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North Carolina, Gaston County.

I, W. R. Moten of the aforesaid County and State being of sound mind but considering the uncertainty of my earthly existence do make and declare this my last will and testament.

(First) My Executor hereinafter named shall give my body a decent burial suitable to the wishes of my friends and relatives, and pay all funeral expenses together with all my just debts out of the first moneys which may come into his hands belonging to my estate. My burial by my son W. L. Moten.

(Second) I give and devise to my beloved wife Margaret A. Moten my farm of sixty eight acres where I now live with the exception of thirty acres deeded to W. L. Moten It being the house and homestead on the 30 acres for my own and Margaret Motens and Walter Motens support during our lives.

(3) I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret A. Moten and George Walter Moten, my mule, farming utensils and any and all other personal property which I may be possessed at my death.

(4) I further will that at the death of Margaret A. Moten and Walter Moten, that the above personal property and real estate be equally divided between H. A. Moten, Robert Moten, Mrs. S. J. Devine, W. L. Moten, M. B. Weaver, E. A. Moten, D. O. Moten and G. W. Moten

(5) I hereby constitute and appoint my son H. A. Moten and Luther Devine and his wife, my lawful executors to all intents and purposes to execute this my last will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other

will and testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In witness whereof I the said W. R. Moten do hereunto set my hand and seal this the 21st day of March, 1910

his  
W. R. <sup>x</sup> Moten (Seal)  
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Signed, sealed published and declared by the said W. R. Moten to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence ( and in the presence of each other) do subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

W. Meek Adams

W. W. Faires.

State of North Carolina,  
Gaston County.

In the Superior Court.

In the Matter of the Last Will of W. R. Moten;

It appearing to the Court by the oath and examination of W. Meek Adams and W. W. Faires the subscribing witnesses thereto, that the paper writing propounded by the Executor therein named, is the last will and testament of W. R. Moten and that the same was duly executed by said W. R. Moten in the presence of said witnesses and that at the time of signing the same the said W. R. Moten was of sound mind It is thereupon adjudged that the said paper writing be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of the said W. R. Moten.

This the 11th day of January 1911

C. C. Cornwell,

Clerk Superior Court.