

Attaining a probat of the said will in due form And John Arnold
the other executor therein named personally appeared in Court
and refuses to take upon himself the execution of the said will
and the said John Hoone and Elizabeth Arnold were sworn
and depose that this will was signed the eleventh day of last
month (October)

Teste

John Brown, Esq, Cor,

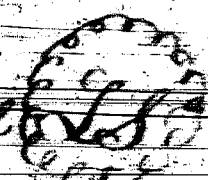
In the name of God Amen I Lewis Russell being in
perfect sence & memory do make this my last will and Testament
I will and desire that my executors shall sell my estate real & personal
for the most that can be got for it either at publick or private sale
as they shall think most convenient and after paying all my just
debts whatever remain I desire my residue may be divided into three equal parts

Lewis Russell
will

one of which parts I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Page the other
this part to my son Nathaniel Burwell and his heirs & the other this part
my two grand sons Edwin Burwell and William Amistides Burwell
sons of my son Fletcher Burwell their heirs forever to be equally divided
between them I appoint my sons Lewis and Nathaniel Burwell Mr
John Page of Caroline County and Lewis Burwell of Mecklenburg
County executors to this my last In Witness of which I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this first day of August and the year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four

Legues Inles declared by the
Testator to be his last Will & Testament

in presence of us who witnessed the same
in his presence that his request

Lewis Burwell 

John Jones

William Kitchener

In the name of God Amen I Lewis Burwell do make this Codicil
and desire it may be taken as part of my last will my will is that if
there should be any money remaining after paying of my debts that one
third part of that third given to my son Thackerston sons shall go to
their mother Mary Burwell and her heirs sincerely wishing it was in
my power to do more for her I will also that my executors may lay out
what money will come to the two sons Edwin & William Beamedred
Burwell in Lands or negroes or keep it at interest as they shall find
most for the Interest of the sons And whereas I give up to my son Lewis
Burwell his full share of my estate my will is that he is to have no part of
what I leave at my death And Witnesses whereof I have signed this Codicil
all written with my own hand this 9 August 1784

Witnessed by
John Jones

John J. Alston

John J. Alston

Lewis Burwell

(1) a Court held for Mecklenburg County the 3rd day of December 1784

This Will was proved by the oath of William Stephens all things being
 and the Court from their own knowledge of the facts writing being
 of opinion that the same as also the bodied Summaries were wholly
 wrote by the Testator himself whereupon the said Will together
 with the said bodied were ordered to be recorded And on the
 motion of Nathaniel Barwell, John Page and Lucas Barwell
 three of the executors therein named who made Oath Touch
 and together with Henry Walker Lathiam Wills Green Edwards
 Ransolf John Yates their securities entered into and acknowledged
 their Bond in the sum of thirty thousand pounds conditioned
 as the Law directs certificate was granted them for obtaining
 a probat of the said Will in due form Liberty being reserved
 for the other executors therein named to join in the probat when
 he shall think fit

where by the said bond were bound to be recovered And on the
motion of Nathaniel Brewster John Page and Lewis Brewster
three of the executors therein named also made Oath Hears
and together with Henry Walker William Wells Isaac Edwards
Randolph Yates their securities entered into and acknowledged
their Bond in the penalty of Twenty thousand pounds conditioned
as the Law directs certificate was granted them for obtaining
a writ of the said Will in due form Liberty being reserved
for the other executor therein named to join in the probate when
he shall thereof fit

Teste

John Brown, Cl. Cur.

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An Inventories of the estate of James Johnson deceased