

ing Justice for said property. Samuel Davidson & Nathaniel
Monticello & being duly sworn depose & testify that being in
company with Elijah Ryan some time before he went to
South Carolina being sensible of his mortality, & of sound
senses & memory, did in their presence & requesting them to
be witnesses if he did not return alive he did order & allow
Joseph & Maxwell to inherit all his Cloaths & other Estate
sworn to & subscribed by said Dependants this 15th day of
August 1789 in presence of
James & Beek. Samuel Davidson
Nath^l Monticello

Whereas Thomas & W^m Cline being duly sworn depose &
& testify that Elijah Ryan in life then living before his
death told said dependants that he told them viz
his neighbors that he would never come back
& that Joseph & Maxwell to get on the estate
being small that he had sworn to & subscribed this
29th day of October 1789 before
James & Beek. Thomas & Cline

In the name of God Amen. December the tenth 1785 I John
Russell of Rockland County & Province of N^o Carolina
being Able & in my latter end do appear & declare
this my last will & Testament, and first of all I give to
Henceforth my soul unto God Almighty that gave it & my
body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent
Christian burial at the discretion of my son nothing doubt-
ing but at the General resurrection I shall receive the
same again by the mighty power of God Touching such worldly
Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life I
give & dispose of the same in the following manner & for one
and first I give & bequeath to my daughter Margret fifty
pounds Sterling money to be paid & received out of my Estate
& my Son to have till her old age & next I leave my Land to my son
to be possessed by him only my daughter is to have for years
of the land until the day of her Marriage, or to the day of

in death. The heirs are to be divided by the Negroes in any
side of the place the place my stock of all kind be divided
between my James & my daughter for the two parts & the
the third money & all my land servants I leave to my daughter
Margaret & she to him with the same of the same let her have
him as long as she lives, and then to my son with all the rest
of the Negroes, Thrice friends of money or Monies worth to
John M. Wheat on the same to John M. Wheat I declare
this to be my last will & testament
Jm Scott

Geo Campbell.

James Campbell read

John Campbell



In the name of God Amen. I James Campbell calling to
mind the mortality of my body knowing that it is appointed
for all men to die, I judge it my duty to make this my last
will & testament, first I do give & bequeath my soul
to Almighty God who gave it me, & my body to be decently
interred at the discretion of my friends being certain that
God will receive it at the last day. And my worldly Estate
I leave unto God. Second I do give & bequeath, of in the follow-
ing manner. -- First I declare my plantation to be divided
between my son & son Joseph & Joseph my son
Samuel my youngest son Equally & if Joseph this Mother
should die & she is to have half and Joseph & it is to have
one half, one wheel, one bed & provisions, one pole, one
cupboard, one chest, my son Joseph is to have one horse & a
saddle worth this coat with him & him to receive him as his
own property, I give & bequeath unto my son Levi the bulk
of the Roan mare, & a horse called I give the bulk of the iron
mare, the property of the Roan mare is to be bindings, the iron
picking of the gear is the widower, but all them is in my possession
is for the use of the farm; I give & bequeath unto my eldest
daughter Mary my young boy mare, I give unto Barley one
horse & a saddle & a horse to the same.