

In the name of God amen. I Tudarch Noble Pastor of the Church  
of the County of Guilford and State of N. Carolina being by the blessing of God of sound  
mind and memory do hereby make, ordain and publish this my last will and Testament  
in manner following, viz:

1<sup>st</sup> I do appoint and ordain my well beloved wife Eve Noble and my  
son John Noble to be the faithful Executors of this my last will and Testament

2<sup>d</sup> I desire and order all my lawfull debts to be justly and fairly  
discharged after my decease.

3<sup>d</sup> I do order and appoint my well beloved wife Eve Noble to live on and  
have full power of all my possessions with a right to ~~do~~ use the same as she shall think fit  
with all my other children not hereafter otherwise named, with this provision viz: That  
this is only to be during her widowhood

4<sup>th</sup> I love and bequeath all the land that I am possessed of to my  
two sons namely John and Ely equally between them as they may agree between themselves  
(after the death of their mother who must inherit it while a widow) however if either  
of them marries or takes to away of living of their own I order and desire that  
John & Mary remain in the improvement with his mother.

5<sup>th</sup> I order and desire that my daughters Sarah, Ann, Sophia May each of them  
have a right to demand and get a good horse man as the sons of age and likewise the sum of  
hundred of household furniture &c the same or like value as my daughter Mary Clark has got.

6<sup>th</sup> I will and desire that after distribution of the land and property as before  
specified that all my children sons and daughters may have an equal part or portion of all  
stock goods or chattels money or property whatever that may be left. And to prevent any  
disputes or cause of disputes after my decease I do here declare and make known that my  
son David Noble and my daughter Mary Clark has each of them got and had what  
I think a just and equitable part according to what I have named and bequeathed.

John & Mary remain at the improvement with his mother.

5th I order and desire that my daughters Sarah Ann Sophia Mary each of them have a right to demand and get a good horse or mare as the case of age and likewise the sum of £100 of household furniture &c the same or like value as my daughter Mary Eliza has got.

6th I will and desire that after distribution of the land and property as before specified that all my children sons and daughters may have an equal part or portion of all stock goods or chattels money or property whatever that may be left. And to prevent any disputes or cause of disputes after my decease I do here declare and make known that my son David Coble and my daughter Mary Eliza has each of them got and had what I think a just and equitable part according to what I have named to the rest of my heirs and that they David and Mary are also named and to share in the equal division above named.

To certify that this is my true will I do in the presence of these witnesses George Coble and William Corbie subscribe my name and affix my seal this 17th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & nine

Witness present

George Coble (Jurat)

W. Corbie

Ludwick Coble

State of North Carolina, Guilford County August Term, 1809.

The last Will of Ludwick Coble, dead, was shown in Open Court by the oath of George Coble one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, & on motion ordered to be recorded.

Test:

John Hamilton, C. C.