

WILL OF

THOMAS D. SINGLETON, senr.

State of South Carolina Williamsburgh District

In the name of God Amen I, Thomas D Singleton ^{senr.} being of sound disposing mind and memory do make constitute and appoint this as my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all other wills and Testaments heretofore made by me, In the first place it is my wish and desire that my body be interred in the family burial ground on Santee along side the remains of my old Friend and Father in law. Henry Blanchard, In the next place I wish all my debts to be paid off as speedily as convenient----- I leave unto my wife Mary Magdalen Singleton during her natural life one third of my Estate both real and personal and at her death It is my will that the said one third part of my property left her become the property of my two daughters Esther Gibson Singleton and Mary Magdalen Burgess Singleton to whom I give and bequeath the said property, I give unto my son Thomas Day Singleton Jr my negroe boy named Hackney my library and my grand Fathers portrait I give unto my son Henry B Singleton my small gold watch which he now has also the little gold seal which was given to me by my grand father also my sword stick To my Daughter Susanna Elizabeth Gourdin I give a gold locket into which some of my hair is to be put which locket is to be of the value of fifty dollars and which my Executor here after named will purchase from money of my Estate and present the same to my Daughter Susanna Elizabeth Gourdin within three months after my decease To my friend and son in law Peter G Gourdin I give my gold watch chain and Key as a mark of my esteem and friendship for him the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personal I give and bequeath to my two Daughters Esther Gibson Singleton and Mary Magdalen Burgess Singleton to

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testament, In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand seal
this ellventh day of May in the year of Our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and twenty six-----

T D Singleton Sen^r (L. S.)

Signed sealed and published

and declared by the above named

Thomas Day Singleton Sen^r to be his last will

and Testament in the presence of us who have

hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in

the presance of the testator-----

Sam^l Fluitt

J. F. Rolland

J K Bostwick

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on the 10th day of Febuary, 1834.

CODICIL TO THE WILL OF
THOMAS D SINGLETON SENR.

Codicel to the above my last will and Testament I give and bequeath unto my Daughters Esther Gibson, and Mary Magdalen BurgeSs Singleton my tract of land on the south side of black river Williamsburgh Destrict which I purchased from William Lifrage Sr also my Negroes Jim and Polly to be equally divided between them, Item I give and bequeath unto my son Henry Blanchard Singleton the old buck Jail in Kingstree and it is my will that the twenty six shares in the planters and Mechanics Bank in Charleston which I received by will from my mother Sarah Singleton be sold and the proceeds be applied towards the payments of my debts In witness where of I have here unto set my hand and seal this eleventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one-----

Thomas D Singleton Sr.(L.S

Signed sealed published and declared

by the above named Thomas D Singleton Sr in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in the presence of the Testator

Joseph P. McElveen

Sam^l Fluit

J R Fulmore

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