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In the name of God Amen. I Sarah Alexander of the County of Iredell and State of North Carolina, being in a sick and weak condition of body, but of sound mind, memory and understanding; considering the uncertainty of Life and the approaching dissolution of my Body do make, publish, and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following; viz. 1st. First of all I surrender my Soul into the hands of God, who gave it, and my Body to the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors. Secondly. My will is, that all my just Debts and funeral Charges be first paid and discharged. Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my Cousin Jane Bivens Senior, Two Gowns, one striped Linen, and one Stuff. Fourthly. I give and bequeath to my Cousin Rebecca Bivens my black Gown. Fifthly. I give and bequeath to Margaret Penence my calico Gown. Sixthly. I order and allow the remainder of my Goods and personal Effects to be sold at Vendue. And Half the money arising therefrom, together with one half all notes belonging to me, I do bequeath to my friend Tabbe Osborn. The other part thereof I do bequeath to my Brother Alexander Gillespie if he be alive and shall ever come in quest thereof. If not it shall return to the aforesaid Tabbe Osborn as by me bequeathed to him. Lastly. I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my friend Mr. Tabbe Osborn to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament in revoking all former Wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my

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Hand and Seal, this 30th day of December in the
Year of our Lord 1790.

Signed, sealed, published & declared by the said Sarah Alexander to be her last Will and Testament in presence of us,
Joseph Latta. junr.
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Sarah her 1 mark Alexander [seal]

To all whom it may concern: Greeting.
Know ye that I Thomas Allison of Iredell County, & State of North Carolina, being of perfect mind & memory, & calling to mind the mortality of all men: do ordain, constitute & dispose of my Estate in the following manner. Viz. First. I leave & bequeath to my well beloved Wife Magdalene Allison, my Negro Wench Jude to her proper use, and the use of the one third of my Land during her Life, also the use of the one half of the Houses & the Kitchen fire place, & I do bequeath to her all the household Furniture & all the stock from third of the Hogs, and as many of the Horses & Cattle as she may think necessary for her to keep & the use of the Cotton & the two negro Fellows Pomp & Bob, Also give her the one third of the plantation Implements. Again I give & devise to my Son Thomas Allison all the Land I hold in said County, & the remainder of the Hogs and plantation Implements, & the Negroes between him & his Mother, each to have equal use of her, I also give to my Son Thomas, Pomp and order that he pay the one half of his value to my Son John Allison. Again I give & bequeath to my Son Richard Allison my Negro Bob & order that he pay to my Son Theophilus Allison, the one half of his value, both to be valued at the time they are [illegible]