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In the Name of God amen, I James Fletcher
of the County of Carroll State of North Carolina being
Sick and weak of body but of perfect mind & memory Do
make and Ordain this my last Will & Testament &
for such Worldly Goods as it pleased God to bless me
with in this Life Give & Bequeath at the same in the fol-
lowing Manner and form, I James Fletcher Order
that all my Just debts be punctually paid by my Executors
hereafter mentioned. Item, I Order and it is my Will
that my Nephew Alexander Gray shall have & receive
from me the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds of
lawful Virginia Money to be paid him on receiving the
payment of the last bond which is due from William
Smith to me. Item, I Give to my Beloved Wife Mary
Fletcher my three Saddle Horses, Also all my moveable
Estate and also all money due to me either bonds
notes or otherwise During her Natural life, and
at her Death all my moveable Estate to be sold &
the Money Arising from the sale & such other money
as may be on hand from the bonds due to me, Order
that it shall be equally Divided amongst all my
Children to wit, William, James, Elizabeth, Mary,
Sarah, Wesley & Grace & my Nephew John Fletcher
Share & Share alike. I Order I Appoint my son in law
Jas^d Gray & my Trusty friend Rich^d Murphy Executors
to this my last Will & Testament & do hereby revoke
and make void all other Wills by me made & ratifying
& Confirming this only to be my last will & Testament
in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal
the 10th day of Dec^r 1785 James Fletcher
Seal & Delivered in presence of
William Smith
Rich^d Gray

This will was proved by William Smith &
Rich^d Gray & was recorded, test W^m Murphy, Sec^y

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This Indenture made the 17th day of Jan^y in the year
of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty Six, between
Robert Dickins Esq^r Chairman of the Inferior Court of the County
& precinct above on behalf of the Justice of the Peace & the
Simpson of the one part & Hugh Barnett of the other part Witness
that the said Robert Dickins in pursuance to an order of the
Court made the fourteenth day of January 1786, & according
to the direction of our Gen^l Assembly in that case made & provided
doth put place and bind unto the said Hugh Barnett son of
Harrison an orphan now of the age of seven years, with the
said Hugh Barnett to live after the manner of an apprentice
and servant untill the said apprentice shall attain the age of
Twenty One year. During all which time the said apprentice
his said Master faithfully shall serve his lawful commands
being when gladly obey. He shall not absent himself from
his said Master's service without leave but in all things as
ordered & directed by his said Master behave towards his said Master
And the said Hugh Barnett doth covenant promise and
agree to and with the said Robert Dickins that he will teach
& instruct or cause to be taught & instructed the said Elkanah
Harrison according to Law & that he will constantly find &
provide for the said apprentice during the term aforesaid
sufficient diet & washing lodging and apparel, fitting for an
apprentice. And also all other things necessary both in
clothing and in health, in Witness whereof the parties
to these presents have interchangeably set their hands &
affixed their seals the day & year first above written

Sign & Seal & Delivered
in presence of
W^m Harrison, Sec^y
W^m Murphy Esq^r
Robert Dickins
Hugh Barnett Esq^r

This Indenture was Recorded in Court
Test W^m Murphy Sec^y

(219) January Court 1788.

Message to be Divided Equally amongst my three Daughters
Elizabeth Powell Catherine Powell & Rosy Powell & the
and which is to go to my sons in Manthorpe following
Item I give and bequeath to Charles Powell my son the half of the
Rushy off land which is to be lying to that I made over to Enock
Powell my Son Likewise I give to said Charles a more small
Item I give and bequeath to my son William Powell the other half
of said Rushy off land and a Horse Coll.

Wth Constituted and Appointed Hermann Perrell my Executor and Charles
Perrell and Abram Duraway Executors to this my last Will and
Testament signed sealed Acknowledged the 27th day of July
1784 seven witnesses & us
Signed sealed Acknowledged
before us
Joseph Lewis (Clerk)
Notary Public
Clerk of Court

The Circulation of his will was duly proved
 in Open Court by the Oaths of William Gates and Joseph
 Loomis two subscribing Witnesses & Ordered to be recorded
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This Indenture made this 13th day of January 1788 between Robert Dickinson Esq^r on behalf of the Justices and their Successors of the County of Cassatt and their successors State of North Carolina of the one Part and John Currier of the Other Part Witnesseth that the said Robert Dickinson in pursuance to an Order of the said County Courts made this day and date above written and according to the directions of the Just of the said County in such order made provided with Pub Place and bind into the said John Currier) David Daniel an Orphan Esq^r of the age of seven years the 19th day of January 1788 with the said John Currier to live after the manner of an Apprentice, to wit until he shall attain the age of Eighteen years running all which time his said Master shall take care that his Legitimate Commands, where where Glad by Obedy he shall at any time Obey himself And the said Master know without lead but know all things in a Good and faithful manner before the said John Currier, And

Charles ^{his} Purnell
mark

Edward Bryant The Execution of his will was duly proved
in Open Court by the Oaths of William Yates and Joseph
Swann two Subscribing Witnesses I Ordered to be recorded
Teste R. M. Humphrey De

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(220) January Court, 1788.

