In the name of God Amen.

I Thomas M Steele of Williamsburg and in the State of outh Carolina being weak in body, but of sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be Almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last will and testam ment, in manner and form following (that is to say) I wish all my stock of horses hogs and cattle sold except five cows and calves to give milk for my children I wish also my execu tors to sell my negroes Viz Smart Jacob and Prince to the best advantage-and all of the money put in good Mens Bonds for Interest after all of my just debts are paid My land I give and bequeath unto my three children Viz. Ann Leonora Thomas S. and John Ja. my tract of land where I now reside My wish is that my land shall remain unocupied until my Children may wish to ocupy it or until the youngest arrives to the years of twenty one I wish my children Supported and educated from the money and as they arrive to the age of twenty one each to receive their full part or share of money I here by appoint John Tisdale Samuel Tisdale and Thomas Steele my father the sole executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have set my hand and Seal this 10 day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand and thirty nine

Signed, Seal'd published and declared by the above named Thos M Steele to be his last will and testament, in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in the presence of the testator

Thos M Steele (Seal)

William Ferdon

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my will is that all my house hold and kitchen furniture be sold and the money appropriated to the use of my three Children Viz. Ann Leonora Thos 8. and John Jas And lastly it is my desire that this my present codicil be ansexed to and made a part of my last will and testament to all intents and purposes In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 10 day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand and thirty nine

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named

Thomas M. Steele as a codicil to be annexed to his last will and testament in the presence of William Ferdon

Henry C Durant

Tho: M Steele (Seal)

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