

shop and all the household and kitchen furniture. I will that the Schooner be kept and employed for the good of the Estate to carry lime &c. until the expiration of the lease of Robert Darrells land. Item I give to my daughter Mary Susannah Legare one negro man named Eloe, one negro boy named Sam, one negro girl named Mice and one negro man named Cain to her and the heirs of her body. Item I give to my Son John White Legare one negro man named Sandy, one negro girl named Edea, one negro man named Diana and her child named Flora to him and the heirs of his body. Item likewise to my son John White Legare one feather bed, with bolster pillows sheets and blanket. Item I give to my daughter Mary Susannah Legare, one feather bed with bolster, pillows, sheets and blanket. Item I give to my son Thomas Player Legare my double barreled gun and gold sleeve buttons. Item I give to my son Joshua Player Legare my watch. Item I give my daughter Eksey Legare my clock. I do appoint Joshua Player and Edward Mortimer Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th December 1801.

Witness-

Isaac Legare Esq.
Sarah Laverance - Alexander Gordon - William English -
Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. S. D. May 12. 1802.
At same time qualified Edward Mortimer Executor.

6-9-1802.

14th South. Carolina.

1830.

In the Name of the most high God Amen. I Jesse Elmore of the City of Charleston in the State aforesaid Taylor being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do now make and ordain this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all others. I give devise and bequeath the whole of my Estate, both real and personal to my beloved Wife Dorcas Elmore, and to her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns for ever, and I do fully authorize her to sell and dispose of such parts of the same, either real or personal, either at public or private sale, upon such terms and conditions as she may think proper, and to make and execute good and sufficient titles and conveyances for the same. And I do lastly appoint my said Wife Dorcas Elmore, sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand

1802 and seal this thirtieth day of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two & in the twenty sixth Year of American Independence.

Jesse Elmore Esq.

Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced and declared by the above named Testator Jesse Elmore as and for his last Will and Testament, who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our Names as Witnesses thereto.

Peter M. Cheney - Alexander Thompson - John Barnwell Campbell -
Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. S. D. May 21. 1802.

At same time qualified Dorcas Elmore Executrix.
2-3-1802.

14th 1831.

In the Name of God Amen, I John Robert Foster of the City of Charleston in the State of South Carolina being sick of body, but of sound mind and memory, do hereby make this my last Will and Testament. Imprimis I will and desire, that of all and singular the debts, dues, claims and demands whatsoever, which are owing or made payable to me, to be collected in by my Executor, herein after named, with all convenient diligence after my decease, and from the money or monies arising from the same, that all my just debts be paid together with my funeral expences and the overplus of said monies to be divided in the following manner: I do give and bequeath unto my friend Agnes Bryan the sum of thirty pounds, the remainder of my property, both real and personal if any remaining to be divided between my brother William and Sisters Margaret and Mary. Lastly I now nominate and appoint my friend James Moles to be my Executor.

John R. Foster

Signed, Sealed and delivered in the presence of us dated at Charleston this third day of May in the Year one thousand eight hundred.

Witnesses - Elisha Small - Joseph Grant.

Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. S. D. May 21. 1802.
At same time qualified James Moles Executor.

2-3-1802.

14th 1832.

Charleston 29 April 1802.

I request Mr. DeBogge, and in case of his absence or of any other impediment, Mr. Ledyard to give me after my decease the same token of that friendship which he has all along shewn to me, in taking on him the execution of my last Will. I wish my negro servant Tabor to remain free to employ his time for his own advantage, as he will judge proper, not meaning that any expence should be incurred towards giving him any other freedom, nor that any

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. DeKope and on the cover of which he will cause some of my hair to be inclosed. I request of M^r. Ledeigneur 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. DeKope 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 balance is to be equally divided betwixt M^r. De St. Cheron my guardian and M^r. De St. Cheron Depestre bequething 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. J. D. May 29. 1802. At same time qualified James Joseph DeKope Executor.

Examined &c. L.

14th of Nov. 35. In the name of God Amen, I Charles Snetter of of the City of Charleston and of St. Michaels Parish and 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 desire that all my just debts and funeral charges may be paid and satisfied. Item I give devise and bequeath to my god daughter Rebecca Wood daughter of William Wood, out of my Estate fifty pounds for her use and behoof for ever. Item I give devise and bequeath to my god daughter Margaret Buckle daughter of George Buckle Ship Carpenter fifty pounds out of my Estate for her use and behoof for ever. Item I 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. Item I give devise and bequeath unto my dear friend James Davison my sailing boat with all her sails and materials belonging to her. Item I 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 twine spinning. Item I emancipate my negro woman slave named Sarah, give her free also a legacy of ten pounds out of my Estate for her to begin the world with. Item I will that should my Executors and from the sale of my personal property

debts due and that there should be money enough to pay of the legacies nine months after my death. Item I 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. Item request to be buried by the Charleston Battalion 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 Lehe 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 Snetter have herunto 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 third of American Independence.

Charles Snetter Test

Signed, Sealed, published, pronounced and declared by the Testator Charles Snetter 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 Buckle Samuel Baker George Morris Philip Buckle -
Proved before Charles Lining Esquire C. C. J. D. June 3. 1802. At same time qualified Philip Kelleg Executor.

Examined &c. L.

14th of South Carolina.
1836.

The last Will and Testament of William Miller of Charleston in the State aforesaid Factor. 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 before my debts are paid.