

In the Name of God Amen,
I Thomas Underwood of the County of Bath in the precinct
of Beauford being very sick but of perfect mind
and memory thanks be to God; Thinefull calling unto
mind the mortality of my body and that it is ap-
pointed for all men once to die, do make this
my last Will and Testament, that is to say,
First I recomend my soul unto the hands of God that
gave it and my body to the earth to be buried
in a Christianlike and Decent manner after
ye decreasion of my Exrs nothing doubting but
at the General Resurrection I shall receive the
same again.
Inprimis I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas
my Great Bible when he comes of age and I give
him all the cattle that is marked with a crop
and a hal on ye right ear & a swallow back on
ye left and all their increase
Item I give and bequeath unto my son James all
the cattle of his mark and their increase ye mark being
a crop and a hal on ye left ear and a swallow
back on ye right and likewise a heifer & her increase
in leud of and earling which I had.
Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth a cow named
Madam and all her increase.
Item I give unto ye child my wife goeth with two cow
calves in this next spring including the date hereof.
Item I give this plantation and land thereto belong-
ing to my son Thomas when he comes of age.
Item I give unto my son James Three hundred and Seventy
acres it being the great fork of the Beavers Dam.
Item I give unto my Leving Wife her full thirds of all
my Estate both Real & personable and all the Rest
of my Estate to be equally divided among my
children after my debts are paid and my will
is that my young horse may be kept till he is
fitt to be broke and then sold & I likewise desire
that my mare may not be sold but to be kept

and the encourage to go to my wife and children & my
sheep also. And I do constitute and ordain my leving
wife & Mr Abraham Britchell and Mr Richard Harney &
Mr James Lingleton and John Nigges to be my whole
and sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament.
January ye 22nd 1734

Thomas ^{his} Underwood 
mark

Signed, Sealed and
Published in the presents
of us.
David Goodin
Wilson ^{his} Oates
mark
Sarah Leigh
Wm Whitford.

No Carolina
At a Court
of Sept. 1735. " and held at Bath Town " " "
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Simon " son
Charles Odean

The within Last Will and Testament of Tho. Underwood Deed.
was proved in Open Court by the oath of William
Whitford one of the subscribing evidences and ye
he see the other evidences witness the same. Ordered
that our Secretary have Notice thereof. The Exors. therein
mentioned have taken the oaths by law appointed.