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the above mentioned curis are paid any of my children  
are single yet; the shall be provided for & furnished in  
the same manner.

It is further my will that if any building or repair  
of buildings is necessary, it shall be paid out of my estate.  
I make, ordain & constitute my friend George Henry Roper  
my wife Christian & my son Philip Executors of this  
my will & empower them to make Deeds to my son George  
Henry for the land herein willed. Then declare this  
to be my last will & test: & pronounce all others null  
& void. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand & seal this 17 Day of Novbr: 1804.

Signed in the presence of

Charles Stork,

Daniel Berger.

X Wmde Miller (seal)

In the name of God Aman, I Lewis Mulligan  
of Rowan County & State of N. Carolina being of sound  
mind & perfect memory, blessed be God. Do this 16 day  
of July A.D: 1796., make & publish this my last will  
& testament, in the manner following (to wit) I give &  
bequeath unto my son Benjamin all my goods & chattels  
that he has in possession, only my bed & furniture & the  
first hufier calf that a certain hufier has I give & bequeath  
unto my daughter Margery Bowyer, to then forever, my  
right to the land there by father did lie upon in his life  
time in the state of Maryland in Prince George County

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I give the profit to all my children as follows. One third  
to my son Lewis, executor of this my last will & test: one  
third to Benjamin the other to equally divided herunto  
I have set my hand & seal, the Day 17 year above written,  
Signed, sealed & published.

by the sd Lewis Mulligan

as his last will & test

in the presence of us

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Jonathan Markland.

Lewis Mulligan (seal)  
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In the name of God. The 20 Day of January 1790.

I John Morrison of the County of Rowan State of N  
Carolina planter being weak & sick in body but of perfect  
mind & memory thanks be given to God therefore calling to  
mind the mortality of my body, knowing that it is appointed  
for all men once to die do make & ordain this to be my  
last will & testament. Touching such worldly estate as  
it had pleased God to bestow at me in this world I give de-  
mine & dispose of the same in manner & form following.

1<sup>st</sup>. My will & pleasure is that my well beloved wife  
Frances & my children shall have their living on my plantation  
I now live on during her widowhood & that she shall have  
her choice of my horse creature & my executors shall  
concern in the hands of sd widow my negro wench named  
Dude & such a part of my personal property as may appear  
to them necessary for the support of my said family  
Further I give a bequeath to my sd wife her clothing and

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My furniture, Draper & furniture & saddle & the remainder  
to be sold at the discretion of my executors & the money arising  
from said sale after paying my just debts to be divided  
equally between my four children, Andrew, Mary, Margaret  
& Robert, but in case my sd wife should marry again I  
impose my sd executors to make sale of the negro woman  
& the other personal property left for the support of said  
family except her saddle, Clothing bed & furniture & draper  
with its furniture which I bequeath to my sd wife forever  
& the money arising from sd sale I appoint to be divided  
equally between my wife & four children above named  
Item I give, bequeath & demise, to my sons Andrew & Robert  
the land I now live on hereto adjoining to be divided at the  
discretion of my executors between my said sons ✓

Item I give, demise, & bequeath to my brother James  
all my rights the claim intire & demand of or into a certain  
tract of Land, lying on both sides of Elk Creek  
in Madison County, willed by my father to my brother Will:  
deceased, upon condition that my heirs be forever relieved  
from a certain sum of money which I was bound to pay  
to my said brother James by nature of my fathers last will  
Lastly I nominate constitute & appoint my trusty &  
well beloved wife Francis & my trusty friend James  
Madakande Alexander Wilson executors of this my last  
will & test: & I do hereby disannull revoke & do abolish  
all other wills, legacies, bequests, heretofore made, etc.  
Dying & confirming this to be my last will & testament

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In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
the day 6 year above written  
Signed, sealed, published  
& declared to be my last will  
& test in presence of

John Morrison *(Signature)*

Robert Hughey Jr. X  
Dr. Hinnes.  
David Morrison

In the name of God Amen! I Joseph Maye of Rowan  
County & State of N<sup>C</sup> Carolina being sick & weak in body  
but of sound & disposing mind, memory & understanding  
considering the certainty of death & the uncertainty of  
the time, being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and  
then by being the better prepared to leave this world when  
it shall please God to call me from hence. Do therefore make  
& publish this my last will & testament in manner &  
form following what is to say. First & principally I con-  
mend my soul into the hands of all mighty God & my  
body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion  
of my executors here after named & after debts & funeral  
charges are paid.

I bind to my beloved wife Ester Maye all my real  
& personal estate during her life or Day of marriage  
& after her decease or Day of marriage. I give &  
bequest to my son Isaac Maye all my land & im-  
provements thereon.

My will & desire is that after my wifes death or