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with all kinds of property whatever be equally divided to the last farthing. Cuff being excepted he shall optinal live with my two daughters he belonging to them equally alike which I long and desire they will take reasonable care of.

I have a wish to devise to my grand children but know what number there may be and will promising that a woman has but little in her hand therefore have bequeathed in in the foregoing named hoping theirs fathers may be honest guardians to them and hand it down as they may think or demand it "Lately" I constitute Hinton James and Isaac Wright Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking all others acknowledging this to be my hand and seal this 28th day of July 1807.

In presence of

James. Mearns and

The hand writing of James Moorhead Esq. proved by James. D. White and J. S. Purdie.

In the Name of God "Amen"

I Zachariah Murrell Son being in perfect sense and sound memory do make this my last Will and Testament. First that as much of the property to be sold as will pay my debts such as the Executors think proper.

I give and bequeath to my Son Samuel two hundred acres of land whereon the house and improvements is only my beloved wife Rebecca. to both during her life or widowhood without any interruption with the household furniture and tools the Tithes to mention with all my considerable property except some Rags which I give and

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bequeath to my beloved Son Matthew claimed by him.

Also I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Margaret Brownings one peacher bed and wheel which she hath married.

Also I give and bequeath to my daughters Mary and Rebekah one peacher bed and apron now claimed by them and after the death of my beloved wife for her dower to be equally divided between five namely. Zachariah John and Matthew and Mary and Rebekah.

This being my last will and Testament I make my beloved Son John Executor also my beloved Son Zachariah. Attest the 29th 1807.

Signed sealed and delivered } Zachariah ^{his} Murrell ^{make}
in presence of us }
Edward Harries }
Matthew Murrell }

In the Name of God "Amen"

I Chas. M. Mansby of Bladen County being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory blessed be god for it and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make this my last Will and Testament. First and principally I recommend my Soul to god that gave it my body I recommend to each to be buried at the discretion of my friends and Executors herein after named. What over I have left I have pleased god to bless me with I give dispose of in the foregoing manner. My Will is that all my just debt and

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expenses he paid and discharged as soon after my decease as possible.

I give to my Son William Alexander McFadden a negro boy named Cato three hundred dollars in cash. I will lend out to purchase a negro much the said much to continue with Isabella McFadden during her life and at her decease the said much and increase to be equally divided amongst Samuel Caird, Anna Jane and Mary Ann McFadden.

I give to my Son William Alexander McFadden the plantation whereon I now live but not to have possession till he arrive to the age of twenty one years. Then it is for the benefit of the family.

I give to my Son Samuel Caird McFadden a piece of Black Woodland land containing about three hundred and twenty acres.

I give the finest part of two and a half lots town of Crivington to be rented out and the money laid out for the use of the family until the decease of Isabella McFadden and then to be equally divided amongst William Alexander Samuel Caird, Anna Jane and Mary Ann McFadden.

I give to John Savage McFadden one hundred acres of land whereon Mr. Brown now lives.

I give to the heirs of William Mauleby around twenty shillings.

I give to the heirs of James Mauleby deceased twenty shillings.

I give to the heirs of Samuel Mauleby twenty shillings.

I give to Thomas Mauleby twenty shillings and the residue of my estate to continue as it is for the use of the family until the decease of Isabella McFadden and then after her decease to be equally divided amongst William Alexander, Samuel Caird, Anna Jane and Mary Ann McFadden.

And I do hereby disavow all other former wills or wills acknowledging this and so order to my last will and Testament.

Witness my hand and sign at this

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The 14th day of December in the year of our Lord 1801 and in the Province of Geo.

(The words, interspersed before signed,

Test.

Henry Throck
Lungam McFadden
J. McKay

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Anthony Mauleby

In the Name of God Amen

I Thomas Rees of the County of Glamorgan and State of North Carolina being very sick and weak in body but in perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God, therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last will and Testament. That is to say principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God.

And to my worldly estate I will and positively order that all my debts be paid.

"First"

I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Margaret Thomas one negro girl named Sarah to her her heirs and assigns forever.

"Second"

I give and bequeath to my well beloved son the Honorable Rees one negro boy named Cato to her her heirs and assigns forever.

Thirdly

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Mary Thomas five shillings Sterling.

"Fourthly"

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Thomas Rees five shillings Sterling.