

in the name of God Amen. I Peter
M Oliver, Planter of said District & State being of weak
Body & infirm health but of sound & disposing mind memory
& discretion, do make & declare this my last Will and Testam-
ent in manner & form following.

First I resign my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who
gave it & my Body to the earth to be buried at the discre-
tion of my Executors hereinafter named. And my worldly
Estate I give & devise as follows. First I will & devise
all my just debts to be paid by my Executors hereinafter
named as soon after my decease as they conveniently can.
Also having given my beloved son Samuel P Oliver four ne-
groes to wit William, Dinah Lucy & Maria & their future in-
crease & having expended a large sum of money in & about his
education & profession which I deem as fully equal to his
just share of my Estate, I therefore will & devise that the
said negroes & their future increase, be considered as his
full share of my Estate. Also I will & bequeath all the rest
and residue of Estate both Real & Personal to be kept to-
gether by my Executors hereinafter named & the profits
applied to the Education support & maintenance of my other
children, Benjamin P Oliver, James B Oliver John W Oliver
Cecilia A Oliver Maria T Oliver Cornelia C Oliver, Mary E S
Oliver & Peter M Oliver all of whom are minors and to be
divided among them equally that is share and share alike
that is to say Each one one his or her arrival to the age
of twenty one years or marriage whichever event may first
place take to receive his full proportion of the Estate
personal & the residue to be kept together for the mutual
benifit of the other heirs, & in like manner each to receive
his proportion & the rest kept till the youngest shall come
to the full age of twenty one years or marriage. Also I
will & desire that after my youngest son shall have received
his proportion of the personal Estate that then my Real Estate

to be sold by my said Executors in order to make an equal distribution among my said Heirs. And I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint my dear & beloved son Samuel P Oliver & my highly valued & esteemed friend Benjamin R Pendergrass Executors of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking Every other will by me heretofore made & declaring this to be my last Will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this _____ of _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty four & in the Sixty Ninth year of the Sovereignty & Independence of the United States of America.

In the presence of

The word "place" interlined & P.M.Oliver (L.S.)

before signing

Henry B Singleton

Robert A McKelvey

Maria H Footman

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Samuel G. McClary Ordinary Williamsburgh District *

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