And the said John Currie doth Covenant, Promise and agree
to and with the said Robert Dickson that he will Teach and
Instruct and cause to be taught and Instructed the said Mary
Dewil according to Law to read Wright &c. also the said said
writing of a Spenser and that he will constantly find
and provide for the said Apprentice during the term
above expressed with Washing Lodging and Apparel
Felling, &c. as Apprentice and also all other things
necessary both in Licking and in Health. Whereupon
the Parties to these Presents hath Interchangeably set their
hand and Affix their Seals the day and year first above
written
Lionel Seals Deceased
of Bureau of
Robert Dickson Seal
John Currie Seal

Admission

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Created in Open Court

Date *McClure, Aug.*

Favorable Property for the year 1789. 2 will.

Districts	Church Land.	Police.	And	House	Waste.	Value of Good Cattle.
Richmond	871 67	509	3 10			1965 - 12 7 3/4
Assurance	57833 1/2	362	1 10	2		1784 - 5 6 3/4
Nich	54272	322				
St James	55950 1/2	203	1 10 1/2	12		1784 - 5 6 3/4
St Luke	41263	239				
Gloucester	63145	301	4 1/2			
Carroll	45355	285	1 1/2			
St David	53020 1/2	329	5 12			
	25800 6 1/2	2550	17 5 1/4	1 1/2		1784 - 5 6 3/4

825 Gallons of West India Rum

613 Bushels of Salt -

6336th Brown Sugar
42th 1 1/2

42.nd leaf etc

A Fair Look at the Returns

(233) April Court 1788.

This Indenture made the 21st day of April Anno domini 1788
Between Robert Dickinson Esquire in behalf of the Trustees of
the County of Carroll of the one Part and Mary
Mannick of the other Part Witnesseth that the said (Dickinson)
in pursuance to an Order of the said Court made the day and
date above written and according to the Direction of his said Court
has appointed in that case more Particularly with that Place
and bind unto the said Mary Mannick, Francis Crisp his
son & of the age of four years with the said Mary
Mannick to live after the manner of an apprentice and
to remain until he shall attain the age of eighteen years
during all which time the said apprentice her said Master
shall have full power his lawful Command any where
to take the said apprentice at any time without fault from
her said Master's service without Cause but in all things as for
and to be kept in such place as shall be directed by the said Master
I the said Mary Mannick doth Consent, Promise
and agree to and with the said Robert Dickinson that he will
Teach and instruct and cause to be taught and instructed the
said Francis Crisp to read write &c according to Law
also the Art and Mystery of a Planter and that he will
Constantly feed and provide for the said apprentice during the
term of said Apprenticeship with necessary Lodging and Apparel
fitting for an apprentice and all other things necessary
for his health and in health the Master to feed
provide with necessary clothing at their hands & send the said
and pay for it above written

Robert Dickinson Esq
Mary Mannick Child

Witnessed in Open Court

True

Attest

(234) April Court 1788.

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In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Pogue being in perfect
sense and sound Memory both well knowing that it is
appointed for all men once to die do make this my Last
Will and Testament first I bequeath to you that gave
it in sure & steadfast hope of Eternal Life through
the Merits of his Dear son and my Lord the Redeemer
and as for such worldly Goods as it has pleased god to
lend me I dispose of them in Manner and form as follows.

I Give and bequeath to my two sons John and Joseph each
One Hundred and twenty five Acres of Land lying North of
the Land I now live on to be Divided by a North North
West line the south end for John, One quarter Horse Creek

I Give and bequeath to my beloved son Joseph, all the
remainder of my Estate Goods and Chattels.
I lend to my beloved wife Sarah during her Natural
Life and then to be equally Divided amongst my
Surviving Children

Peter Farrar (Seal)
James Darguer (Seal)

Joseph Pogue
mark

The Execution of this Will was duly proved
in Open Court by the Oaths of Peter Farrar James
Darguer two Subscribing Witnesses thereof & Allowed
to be recorded.

Attest

Attest