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 I Robert McKeefe of the County of Catawba and State of North Carolina do make publick and declare this my last will & testament in manner and form following to wit:
 1st my Soul I will to God who gave it & it is my will that my body receive decent Christian burial if possible & the expenses paid by my Executor out of any estate
 2^d I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Louisa McKeefe after the payment of my just debts all my Estate real & personal or so much of it as she may wish to keep the balance to be sold by my Executor for the benefit of my children
 I hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife executor of this my last will & testament hereby revoking all former will by me made

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of
 This 3rd day of Sept 1862
 H. L. Dinsgar
 Wm McCaslin

Robert McKeefe

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 In the name of God Amen.
 I John Robinson of the County of Catawba and State of North Carolina being in sound and disposing mind & memory in view of death which is the certain fate of all men do hereby make and declare the following items and declarations to be my last will and Testament viz
 1st My will and desire is that at my death my mortal remains be decently buried in a Christian like manner
 2^d I give and bequeath all my property both real and personal lease and cash funds which may remain after paying off all my just debts and other expenses consequent on my demise to my Father & Mother for their sole use & benefit during their natural lives and at their death or at the death of the last survivor my will is and I hereby give and bequeath all of the above devised property that may remain when the last of my parents die to my three sisters viz H. C. Perry, Lora C. Robinson and Ann Mills they being at liberty to divide the same either by sale or otherwise as they may choose to do
 3^d I further desire that if necessary in order to pay my debts & other expenses as above specified that such of my personal property as my father may designate be sold once my debts & other debts paid off
 4th I hereby constitute and appoint my Father J. H. Robinson and my Sister Laura C. Robinson my lawful executors & executrix of this my last will and Testament
 In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 28th day of March AD 1863

Signed declared & acknowledged
 in presence of
 E. H. Cantor
 Anna Lowe

John Robinson