

I give and recommend to God my soul that gave it & for my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my Exrs nothing doubting But at the great resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate as hath it has pleased God to bless me with in this life - I give and divide & dispose of the same in the following manner & form. To-wit: it is my will and I do order that in the first place all my just debts and funeral exps be paid and satisfied. Then I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Barbara Little all the rest of my estate only the land that is in Onslow County - I do hereby utterly disavow and revoke and disannul all and any other former testaments wills bequests and executives by me in any wise before this time named wills bequeathed - ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will & testament. And testament in witness whereof - I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date above written signed sealed published pronounced and declared by the said Robert Little as his last will and testament in presence of us and now to conclude the whole I do appoint and ordain John Davier Esq to this my last will and testament given under my hand and seal Test William Farnis Joseph Parks

Robert Little ^{his} (seal)
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From Little's
original

State of North Carolina
Dare County

Oct Term

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Then was the within will proved in open Court in due form of Law by the oath of Austin Beasley one of the subscribing witnesses thereto And at the same time Martha Carlisle and John Carlisle the Exrs & Exrs named in the said will came before the Court and qualified as such ordered that letters issue accordingly
Test William Dickson C. C.

Thomas
Carlisle

In the name of God Amen. I Thos Carlisle of the County of Dare State of North Carolina and parish of St Gabriel being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory. Thanks be given to God Calling into mind the mortality of my body & knowing it is appointed for all men once to die. Do make and ordain this my last will & testament. That is to say principally & first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it & my body I recommend to

the earth to be buried in a decent christian burial at the discretion of my exors. Nothing doubting but at the general resurrection, I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching and worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me. In this life I give and Devise and dispose of the same in the following manner & form. First I have given unto my four daughters. Præsent Anna Elizabeth & Lydia the sum of fifteen pounds apiece & unto my son John Carlton. I have given the sum of One hundred pounds and the rest I give and bequeath unto my dearly beloved wife Martha all the rest of my property both lands & and stocks of all kinds and negroes her lifetime to dispose as she sees fit Except it be the sale of the lands which is to be divided at her death between my two youngest sons Stephen is to have this place wherein I now live, ^{on} all on this side of murren branch and Thomas is to have all on the other side of the branch at ^{her} the death and if there be any property at her death or least if there be enough Thomas Carlton is to have twenty pounds good and lawful money and if there is any left after that is done in. it must be equally divided amongst ^{all} my children. But if there is not property left at her death to pay Thomas Carlton twenty pounds then Stephen Carlton must give ten pounds good & lawful money unto Thomas Carlton because Thomas's land is not as valuable as Stephens and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke & disannul all and every other former testaments wills legacies bequests & executors by me in any wise before named null and bequeathed ratifying & confirming this and no other to be this my last will & testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the seventh day of September 1798. Test Austin Bessley John Carlton & Martha Carlton. I appoint and ordain Martha Carlton & John Carlton Exors

Thomas Carlton (Seal)

January Term 1812

Then the within will proved in Court by John Connolly and Luke Connolly the Exors named in said will and proved in due form of law by the oath of David Thright & Lewis Dickson two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and at the same time John Connolly one of the Exors named in the ~~same~~ said will came forward & qualified by taking the oath of an exor according

Connell
Connolly