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In the name of God Amen! I Richard Bartholon of the Province of N Carolina, Rowan County, Chair. Maker being very sick & weak in body yet of perfect mind & memory blessed be to God. Calling to mind the mortality of my body & knowing it is appointed for all men once to die I do make & ordain this my last will & testament Viz. Prin-
cipally & first of all I give & recommend my soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it. And my body I re-
commend to the earth, to be buried in a decent Christian manner at the discretion of my well beloved wife & son. Jane & Zacharias Bartholon whom I constitute & appoint my joint executors of this my last will & test: nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God. And as touching such worldly effects wherewith it had pleased God to bless me in this life I give, dispose & dispose in the following manner & form, first I give to my eldest son John five shillings sterling, next I give to my son Zacharias two hundred acres of land including the improvements &c whereon he now lives. next I give to my daughter Mary five shilling sterling, next I give to my five daughters, Rebecca, Sarah, Susanah, Hannah & Jane, two hundred Acres of land to be run off between Zacharias & where I now live to be sold & the price equally divided between them. Next I give to my son William the remaining part of my tract of land including the improvements &c whereon I live

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together with my saddle, one bay horse Colt one year old my rifle gun & distill vessels &c. Next I give all the remaining part of my horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, household furniture, goods & Chattels to be sold at public vendue & the price thereof to be equally divided between my wife, my son William & my before mentioned five daughters. And I do hereby utterly disavow, revoke & disannul all & every other will, test: bequeaths & executors, by me in any wise before named, willing & bequeathing rectifying & confirming this & no other to be my last will & test: in wit ness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 11 Day of Novbr. 1778.

Signed sealed, published
by the said Bartholon
his last will & testament
in the presence of us

Richard Bartholon
his mark

Daniel Lewis Sen.
J. Stuffle - 1300 -

In the name of God I Barbara Bruner in the County of Rowan, widow. being weak in body but of sound mind & memory blessed be to God, Do this Day of August the 22. in the year 1793, make & publish this my last will & test: in following manner.

1st. I give & bequeath to my daughter Barbara Betty fifty pounds to her & her children.
I give & bequeath to Lucas Macartney Children Barbara Margareta, Susana, Lucas, John, Elisabeth, & Andrew the sum of fifty pounds to be equally divided share & share.