

arr. } In the name of God amen I William Ward of the County of
diz } Charlotte being weak in body but of sound mind and memory, do
dispose of the Estate which it hath pleased God to bless me with in
the following manner, Viz^t, after my Just Debts are fully paid
and satisfied, then all the rest of my Estate both real and
personal (except two Negro men named Mingo and Stepmey) I
give to my beloved wife Anne Ward during her natural life, and
at her death I desire that all the negroes given to my wife of every
age and description whatsoever may be fully free, and discharged
from serving any other person or persons whatsoever, I give my stock
of every kind, household and kitchen furniture as well as all
the rest of my personal estate to my beloved wife Anne to have and
her heirs forever, It is my desire that after the death of my
beloved wife Anne that all my lands may go to James Huntsman
son of Adam Huntsman to him and his heirs forever. I desire that
my two negroes Mingo and Stepmey may be free after my death,
I desire that James Huntsman should be educated two years at
the expense of my estate, and lastly I do appoint my beloved
wife Anne Executrix, and John Spencer and Robert Bedford
executors of this will. With these witnesses this 10th day of June

wife Anne Executrix, and John Spencer and Robert Bedford
executors of this my ^{last} Will, declaring this only to be my
my last will and Testament - In Testimony whereof I have
^{written} put my hand and affixed my seal this 12th day of November 1796
signed, sealed & acknowledged }
by the Testator, to be his last Will }
Testament - In presence of Wm }
Richardson, Saml Griffin }
William Brown }

At a Court held for Charlotte County the 2^d day of September 1799
This Last Will and Testament of William Ward etc^e was presented
in Court by Anne Ward the Executrix and John Spencer one
of the Executors therein named and the same was proved by the
oath of William Brown one of the Witnesses thereto subscribed,
and Robert Bedford the other executor named in the Will renoun-
ced in open Court the burthen of the Execution of the said Will,
And the said Robert Bedford being first sworn deposed and
swore that he saw Samuel Griffin one of the ^{the} Witnesses to the
said Will subscribe the same as a Witness in presence of the
Testator, and the said Robert Bedford also deposed, that the

by the Testator, to be his last Will
Testament In presence of Wm
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At a Court held for Charlotte County the 2^d day of September 1799.
This Last Will and Testament of William Woodlee^c was presented in Court by Anne Wood the Executrix and John Spencer one of the Executors therein named and the same was proved by the oath of William Brown one of the Witnesses thereto subscribed, and Robert Bedford the other executor named in the Will renounced in open Court the burthen of the Execution of the said Will, And the said Robert Bedford being first sworn deposed and testified that he saw Samuel Griffin one of the Witnesses to the said Will subscribe the same as a witness ^{the} in presence of the Testator, and the said Robert Bedford also deposed that the Testator acknowledged the said Will as his Act & Deed in his presence. — Ordered that the said Will be admitted to Record. — On the Motion of the said Executrix and executor who made oath according to Law, Certificate is granted that

for obtaining a probate of the said Will in due form, they giving security whereupon they with Stephen Bedford and Thomas C. Spencer their securitys entered into and Acknowledged their Bonds according to Law for that purpose

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Truly recorded.

Thomas Read Sec.

Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of William

Linnors } Baltimore deceased

Inventory } Parcel of old pewter

looking glass, jug bottles, copper shavers

three stags, one basket, one chair, one hoe & shovel

one spinning wheel

one flower wheel

one feather bed and furniture

one jug, one bowl and hackle

one case with pair of wedges

parcel of old tools

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