

WILLIAM S. BROCKINTON

In the name of God Amen.

I William S. Brockinton of the State of North Carolina and District of Williamsburgh, Planter, do make and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following :

First, I resign my Soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping and believing in a remission of my sins by the merits and meditation of Jesus Christ; And my body I Com it to be buried at the discretion of my Executors and Executrix hereinafter named:

And my Worldly Estate I give and devise as follows-----

first. I give and devise to my Brother John all my right and Title in the Tract of Land on which my Mother ^{reside} at the time of her death being a part of the Property of the Estate of my Father my Mother in her last Will and Testament gave me all her right and Title in Said tract of Land I wish It ^{now} understood that I hereby give and bequeath unto my Brother John all my right ~~xxx~~ and title in Said Tract of Land including that portion as giving me by my Mother and do hereby direct my Executrix and Executors hereinafter named to make and deliver unto my Said Brother a quit claim Title to the Same-----

Secondly Whereas I owe a standing debt to William Burrows something ~~the~~ ^{Risk} of a Thousand Dollars ~~with~~ together with some ~~other~~ small Debts about in the Country this is therefore to Authorise and empower my Executrix and Executors to Sell negro Woman Nancy and her two children Jack and Maria and negro Boy Harry in order to satisfy the debts above mentioned -

Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my beloved Life Louisa E.

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Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Louisa E. Brockinton the following property viz negro man Jim Daphney little Jim Antrum Lucy Harriet Diana Sambo George Venus Tillah Harriet Jockey likewise two beds & mattresses Bedstead and furniture the half of Stock of Cattle Hogs & Sheep together with two Horses riding Gig & Harness to her & her heirs and assigns forever-----

Fourthly I give and bequeath the Tract of Land on which I now reside to my beloved Wife to hold and enjoy full possession during her natural life, with the provision that my children while

in minority shall reside thereon with her, and that the negro slaves composing my Estate together with the legacy above ~~named~~ named to my said wife, Shall work and cultivate the Lands to the benefit of all-----

Fifthly. I give and Bequeath the balance of my Personal Estate not already Particularly disposed of to my Six children Viz John Fowler, William Roberson James Scriven Burrows PreSsley, Carolin Matilda and Martha Ann Share and Share alike between them during the term of their natural lives and at either of theirs deaths the legacy So bequeathed to the deceased shall descend to his or her lawful issue--- The Legacy above bequeathed shall not be liable to any Debts that the legatee may Contract but shall descend as within directed to his or her lawful Issue which is the true meaning of the Testator. Further should either of the Legatees die without leaving lawful Issue his or her legacy so bequeathed shall revert back to the Surviving Brother & Sisters legatees and be equally divided Between them but when one of the Legatees have died leaving lawful Issue then the said Issue shall Inherit its parents Merity or share, nevertheless Subject and entailed to them respectively as within distinctly stated and to each Legatee as firmly as the legacy just given----->

Sixthly The Tract of Land on which I now reside and wherein I have already given my beloved wife Louisa a life Estate I will and direct that the said tract of Land remain in the Joint Estate untill my youngest Child then living become of age should my beloved wife by that time have died or should she not at her departure from this life It shall then be equally divided

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Share & Share alike if either of the legatees be dead leaving lawful issue said issue shall receive and enjoy that Merity or portion to which their parent would have been entitled-

Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Louisa E Brockinton Executrix and my son John and William when they shall have arrived at the age of twenty one together with my friend Samuel R Mouzon and my three Nephews William

Burrows John B Pressley and James F Pressley Executors to this

my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all Will or Wills heretofore or at any time by me ~~made~~ declaring this to be my last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this Seventh September in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty two and In the fifty seventh year of the Sovereignty & Independence of the United States of America

Signed Sealed Published

W. S. Brockinton (SEAL)

and declared by the within named William S Brockinton to be his last will & Testament in the presence of us who have hereunto Subscribed our names as Witnesses in the presence of the Testator

One the third page & twelvth line from top the words (together with the balance of my real Estate) were inserted before signing and sealing-

W.R. Burges
R.G. Ferrell
Eliza Dollard

A Codicil to a will That is to Say a Supplement or Addition to it,---- Whereas I William S Brockinton of the State of South Carolina and District of Williamsburgh (Planter) Have made ,my Last Will and Testament in Witing Bearing Date the Seventh day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Two And in the Fifty Seventh year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America----And have thereby made this my Codicil to my said Will---Now I Do by this my writing which I hereBy Declare to be A Codicil To my said Will To be Taken As a Part Thereof Will and Direct---Explanatory of

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of Testator is that the Word Tract of Land Shall Include all the

Several Tracts.----- According to the Resurvey made By

W H Mouzon and that They Shall Continue Undivided Untill the

Youngest Child Shall have Arrived at Twenty one years.- of Age

and it is to be perticularly Understood That if Their Mother Be

Still Living Then Said Lands is to be By no means Divided.

But Remain as Directed in the fourth Clause. In Witness

whereof I have here Unto Set my hand and Seal this Tenty

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Eight Hundred and Thirty Two and in the Fifty Seventh year

of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of

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Signed Sealed Published & Declared by
the above named William S Brockinton to
be his Codicil to his Will in presence
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D R Witherspoon

John Kinder

W H Mouzon

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Samuel G McClary Ordinary Williamsburgh District

Apt 5

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W. S. Brockinton (SEAL)