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In the name of God amen. the 6th Day of
April 1768.

One William Loring of the Parish of Saint Mathew
County of Orange, in the Province of North Carolina, being
sick of Body, but of good & perfect memory thanks be to almighty
God & Calling, to signify the Unavoidable State of this Transitory
life that all flesh inevitably unto death, when it shall be.
Please God to call, do make & constitute certain Deeds.
this my last will and Testament, in manner & form following
Resolving, annulling by this present will & every Testament
or Testaments, Will & Wills, here to pass by me made and
Declared, either by word or Writing, & this is to be
taken for my last will and Testament, and being present
and Lying for my true part. I humbly beseech the Judge
for the same, good & commend, my soul unto almighty God my
Preserver in the name of Jesus Christ amen.

I do Bequeath to my Beloved Wife Rachel one Orange house
and Land, freely and one Negro fellow named Paul. During
her Widowhood, no after to be Divided with the following
and my Wife to have her Privilege of my Land & Estates
During her Widowhood until my son George, is of the age
of Majority, furthermore I make over, one half of Lands
with improvements, to my eldest son George & the other
half being up to the Court to my Youngest Son, of please God
to be as of them in their Infant Days, the other
to have her Land, furthermore my wife is to have her
Living During her life time of the plantation of the
Remains as she saw, or otherwise as she herself sees proper.
I make over two pounds, apiece to my two Daughters
Margaret & Sarah, & all the other Moveable and
Personalizing after my Funerall Charges is Charge
off is to be Divided Equally, part and fifth part to
my Wife, and the other four parts for the Children
Each one of any of the Children, departs this life
in their Infant Days, then part of Good, to be Divided
in equal parts as before mentioned to the next State

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Remainings, then and my last Will & Testament given
under my Hand, the Day & Date above mentioned

Charles Johnson & Associates William & Loring, Secs.
Dated (Orange) }
Being present }
Henry Mitchell }
Clerk }
John Loring } &

At an Inferior Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions
begun this 1st Day of the County of Orange at the Court
House in Hillsborough, on the Second Thursday next
in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred
Eighty four Present his Majesty's Justice &c. the aft.
Will was duly proved by the Oath of Mary Mitchell
and Orders to be Done.

Test
Francis Mearl J.

In this Name of God amen. this twenty seventh Day
of May One thousand seven hundred Eighty four I do
make of Orange County in the Province of North Carolina
being in a weak State of health, though in perfect mind &
Memory, thanks be to almighty God for the same, but calling
to mind, the uncertainty of this mortal life, I think it
incumbent, to make my last Will & Testament, which
I do in the following form
first re Principally recommending my soul unto the hands
of almighty God, hoping through the merits of Death
& Resurrection, of our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ I shall
Receive a glorious Resurrection as as for my Body
I leave it to be Buried at the Discretion of my Executors
hereafter named as as to my worldly Estate that it both