

In the name of God Amen I John Curn of the Province of South Carolina
being in good health and of perfect mind & memory thankes be to god do make
& ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner & forme following that
is to say First I will & desire that my two sons Thomas & George Curnell
John & Charles Hull do live & remaine with my Deare wife Mary Curn during
her natural life or so long as she shall remaine my widow and that my said two sons do by them
both maintain my said wife for such time as aforesaid & my Will is that after her decease or in case
she shall marry again that then my two sons shall be give to all debts & charges and I do hereby
Enfranchise my sonnes to sett at Liberty my said two sons Thomas & John in manner aforesaid
Item upon the death of my said wife or in case she shall again marry I do devise and bequeath
to my two said Sons John & Charles all my Estate both real & personal to be Equally
Divided betwix them share & share alike or in case either of my said Sons should
happen to die before my said wife then my said Estate both real & personal & give and
devise to the Survivor & I do hereby make ordain & appoint Charles Hull Esq;
sole Executor of this my Last Will & Testament in witness whereof I have
hereunto sett my Hand & Seal this Sixth day of July 1748

John Curn.
Seal

Signed sealed Published & Declared by
the said John Curn the Testator as
for his last Will & Testament in the
presence of us both in this province.
We subscribe our names as witnesses
thereto

Wm. Barrows

John Logan

Wm. Baughfield

In the name of God Amen I Rege Ravanel Junr of Berkeley County in
the Province of South Carolina Gentleman being weak in body but of perfect mind & memory
thankes be to god but calling to remembrance the mortality of my body & that it is ordained unto all
men once to die do make order & declare this my last will & Testament that is to say
Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave
it blessing him to purger me all my sin through the merits of Jesus Christ my ever
Blessed Saviour and Redeemer and my body I command to the earth to be buried at the discretion
of my executors nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again
by the mighty power of god and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased
god to blesse me in this life I give devise & dispose of the same in manner & forme following
Imprimis I will & order that all my just debts be first paid & discharged
Item I give & bequeath unto my well beloved Sister
Anne Curnell one hundred
pounds current money of this Province at and upon the division of my Estate Item I give and
bequeath unto my well beloved Sister Elizabeth Rennell, Henry Rennell Daniel
Rennell & James Rennell all the residue of my Estate both real & personal to be left

together & improved until my said Brother James Rennell come to be of age twenty
one year and then to be equally & impartially shared & divided betwix them share &
share alike to have & to hold all the residue of my said Estate both real & personal
unto my said Sister & Brothers Elizabeth Rennell Henry Rennell Daniel
Rennell and James Rennell etc then & ever of them in equal portions their heire
& assigns forever & freely & without nominate & constitute my Brother
Henry Rennell and Daniel Rennell Executors of this my Last Will and Testament
Reserving and disannulling hereby all other former Will or Wills Testament
or Instruments by me heretofore made acknowledging testifying and
Confirming this and none other to Young Charles Hull and Co: witness
whereof I have hereunto sett my Hand & Seal the Eighteenth day of
January in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and forty
eight

Rene Ravanel Junr

This attested will was proved before
his Excellency the 20th April 1750
at the same time & date acknowledged Henry
Ravanel Executor therin named

Signed sealed Published & Declared
by the said Testator as his last Will
& Testament in the presence of
Isaac Maggick
Willm. Smith
Benj. Maggick
David Rastone

In the name of God Amen this 10th day of November in the Year of our
Lord 1749 I Thomas Brown being mett with health thanks be to God for it
& in Perfect Strength of Mind & Memory thankes be to God for it
having here taking into consideration the Mortality of Humane
Life and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die I do
make & Ordain this my Last Will & Testament in manner & forme
following First & Principally I Unite my Soul into the hands
of Almighty God who gave me hoping that at the General Resurrection
just to Recive it again Item I leave it in the Discretion of my three
beloved Children to bury me in a Christian manner Item I will &
Requeste that my Funeral charges may be paid out of my late Estate
Item I desire that all my Lawfull & just debts should be paid before
my Estate is divided betwix my three Children that is Elizabeth & Ann
Brown Ignis and Elizabeth all my Estate both Real and Personal
into the hands & Possession & occupation of my three beloved Children
& Thomas Brown & Ann Brown & Elizabeth & Charles my Executrix &
also Constitute & Appoint William Poole Senr & Benj: Poole Junr & Wm:
Poole junr: my Trustees to my Will & to Divide my Estate amongst
my three Children as shall hereafter mention & Express & mentioned

