mary Ellis do make and ordain

this my last will and Testament in manner & form following

Viz Item I will & bequeath to my Two Sons Thos.A. & JeSan^B Ellis one dollar each

Item I will & bequeath to my son Joseph J. Ellis a Joint & equal Interest in my Land for three Years with Elias S. Ellis & after that time to be his own forever also three hred of Cattle, one bed & furniture and the oldest Child of Negro Girl

Emelin which will be living at the expiration of three Years

Item I will & bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann L Ellis ^{one} ~~one~~

Negro Girl (named) Ann & her future Increase to be hers & hers only during her Natural life & at her death to be equally divided among the issue of her body & not to be subject to the debts of her husband or any other person also one Cow and Calf, Two beds, bed stead & furniture and all the rest of my house hold & Kitchen furniture not disposed of before or after

this will Item I will & bequeath to my son Elias S. Ellis

one Negro-Girl (named) Emeline & her future Increase after my son Joseph J. Ellis receives one of her Children, also also my stock of hogs, Crop of Corn & the ballance of the Money

left from the sale of my stock of Cattle (not herein disposed of) & Crop of Cotton after paying my debts as I wish my debts to be paid out of my stock of Cattle & Crop of Cotton I also wish my Plantation tools & any other article (not herein disposed off Which is not named in this will to be equally divided between Joseph J. & Elias S Ellis and that Elias S. Ellis have an equal Interest in my Land for the space of ^{three} ~~three~~ Years.

Daughter Mary Ann Louisa Ellis receive

Item I will & bequeath to my son Joseph J. Ellis a Joint & equal Interest in my Land for three Years with Elias S. Ellis & after that time to be his own forever also three hred of Cattle, one bed & furniture and the oldest Child of Negro Girl Emelin which will be living at the expiration of three Years

Item I will & bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann L Ellis ^{one} ~~and~~ Negro Girl (named) Ann & her future Increase to be hers & hers only during her Natural life & at her death to be equally divided among the issue of her body & not to be subject to the debts of her husband or any other person also one Cow and Calf, Two beds, bed stead & furniture and all the rest of my house hold & Kitchen furniture not disposed of before or after this will

Item I will & bequeath to my son Elias S. Ellis one Negro-Girl (named) Emeline & her future Increase after my son Joseph J. Ellis receives one of her Children, also also my stock of hogs, Crop of Corn & the ballance of the Money left from the sale of my stock of Cattle (not herein disposed of) & Crop of Cotton after paying my debts as I wish my debts to be paid out of my stock of Cattle & Crop of Cotton I also wish my Plantation tools & any other article (not herein disposed off which is not named in this will to be equally divided between Joseph J. & Elias S Ellis and that Elias S. Ellis have an equal Interest in my Land for the space of ^{three} ~~them~~ Years.

Daughter Mary Ann Louiza Ellis receive
Also it is my will & desire that my ^{one} said negro Girl (named) Ann from my Ex . in place of Sidney a boy which I gave my

son Thos. A. Ellis that was drawn for her at the division when she arrive at the age of Twenty one and Gives Thos. A. Ellis a bill of Sale for Sidney and should my daughter Mary Ann Louiza Ellis marry & her & her husband refuse to relinquish then Claim to Sidney then my Ex . is to refuse to give

up the Girl Ann to her untill it is done or ordered different

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by Court

The word "be" was interlined

between the ninth & Tenth lines

before signing

Lastly I appoint Elias S. Ellis & A F. Graham Ex^{ors} to this
my last will and Testament revoking all other wills made by
me, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this
20 day of May 1850 and & Seventy fourth Year of American Ind-
ependence

signed, Sealed & ~~the~~ acknowledg

in the presence of us

her
Mary X Ellis (L.S.)
mark

Test { Robert B. Green
 { Robert A. Moore
 { J.. S.. Coker

Recorded in Will Book "D" page 79.

Recorded on the 10th day of October, 1850, by W. W. Scott,
Ordinary of Williamsburg District.

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