

In the Name of God Amen

I James Maxwell of Franklin County N.C.
Carolina do make this my last Will Viz

I desire that my Goods wares and Merchandise together with any other part of my Personal Estate that my beloved Wife may choose should be sold on a reasonable Credit out of which or any money or Notes that may be in hand that my debts may be paid the residue of which together with the Whole of my Estate Real as well as Personal I lend my Wife during her life to use & enjoy fully freely & absolutely and at her death I give one third part of my whole Estate to her relations and give her full power to dispose of it as she pleases, the other two thirds I give at her death to the following persons or as many of them as are then alive Viz James H. Cooke son & John B. Jasper S. the Children of my Nephew John Moore dec^d the Children of my Niece Nancy Moore dec^d & the children of my Niece Betsey Hardison have & share alike and I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Mary Maxwell my sole Executrix to the foregoing and at her death I do appoint the Acting Sheriff of the county my Executor and request him to dispose and sell the whole Estate and after paying himself the usual commission to pay over the Bonds & Notes as soon as possible to the different legates In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal 4th Jan^y 1830

Acknowledged in presence of
W. T. Johnson for J.
V. L. Bonner

James Maxwell