

In the Name of God Amen, I David Sills of the
County of Greensville being Sick and Weak but of sound Memory and
calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body and that it is appointed for
all Men once to Die do make this my last Will and Testament, my Soul
I give to God, who gave it me, and my Body I commend to the Earth from
whence it was taken, to be buried in a Christian like manner in full and
firm assurance that I shall rise again in the Resurrection at the last
day and receive free pardon and remission of all my Sins through the Merits
and Mediation of Jesus Christ my Saviour, and as to what worldly Goods
God hath graciously lent me I do give and bequeath in manner and form
following, ~~IN WITNESS WHEREOF~~ I lend the use of the Land given to my three
Youngest Sons, to my beloved Wife Azga Sills until they Marry or Arrive
to the Age of Twenty One Years, provided she remains my Widow. I also
lend the use of all the residue of my Estate except Land to my said Wife during
her Widowhood. ~~IN WITNESS WHEREOF~~ I give and bequeath to my Son Gray Sills the one fifth
part of my Land including the Plantation on the Creek to him and his
heirs for ever. ~~IN WITNESS WHEREOF~~ I give and bequeath to my Son, Isham Sills the one
fifth part of my Land adjoining the Land of William Vaughan, and the
Creek to him and his heirs for ever. ~~IN WITNESS WHEREOF~~ I give and bequeath to my Son
Richard Sills when Married or arrived to the Age of Twenty One Years, the

break to him and his heirs forever. ITEM I give and bequeath to my Son
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One fifth part of my Land to be laid off in the most equal manner between
the other two parts before mentioned and on the break to him and his heirs for ever
ITEM I give and bequeath to my Son David Sills when Married or arrived to the
Age of twenty One Years the one fifth part of my Land adjoining the Land of
Barry D. Major to be laid off in the most equal manner to him and his heirs
for ever. ITEM I give and bequeath to my Son John Sills when Married or
arrived to the Age of twenty One Years the other fifth part of my Land including
the Plantation whereon I now live to him and his heirs for ever. But if my beloved
Wife remain my Widow and should be living when my said Son John Sills shall
Marry or arrive to the Age of twenty one Years my Will and desire is that she
remain in possession of the one third part of the Land given him with her choice
of Dwelling Houses and half the other Houses on the Plantation during her
Widowhood. ITEM My Will and desire is that the Land given to my Sons be
valued when they receive it and that after my beloved Wifes Death that
the different Tracts of Land be made of equal value to the time when valued
by Sale of my other Estate. ITEM My Will and desire is that after the Death
of my beloved Wife Agga Sills that all the residue of my Estate of every kind
whatsoever including my Side that is not before mentioned I do give and

6) That out of the Money arising from the Sale, my four Daughters, Elizabeth Little, Agga Little, Lucy Little, and Belva Little, each of them receive Segues in Money equal to either of my Sons in Land, and that if any overplus to be equally divided amongst all my ^{Children} children. But if either of my ^{children} sons should die, before Married or arrived to the Age of twenty One Years my desire is that the Estate given them be equally divided amongst the Survivors of them and their heirs for ever. I also desire that my Estate be not appraised and that my Executors give no Security. And lastly I do constitute and appoint my friends Thomas Maclin and William Batte Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this

Signed Sealed published and
Delivered in presence of

Thomas H. Hachin

Thomas Morris

William Redding

David I. Sims (L.S.)

Mark.

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the Penalty of fifteen hundred Pounds. Conditioned as the Law directs.
Certificate was granted him for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form
Liberty being reserved for the other Executor therein named to join in the
said Probate when he may think fit.

Test.

J. Pelham Clerk

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An Inventory of the Estate of John Johnson Deceased