

May sixteen last wrote unto her Intyficer w^t her ymmedal
and minis Lufles Laffayette her fūlps w^t her ymmedal
and her libes full minis fūlp w^t her ymmedal her kindnes
in giv^g. Hys gylfitt marden, her bytting comynge
bytting in, minen Lufles Mann Sugeman Miller
and minen Lufles Hylip Miller her Willm. Hylipper
her tisfitt minen Lufles Miller and Luflement, and vnder
sph and vnytthe fysit all minis vnges daceon ymmedal
under her bytting lufles and lynn and her minen Lufles
Miller and Luflement, v^r sign. Her bytting my singul sal
of minis fūl and singul bytting, on t^e day in Mayliffe
1809.

John Mayliffe (s)

This is the last will & testament of me Owen Maile of
Salisbury in the State of N^o. Carolina & County of Rowan
made & executed this 29 day of March AD 1797 in manner
& form following. That is to say.

First It is my wish & express desire that all my just
debts be paid by my executor herein after mentioned & nominated
I do hereby constitute & appoint my trusty & good friend
Will^h Harten of Salisbury in the County of Rowan &
State of N^o. Carolina sole executor of this my last will
& test. And I do hereby declare this to be my last will & test.
& none other, revoking by these presents all former wills
by me at any time heretofore made.

And whereas on the 28 day of this instant March I did

give & grant by a certain instrument in writing called a
Ded of gift, & considerable part of my real & personal estate
to a certain Trustee (my said executor) in trust for myself
for life, with conditions over, as by the said Ded will more
particularly appear, & at the time of the execution thereof
I did give the said Trustee full & free livery & leicens of
all the premises thereby granted. Now I the said testator
Owen Maile do hereby fully & absolutely, ratify & confirm
the said Ded of gift, and all & singular the porvinces there-
by given & granted to the Trustee therein named, upon the
Trust, for the uses & for the intents & purposes therein
particularly declared & expressed of & concerning the same
and I do hereby expressly charge & require my said executor
to pay the utmost receipt & attention to the said Ded of gift
and to all & singular the premises therein contained; and
not to consider a single title of the premises thereby given
& granted as any part or parcel of my estate real or personal
whatsoever, notwithstanding any part of such premises
may happen to be in my custody or possession, at the time
of my death; provided, & it be hereby declared, to be my desire
& request that my said executor & Trustee suffer & permit
my present wife E^c to occupy, possess & enjoy all &
singular the premises given & granted by the said Ded of gift
during her widowhood (except the cost mentioned in the said Ded)
And my will further is that my said executor Will^h Harten
caⁿ to be finished a house raised on the cost mentioned, in the

said Deed of Gift, the expences of which is to be paid out of that part of my estate which remains after my just debts are paid. The rents & profits of which house when finished he is required to put to interest for the use of my son James mentioned in the said Deed of Gift.

And my will further is, that if my said son James mentioned in the said Deed of Gift should happen to die without heirs before he attains the age of twenty one years that then the said William Hamton Trustee as aforesaid, account to & deliver all & singular the premises granted & delivered by the said Deed of Gift unto the next of my kin that shall come from Ireland & apology for the same.

My will further is that my said executor William Hamton be & act as Guardian of my said son James after my decease, and I do hereby nominate & appoint him such.

And my will & desire further is that all & every part of my estate real & personal not herein before willed or devised, be to the use of my present wife Eve, for the support and maintenance of her & for the maintenance & education of her present children & my son James.

Signed, sealed, published & declared
by the said Testator as for his last
will & test: in the presence of us who
have subscribed our names as witnesses
in his presence & each in the presence of the others.

They are
Charles Dunn
George Morris.

In the name of God Amen! I Abner May of the County of Rowan & State of N^t Carolina, being sound in mind & memory & disposal, blessed be God therefore. I Do make & publish this my last will & test: in the manner & form following First I do appoint & order that all my just Debts be paid out of the estate that is now in my possession, this being accomplished I do further appoint & order that my beloved wife Sally May shall & may have a free & full right & pretention in & over all of this my estate both real & personal during her natural life, & at her death the sole of the estate that is then at hand to be equally divided between my six children namely Robert, John, Stephen, Henry, Martin & Polly May & as touching the child that my wife now bears, if born alive, I do order that it shall be a equal co-partner with the rest of those my children here above written.

Secondly to touching my other two children, named Woodson May & Rebecca Smith do allow them no more then what they have already received, except five shillings is to be paid unto each of them after my decease.

Lastly I appoint & ordain that my beloved wife Sally May, together with my worthy friend Jacob Boar sen^r: become to executors of this my last will & test: ratifying & confirming this only to be my last will & finally revoking & disannulling all other wills legacies etc: heretofore by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 18 day of April 1803
Signed, sealed, declared by the Test to be
his last will & test in the presence of Abner May Esq^r
Elijah Renchace.
William Glascott.