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I confirming & confirming this & no other to be my last will and
testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the
twenty fourth day of March one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven
The above will was entered before signed

Signed sealed and delivered in
the presence of us

Joseph Doubt Junior

Frederick ^{his} Long

Mark
Mr. Anderson

Michael Spainhower (Seal)

Fishes County June Sepiring 1827

The last will and Testament of Michael
Spainhower being offered for probate, was duly proven by Joseph
Doubt and ordered to be recorded of which the foregoing
is a true copy

N. R. Moore C.C.

By C. L. Banner D.C.

In the Name of God Amen: I John Philips of the
County of Stokes & State of North Carolina being of sound & perfect
Mind & memory (helped be God) though weak & feeble in body do this
30th day of April in the year of our Lord 1827 make and publish
this my last will and Testament in manner & form following
that is to say after recommending my soul to God who gave it & my body to
the Mother earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial by my executor hereinafter
mentioned, first I will that a sale be made of all my personal
property which is not mentioned as given unto my beloved wife Colley &
the money arising from the sale to be applied to the paying my debts &
the overplus of the money to be put out on interest for the use of the
children &c. I will that my beloved wife Colley Philips shall have
all the bacon, corn, the present crop of wheat growing & the present crop
of corn to be made this year coming to me from Saml. Cornelius
all of which my wife is to have for her years provision I also will that
she shall have two beds during her widowhood if she should
marry again one bed to be sold & the money put on interest for the
use of the children - I will that my beloved wife continue &
remain on the plantation whereon I now live during her widow-
hood provided she can get one of her brothers to manage & carry on
the farm for her so she gets her support out of the plantation both for her
the children if she should refuse to live on my plantation the plantation
to be rented out for the support of my wife & children I also will that
my wife have my mare for to tend the plantation with as long as
she continues on the plantation if she should leave the plantation

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then in that case the mare to be sold & the money put on interest
for the use of the children I also will that my wife shall have
one cow and calf one wheel one reel one blue sow four barrows
& two young sows one ewe & lamb one goose & one young one the
above articles to be intirely to her use during life - I will that she
shall have one table & one cupboard during her widowhood should
she marry then to be sold & the money put on interest to the use of
the children - I will that when my two daughters comes to the age
of twenty one that is to say my daughter Agnes & my daughter
Peggy that then my land shall be divided equal in value between
them or sold & the money equal divided between them never theless
this division is not to deprive my wife from getting her support
out of the plantation I will that the legacy coming to me
from my father's estate be put on interest for the use of the children
And I hereby make and ordain my worthy friends Henry Bonds
& Jonathan Le Shore executors of this my last will and Testament
In witness whereof I the said John Philips have to this my
last will and Testament set my hand and seal the day &
year above written

Signed sealed published & delivered
by the said John Philips as his last will
& Testament in the presence of us who
in his presence & the presence of each other
have hereunto subscribed our names
John Hunter Senr
John Hunter
John Cornelius Junr

John Philips (Seal)
Mark

Fishes County June Sepiring 1827

The last will and Testament of John
Philips (of which the foregoing is a true copy) was offered for
probate & was duly proven by the oath of John Cornelius and
ordered to be recorded

N. R. Moore
By C. L. Banner D.C.