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Said Herbert H. Dodd the Testator as his last will
and Testament in the presence of us who were present
at the time signed and sealed thereof

Isaac Edwards (Witness)

James ^{Edwards} ~~L~~ Dodd (Witness)

Chatham County

February 27th 1841

This certifies that the foregoing
last will and Testament of
Herbert H. Dodd said was proved in open Court by the
oaths of Isaac Edwards & James L. Dodd the subscribing
witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded (whereupon Charles
Bennett the Executor therein named appeared in open
Court and was duly qualified as such)

A. A. W. A. Stearns C. C. C.

In the name of God Amen. I William Patrick of Chatham
County North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind & memory
(Blessed be God) do this 14th day of Feb 1840 make and publish this my
last will & Testament in manner following, that is to say - First I
give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Patrick the Black
fine and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Patrick the Black
of land where I now live containing 156 acres, also one sorrel horse & a
two year old filly two cows & one yearling one yoke oxen and east
two head hogs all my ploughs & farming tools and also all my
beds & beds together with all other of my household & kitchen furniture
during her natural life time & after her decease to be divided
in the following manner, - I give to my beloved Grandson William
Apchurch one horse & saddle & fifteen dollars in money if he
remains with my wife or other part of my family untill he is
twenty one years of age if not the property to return to my children
namely William, Archer and Gilliam Patrick and the balance
of my estate as follows, one sorrel horse to my son Archer
Patrick and all the balance sold & after my son William
& Archer Patrick receive seventy five dollars each then for
Gilliam, William & Archer Patrick to share and share
alike - I also give unto my daughter Letitia Patrick
two dollars & no more believing that I have given her
a full share before. And I hereby make & ordain
my son William Patrick executor of this my last will

