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Know all men by these presents that I Sarah Alerton of Halsworth in the County of Suff Widow do make & ordaine this to vñ my last will & testamēt in manner & forme following, viz. Inprimis, I give to my Son Isaac Alerton nine pounds. Item, I give to my Daughters Mary Augre three pounds, to my Daughter Dorothy Lusham five pounds, to be paid to each of them my sd Son, & Daughter within one yeare next after my Decease. Item I give to my Son John Alerton five shillings to be paid him within six moneths next after my Decease. Item I give to my Brother John & his wife fourty shillings a pece. To my Brother Benjamin Fairfax, my brother John Fairfax, & my brother Nathanael Fairfax five pounds a piece & to each of their wifes twenty shillings. Item I give to my Brother Hawkes & his wife twenty shillings a pece. Item I give to my Sister Priscilla Fairfax & my Sister Anne Fairfax five pounds a pece. All whic said legacies to my said brothers & sisters shall be paid to each of them respectively within one yeare next after my Decease. And in case any of the said last legataries my sd brothers & sisters, shall dye before he sd legacy to given to any of them to be paid you my sd will be hat the said legacy of him or her so dying shall be paid to such person or persons as the said legatee so dying shall bequeath it to. Item I give unto Sarah, Mary & Elizabeth the Daughters of my brother Benjamin Fairfax aforesaid, & to Elizabeth y<sup>e</sup> Daughter of my brother John Fairfax aforesaid, & to Sarah the daughter of my brother Nathanael Fairfax aforesaid, to each of them five pounds to be paid to them each of them aforesaid, to each of them five pounds to be paid to them each of them when they shall accomplish yr age of one & twenty yeares respectively, or at the day of thair respective marriages which shall first happen, together with such improvement as shall be made therof in the mean time. Item I give my bed full furnished as it stands unto Elizabeth Fairfax aforesaid. Item I give all the rest Daughters of my brother Benjamin Fairfax aforesaid. Item I give to old Goodman Bells of St Michaels Rumburgh ten shillings a pece, To Alice Rice to Goodwife Buller of Rumburgh ten shillings a pece, To Alice Richardson servant to Mrs Jones of Halsworth, & to Maggi Taylor servant to my Brother Benjamin aforesaid five shillings a pece. Item I give to all my Children of my these said Brothers Benjamin, John & Nathanael not before mentioned in this my Will ten shillings a pece. Item I give to the poor of the parish whereforas it shall please God to take me away the sum of this life twenty shillings to be distributed at the discretion of my executors. To the poor of Rumburgh twenty shillings to be distributed in like manner. And all the rest of my Goods, Bills, Bonds, moneye I give to my sd Brother John Fairfax of Bocking cloche, whom I doe by Nominate appoint & ordaine to be the sole executor of this my last will & testament in witness whereof I have setto for my hand and seale this thirteenth day of Septembre in the thirteenth year of the Reigne of our Sovereign Lord Charles y<sup>e</sup> Second, King of England Scotland France, of Ireland, & Empereur of the Roman Empire in the year of our Lord 1678.

Signed & published in the  
presence of  
Thomas Fairfax.  
Signature

Elizabeth  Lilliston

Sarah Alerton

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