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The foregoing will was brought into open Court and admitted to probate by the oath of John A. McKinnon one of the subscribing witnesses hereto  
 Angus M. Kinnon the Executor appointed by said will came in to open court and renounced this right to Qualify as Executor at the same whereupon Daniel J. H. Kinnon was appointed Administrator of all the goods and chattels Rights and ~~debts~~ & credits Kenneth O'Neill deceased died on his entering into bond in the sum of \$4000 Dollars with Angus M. Kinnon Security and was duly discharged according to law.

A. L. Bury attk

John Watson's Will

In the name of God Amen I John Watson of the County of Moore in the State of North Carolina Being sick infirm but of perfect mind & memory thank be to God for his mercies calling to mind the mortality of my body knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die - And principally and first of all I recommend my soul to the hands of Almighty God who gave it and my body to be decently buried in a Christian like manner nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall recover the same by the mighty God to bless me within this life - I give and dispose of in the manner and form as follows to wit

I give and bequeath to my beloved son Sam Watson Five Dollars in cash -

I give and bequeath to my beloved son William Watson five Dollars in cash -

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I give and devise to my beloved son Robert Watson five Dollars in cash -

I give and bequeath to my beloved Daughter Ann Watson all the lands that is from John Watson down the branch to the creek thence up the creek to the Back Spring Branch thence up the same Branch to the head thence as Samm Watson's line round to the beginning also one half of all my barn and meat house hold and kitchen furniture also one and a half also one half of all my stock of hogs & yearlings also one half of all my stalk of hogs & gus except one hogs

I give and bequeath to my beloved son Malcolm Watson all the land that lies south and west of thoms line adjoining of my daughter and him also that tract or parcel of Land on Riddle Road also one half of my land meat household and kitchen furniture also one half of my stalk of cattle hogs & gus Except one hogs also one gray horse and all the farming utensils also one half of the still -

I give and devise to my beloved son John Watson that tract of Land I took a deed for this day from Jonathan High - also one half of a still

I give and bequeath to my beloved grandson Robert Watson John Watson son one half of my sack of sheep & the other to my daughter Ann Watson

I give and bequeath to my beloved son William Watson one half his wife and it is my desire that he may live with my son malcom & my daughter Ann and that they may give him Education it is my will that that Part of Land granted to Hugh Watson may be sold by my Executor to pay my just Debts it is my desire that shall my just debts may be paid and after wards to make distribution shares as before mentioned in this my will and I the aforesaid John Watson do hereby appoint my beloved son Malcolm Watson & my worthy friend Will N. Miller

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Executor to this my last will and testament  
and I do hereby revoke all other wills and  
testaments made by me and this to be my last will  
and testament and no other. Signed with my own hand  
and sealed this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January A.D. 1836  
Witnessed this day of January  
Elizabeth & George John Watson { mark }  
mark mark

Moore County Court January 1844.  
The last will and testament of John  
Watson deceased was admitted to probate in open court  
by the oath of Jeptha Green a subscribing witness  
thereto and ordered to be recorded  
Whereupon Malcolm B. Watson one of the  
executors appointed by said will came  
into open court and was duly qualified  
as Executor of the same according to law.

Allen Bethune's Will

Allen Bethune of the County of Moore and State of North  
Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory  
before God for the same but considering the uncertainty  
of my earthly existence do make and publish this my  
last will and testament in manner and form following  
that is to say First I give and bequeath to my beloved  
wife Catharine Bethune all the Estate both real and  
personal that I die possessed of after paying all my just  
debts in common law at any time during her natural  
life to distribute the same or any part thereof to such as will  
take charge of her my said wife Catharine Bethune  
Second and lastly I nominate constitute and appoint my  
said wife Catharine Bethune my lawful Executor  
to execute this my last will and testament hereby

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and declaring utterly void all wills and testaments  
by my hands made in witness whereof I the said Allen  
Bethune do hereunto set my hand and seal this 13<sup>th</sup> day of  
March 1843.

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Allen Bethune  
Amen Bethune to be his last will & testament in  
presence of us who at his request  
subscribed our names as witnesses thereto  
Ephesia D. McDonald +  
Samuel T. Pepp  
Rials Pepp

Moore County Court April Term 1844.  
The last will and testament of Allen Bethune deceased  
was admitted to probate by the oath of Ephesia McDonald  
+ Samuel T. Pepp of the subscribing witnesses  
thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Whereupon Catharine Bethune the Executrix aforesaid  
by said will came into open court and was duly  
qualified as Executrix according to law  
A. L. Cushing Esq.

Daniel McDonald's Will

In the name of God Amen I Daniel McDonald  
of the County of Moore and State of North Carolina  
being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and  
memory before God for the same do this sixteenth day  
of March 1843 make and publish this my last will  
and testament in manner and form following that  
is to say First it is my will and I do order that  
all my just debts be paid and satisfied as soon as  
conveniently can be after my decease