

Doing together with my slaves by her right now in the possession of my brother James Anderson. Item I give and bequeath unto James W. Cormack son of Nathaniel M. Cormack John Anderson son of John Anderson John Thomas son of John Reine, the rest and residue of my slaves to be equally divided betwixt them share and share alike in the following manner, that is to say soon after the present crop which is in the barn is sent to Market and my debts are all paid, my will is that the said residue of my slaves going at above be sold at Public and the money arising from the sale of the slaves to be put at interest or otherwise disposed of to the best advantage at the discretion of my Executors for the use and benefit of the above mentioned boys, to be delivered into their hands when they shall attain the age of twenty one years. Item I give and bequeath unto my brother James Anderson all my stock of horses and hogs and now at large in the woods, to his own proper use. Item I give and bequeath unto my brother William Anderson my silver watch.

And lastly I give and bequeath likewise unto my wife Elizabeth all my stock of beef cattle and all other my personal Estate whatsoever, to her proper use benefit and behoof forever and in case my said wife should be pregnant at this writing and should be delivered of the live child after my decease my will is that the slaves bequeathed to the boys as above shall be reserved for the use of that child anything to the contrary hereof in any will notwithstanding. I hereby nominate and appoint my esteemed friends Edward German and William Matthews Executors of this my last will and Testament and I do hereby revoke all other wills by me made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the second day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty and in the thirty-fourth year of his Majesty's Reign

Joseph Anderson (Seal)

Signed sealed and declared by the Testator as his last will and Testament in the presence of us. Note that the goods (the money) are interlined betwixt the 12th and 13th lines.

William Matthews
Thomas Wilson

Done before the Honble Wm Bull Esq.
High Cor. 30th Nov. 1764. at the same
Time qualified Edward German Executor
of the within will

In the Name of God amen This eight day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and sixty four I John Baptist of Greenville County in the province of South Carolina Plantain being very sick and weak in body but of sound perfect and disposing mind and memory (Thanks to Almighty God) and calling to mind the mortality of my body that it is appointed for all men once to die, do therefore make constitute ordain and appoint this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, I bequeath my will and devise is that all such just debts as at my decease shall be owing due shall be fully discharged and paid out of the annual increase or produce of my estate as soon as possible together with my funeral charges. Item as soon as my debts and funeral charges are discharged as aforesaid my will is that my Executors hereafter named shall deliver unto my beloved wife Elizabeth slave of my negro slave, that is to say Phillis Ramsey, Dug Nancy and Margaret all which I give and bequeath to her for her heirs and assigns forever. I also further give and bequeath unto her my said wife my riding chair and two horses named Darrel and Spurred also one fourth part of all my household furniture and I allow her also the use of any other horse or horses belong to my estate and I further allow her the use of my dwelling house and liberty to continue upon my plantation at her own particular expenses as long as she shall continue my widow and no longer provided always that the above legacies and bequeathed are by me made and intended to be in lieu of all or any dower thirds or customary part which she my said wife shall may or law claim in or out of all or any part of my Real or personal Estate by virtue of any Law usage or custom whatsoever and I do further give unto her my silver watch. Item in case the child which my said wife is now pregnant with shall be a male I then give and bequeath unto him my plantation or tract of land whereon I now live containing three hundred and forty two acres to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item I give & bequeath unto my daughter Jane Elizabeth two negro girls named Beanna and Sarah. Item my wife and devise is that all the remaining part of my slaves (together with the two already given to my daughter as above) shall be continued upon my plantation under the care and management of my Executors hereafter named until my daughters already born that is to say my said daughter Jane Elizabeth my other daughter

Daughter Susanna Lewis and the child my wife is now pregnant with (whether boy or girl) shall successively attain the age of twenty one years or day of marriage which ever shall first happen at either of which periods I will that my Executors shall separate my whole personal Estate into as many shares as there are children and deliver the share unto her for him who shall become of age or married as aforesaid and the remaining share or shares shall continue to Improve as aforesaid until the death of my said children shall successively attain the said age or day of marriage and should either or any of my children die before they attain the said age or are married or should the child of my wife is now pregnant prove dead born in either of these cases I give and bequeath her his or their share or shares of my Estate unto the survivors or survivor of my said children Item should the child my wife is big of prove a girl in that case I give and bequeath my said plantation or tract of land to my daughters in general to be equally divided among them share and share alike as well the child my wife is now big of, as the two now living. Item I hereby constitute and appoint my uncle Paul Pechen and my two Brothers Joseph Dupont & Charles Dupont the only Executors of this my last will and Testament and also the guardians of my children and leave as did execution power with them to Manage order and Improve my Estate as also to educate and bring up my children as they shall esteem best Item in case the child my wife is pregnant with be a boy, I give him my small sword.

John Dupont (seal)

Signed sealed published pronounced and declared by the above mentioned John Dupont in the presence of us the Subscribers who at the said John's request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses

William Lambell } Bored by virtue of a Edmundo directed
Joseph Trade } to me by the Honble Wm Bull Esq.
James Signillan } Gentl. Ser. Soth for 1764.

Stephen Drayton

North Carolina

In the Name of God amen I John Raper of Charles town in the Province aforesaid Esquire being in health of Body and of sound and disposing memory and understanding

Understanding (Thanks be given to almighty God for the same) Calling to mind the uncertainty of this mortal state and knowing that it is appointed unto all men, once to die, and being desirous to settle my temporal affairs before me great changes comes. Do make and declare my last will and Testament in manner and form following but first and principally, I recommend my immortal spirit into the hands of my great Creator trusting in the merits of my blessed Saviour Jesus Christ who pardon and remission of all my sins and am happy admission into the regions of bliss and life everlasting and my body to the earth whence it was taken to be decently interred as the discretion of my Executors hereafter named and trusting the disposition of such worldly estate with which it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me I give devise and bequeath the same in manner and form following that is to say I give devise and order that all my just debts and funeral Expenses be paid and discharged with all convenient speed after my decease. Item I give devise and bequeath unto all the children of my dearly beloved sister Sarah Daniel that shall be alive at the time of my decease the sum of fifty pounds lawful money of Great Britain a piece, to be paid to each of them by my Executors hereafter named as they shall severally and respectively attain their ages of twenty one years or day of marriage which shall first happen Item I give devise and bequeath unto Elizabeth Crauer and William Crauer two of the children of my beloved sister Rebecca Crauer the sum of fifty pounds lawful money of Great Britain a piece to be paid to each of them by my said Executors hereafter named as they shall severally and respectively attain their ages of twenty one years or day of marriage which shall first happen Item I give devise and bequeath unto John Raper Matthews one of the sons of my sister in law Mrs. Matthews the sum of one hundred pounds lawful money of Great Britain to be paid to him by my said Executors hereafter named upon his arrival to the age of twenty one years or day of marriage which shall first happen. Item I give and bequeath unto the said John Raper Matthews my negro boy named and I do hereby subject my whole Estate Real and personal to the payment of the above mentioned legacies. Item I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my whole Estate real and personal of which