

Will and Probate, SC, Laurens, WILLIAM BRYSON, 1807

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ESTATE OF
WILLIAM BRYSON
CHARLES LITTLE
EXECUTOR

Will and Probate, SC, Laurens, WILLIAM BRYSON, 1807

Judge of probate

Laurens County, SC

The will of **WILLIAM BRYSON**

Recorded administrators Book C. C. Pages 285 and 286 by me

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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State of South Carolina
Laurens District

Personally appeared before me **CHARLES LITTLE** and being duly sworn on the holy evangelists of almighty God saith that on the 7th day of December he was requested by **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, to write his will. And after he had wrote the within will, agreeable to the said deceased, directions and read the same to him that said deceased said that it was agreeable to his directions, and, as there was only that was considered as lawful witness it was agreed to send for another witness to see the said deceased execute the within instrument of writing as his last will and testament. And before the said witness came, the said **WILLIAM BRYSON** died. And also believe that the said deceased was, at the time that the within writing was read to him, was in his perfect senses and also saith that he saw deponent wrote the within writing in great haste, but believes that in the part of the within instrument where it provides for the support of the widow that she was to have one fourth part of the horses, cattle, hogs, and all other of his property, except the Negroes and wagon, and at the expiration of two years then they are to be sold and the widow to have one sixth part.

CHARLES LITTLE

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of December 1807.

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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State of South Carolina
Laurens District

I, **WILLIAM BRYSON**, of the state and district aforesaid, being sick of body and in composed health but in my due senses and memory thanks be to the great God for all his mercies that he has bestowed upon me.

I will and bequeath to my wife [**JENNET BRYSON**] one fourth part of my stock and her maintenance, the plantation her life time and the rest to be equally divided between **JOHN [BRYSON]** and the two yearlings.

I will and bequeath to my son **JAMES [BRYSON]** 275 acres of land in that tract he lives on.

I also will and bequeath to my son **ROBERT [BRYSON]** 175 acres that he is sold to **JOHN NODE?**

I also will and bequeath to my son **JOHN [BRYSON]** 175 acres in the plantation and house on his part.

I also will and bequeath to my daughter **JEAN [BRYSON]** 175 acres of land and **SARAH [BRYSON]** 175 Acres.

Also I lead off the rest the best advantage, the rest to be equally divided among my children.

I will and bequeath my Negroes and wagon to stay two years on the plantation and then sold and equally divided among my my heirs.

I will and bequeath unto my son **JAMES [BRYSON]** my watch I fetched from Ireland and my son **ROBERT [BRYSON]** the other one.

My notes, when collected and pay all my debts and defray expenses, the remainder to be equally divided amongst my heirs.

I allow and nominate **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **CHARLES LITTLE** to be my executors to do according to the will and law directs them.

In witness hereunto I have set my hand and seal this 7th day of December 1807 and in the 32nd year of American independence.

WILLIAM BRYSON [BRISON] {seal, his mark}

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1807

WILLIAM BRYSON estate

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WILLIAM BLAKELEY
executor of **WILLIAM BRYSON**
on return for the year 1808

filed this 19th day of April 1809 in my office by me

D. ANDERSON ordinary

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1807 charges

MINISTER ANDERSON
WILLIAM BLAKELEY
THOMAS BLAKELY
JAMES BROWN
JAMES BRYSON
JOHN BRYSON
MATTHEW CUNNINGHAM
WILLIAM DUNLAP
WILLIAM FOWLER
THOMAS PORTER
JAMES ROBERTS
MR SEXTON
ELIZABETH TINSLEY
SAMUEL VANCE

certified by us **C. LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**
executors of the estate of **WILLIAM BRYSON** deceased
March 20th 1809

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Ordinary's office
Laurens District

Personally appeared before me **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** executor of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, and made oath that the within accounts as within stated of monies paid and received are just in true.

WILLIAM BLAKELEY

Sworn to

D. ANDERSON, ordinary

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Received of the estate of **WILLIAM BRYSON** as follows

THOMAS BLAKELY
JOHN BOYD
JANET BRYSON
WILLIAM DUNLAP
SAMUEL NEILL
DAVID SPEARS
EDWARD TYGER
JOSEPH VANCE

Certified by us **C. LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**
executors of the estate of **WILLIAM BRYSON**

receipt March 21st 1809

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State of South Carolina
Laurens District

WILLIAM BLAKELEY
see little

personally appeared before me **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **CHARLES LITTLE**, executors of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, and made oath that the within accounts of monies paid to the legities of the said **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, are just and true.

WILLIAM BLAKELEY
CHARLES LITTLE

sworn to And subscribe before me this the first day of April 1811

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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WILLIAM BLAKELEY
CHARLES LITTLE

Executors of

WILLIAM BLAKELEY, deceased

filed in May of by me this
1st day of April 1811

DAVID ANDERSON

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March 7th 1811

Paid to the legatees of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased

Monies amounting from the last sale as follows

JENNET BRYSON {wife}

JAMES BRYSON

ROBERT BRYSON

JEAN BRYSON

JOHN BRYSON

SARAH BRYSON

Our charges

certified by **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **C. LITTLE** executors

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To petition of

WILLIAM BLAKELEY and

CHARLES LITTLE, executors

WILLIAM BRYSON, deceased

Order of sale granted on a credit of 12 months from the sale agreeable to the
within petition by me this 6th day of January 1810

D. ANDERSON ordinary

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South Carolina
Laurens District

To **DAVID ANDERSON** Esquire, ordinary for said district.

