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In the name of God Amen, I Elizabeth Lawrence of the county of Nash and State of North Carolina, being now of sound mind and disposing memory doth make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following to wit:

First My will and desire is, that all my estate (except clothes) be sold and the money arising from such sale, also all my money, bonds and c. be divided as the last directs (except as to Jesse Lawrence and his children, they having received the land when they now live, in part to have any of the personal estate).

and lastly I do appoint my friends Sarah Edwards and David Hills, executors to take my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twelfth day of July 1830.

signed, sealed and acknowledged
in presence of
David Battle
Alexander Hills

Elizabeth L. Lawrence (Seal)
mark.

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State of North Carolina court of Pleas and quarter sessions
Nash county August Term 1830

The foregoing will was exhibited in open court for probate and the handwriting of David Battle one of the subscribing witnesses thereto being proven by the oath of Ed Battle it was ordered to be recorded.

Attest Benj. H. Blount, C.C.C.

and recorded in obedience to the above order;

B. H. Blount, C.C.C.

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In the name of God Amen, I Sally Jordan of the county of Nash and State of North Carolina, knowing that it is appointed for me to die, and being in a weak state of health, but thank almighty God in sound mind and disposing memory do make and constitute this my last will and testament in manner following to wit: Item: I give and bequeath unto my beloved son David Jordan, one mare called Leopard, one bridle and twelve dollars and fifty cents in money to purchase his a saddle, one bed, bedstead and furniture, one gun, one walnut table, also the state called his, and books.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Jesse Jordan one horse, bridle and saddle, one bed, bedstead and furniture, 1 walnut chest, also the state called his and books, also fifteen dollars in cash to purchase him a gun.

I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Elizabeth Jordan one bed, bedstead and furniture, one pine chest, one pine table, also sixty five dollars in cash to make her equal with her brothers. It is my will and desire that all my children stay together and have the use of all my stock, farming utensils, household and kitchen furniture, until they finish and house the crop now begun, and at the expiration of such time for my executor to sell all my property not

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given away in this my last will, and after paying my just debts the balance of the money arising from the sale of my property of every nature whatsoever to be equally divided between all my children to wit; David Jordan, Jesse Jordan, and Elizabeth Jordan. I nominate and appoint Isaac R. Wood my executor to this my last will and testament this 1st day of May in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

Test.
Eli Mercer
his
Joshua x Jordan
mark.

her
Sally x Jordan (Seal)
mark.

State of North Carolina court of Pleas and quarter sessions
Nash county August Term 1830

The foregoing will was exhibited in open court for probate and proven by the oath of Joshua Jordan a subscribing witness thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Attest Benj. H. Blount, C.C.C.

and is recorded in obedience thereto.

B. H. Blount, C.C.C.

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I Ann Edens do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following viz: I give and bequeath to my dear daughter Polley Edens one negro boy by the name of Tom and if my daughter Polley Edens dies without a lawful issue of her body the said negro boy Tom to go to my grand son Grassano Tucker also to one feather bed and furniture and all of my stock I give and bequeath to my dear daughter Nancy Wester one negro boy by the name of Jerry and after her death to Nancy Tucker and I give and bequeath to my dear daughter Nancy Wester one feather bed and furniture and my negro woman Harty and her child Jack to be sold at my death and all my just debts paid and the balance of the money to be divided between Polley Edens and Nancy Wester and bequeath to Selley Underwood ten Dollars to by her mourning and all the rest of my goods and chattles to be divided between Polley Edens and Nancy Wester, John Deans whom I nominate constitute and appoint sole executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other and former wills by me at any time heretofore made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and date of our lord 1824 Signed, sealed and published by the said testator Ann Edens as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us who have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the said testator.

her
Ann x Edens
mark.

David M. Deans.
Polley R. Deans

State of North Carolina, Court of Pleas and quarter sessions May Term
Nash County 1831