

I being in low state of body, though fully sensible in mind, do leave my accounts in the following manner, and the disposal of all my worldly goods, after being decently buried, if it should please you at this present to call me from this world, viz,

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| Capt Hanson's acct, advanced in | \$ 11.7.0 |
| The balance of Mr. Gaultier's acct in { the balance of Arch ^t MacLaine esq } | 100. 10. 0 |
| John Peirce Esq ^s , acct | 4. 0. 0 |
| Mr James Walker, d ^r | 2. 5. 8 |
| Mr Dubois | 2. 19. 7 |
| Mr John Moore, d ^r | 22. 11. 0 |

These and some other accounts which at this time I cannot recollect, the balance due me, I desire and will that Mr John Moore his keeper may settle and receive; and after a decent burial and payment of all my just debts, the remainder, if any, I leave to my loving brother John Hickley of Boston in New England. Likewise desire that all my working tools and apparel, may be disposed of for the aboves.

September 25th 1778.

Signed in presence of

Will. Gibbs.

Alex^r Dyer

Eliphalet, Hickley *[Seal]*

New Hanover The within will was exhibited to the Court and proved October first 1779 on the oath of William Gibbs a subscribing witness thereto, who swore that he saw the Testator sign and publish the same as his last will and testament, and that he saw the same registered on the records to be registered.

John Moore prayed for administration, which was granted, and ordered

Testament. Ob^r

In the name of God A.M.D.V. The fourteenth day of January 1779. I William Hill of New Hanover County in the State of North Carolina, do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore made. First I desire to be buried in a frugal manner, without any unnecessary expence, and that my just debts may be paid as soon as may be after my decease; and touching what worldly substance it hath pleased God to bless me with, I give and dispose of the same as follows. I give my beloved wife Margaret Hill, all my estate real, personal and mixed for and during the time she shall continue my widow and no longer, with full power to direct and manage the whole as she shall think best and most for the benefit of her and my children. But if she should marry again, my will and desire is that the whole estate