The Humble Petition of **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **CHARLES LITTLE** executors of the estate of **WILLIAM BRYSON** humbly sheweth that agreeable to the will of said deceased it is necessary to expose to sale part of the property of **WILLIAM BRYSON** Sr., deceased, and therefore pray your honor to grant an order to that effect.

And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray & c.

On a credit of 12 months

January 16th, 1800

WILLIAM BLAKELEY
CHARLES LITTLE

executors

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I do hereby certify that the within citation was read openly in the congregation of warrior Creek the 19th of December 1807

JOHN RENWICK minister

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citation to prove the will of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased

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Ordinary's office
Laurens District

WHEREAS **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** make suit to me to have the will of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, proven and letters of testamentary granted to them that being named executors in the last will and testament they being named.

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular to kindred and creditors together, with the wife of the said deceased, to be present at the proving of the said will at my office to show cause, if any they have, why that will should not be proved and administration granted as aforesaid.

Given under my hand and seal at my office this 9th day of December 1807

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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The appraise bill of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased

Recorded administrators book C. C. Page 287 by me **DAVID ANDERSON**, ordinary

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payment of the property of **WILLIAM BRYSON** senior deceased

31st of December 1807

[INVENTORY LIST]

by us the appraisers

SAMUEL VANCE
JAMES BROWN
JONATHAN BLAKELEY

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Warrant of appraisal of the goods and chattels of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased

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South Carolina
Laurens District

By **DAVID ANDERSON**, Esquire, ordinary to **WILLIAM DUNLOP**, **JONATHAN BLAKELEY**, **SAMUEL VANCE** and **JAMES BROWN**

THESE are to authorize and empower you, or any three or four of you, to repair to all such places within this district as you shall be directed unto by **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors, late of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, whereas and any of the goods in chattels be or do remain which shall be known unto you by the said **CHARLES LITTLE** at **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors, and there view and appraise all and every the said goods and chattels, being first sworn on the holy evangelists of Almighty God to make a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof, and to cause the same to be returned under your hands, or any three or four of you, to the said **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors, on or before 60 days now next ensuing.

Dated this 26th day of December 1807 and in the year of the American independence the 23rd

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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Ordinary's Office

Record Book CC **JAMES BROWN, SAMUEL VANCE, JONATHAN BLAKELEY** do swear that you will well and truly appraise all and singular the goods and chattels, ready money only accepted of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, as shall be shown unto you by the said **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors of the said, deceased, and that you will return the same certified under your hand unto the said **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** after making a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof unto the said **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors, within the time prescribed by law, so help you God.

I do certify that the above named appraisers named in the within warrant of appraisement, was duly qualified before me, as the law directs, the 3rd day of December 1807.

JOHN BOYD

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Ordinary's office
Laurens District

Personally appeared before me **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **CHARLES LITTLE**, executors, of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, and made oath, as the law directs, and saith that the within stated are just and true.

WILLIAM BLAKELEY
C. LITTLE

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fifth day of March 18th 1810

D. ANDERSON, ordinary

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DAVID ANDERSON
WILLIAM BLAKELEY
JEAN BRYSON
JENNET BRYSON
JOHN BRYSON
SARAH BRYSON
WILLIAM FOWLER
C. LITTLE
MR. SIMPSON
EDWARD TYGER
NANCY TYGER

Certified by **WILLIAM BLAKELEY** and **CHARLES LITTLE**, executors

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Ordinary's office
Laurens District

UPON application of **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, executors of **WILLIAM BRYSON** deceased.

Praying that they might be permitted to expose the goods and chattels of the, deceased, **WILLIAM BRYSON** to public sale.

And after due consideration of said petition and the things therein stated, now they, the said **CHARLES LITTLE** and **WILLIAM BLAKELEY**, are hereby authorized and permitted to expose the goods and chattels & c. of the said **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, to public sale, on the plantation of the said deceased, on a credit of 12 months from the sale thereof agreeable to the will of the said, deceased, after advertising the same agreeable to law.

Given under my hand at my office this 4th day of January 1808.

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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Sale bill of the estate of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, recorded Administration book CC page 292 by me **DAVID ANDERSON**, ordinary

The sale bill of the property of **WILLIAM BRYSON Sr.**, deceased, on the 25th of January 1808

[SALE LIST]

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Second sale bill of the goods and chattels of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased,

Recorded Administrators Book DDD page 14 by me.

DAVID ANDERSON, ordinary

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A true account of the sale of the balance of the property of **WILLIAM BRYSON**, deceased, on January 16th, 1810

3 Negroes

1 wagon

Certified by us

WILLIAM BLAKELEY

C. LITTLE

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