

person whatever should be authorized to require any here money from him, or to sell him, or to dispose of him in any manner whatsoever. I request of M^r. Depestre to accept of a snuff box to be purchased for him by M^r. DeKobe and on the cover of which he will cause some of my hair to be inscribed. I request of M^r. Ledaigneur to accept of a gold pin as an acknowledgement for his constant attendance and his bill will besides be paid to him. I request of M^r. DeKobe to accept also of a gold pin and a lock of my hair. I possess eight hundred and sixty odd dollars deposited in the bank, from which all expences for the above and my funerals being deducted the ballance is to be equally divided between M^r. De St. Cheron my guardian and M^r. De St. Cheron Depestre bequeathing also unto her all my jewels, trinkets, wearing apparel and other my moveable property. Charleston 29. April 1802.

Bigrel de Grandelos.

Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. T. D. May 29. 1802. At same time qualified James Joseph DeKobe Executor.

Examined 29. 5. 2. C. C. T. D.

14th of 35. In the name of God Amen, I Charles Stetter of the City of Charleston and of St. Michaels Parish in the State of South Carolina, rope and line maker do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, Inprimis I do desire that all my just debts and funeral charges may be paid and satisfied. I do give devise and bequeath to my god daughter Rebecca Wood daughter of William Woods out of my Estate fifty pounds for her use and behoof for ever. I do give devise and bequeath to my god daughter Margaret Buchle daughter of George Buchle Ship Carpenter fifty pounds out of my Estate for her use and behoof for ever. I do give devise and bequeath to the daughter of my dear rest and best friend Alexander Clarkson named Elizabeth Clarkson fifty pounds for her use and behoof for ever. I do give devise and bequeath unto my dear friend James Davison my sailing boat with all her sails and materials belonging to her. I do give my negro man Brister his freedom and emancipate him for ever from slavery and also give him all my tools for rope making and trivine spinning. I do emancipate my negro woman slave named Charrah give her free also a legacy of ten pounds out of my Estate for her to begin the world with. I do will that should my Executors and from the sale of my personal property and amount of

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debts due and that there should be money enough to pay my legacies nine months after my death. I do give devise and bequeath my two story house and lot of land measuring sixty feet front on King Street road and five hundred and ten feet deep to the Orphan house and trustees thereof for the benefit use and behoof of the unhappy children who necessity misfortune may drive for an asylum under its roof the said house and lot not to be sold but to remain as a memorial of the donator I mean the Orphan house of this City. I do request to be buried by the Charleston Association of Artillery and society as I am a member thereof, and further request the Children of the Orphan house if any ways convenient will follow my funeral. And lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint Thomas Leher Esquire and Philip Kelleg Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made and declaring this only to be my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I the said Charles Stetter have herewith set my hand and seal at Charleston aforesaid the twenty eight day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, and the twenty

fourth year of our Independence.
Charles Stetter (died)
Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced and declared by the Testator Charles Stetter as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in his presence and in the presence of each other have at his request signed our names as Witnesses thereto.
George Buchle Samuel Baker George Morris Philip Buckell
Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. T. D. June 3. 1802. at same time qualified Philip Kelleges Executor

Examined 29. 5. 2. C. C. T. D.

14th of South Carolina.

14th of 36. The last Will and Testament of William Miller of Charleston in the State aforesaid Testator. First after my funeral expences and just debts are paid, I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Elizabeth Steed Miller and to her assigns for ever, the value of three hundred dollars in household furniture, bedding, plate, or any other articles belonging to me, which appertain to house keeping, which said articles she shall be at liberty to take at their value by persons duly appointed appraisors of my Estate.