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Lastly I nominate constitute & appoint my son James
McNeely me Nephew James McNeely son of John McNeely
executor of this my last will & testament, hereby revoking
& disannulling all former will & testaments by me made.
I ratify & confirming this & this only as my
last will & testament. In witness whereof I have set my
hand & seal this 8th day of Sept 1801.

Signed, sealed, ratified & confirmed
before us the subscribers who in Archibald McNeely
the presence of each other & in his
presence have witnessed the same.

James Brandon.
John McNeely.
James McNeely.

In the name of God Amen! I William Moore of
the State of N. Carolina & County of Rowan being
of perfect & sound mind & memory (Blessed be God) Do this
8th day of May 1801 make & publish this my last
will & testament in manner following that is to say
I bequeath to my loving wife Sarah all my possessions
which is one hundred & fifty acres of Land lying in
Montgomery C State aforesaid & one Negro woman
named Sarah three head horse beasts & my hogs & cattle
likewise & all the house & furniture & the plantation tools
this is my desire as long as she remains my widow &
if she marries, it is my desire, that she should have a
child's part further more it is my desire at her decease

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that her part should be equally divided among my
sons & daughters.

Lastly I do hereby make & ordain my loving wife Sarah
& Starling McDaniel my son in law, executors of this my
last will & test: & I do hereby revoke & disannul all
other wills & testaments & do acknowledge this & no other
to be my last will & testament. In witness whereof
I the said William Moore have set my hand & seal
this Day & year above written.

Signed, sealed, & published.
& delivered in the presence of William & Moore seal
mark.
John Moore.
Starling ^{his} McDaniel
James Kincaid.

In the name of God Amen! I Michael Myers of
the County of Rowan & State of N. Carolina being
very sick & weak in body but of perfect mind & memory
First I recommend my soul In to the hands of almighty
God who gave it, & my body to be buried in decent christ
burial & for such worldly estate as it has pleased God
almighty to bless me with, I give & dispose of in the
following manner & form.

First of all I give & bequeath unto my beloved wife Eve
Myers all my land horses, cattle & all my house hold farm
to have & to hold during her widowhood. Further I give my
land to all my sons & the shall pray forty five pounds to the
rest of my children, & if in case that the widow should marry
she shall have an equal share with the children out of

my moveable effects, my will is that all my moveable effects shall be shared & equally divided amongst all my children for the executors of this my last will & test. I appoint my beloved brother David Myers & Charles Grimes, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 28th day of Decr 1794.

Signed sealed & Delivered
in the presence of us &
in the presence of each other.
have hereunto set our hands

Michael Sappanfield
Valentine ^{his} Leonard
mark.

Michael ^{his} Myers
mark

In the name of God Amen! I John M^cNeely of the State of N^c Carolina & County of Rowan, being in health of body & perfect mind & memory, thanks be given unto God, calling unto mind the mortality of my body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make & ordain this my last will & testament that is to say, Principally & first of all I give & recommend my soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it, & my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executors nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God. And as touching such worldly estate wherewith it had pleased God to bless me in this life I give demise & dispose of the same in following manner & form.
First I give & bequeath to each of my well beloved

grand children, to each & every one of the named John give paid when they arrive to the age of twenty one years.

Second I give to my well beloved grand Daughter Elleanor Hall a bed & furniture, now standing on the left.

Third I give to my well beloved son Alexander M^cNeely a negro wench named Ester.

Also I give to my well beloved son Samuel M^cNeely all & singular my lands messuages & tenements by him freely to be possessed & enjoyed, he paying my lawfull debts.

I likewise constitute make & ordain my well beloved sons John & Samuel M^cNeely executors of this my last will & testament; And I do hereby utterly disavow, revoke & disannul all & every other testament, ~~and~~ ^{and} legacies utterly disavow bequeaths & executors by me in any wise named, willed, & bequeathed, ratifying & confirming this & no other to be my last will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty second day of February A.D. 1800.

Signed, sealed, published pronounced
& declared by the sd John M^cNeely
as his last will & testament in the
presence of us who in his presence &
in the presence of each other have hereunto
subscribed our names

Sam. M^cLaughlin jun
Robert M^cNeely
Thomas Lilliman

John M^cNeely