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In the name of god Amen I James
Millwood of Stokes County in the state of
North Carolina being in a low state
of Health but of perfect Mind and
Memory thanks be given to gods calling
unto Me the shortality of body and
knowing that it is appointed for all men
once to die do make and ordain this
my last will and Testament that is
principally and first of all I give and re-
commend my soul to God that gave it & my body
I recommend to the earth to be buried 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
I am possessed of in this life I give devise & dispose
of in the following manner

Imprimis I give and bequeath to my dearly beloved
wife Nancy all my Plantations being only one
hundred acres wherupon I live untill my youngest
child James comes of age at which period I require
my executors hereafter named to sell it at public sale
together with what Stock of Cattle which may
remain then (which personal Stock that I now have
is to remain in Possession of my wife for
her use and the benefit of the children) and
make an equal division of the amount among
all my Children then living Children and
if they can agree a division might take
place without a sale further I recommend

constitute and appoint Shadrach Pruitt and William
Spencer my sole executors of this my last will &
Testaments in Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal this 24th Day of June 1791

Signed sealed published
and declared by the said
James Millwood as his
last will & Testament
in presence of

James^{his} Millwood
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Stokes County September Term 1792

The execution of the last Will and Testaments
of James Millwood Dec^d of which the foregoing
is a copy was proven in open Court by the
oath of James Martin the only subscribing
Witness thereto and ordered to be recorded which
is done accordingly by

J. P. Armstrong DC
for Robt. Milledam & Co

In the name of God Amen I Thomas Seaton
of the County of Surry and State of North Carolina
planter being well in health & of sound and perfect mind
and understanding having in Memory and the knowledge
of Mortality my body and that is appointed to die I do
make and ordain this my last will and Testaments
And principally the first of all I recommend my soul into
the hands of God that gave it first hoping it will be
restored to me again by the almighty Arms of the
Lord Almighty and my body to the grave to be returned
with a decent Christian Burial at the discretion of
my executors and as touching the world by goods and