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writing & do hereby actly disallow revoke & disannul all & every
other test wills, legacies or bequeaths, ratifying & confirming this
as no other to be my last will & test. In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & seal this 29th day of March A.D. 1799.

Signed, sealed, & declared by John
Willing as his last will & test in
presence of us W^m Moores.

X John Willing Seal

Daniel Huffman.

In the name of God Amen! I Benjamin Paston
of Rowan County & State of N. Carolina, being sick of body but
of sound mind & memory, do appoint this my last will & test.
And revoking all others. Item I give to my well beloved wife
for her comfort & convenience in raising my small children all
my estate both real & personal during her life: & at the death of
my beloved wife, whatever may remain of my estate shall then
be sold at reasonable credit & equally divided amongst my
children. I further will that my beloved wife shall not give
to any of my children any thing during her life, without it
being first appraised. And should such gifts of my wife to any
of my children amount to more than an equal share at her
death, then such children are to pay up the difference so
that each child is to share alike. I further will that my
executors may sell any part of my estate, real or personal
at public or private sale as they can make suit best to raise
money sufficient to discharge my debts. Lastly I appoint
Charles Mills & Thomas Reeves executors of this my last
will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set

my hand & seal this 31st day of August A.D. 1802.

Signed, sealed, & delivered in

the presence of

James Reeves, James Alexander,
David Foster.

X Benjamin Paston Seal
his mark

In the name of God Amen! I Charles Payne of
the State of N. Carolina & County of Rowan being weak in
body, but of sound & perfect mind & memory blessed be God
do this 22nd day of April in the year of our Lord 1803 make
& publish this my last will & test: in manner following. (witness)
1. I hereby give & bequeath unto Will^m Payne my brother
Enik Payne five shillings & to his brother Enik Payne five
shillings & to his brother Charles Payne five shillings to be
& their heirs forever.

2. I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Fanny Payne all
the rest of all my land & moveable property, including
all I possess to her own use, her & her assigns forever. And
I hereby make & ordain my worthy friend Philip's Beck jun
Fanny Payne my wife executors of this my last will & test &
in witness whereof I the said Charles Payne have to this my last
will & test: set my hand & seal the day & year above written.

Signed, sealed & declared by

the said Charles Payne as his
last will & test: in the presence

of us who were present at the time of
sealing & signing

X Charles Payne Seal

Philip's Beck

Sam: Wells jun.