in my Last Will & Testament I give to my Beloved Sons Thomas Brown Lawrence & of his Body Elena Negroe to be Equally hereafter named one tract of Land that my Son now does his own Little Redee ~~Res~~ & to be Equally divided amongst his Daufull & legitime Child at my Sons Thomas Entom Death & not before that shall happen & of my Son should happen to die without having Dauful I have this mentioned Negroe & Land to be equally divided between his two Sisters lawfull ~~Eros~~ Eros of their Bodys the names of the Negroe that I give & bequeath to my Sons Children James Collier John Abram the little Chamberlain Sabina March Mourair Dauful Phillips with all the Negro & all their increase & for an Item I give & bequeath to my Beloved Daughter Elizabeth her lawfull ~~Eros~~ ^{hus} of her Body Elena Negroe & one Tract of Land hereafter named to be equally divided amongst her Children lawfully begotten of her Body of my Daughter death but if All my Daughter Elizabeth should happen to die without issue then the Negroe & Land named to her Brother Thomas Brown & her Sister Anna Brown Children to be equally divided amongst these Children Abram the Negro Catherester Hester August July Moll Jude Patyre Lucy & all others to her ~~& his~~ for ever & a Tract of Land giving Owning Stuers hundred acres there item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Anna Brown lawfully begotten of her Body Elena Negroe to old Tract of Land or her Free holding at her death here after named former Will Dick Peter Cloye Balender Hosper Lepis Caroline James Two the little hundred Raulee and a tract of Land of three hundred acres when I do now leave to be equally divided amongst her lawfull heirs for ever But if my Daughter Anna Brown died her nichant Lawfull Heirs of her Body then the Negroe and Land to be equally divided he and between my Son and Elizabeth and Thomas Children lawfully begotten. Item I give my Daughter Anna a new feather Bed which is to brought out of my whole Estate. Item I give to my Daughter Elizabeth one feather Bed which was called her Item I give to my Son Thomas all the Cattell that he has now in his care which was always called his Item I give all the Cattell that was ever called my Daughter Elizabeth with her earnest Item I give unto my Daughter Anna all the Cattell that was ever called hers of her Ear Mark. Item I have my whole Stock to be Equally divided amongst my three Children Sean and Sean alike and all my Household Goods all and above what I have not giving away to be equally divided amongst my three Children Item I give and bequeath to James Bennett one Negro Boy named Dick but if the said James Bennett dont live to one and twenty item the said Negro Boy shall

return again to my Children to be divided equally between my three Children I desire that my Estate may be divided not before my debts shall be paid and then I desire that all my whole Estate all and above what I have given away may be Equally divided amongst my three Children Thomas and Wheresoever set it to in Ready money or Goods or Cattell or Goods or whatsoever wheresoever any part of my Estate Shall be found shall be Equally divided amongst my Children Sean and Sean alike I desire my Children may bind James Bennett to leave a Trade while he is one and Twenty and after the Negro Boy with him to leave the same Trade with the said James Bennett and of his Father don take the Child from my Children before he is one and Twenty then the Negro Boy is to play with my Children while the said James shall arise to the age of Twenty one then the Negro Boy to be delivered to him by my Children Item I give Cattel his freedom only to him with Power as long as she shall live she giving him a suit of Negro Cloathing every Year. I do one step to ~~my~~ to my last will and Testament
Signed sealed in the presence
of us Item I give all my
Walling Cloathing to my Son
Thomas

John Rae — James ^{his} Bennett
Thom. Clunius mark

Hob. Brown (Sd)

