

When this Will was exhibited in Open, & Public Court by the Court
John Dixon, a witness thereto & on Motion Ordered to be Recorded whereupon
Marmaduke Norfleet, & Drury Smith came in & was duly Qualified as
Executors thereto
Test Wm. Woodhouse

In the name of God Amen

Thomas Lowry of Halifax County and State of Carolina being
very sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory, thank be
given unto God calling unto mind the mortality of my Body & knowing
that it is appointed for all men once to die, to make & give this my Last
Will & Testament, that is to say principally & first of all
I give and recommend my Soul into the hand 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 Executors. I as touching
such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this
life I give, devise & dispose of the same in the following manner I know
First it is my Will & desire that my Land lying on the Branch of the road from
together with as much of my perishable Personal Estate should
be sold by my Executors at Public or private Sale to discharge my Just Debts
& also lend to my loving Wife Ann Lowry all the Remainder of

Thomas Lowry

of my Estate after discharging my Just Debts, both Real Personal and
 Behivable be it of what nature or Quality sever to her during her widow
 hood for the support & Schooling of my Children. but if she should marry
 it is my Will I desire the balance and Remainder of my Estate should be
 equally divided between my wife Ann & my two sons Benjamin & William
 Lewis all to share legually alike.

Lastly I constitute & Ordain my two Brothers in Law Ephraim &
 Benjamin Dicken my whole & Sole Executors of this my last Will &
 Testament Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be
 my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have set my hand
 and Seal this the 18th day of February in the year of our Lord one
 Thousand seven hundred and eighty nine

Signed, Sealed, published, and declared
 in the presence of and in the presence
 of each other Lewis Dicken George
 Morrel Allen Dorman

Thomas Lewis

Hampden County 18th Feb^r 1789

This Will was exhibited in Chancery Court and duly proved by the Oath
 of George Morrel a Witness thereto and on Motion ordered to be Recorded
 whereupon Ephraim Dicken and Benjamin Dicken came in and was
 duly Qualified as Executors thereto

Test

Wm. H. H. H.