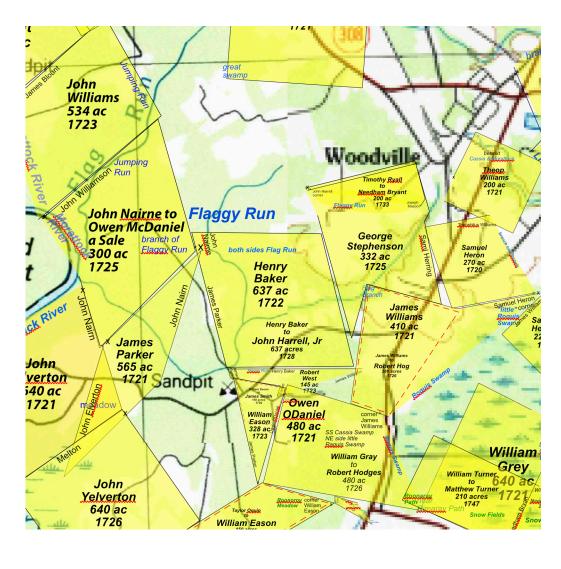
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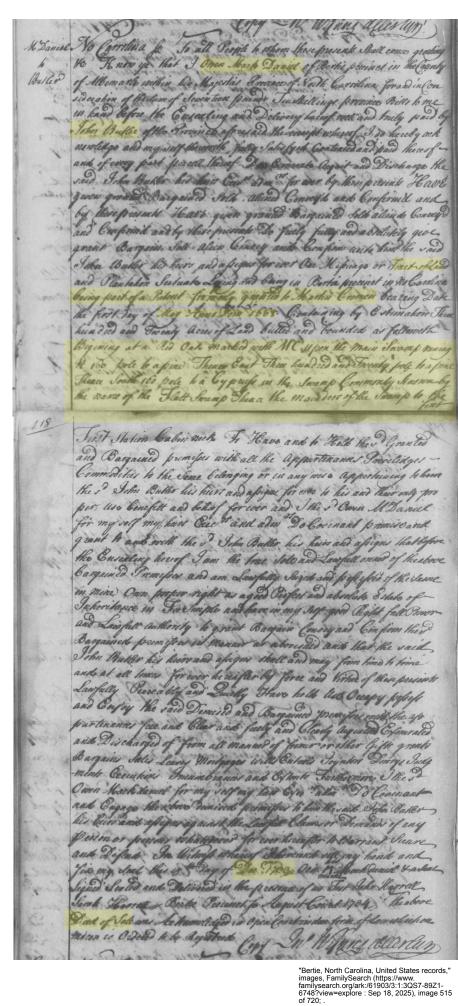
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John Butler Owen McDaniel ??? acres *1729*

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Owen Mack Daniel John Butler 320 acres 1733

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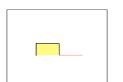
320 acres

Deed of Sale

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begin x at a tree (marked **MC**) at the Main Swamp

S 160 to a tree in the Swamp known as Flatt Swamp then the swamp to 1st



So I queried **Grok 4** 2025 about Martin Cromer

Flatt Swamp

who was martin cromen in NC in 1700s

Aug. 17, 1734. 17 pds. 10 sh. for 320 A. On NS Flatt Swamp. Part of patent granted MARTIN CROWMAN Oct. 16, 1729. Adj. JOHN BUTLER. Wit: JOHN HARRILL, ISAAC HARRILL. May Court 1735. JOHN WYNNS D.C/C.

Owen Mack Daniel

John Butler

320 acres

1733

Martin Cromen (also spelled Croman or Cronen in some colonial records) was a colonial settler and landowner in Bertie Precinct (later Bertie County), North Carolina, during the early 1700s. 📦 2 sources Born around the late 1600s (exact date unknown), he likely immigrated from Ireland or had strong ties there, as his will references a brother named Thomas Cromen in Bolart, County Limerick, Kingdom of Ireland, to whom he left all his lands. (2 sources Cromen resided in the Kesiah (or Cashie) River area of Bertie 100 acres on the west side of the Kesiah River, which was sold after his death.

