

1602 In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Poole of George Town in Lon-
don County & Carolina Esquire being weak in body but of sound mind and Mem-
ry Blesed be God do this second day of October in the Year One Thousand seven
hundred and fifty eight make and publish this my Last Will and Testamen-
in manner following (that is to say) I Imprison for all my Just debts are
paid I give and bequeath to my Mother Hannah Poole a Negro fellow named
Jack and Tommy I Item Give to my Sister Hannah Coachman a negroe
Wench called Nanny wife to Skillen, I Item Give to my Brother Edward
Newman a negroe boy called Johny I Item Give to my Sister Mary Newman
three Hundred pounds currency to be paid to her Immediately after my Death
I Item I order all my Personal Estate my Negroes only Excepted to be sold Imme-
diately after my Death for a Twelve months Credit and my Real Estate with
ever my Executors shall think proper, I Item I order all my Negroes except
those already bequeathed as above to be sold separate at public Vendue a
Twelve month after my Death for a Twelve months Credit unless my Executors
should see cause to sell them sooner I Item I order all the Money arising
from the sale of my real as well as personal Estate to be paid into the hands
of my Brother Edward Newman all my Lawfull debts being first discharged
And if the said Edward Newman pleases to keep that money upon Interest
My will is that the Interest arising from said Money be Annually paid to
my Mother Hannah Poole But if the said Edward Newman does not chuse
to keep the said Money in his own hands My Will is that it be placed out
by my Executors at Interest to be Annually as above to my Mother Hannah
Poole I Item I order all the Money arising from the sale of my real as well
as well as Personal Estate to be paid a year after my Mother the said Han-
nah Pooles death unto the hands of James Coachman all my Lawfull debts
being first discharged as above And my Will is that the said Money be placed
out Interest upon personal Security & the Interest arising thereupon to be
placed out in like manner upon Interest for the sole use of his Son William
Coachman untill the said William Coachman arrive at the age of twenty one
Years And then my will is that the said Money both principal and Interest
shall be given unto the hands of the said William Coachman As his portion
For Ever I Item I order that in case the said William Coachman does not
arrive at the age of Twenty one years that the said Money principal & Inter-
shall be paid unto the hands of my Sister Hannah Coachman as her portion
And if it should so happen that the said Hannah Coachman should die
without Heirs of her Body or that all her Children should die before they
arrive at the age of Twenty one years Then in that case my Will is that
the said Money principal & Interest as above be Equally divided between
my Brother Edward Newman and his Sister Mary Newman as their por-
tion For Ever And I make constitute and Ordain Thomas Lynch Archibald
Johnston William Allston Elias Horry & Edward Newman to be my Ex-
ecutors to see this my Last Will & Testament faithfully Executed In Witness
whereof I the said Joseph Poole have to this my Last Will & Testament
Set my hand & Seal the day & Year above Written

Joseph Poole

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the Testator as & for his Will and Testam

In the Presence of us who were present at the signing and sealing thereof
Francis Warmatyne, Robert Gibbon
Williams Duptah

This will was proved before the
Ordinary this thirteenth day of
of Decemb^r 1758 at the same time Qualified
Thomas Lynch and Archibald Johnston Executors

South Carolina. In the Name of God Amen I John Lloyd Captain
and Commander of His Majesty's Fort-Johnson, in this Province being
very weak in Body but of sound and disposing Memory and understanding
thanks be given to almighty God for the same Calling to mind the Uncer-
tainty of this Mortal State and knowing that it is appointed All Men
Once to die, and being desirous to settle my Temporal Affairs before my
great Change comes, do therefore make and declare this my last Will
and Testament in Manner and form following that is to say, I give
my Will and Order that all my just debts and Funeral Expence be
paid and discharged with all convenient speed after my Decease.
Item I give and bequeath unto my Sister Mary Battelle the sum of
One hundred pound Currency to be paid her at the Expiration of one
year after my Decease and a Suit of Mourning. Item I give and be-
queath unto my Brother Joseph Lloyd, my sword, Cuttce and Pistols
also all my Outside wearing Cloaths and Six Compleat Suits of my
Linnen Cloaths and also a Suit of Mourning. Item Whereas I am
possest of a Large Quantity of household Furniture and Plate more
than sufficient (in all Probability) for the Convenience of my wife &
Daughter after my Decease. Therefore I will and desire that my Executors
and Executors at their Discretions do sell such part thereof for the pay-
ment of my debts or towards the same as they shall Judge most proper.
Item I give devise and Bequeath unto my dearly beloved Wife Rebecca
Lloyd and to my dearest Daughter Rebecca Lloyd all the rest and Residue
of my Estate Real and Personal whatsoever and wheresoever of what
nature or Kind soever to hold the same to them and their heirs Executors
and Administrators Equally to be divided. And my will and mind is that
my Daughters share or part of my said Estate be delivered her at the Age
of Twenty one Years or day of Marriage which shall first hapen And
in case it should so hapen that my said Daughter should depart this
Life before she attains her Age of Twenty One Years or day of Marriage
Then And in such Case I give devise and Bequeaths such part of my
Estate as is hereinbefore given to my said Daughter Equally to be divided
between my said wife and my Nephew Nathaniel Fuller to them and
their Respective Heirs Executors and Admors for Ever But in case my
said Nephew should hapen to be dead at the Time of such Contingency
happening or before his Age of Twenty One Years Then I give devise and
Bequeath the whole thereof to my said Wife and to her heirs Executors and Admors
for Ever And I do Recommend to my said Executors and Executor
that my said Estate be carried On managed Occupied and Improved