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In the Name of God amen I John Moss of the County
of Chatham and State of North Carolina being in good
Health of Body and in a disposing Mind and Memory
do make ordain and publish this my last will and
Testament in Manner following (To wit)

Item the first it is my will that all my Just debts be
paid with my funeral expenses be paid -

Item the second I Give and bequeath to my beloved
Cousin William Barkham my two Negro Men Solomon
and Arthur also two feather beds and Furniture -

Item the third I lend my Land and plantations
with all my plantation tools to my beloved sister
Elizabeth Barkham during her natural life and
after her death I Give it to William Barkham -

Item the fourth I wish all my stock of Horses
Cattle Hogs and Sheep to be equally divided be-
tween my sister Elizabeth Barkham and William
Barkham and all the remainder of my estate of
every description that remains and not otherwise disposed
of I Give to my beloved Cousin William Barkham
And I hereby revoke all former wills and clauses of
wills by me at any time heretofore made and I
hereby nominate and appoint William Barkham
sole executor to this my last will and Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 28th day of February in the Year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one
Signed sealed and acknowledged

in presence of
Geo Luther
Elisha Davis

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his
John + Moss
mark

The foregoing will was produced and duly proven in open
Court at November Term 1831 by the oaths of both the
Subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon it was ordered to be
recorded & the executor thereon named Wm Barkham the
was duly qualified