

JOHN SIMPSON

Know all Men by this Present, that I John Simpson of Clatsop
County, Sumpter District, - being infirm in Body, but Sound in
Mind, and at the Same time Wishing to S ttle all My Earthly Af-
fairs, do Make and ordain this My last Will & Testament, revolt-
ing and Annulling all other Will or Wills Made by Me - In the
First Place I Commit My Soul to God Hoping & Trusting thro the
Merits of our Blefess Redeemer that he will mercifully forgive
Me all My Sins - and transgreffions thro life - It is My Will
after all My lawful Debts being paid that My property, both real
and personal, of all kind which I was pofsefled of previous to
My Marriage with Amelia Anderson should descend to My Brothers &
Sisters equally to be divided between them - It is also My Will
that the residue of My Property which I obtained in Consequence
of my Marriage With the Said Amelia Anderson should descend to
her Mother Mary Anderson & her Hairs for Ever together With two
of my best Cows & Calves ----- I also give to the Said Mary Ander-
son My brown Bay Mare, - & I do hereby Nominate and Appoint My
friend & Brother Thomas Simpson & My friend Robert Dow to be My
Executors of this My last Will & Testament

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Signed & Sealed this 22 Decem, 1808

Witnefs -

John Simpson (Seal)

Jn. Babose

Thomas Anderson

Reubin Franklin

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William Taylor, Ord nary

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