

and as they come of age or marry, to take possession of their negroes at the
 ensuing close of the year = Item my will and desire is that amongst
 daughters, Martha, Jane, and Emmely shall come of age, or marry,
 they may if they chose receive our fourth part of the Cattle, sheep
 and Hogs then on the plantation which shall bear them, or the one,
 as receiving from any further Claim or Demand of Cattle, sheep &
 Hogs that may remain, after I direct my said three daughters
 their respective shares, as above directed shall be the property
 of my son Stith to him his heirs &c = Item = my will and desire
 is, that when my youngest daughter comes of age or marries, that
 all my stock of horses, kitchen furniture and plantation utensils, and
 all my house hold furniture not before divided be sold on a reason-
 able Credit by my executor or executors, and the money arising from
 such sale to be equally divided between my son Stith and my
 three Daughters Martha, Emmely and Jane; and in case of the
 death of either of them, then representation if any, or their survivors
 with limitation herein after mentioned = Item my will and desire,
 produced from cropping that can be spared from the use of
 the plantation at my Death be sold and the money arising from
 such sale, to be applied to the payment of my Just Debts, and
 if any money shall remain of the said after paying said
 Debts, I desire it may be applied to the use and benefit of
 my son Stith, and my Daughters Martha, Emmely and Jane
 equally = Item = I give to my Daughters Emmely and Jane a good
 bride and saddle, each, to be furnished by my executor or executors when
 they shall want them = If my son Stith Nicholas should without
 issue my will and desire is that all and every species of estate
 devised to him above shall be sold and the money arising from
 said sale to be equally divided between my Daughters Eliza-
 beth Martha Nicholas Emmely Nicholas, Jane Nicholas & the
 Children of my daughter Susan Nicholas; and the Children of
 the other that may die if any there be; the whole of the Children
 of any one of my daughters who might die to draw the share my
 then mother might have been entitled to in case she had lived...
 Item my will and desire further is, that if either of my three
 Daughters Martha, Emmely, or Jane should die without Issue

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 Anne