In The Name of God Amen. I Mancy Bassof Nash County in the Stateof North Carolina, of sound mind and memory do make and declare this to be my last will and testament in manner and form following to wit: Imprimis: I Resign my soul to almighty God who gave it hoping and trusting that through the merits of his son Jesus Christ it will enjoy eternal bloss in the Kingdon of heaven as touc ing my worldly estate I give and bequeath in the manner and form following.

Imprimist I will that all my just debts be paid.

Item: I give and bequeath unto Dinisha Rogers one negro boy by the name of Quiley to her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my dau_hter Levecy Lawrence one negre woman by the name of Amacy to her and her heirs forever. A.so one nafe, one dutch oven Also all my wearing cloths.

I em: I give and bequeath unto my grandson John Devenport one bed and furniture.

Item: My Will and desire is that all my property real and personal that is not given away by this my last will should be sold and be equally divided between my two daughters Denista Rogers and Leveia Lawrence and John Devenjort to them and their heirs forever.

Item: I constitute and appoint my friend William Boddie executor of this my last will and testament and I do hereby publish and pronounce this to be my last will and testament.

February court, 1812

The foregoing will was duly proven in open court by the eath of am and Boddie a subscribing witness thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest."m Hall.C.C.

and is registered in obedience to the above order.

Attest. wm Hall, C. C.

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In The Lame of God Amen. IThomas of North Carolina, being the the above the weak in bedy yet of a sound and perfect understanding and memory do constitute and appoint this my last will and testament and desire it may be received by all as such and for my worldly estate that it hath pleased not to bless me with I despose of in manner and form following.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son homes and Silver Dollar to him andheirs heris forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my/Reuben one silver dollar to him and heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Soloman one silver dollar to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son John one silver dollar to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son William one silver dollar to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin one silver dollar to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Mlish Whitfield one silver dollar to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Israel Whitfield one hundred and fifteen acres of land it being part of the tract of land that I now live on and bounded as followeth beginning at a branch on the north side of peach tree creek upon the bank of said creek and themsalong a line of marked trees to a hickory a corner tree in my old line thence East along the old line to pig basket creek thence down said creek to a Water cak thence along my line to Richard Thomas Line and along said Thomas line to Peachtree creek and up said creek to the first station and one bed and furniture two cows and calves, two ewes and lambs to him his heirs and assigns, forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Bardy one Hundred and fifty acres, of land it being the other part of the trast of Land that I live on two cows and calves two eves and lambs one bed and furniture one apple mill to him his heirs & assigns forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary one silver dollar to her & her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah one silver dollar to her a her heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Mildred one silver dollar to her and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth one bed and furniture to her and heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath to my loving wife Mary one bed and furniture two cows & calves three ewes & lambs & all my houshold and kitchen furniture that I have not heretofore given away to her her hairs and assigns forever. My will and desire is that my Executor hereafter named do sell all the remainder part of my estate or so much thereof as will pay my debts either at publick or private sale as they shall think best and either if there should be any part of my estate remaining after my debts is paid that I have not heretofore given away I desire the same to be equally divided between my two sens (to wit) Israel and Hardy. Lastly I do constitute and appoint my loving son Selemon Whitfield and Mardey Whitfield my executors of this my

last will and testament Revoking all other wills and testaments do own and acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness where of I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 6th day of July 1782.

Thos. Whitfield (Seal)

Scaled published and declared by the above named Thomas Whitfield as his last Will and Testament in presence of us

Jacob Dickinson Willis Whitfield Chlos Whitfield

Nash County

January Court, 1781

The foregoing will was duly proven in open court by the eath of Jacob Dickinson and Willis Whitfield two subscribing Witnesses thereto and on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest Wm. Hall C. C.

and is registered in obedience to the above order.

Attest Wm. Hall C. C

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In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Horn of the County of Nash and State of North Carolina being in perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament. Imprimis I Give to my loving wife Hannah Horn all my Estate boath real and personal during her life and after her death to be Equally divided between my five sons Joshua, Henry, Richard, William and Wilson Horn to them and their heirs forever and I do appoint my loving wife whole and sole Executrix to this my last Will and Testament revoling all other wills heretofore made. In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this second day of December 1778.

Thomas Horn (Seal)

Signed sealed & Delivered in

presence of test

John Batman, Herod Clark, Wm. Hall

Mash County)

July Court 1782

The foregoing Will was duly proven in open Court by the oath of William Hall a subscribing Witness thereto & on motion ordered to be recorded.

Attest Wm. Hall C. C.

And is registered in obedience to the above order.

Attest Wm. Hall C. C.

Michael Horn my land and plantation whereon I now live and four hundred ighty seven acres of land joining to the aforesaid land I give to him heirs forever. I also give unto my son Michael Horn my megro my negro fellow Mingo and my negro boy Jacob and my negro Women Hardy alled Fortain after the decease of his mother also I give and bequeath Michael Horn all the rest of my estate goods and chattels of whatsoever kind hey be to him and his heirs foreyer. I de likewise constitue make and ordain my son Michael Horn my whole and st will and testament and I do hereby utterly disall other former testaments wills andlegacies executors by me in any ways before this time named willed and bequeathed . confir ming this and no other to be my last ill and testament in witness whereof gseal this eleventh day of March in I have hereunto set my hand and affixed i the year of our lord god one thos sand sever hundred and seventy two.

Si_ned,sealed and delivered in presence of us HenryFlower Dempsey Barnes Dempsey Dawson

Thomas x Horn Jen.

County

July court, 1782

The within will was duly proved in open court by the oath of Henry Flowers ambscribing witness thereto and ordered to be recorded;

Attest. Wm Hall.C.C.

and is registered in obedience to the aboveorder.

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InThe Name of God Amen The 3 day of June Seventeen hundred and ninety one. I Robert Rogers of the County of Nash and State of North Carolina, being sick and weak in body, butof perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God for the same therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing thatit is appointed for all men once to die I de make and ordain this my la t will and testament that is to say principally and first of all I ive and recemend my soul into thehands of God that gave it , and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my executors and touching such worldly estate which God hast blessed me with In this life I give and dispose of in the following manner andform. Item: I give and bequeath my beloved wife ann Rogers the possession of this land as long as she lives, six choice head of cattle, a negro woman by the name of that duringher life a black horse and a gray mare the grind stone and workeng tools thehouse and furniture, three beds and furniture all the theep all the hogs I give and bequeath to my son Jacob Rogers all the land that he now lives oncontaining to a hundred and sixty acres more or less a negro boy by thename of Daniell I give and bequeath to my son Jess' logers a negro girl by thename of Patty, a negro boy by the name of Phill six head of cattle . I give and bequeathto my son "obert "ogers , a Negro boy by the