

In the name of God Amen; I Samuel Neilson of St Marks parish Craven, and State of South Carolina being weak in body but of Sound Memory blefseed be God. do this eighteenth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and eighty two Do make this my last will and Testament in Manner following, that is to say, first it is my Will and Desire that all my lawful Debts be paid after my Decease by my Executors hereafter mentioned and that my Body be Decently Interred, At the Discretion of my Executors.

Item It is my will and Desire that my Estate be Equally Divided Between my Beloved wife and my three Children, Isabella, Samuel & Mary my Slaves to be kept together and not Divided untill my son comes of Age. My ^{wife} is to be maintained and my Children maintained and Educated out of the Estate my Daughter Issabella is to have part when of Age or Married. Item. I give and Bequeath unto my Son Samuel 400 acres of Land that I now live on when he arrives to One And Twenty years of Age or sooner if my Executors thinks proper and if he Dies without heirs it is be Divided between my two Daughters. It is my Desire that 100 Acres of Land on the South Side of Santee three miles from Nelsons ferry on the head of Sandy River be sold at the Discretion of my Executors. I do Ap- point my Beloved Wife and William Little John Paisley if he will Act Sole Executors of this my last will and Testament-

In witnefs whereof I the N. Sam. Nelson have to this my ^{last will and} Testament Set my hand and Seal the Day and year/ above written -

Signed and Delived

in presents of

Alexd. Colclough

W. Carloss

John Bowman

Samuel Neilson