

W<sup>e</sup>l<sup>e</sup>come in the presence of us who were  
present at the time of signing & sealing thereof  
McGill Matthews      {  
Aaron C. Matthews      {  
William C. Matthews }  
William Smith <sup>his</sup>  
Signature

In the name of God amen.

If John Stow of Newhaven, County of Isle of W<sup>e</sup>stmorland,  
Seith & tenth of ready cash of his feet to his mind & memory but call  
to mind my Mortality & that it is reported for men to die, do this  
28<sup>th</sup> day of March 1806 make this my last Will & Testament  
in manner & form following Viz: And first I will that all my  
just Debts be honestly paid by my executors herein after named  
and I bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret all the household  
Drapery & Kitchen furniture & my negro girl Hannah & what  
Money I have in hand & what is owing to me to be at her own  
disposal. also my black mare & all my meat cattle hogs & sheep  
with her Saddle & wheel, And to her free propagation of this my  
Mansion house & to have a gentle living off my farm & have  
the whole profit arising from the same during her widowhood  
with the farming Utensils & what grain & meat is on hand at  
present. And to my nephew, Robert Stow son of John Stow  
I bequeath Fifty acres of Land, leaving the land his, & then  
lives on to begin at my lower corner on the bank of the river  
& to run up the river as far as will make the said fifty acre  
I give & a crop the lower end of my land to him & his heirs  
And to William Bigham son of William Bigham of Lincoln  
County that now lives & has lived with me for some time  
past I bequeath all the remainder of the tract of Land where  
I now live be it more or less not to exceed a Mile & my  
widow during her widowhood, also my gray mare  
known by the name of his own & saddle. That is his own  
& saddle to him & his heirs forever. And to John Bracken  
of the City of Thomas Woods Bracken Sons of, for, the Benefit of  
Savannah State I bequeath my young Gray Mare  
which I do hereby nominate & appoint Robert Stow of

Mecklenburg County & William Higham of Lincoln County  
 Executors of this my last will & Testament, hereby renouncing  
 all former wills & Wills, Testament & Testaments by me formerly  
 made - signed sealed pronounced & declared by  
 the said John Sloan the Testator to be his last  
 will in the presence of us the subscribing witnesses  
 who also signed in the presence of each other -

James Tager  
 Alas Porter  
 Sarah Brown

John Sloan *[Signature]*

In the name of God amen.

I Robert Sibley of State of N. Carolina Mecklenburg County  
 being weak in body but perfect mind & memory, but calling to  
 mind the mortality of my body knowing it is appointed over  
 for man to die, I doth commit my body to the dust from  
 whence it came - And my soul to God who gave -  
 And as touching such worldly estate wherewithal he hath  
 pleased to bless me with in this life I will & bequeath in  
 manner & form following - 1st I will that all my estates,  
 both real & personal be sold at the highest bidder at  
 twelve months credit & the money equally divided be  
 between my wife & six children by name John Sibley, Robert  
 & Polly Sibley, Gabriel & Leonard & Elijah - 2d I will  
 that twenty dollars be taken of my son John Sibley's  
 legacy & equally divided my wife & other five children  
 above named - 3d I nominate & appoint my son  
 Elijah Sibley & Thomas Dester my executors to manage  
 my affairs agreeable to my will. I also disannul all  
 & disallow all other legacies, Dowry, tithes, right or title  
 of Dowry but this & this only to be my last will & testament  
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal  
 this 4th day of September 1809

Signed in presence of us

Tompson Dester  
 J. Klein

Robert Sibley *[Signature]*