Item I give and bequeath unto Audrea Savage Cooke son of my Sister Mary Cooke of New England my house and Ground in the name of New Berry in New England aforesaid with all and singular the buildings & appurtenances whatsoever therunto Belonging to him and his heirs and assigns forever Item I give and bequeath unto my Nephew John Savage of Charlestown aforesaid Merchant my negro man named Woods I also give and bequeath unto my said nephew John Savage the sum of five thousand Pounds Money of the Province aforesaid I also give & leave and Bequeath unto my said nephew John Savage and his heirs forever all that my piece of Ground or part of a town lot in Charlestown aforesaid fronting to the Northwest on Brattle Street to the Eastward on Lands Belonging to Major Boone to the Northwest on Lands Belonging to Jordan Roche Esq: together with all and singular the houses stor houses buildings and appurtenances therunto Belonging being the Land I bought of Rawlins Towns Provoost Marshall to have his heirs and assigns forever Item I give leave & Bequeath unto my Stephen Benjamin Savage of Charlestown aforesaid Merchant my negro man named August Also I give & Bequeath unto my said Nephew Benjamin Savage the sum of five thousand Pounds Current Money of the province aforesaid Also I give & leave and Bequeath unto my said nephew Benjamin Savage his heirs & assigns forever at the Death or Determination of the widowhood of my s^t Wife Martha, w^t shall first happen, my aforesaid House & Land in Charles Town aforesaid where I now live situate on the West side of Church Street, w^t all & singular the Buildings, hereditaments, & appurtenances whatsoever therunto Belonging. Item In order to discharge the s^t Yearly sum of Five hundred Pounds Bequeathed to my s^t Wife Martha, as above I Will and Impower my s^t Exec^t to Recur and put out to Interest on good security yearly and every year during my s^t Wifes widowhood out of my personal Estate not specially being left, Given, or Bequeathed, A sum of Money sufficient for that purpose and after my said Wife Marthas decease or widowhood Then I desire to be got in hand Interest by my Exec^t & to be Almised & given & Bequeathed as the Residue of my Estate is herein given & Bequeathed Item all the surplus Rest & Residue of my real and personal Estate wheresoever I give leave & Bequeath unto John Savage aforesaid Benj^t Savage aforesaid Elizabeth Savage aforesaid Hannah Dickenson Ephraim Savage and the Savage Jun^r Children of my Brother Thos^t Savage of Barnard and Mary ^{Colvert} Calvert and Jane Savage Daughter of my Brother Thos^t Savage late of Norfolk in

Virginia Deceas^e and Benj^t Cooke aforesaid Audrea Savage Cooke aforesaid John Cooke Jun^r Mary Cooke Eliz^t Cooke & Melville Cooke Children of my sister Mary Cooke in New England Equally and indifferently share and have alike. Provided always that if any or either of my s^t Brothers or sisters Children should be dead, & any issue of them respective Child be living, that then the Deceas^es share or part be equally distributed amongst his or her respective issue as living. Lastly I do hereby make Constitute & Ordain the above named John Savage & Benj^t Savage Exec^t of this my last Will & Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day of year first above written.

Benjamin Savage, (L8)

Sigⁿd Sealed Published & Declared
By Benj^t Savage as & for his
last Will & Testament in the
presence of us who are the Testators
present, & at his Request have
hereunto subscribed our names
as Witnesses

Lightwood
Jordan Roche
W^m Wright

South Carolina. By his Excellency James Glen Esq:
Capt Gen^t Gov^r & Com^r in Chief in & over this his
Majestys s^t Province & Ordinary of the same
Personally appeared W^m Wright of the subscribing
Witnesses to the Within Will who being duly
sworn made Oath that he was personally
present & saw the Testator Benj^t Savage
sign, seal Publickly pronounced & declared the same
to be & Contain his last Will and Testament
that he was then of sound and disposing
Mind and memory And understanding to
the best of his Knowledge & Belief And
that he signed his name as a Witness
and also sawd Jordan Roche & E^t Lightwood