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In the name of God amen I Thomas Stillwell living in perfect mind
(and Memory) Do hereby make this my last Will and Testament I desire that I may
be buried in a Christian manner and that my Funeral Charges do not exceed Sixty
pound said I do give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Margaret all the household
goods and the Chaise of one Horse and one Cow and the value of the Land on the
West side of Newbury dwelling here widow here until my son David Stillwell
comes to the age of Twenty one years then the said David Stillwell is to have the
half of the said Land of Margaret Stillwell should Margaret again then the said
David Stillwell is to have all the said Land on the West side of Newbury in his one
possession (and the said Stillwell is to have a young Bay mare I do give and
bequeath unto my son Thomas Stillwell all that part of my Land on the East
side of Newbury and one Black mare and all the rest of my moveable Estate to
be repaid to said and after all my debts be paid then the Remainder to be put
out upon Interest until my son David comes of age and the said Land on the
East side of Newbury to be rented out until my son Thomas comes of age and the
Money put out to grace until David comes of age and I desire that no Sheriff, nor
not have any Connection with it but my Executors may have the disposal of it as
there men will and after David comes of age then the Remainder of my Estate to
be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth Gals Mary Jones Jennimah
Jackson Phelo Sister Thomas Stillwell and David Stillwell my wife is
that my wife Margaret Stillwell and John Sedford for be my whole and Sole
Executors and I do acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament which unto I have
signed hand and seal this day and year above written July the Six One
Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy three

Witness present
William Draper
Henry & Sedford
Mark
Thomas Stillwell

1874
In the name of God amen I Mark Troy of the County of Anson in the
Province of North Carolina Do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in
and from following. That is to say, My Will is, and I do order and direct,
that my Executors hereinafter named, Do same time within Twelve Months after my
decease, To sell and dispose at public Vendue all my personal Estate wherever it
may be found, (except one Horse and one Cow to be retained for the support of my
wife Barbara during her life) together with what else she lawfully shall receive
and the Remainder to be equally divided between my two Sons John and William
is also the sum of Three hundred and Thirty three pounds six Shillings and
Six pence North Carolina Currency that I left to be paid to them

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Under John Ode of South Carolina to be divided between them at my Death, or their coming of age,
and until such time as the do come of age I desire that any said Executors may dispose of such
Money and Estate to the best advantage for them, my two Sons named above, John Will and
demise that if it should please Almighty God to take to himself one or either of them my two
Sons, That then and in that case, This the said deceased his Estate, devolve upon the other who
shall survive, I also Order that in case it please God to take me to himself before my said
two Sons shall come of age, That then it is my pleasure that one of my said two Sons
John Troy be bound as an Apprentice unto Matthew Troy of Salisbury North Carolina until he
shall come to be of age and also that my said Son William Troy be bound in like
manner unto Abel Armstrong of the County of Anson until he shall come of age, which
said two persons William Troy and Abel Armstrong I nominate, constitute and
appoint my sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all other
and former Wills by me at any of previous made heretofore. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal the Twenty fifth day of December in the year of our
Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Seventy two
Signed, sealed, published and attested by the said Testator
Mark Troy as (and for) and Testament on the
presence of us, who have seen our names at Witness
Edward Hill
Samuel Collier

1774
In the name of God amen I James Dimmitt of the County of Anson
in the Province of North Carolina being very sick and weak in body
but in perfect mind (and Memory thanks be given to God calling to mind
but calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is
appointed for all men once to die do make and Ordain this my last Will
and Testament to be to say principally and first of all I give and recom-
mend into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and my body
is now and to be buried in decent order at the discretion
of my Executors not doubting but at the General resurrection I shall
revive by the mighty power of God and as touching
my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this
world I do dispose of the same in the following manner and
first I give and bequeath to Barbara my dearly beloved wife
her Goods and Chattels peaceably to enjoy a me living her
any whom I lawfully constitute make and Ordain
of this my last Will and Testament