Key Life Events and Records

- Early Residency and Civic Role: By April 1, 1731, Cromen served as a grand juror in Chowan County Court (adjacent to Bertie), indicating his involvement in local governance.
- Land Transactions: On May 8, 1733, he transferred land to James Castellaw, with Nathan Moor mentioned in the property description—likely part of his holdings near the Kesiah River. 🐠 Earlier, on October 8, 1724, he received a deed from John and Mary Johnson of Perquimans Precinct for unspecified land in Bertie. 👑
- Family and Will: Cromen died shortly after making his will on May 1, 1733, which was probated at August Court 1733 in Bertie Precinct. @ 3 sources The will names daughters-in-law Elizabeth West and Elenor West, son-in-law Thomas Copeland, and Jonathan Kittrell (relationship unspecified, but possibly a stepson or executor). 📵 2 sources No wife or direct children are mentioned, suggesting he may have been a widower or had no surviving biological heirs.

Cromen's life fits the pattern of many early 18th-century North Carolina settlers: land ownership in the Albemarle region, involvement in court, and ties to European origins amid rapid colonial expansion. No further records (e.g., military service or additional deeds) were identified, and he does not appear in major historical narratives beyond local abstracts. For primary sources, consult Bertie County will and deed books at the North Carolina State Archives

Footnotes provided by Grok 4

1. Nathan Moore.

- (1). 1726. Bertie Deed Book B, Page 267. There is a reference in the property description to Nathan Moore in a transfer of land by John Stancill and wife Sarah to Edmond Smithwick. January 12, 1726. 30 Pounds for 100 Acres on Kisah Neck adjacent Nathan Moore, known as "Deer Hall". "she being first privately examined as by an act of assembly of this province" Witnesses John Gardner, Thomas Bryant. North Carolina Court October 3, 1727. C. Gale C. J. Test. Edward Mashborne D. C/C. Witnesses to the private examination being: Elizabeth Clayton and John Gardner.
- (2). 1733. Bertie Deed Book D, Page 122. Nathan Moor is mentioned in the property description of a transfer by Martin Cromen to James Castellaw. May 8, 1733. 20 Pounds for 200 acres on Cashy River. By patent granted Nathan Moor and by him sold to Cromen and recorded in Chowan Precinct. Witnesses are Thomas Kearney, jurat, William Kenneday, Sollmon Alston. August Court 1734.
- (3). 1760. Bertie Deed Book K, Page 331_(82). There is a reference to Nathan Moore in the property description of a transfer by Henry King of Hertford County to Charles King of Bertie County. September 1, 1760. 5 Pounds (no acres), joining Broad Branch, Nathan Moore, said Henry King. Witnesses are Mary King, Henry King. July Court 1761. CC: Benjamin Wynns.

https://sallysfamilyplace.com/aaron-moses-titus-moore/

CROMEN, MARTIN

May 1, 1733. August Court, 1733. Brother: THOMAS CROMEN (of Bolart in the County of Limerick, Kingdom of Ireland, "all my lands within this province"). Legatees: WM. KENEDY, JR., FRANCIS KENEDY, JOHN GRAY, JR., ELIZABETH FROST (daughter-inlaw), THOMAS COPLAND (son-in-law), JONATHAN RIDING, MICHAL ELLIS, WILLIAM KENEDY. Executors: WM. KENEDY, JAMES CONER, JOHN GRAY. Witnesses: MICHAEL ELLIS, GRACE KENEDY, Clerk of the Court: RT. FORSTER.

(Source: Abstracts of North Carolina Wills, By: J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, 1910,

1877 pg. 85 MARTIN CROMEN 1721 400 acres on ye W. side of Cassay river, joining ye herring run, MR. SMYTHWICK, and the river Witnesses: C. EDEN, WM. REED, RICH. SANDERSON, FRA. FOSTER, J.

2530 pg. 244 MARTIN CROMEN 1 December 1727 640 acres in Bertie precinct in the Islands of Morattock river, joining the mouth and side of a Gut, the Devils Gut, and Swift Creek Witnesses: R. EVERARD

> There are numerous other deeds where Martin Cromen was wheeling and dealing... but I cannot find any for "the middle fork of Flaggy Run"

> > https://www.genealogytrails.com/ncar/bertie/will_abstracts.html