

of this my last Will and Testament, and guardians of the persons of my Sons Robert and William Mason. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal to this my last Will and Testament contained in this and the two foregoing pages, this eighteenth day of June, in the Year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight.

Robert Smith *LS*

Signed, Sealed and published by the Testator, as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Sworn Notie Dart - Edouard Croft - John Callaghan -

Proved (by Virtue of an Act of the General Assembly, passed on the seventh day of March 1789, entitled "An Act to remedy the Defects of the Courts of Ordinary, in the several Districts, where there are no County Courts, as to Matters and Cases in which the Ordinaries of those Districts may be respectively interested") before the honorable Edmund Hall Bay Esquire, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, November 6, 1801. At same time qualified Charles Lining (Ordinary for Charleston District) Executor. - December 23, 1801. Qualified William Short Esq, by Virtue of the aforesaid Act, before E. H. Bay Esq. - May 7, 1802. Qualified John Rutledge Esq, before Swigg Bay. - November 30, 1802. Qualified Edward Tilghman Executor (by Virtue of a Decimus), before James Ingham Esquire.

Examined
12th Dec. 72 } C. L.

14th South Carolina.

1832.

In the Name of God Amen; I Edward Brown & Novell of Charleston, in the State aforesaid, being in sound health and mind, but being aware of the uncertainty of all things do think it fit at this time to make a Will which I do declare to be my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and annulling all Wills at any time heretofore made by me. In the first place, I request all debts justly due by me may be paid off, but I do specially order, will and direct that if any accounts or debts may be brought against my Estate, which are barred by the Statute of Limitation, that my Executors shall not pay the same, as I have suffered very materially by the operation of that act, in cases wherein I have been creditor. In the second place, I give and bequeath to my dear Wife Margaret Novell all and singular my Estates, lands, tenements and hereditaments, both real and personal, whatsoever and wheresoever

without any impeachment of waste, during the natural term of her life and afterwards, to my Children by her or such of them, or the heirs lawfully begotten, of them as shall be alive at the time of her decease, the whole of the heirs of any Child, only to have a Child's share among them, and thirdly and lastly I do nominate, constitute and appoint my said Wife Margaret Novell my Executrix and Gilbert Davidson of Charleston Merchant my Executor in Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twelfth day of July 1800.

Ed Brown & Novell *LS*

Sealed and delivered in the presence of

William Gibson - James Wilson - James Dealey

Whereas I have by my aforesaid Will devised and bequeathed to my dear Wife all my Estate, real and personal without impeachment of waste, during the term of her natural life, and no longer. Now I do by this Codicil to my said Will confirm the said devise and bequest, declaring the same to be in lieu of dower, and further I do subject the income of my said Estate, during the term it shall be in the hands of my said Wife, to be liable to the liberal maintenance support and education of my Children during their minority without any charge whatsoever against them or either of them. And upon the death of my said Wife, I then give devise and bequeath my said Estate to my Children, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns for ever in the manner mentioned in my Will. And I also order my friend Robert Rowand Esquire to be another Executor of my said last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have to this Codicil set my hand and seal this eighteenth day of September 1801.

Edward Brown & Novell *LS*

C. J. Graser - John Leguena - Richard Lord

Proved before Charles Lining Esquire O. C. T. D. November 12, 1801. At same time qualified Margaret Novell Executrix.

Examined
5th Dec. 72 } C. L.

14th Bristol.

I Samuel Allen of the City of Bristol Paper Maker and Stationer do hereby make my last Will and Testament in manner following. I give and bequeath to my Mother Mary Allen of the City of Bristol five pounds of lawful money. And to my dear Wife Margaret Allen I give and bequeath all and singular my ready money securities for money both real and personal household goods, linen, plate and all my goods