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Gives and assigns forever, excepting a horse which is called
the Walker horse which I give unto my Brother-in-
Law, William Robitsh. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal as my last will
and Testament this 30th day of August 1856. I also
have as my Executor, William S. Larkins to my will
hoping he may have it carried into effect

William J. Bourdeau Esq.

signed sealed and
delivered in presence of,
the words my will was interlined
between 24 and 25th line before signing

G. M. Walker

James ^{his} Cannon
mark

State of North Carolina

New Hanover County Court Sept. Term 1856.

This paper writing purporting to be the last will and
Testament of William J. Bourdeau is exhibited in open
Court; and offered for probate, and is duly proved
by the oath of both the subscribing witnesses thereto,
and as such considered by the Court to be and
contain the last will and Testament of said W.
J. Bourdeau and sufficient to convey the bequests
therein made and as such, ordered to be recorded
and filed: At the same time Wm S. Larkins the
executor therein named appeared in open court &
was duly qualified as such
Test.

Sam^l W. Bunting
Clerk

In the name of God, Amen: I, Bryant Morton
of the State of North Carolina and County of New
Hanover being of sound and perfect mind and memory
(Blessed be God) do this ninth day of April in the
year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred & fifty six
make and publish this my last will and Testament
in manner following, that is to say; that it is my
desire that my dear and beloved brother Amos Morton
shall have all my lands in New Hanover County
and Onslow County and all my cattle, Hogs and
bees and it is also my desire that my brother
Amos Morton have all my Household & Kitchen furniture

and all property belonging to me and it's also my
 desire that my Brother Amos Wooten have and collect
 all the claims due to me both by note or account
 and I also wish him to pay all my just debts
 and it is also my desire that he shall take charge and
 full possession of all the property and claims above
 named and dispose of the same in any way, that
 he may think right and proper, and I hereby make
 and ordain my Brother Amos Wooten Executor of
 this my last will and testament. In witness
 whereof I, the said Bryant Wooten have to this my
 last will and testament set my hand and seal the
 day and date first written
 Signed, sealed, published
 and declared by the said
 Bryant Wooten the testator
 as his last will and testament
 in the presence of us who were
 present at the time of signing
 and sealing thereof.

Bryant Wooten ^{seal}

Isaac Rochelle
 Dickson Burton

State of North Carolina
 New Hanover County Court September Term 1856.
 This paper writing purporting to be the last will
 and testament of Bryant Wooten is Exhibited in
 open court and offered for Probate by Amos Wooten
 and is duly proved by the oath of both the sub-
 scribing witnesses thereto, and as such considered
 by the court, to be and contain the last will &
 testament of Bryant Wooten in every respect,
 and as such, sufficient to convey the bequest
 therein made; and as such ordered to be recorded
 and filed at the same time. Amos Wooten the exe-
 cutor therein named appeared in open Court and
 was duly qualified according to Law.

Test.

Sam^l R. Bunting Clerk.