

**Will & Probate, NC, Mecklenburg, George Allen, 1770 1784**

In the name of God Amen.

I, **GEORGE ALLEN**, of Mecklenburg County, in the province of North Carolina, being weak of body but of perfect mind and memory calling to my mind the mortality of my body as it is appointed for all men once to die. I do therefore make this my last will and testament.

IMPRIMIS I ordered that my body to be decently buried and all funeral expenses to be paid and all my just debts to be paid.

ITEM I will and bequeath to **SARAH [ALLEN]** my beloved wife one bed and furniture, with her mare and saddle, with her one third of all my personal estate.

ITEM I will and bequeath to my son **GEORGE** the plantation I now live on, he paying to my daughters the sum of one hundred and twenty pound when he arrives at the age of twenty one years, but, provided the child my wife is now with be a son, then I allow him the one half of the said tract of land, they, my said sons, paying to my daughter's the sum of 60 pounds when of age. Said lands to be divided by my executor hereinafter named.

ITEM I will and bequeath to my daughters **MARY [ALLEN]**, **JEAN [ALLEN]**, **SARAH [ALLEN]** and **ELIZABETH [ALLEN]**, and if child of my wife is now with be female, all the remainder of my estate to be equally divided amongst them, except ten pounds and my gold ring marked "love and live happy" to my daughter **MARY**, towards curing a sore in her knee.

ITEM I will and bequeath to my brother **JOHN ALLEN** one suit of Blue Tustin Clothes.

ITEM I will and bequeath to **THOMAS WELSH** by riding saddle.

I also order my executor to sell and dispose of my Negro wench at the venue of my personal estate or at private sale whichever they think the best.

Lastly I will order constitute appoint and ordain **SARAH ALLEN**, my beloved wife, my brother **JOHN ALLEN** and **THOMAS POLK** Esqr. to be my executor of this my last will and testament.

Proved

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George Allen's estate settled, credits due to the heirs of said estate

[LIST OF DEBTS DUE]

**GEORGE ALLEN  
DR. CANZOR  
JOSIAH PARKER  
NICKLOS WELSH  
JAMES ALCORN  
ROBERT BURNS**

[LIST OF PAYMENTS]

**JO. POHORK  
MR. MC CALORH  
PAUL BERANGER  
THOMAS KENNEDY  
JAMES MCCALL  
JOHN ALLEN  
WILLIAM GARNER  
NATHANIEL COCK  
ELISABETH MCCLINEY  
JAMES WYLY  
ADAM ALEXANDER  
WILLIAM WILSON  
ABRAHAM ALEXANDER  
MR. CALORK  
JOSEPH KENNEDY**

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Received 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1771 of **SARAH ALLEN** the sum of £2.10 on account of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased.

**THOMAS KENNEDY**

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Received 11<sup>th</sup> day of October of 1771 of **SARAH ALLEN** & **THOMAS POLK** the sum of £4.12 on account of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased.

By **WILLIAM GARNER**

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Received 10<sup>th</sup> of September 1772 of Miss **SARAH ALLEN** for the Quen of his daughter the sum of £2.10.

M. W. **ELIZABETH MCCLINEY** {his E mark}

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November 14, 1771

The estate of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, Dr. To me **WILLIAM WILSON** by settlement with **SARAH ALLEN**. £0.7.6

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North Carolina  
Mecklenburg County

This day comes **WILLIAM WILSON** before me, one of his Majesties Justices for the Peace for the said county and was duly sworn as the law directs that the above account is just and true and that he never received no part nor parcel count nor credit or consideration for the same.

Sworn before me December ye 13 1771.

**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**

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A return of the sale of **GEORGE ALLEN**, estate

January 1775

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The executors of **GEORGE ALLEN**, last will, on account with sundries

??? CAMER  
JOSIAH PARKER  
NATHANIEL WELCH  
JAMES ALCORN  
ROBERT BURNS  
  
JAMES MARTIN

JOHN FROLOCK  
H. E. MCCULLOCK  
PAUL BERRINGER  
THOMAS KENNEDY  
JAMES MCCALL  
JOHN ALLEN  
WILLIAM GARNER  
NATHANIEL COOK  
ELIZABETH MCCLARY  
JAMES WYLIE  
ALEXANDER  
WILLIAM WILSON  
WILLIAM ALEXANDER  
JOSEPH KENNEDY

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**GEORGE ALLEN**

Deceased Estate

Settled

January Session

1775

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**SARAH NEAL** her account against **MARCY ALLEN, ... MCCANLIS**

**SARAH NEAL** her account against **MARCY ALLEN, ... SHELBY**

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State of North Carolina  
Mecklenburg County

This day **SARAH NEAL** appeared before me & made oath. That the above accounts is just & that she has paid each of the above legatees the amount as above.

