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State of North Carolina Chatham County. In the Name of
God Amen I John C. Warden of the County And Able of Mind and
being weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory which
I thank the Lord for his Mercy And kindness the Certainty of
death I have to Make this My last Will and Testament Touch-
ing All my Estate. I Give to My Son John C. Warden One hundred Acres
of Land in the State of North Carolina Adjoining William Little's Land Also
I Give to My Son William Warden One hundred Acres of
Land More or less in Randolph County on the Water of
Brush Creek Adjoining the Lands of Bragg Also I have
given to My Daughter Lucy and Miles each her Consent one
hundred Acres of Land More or less adjoining Mr. L. Nix's Land
On the east side of Lick Creek Joining Joining the Land
of Miller Jean that is all of My estate I own or intend for them
of My above mentioned Sons and daughters Also I leave unto My
beloved Wife Rebecca Warden the Plantation whereon I now live
during her Natural life time And after her death to My Son
Stephen Warden This I Give the whole of My Land Containing
Two hundred and fourteen Acres More or less Adjoining the Lands
of Lick Warden & Miller Jean Also I give and bequeath unto My
beloved Daughters viz Mary Stewart Thelma Leaven Elizabeth
Lemford Sarah Eliza & Anne Warden One cow each Also
I give and bequeath to My grand daughter Luenda Scott One
cow As that is all I intend for her Also I leave unto My beloved
wife Rebecca Warden during her Natural life time all of My
house hold and kitchen furniture and all the Balance
of My Stock and Cash And all My Tools and after
her death the house hold Furniture and

Stock and to be equally divided Among My above men-
tioned Daughters After all My last debts are paid I Give
John and James Warden Son to receive what I have
I have left to them in Common Money of the State lastly
I Nominate and appoint My son Stephen Warden and
My wife Rebecca Warden Ex^{ors} and Ex^{ors} to this My last
Will and Testament whereunto I have set My hand and seal
this 17th day of September One thousand eight hundred
and twenty nine
John Warden

legues sealed and delivered
In the presence of My
Francis Thacker
Thompson Larnum

Proved In witness whereof I have signed my hand
to be recorded whereupon Stephen Warden & Rebecca Warden
appeared in open Court and were duly qualified
In the name of God Amen I William Stewart being of sound
mind & memory do hereby make & publish this my last Will and
Testament in the following manner To wit
I Give the first I do hereby confer in the gift of property that my
Children have had of me before this date
I Give unto Mary C. Kelly bands and her married
Hem the third I Give to her and her husband Mr. B. Stewart & W.
Stewart third of John Stewart's land all of Tennessee fifty dollars
each I Give to John Wiley, William Warden the third
& Abey Davis George Stewart's four youngest children twenty dollars
each I Give to Tompkins Partain two cows & I Give the lot that is
at Old Mill Partain to his daughter she and under the care of her
grand Mother and I Give twenty dollars to each of Tompkins Partain Boys
that was born before 1827 or rather to my Executors to share them both