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BE IT KNOWN that at the date hereunder written, the last Will and Testament of Sarah Hambleton late of Hanfield in Cheddleton in the County of Stafford Widow —

deceased, who died on the 22nd day of January 1891 at Leek in the said County —

— was proved and registered in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and that administration of the personal estate of the said deceased was granted by the aforesaid Court to John Hall of Leek aforesaid Silk Manufacturer and William Stoll of No. 16 Manchester Road Oldham in the County of Lancaster Grocer the Nephews of the deceased the Executors named in the said Will — they having been first sworn well and faithfully to administer the same.

Dated the

16th

day of

January 1892

Gross value of Personal Estate £ 68-7-2

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This is the last Will and Testament
of me Sarah Hambleton of Hanfield in Cheddleton in the County of Stafford

Widow I appoint my two nephews John Hall of Leek Silk Manufacturer and William Hall of Longton Staffordshire Grocer to be the Executors of this my Will And I devise to them their heirs and assigns all estates vested in me upon any trust or by way of mortgage subject to the trusts and equities affecting the same. I bequeath the following legacies namely the sum of three hundred and thirty four pounds to each of my three dear friends Hannah Thaw Edge, Mary Nuttall the wife of Ezra Nuttall, Annie Elizabeth Edge the daughters of my late dear friend Hannah Edge the widow of the late William Millean Edge of Tunstall The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to each of my three nieces Anne Hall, Elizabeth Hall Smith and Catherine Hall Smith the daughters of my brother John Hall The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to each of my three nieces Elizabeth Hall Tatton, Alice, Annie Hall and Sarah Ellen Hall the daughters of my brother Thomas, Alexander Hall. The sum of one hundred and fifty pounds to each of my three nieces Sarah Hall Prosser, Caroline Hall and Mary Ellen Hall the daughters of my late brother Edward Hall and the sum of one hundred pounds to my nephew John Edward Johnson the son of my late sister Mary Anne Johnson And I bequeath to my first cousin Thomas Titley an annuity of five pounds for his life payable half yearly on the twenty-fifth day of March and the twenty-ninth day of September with a proportion from the date of my death and up to the death of the annuitant And I charge the payment of my debts funeral and testamentary expenses and the said legacies and annuity so far as my personal estate shall be insufficient to pay the same upon my real estate and I empower my Executors to raise by a sale or mortgage of all or any part thereof such deficiency And declare that their or his receipt shall be a good and sufficient discharge And as to the Residue of my real and personal estate whatsoever and whosoever I give devise and bequeath the same unto my said nephew John Hall absolutely And I appoint him my residuary legatee and devisee I declare that the interest of every female under this my Will shall enure for her separate use free from marital control I declare that the estate share and interest of every person under this my Will who may die in my lifetime leaving issue shall devolve upon such issue equally if more than one according to the stocks I declare that in the event of the death of any niece of mine who is a legatee hereunder without issue her legacy shall devolve upon the survivors or survivor of the nieces of the same parent equally if more than one Dated this 6th day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one — Sarah Hambleton — signed by the testatrix Sarah Hambleton and declared by her to be her Will in the presence of us both being present at the same time who thereupon in her and each others presence hereto subscribe our names as witnesses — George Steele — William Lawrence Main

On the 16th day of Jan^y 1892 Probate of this Will was granted to John Hall and William Hall the Executors