That is

**MARCEY ALLEN**  
**SARAH ALLEN**

She has paid them in part of what their father **GEORGE ALLEN** left to them in his last will & testament.

**JOSEPH DUGLASS, JP**

11<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1784

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March ye 28<sup>th</sup> day 1784

This Day **HUGH POLK** appeared before us under-named subscribers and was sworn and duly examined and upon his oath saith that some time in the fall of the year in the year 1783 he, the said **HUGH POLK**, heard **MARCY** Mrs. **CANDLIS** tell **SARAH THOMAS**, her mother, executrix of the estate of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, that she, said **MARCY** Mrs. **CHANDLIS** was satisfied with her share of **GEORGE ALLEN**'s estate left her by her father as a legatees.

**WILLIAM WILSON, JP**  
**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**  
**HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER**

Sworn to and subscribed

**HUGH POLLOCK**

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April ye 21<sup>st</sup> 1784

This day **JAMES WAY** appear before us under-named Justices of the Peace and being permitted to swear according to law upon his oath deposeth and saith that some time in December 1783 he the said **JAMES WAY** drew a receipt, which receipt he saw **SARAH ALLEN**, daughter of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, sign or acknowledge to her mother **SARAH NEAL** executrix of the estate of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, and acknowledged herself paid or satisfied for her share left her by her father due and payable by said **SARAH NEAL**, executrix.

Sworn and subscribed before us appointed by court as committee to settle the same.

**JAMES WAY**

**WILLIAM WILSON**  
**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**  
**HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER**



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The above named **SARAH NEAL**, executor of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, being permitted to swear according to law, deposeth and saith that the above mentioned receipt given by **SARAH ALLEN** as about mentioned she has and missing and not in her custody and ...

Sworn and subscribed the day above written before us under-signed Justices of the Peace this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1784.

**SARAH NEEL**

**WILLIAM WILSON**  
**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**  
**HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER**

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Personally appeared **HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER** and being sworn deposeth and saith that about the 10<sup>th</sup> of March last he was in company with **JAMES ORR** Jr. In conversation concerning **ROBERT ARTHUR**'s payment of the legatees of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, he heard the said **JAMES** acknowledged that **ROBERT ARTHUR** had paid one hundred continental dollars to him in the fall 1777 and some time after he borrowed that sum when he was going to the "Noreast" and when he came back he returned back the money and give him 34 dollars for the loan and further saith not.

Sworn this 22 day of April 1784

Before Me  
**WILLIAM WILSON**

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April ye 22<sup>nd</sup> 1784

This day personally appeared before us under-named subscribers **SARAH NEAL**, executrix of the estate of **GEORGE ALLEN**, deceased, did pay to **JOSEPH** to the amount of £10 to doctors for the curing of Marcy Allen agreeable to her father's will, now **MARCY / Mrs. CANDLIS**.

Subscribed before us appointed by court as a committee to settle the same.

**SARAH NEEL**

**WILLIAM WILSON**  
**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**  
**HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER**

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April 22nd 1784

On settlement of the within mentioned estate it appeared that the executrix:

Had paid to her daughter **MARCY** / Mrs. **CANDLIS** the sum of £47.19 besides £10 to the Doctor and the gold ring, according to the will, which amounts to pounds £16.16.10 more than her Legacy.

And further that the executrix had paid To her daughter **JEAN ORR** the sum of £40 which amounts to £8.17.10 more than her Legacy.

And further that she had paid to her daughter **SARAH SHELBY** the sum of pounds £64.3 which amounts to £33.0.10 more than her Legacy.

It further appears that the Legacy due to **ELIZABETH ALLEN** which is £31.2.2.½ is now settled and as she is of age she has signed the following receipt, to wit:

Received from **WILLIAM NEAL**, executor in right of his wife, the sum of £31.2.2. being the sum due to me by my father's will this 22nd day of April 1784

**ELIZABETH ALLEN** {her 3 mark}

Test **WILLIAM ORR**

N. B.

The above settlement was made by us the subscribing justices this 22nd day of April 1784

**HEZEKIAH ALEXANDER**  
**ABRAHAM ALEXANDER**  
**WILLIAM WILSON**

N. B.

After the above settlement was made a bond of £12 paid to **H. E. MCCULLOCK** was produced, which she never obtained credit for, therefore it is our opinion that the legatees ought to refund their respective share and this bond is now returned to court.

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