

Alexander Monro CC8/8/120 [p.951] 28th October 1767- Dr Alexr Monro Sen[jio]r
The Testament Testamentar and Inventory of the debts & Sums of money which
were addebted & resting owing to umq[uhij] Doctor Alexr Monro Senior Professor of
Anatomy in the College of Edinb[u]r[gh] at the time of his decease who died upon the
eleventh day of July Seventeen hundred & [p.952] & Sixty seven years Made and
given up by himself upon the twelfth day of March Seventeen hundred and fifty years
In so far as Concerns the Nomination of his sole Executor universal legator and
Intrommittor with his Goods Gear And now Faithfully made & given up by Mr John
Monro of Auchinbowie Advocate eldest Don of the Defunct In so far as Concerns the
Inventory of the said Defunct his debts & Sums of Money after Mentioned Which Mr
John Monro he the said Defunct did Nominate & appoint to be his sole Executor and
universal Legator & Intrommitter with his Goods Gear debts & Sums of Money & That
by his Disposition & Settlement containing the fores[ia]d Nomination dated said
twelfth of March & year foresd Registrare in the the Books of Session the Sixteenth
day of Sept[embe]r last hereafter ingrost- Follows the Inventory- In the First there
was addebted & resting owing to the s[ai]d Defunct the time of his decease the Sum
of four hundred pounds St[erlin]g of prin[cipa]l Contained in a bond granted by
Archibald Jardine Factor to Collonel William Elliot of Wills to Arch[ibal]d Douglass of
Cavers dated the Sixth day of Decem[be]r Seventeen hundred & fifty two years And
in an Assignation of the sd Bond by the sd Archd Douglass to the Defunct dated the
twenty third day of July seventeen hundred & fifty five years And forty Pounds one
Shill[in]g & a penny half penny as Interest of the said pri[nci]p[a]l Sum resting from
the tenth day of July Seventeen hundred & Sixty five years to the eleventh day of
July last the day of the Defuncts death. Item the prin[cipa]l Sum of five hundred
pounds Stg Contained in a Bond granted by Alexander Earl of Galloway and John
Stewart of Castlestewart Con[junct]ly & Se[ver]ally to the Defunct dated the
thirteenth [p.953] thirteenth day of August Seventeen hundred & fifty three years and
Twenty pounds ten Shills & five pence three twelfths as Interest of the said prinl Sum
at the Rate of four and a half per Cent from the thirteenth day of July Seventeen
hundred & Sixty seven. Item the Sum of one hundred pounds Stg of prinl Contained
in a bond granted by the said Archd Douglass of Cavers, Hugh Scott of Galla and
John Scott younger of Galla Con[junct]ly & Se[ver]ally to the Defunct dated the
twenty fifth and twenty eight day of June Seventeen hundred & fifty five years and
Ten pounds five Shills & five pence nine twelfths as Interest of the said prinl Sum
resting from the twentieth day of June im vijC [one thousand seven hundred] and
sixty five to the sd eleventh day of July im vijC and Sixty seven. Item the Sum of
Four hundred & fifty pounds Stg of prinl Contained in a Bond granted by Richard
Lothian of Staffield & John Ewart Merch[an]t in Dumfries con[junct]ly & Se[ver]ally to
the Defunct dated the thirtieth day of Novr m vijC & Sixty five years and Thirty six
pounds Seventeen Shills & two pence four twelfths as Interest of the sd prinl Sum
from the twentieth of the sd Month of Novr & year foresd to the sd eleventh day of
July Seventeen hundred & Sixty seven years the day of the Defuncts death.
Extending in whole the sd Sum prinl & @ rents to one Thousand five hundred & fifty
seven pounds fourteen Shills & two pence five twelfths Stg which in Scots Money is
Eighteen Thousand six hundred and ninety two pounds ten Shills & five pennies
Summa of the debts resting to the Dead} xviiij m vijC lxxxij..x.v Follows the Defuncts
Disposition & Settlement Containing the foresd Nomination I Mr Alexr Monro of

Auchinbowie Professor of Anatomy [p.954] tomy in the College of Edinburgh being resolved That my eldest Son John Monro and the heirs Substitute to him as is after mentioned should succeed to me in my whole Estate real and personal that shall belong to me the time of my decease subject to the burden herein after expressed and being likewise resolved That Isobel MacDonald my well beloved Spouse should have the Disposal of Twelve Thousand Merks of the Subjects hereafter disponed in Case She shall think it right to burden our eldest Son with all or any part of the sd Sum Therefore I hereby bind & oblige me my heirs & Successors to make pay[men]t of all or any part of the sd sum of Twelve Thousand Merks to Donald, Alexander or Margaret Monros my younger Children that shall by Write under the said Isobel MacDonalds hand destined or appointed to be paid to one or either of them And That at the first Term of Whitsunday or Martinmas after the decease of the said Isobella McDonald with a fifth part more of the Sum so destined of penalty in Case of faillie and @ rent thereof after the Term of pay[men]t And with and under that burden and others after mentioned, and the Reservation & faculty in my favours after Specified I Assign Transfer and dispose To and in favours of the sd John Monro my eldest Son & the heirs of his body Whom failing to Donald Monro my second Son and to the heirs of his body whom failing to Alexander Monro my youngest Son & to the heirs of his body, whom failing to any other Sons I may yet have procreate of my body who are to succeed according to their Seniority, And to the heirs of their respective bodys whom failing to Marg[are]t Monro my Daughter and any other Daughters I may yet have procreate of my [p.954] my body equally amongst them and to the heirs of their respective bodys, and if but one Daughter to her and the heirs of her body Whom failing to George Monro Surgeon to the Regiment Commanded by the Earl of Panmure & to the heirs of his body whom failing to Alexr Monro Writer in Edinbr. Brother to the sd George Monro & to the heirs of his body. Whom failing to John Monro Brother to the sd George Monro and to the heirs of his body. Whom failing to Cecil Monro Sister of the said George Monro & the heirs of her body, whom failing to my own nearest lawful heirs & assignees whatsoever All & whatsoever heretable & moveable debts & Sums of Money as well principal as Interest, lying money Bank notes Gold & Silver coined & uncoined, Jewels Watches Kings Mails farms profites & duties of the lands & Estate Corne Cattle insight plenishing & household furniture & other heretable & moveable Means & Estate Goods Gear & Effects now resting & pertaining to me or that shall belong & pertain & be resting & addebted to me by whatsoever person or persons the time of my decease with all heretable & moveable bonds Obligations Contracts Assignations Translations Dispositions Wadsett Rights, Infeftments of property @ rent or in Security Back Bonds Reversions Apprisings Adjudications & Sums of Money therein Contained or thereby due Tacks Rentals bills Tickets promissory Notes Decrees Sentences & other Writes Rights & Evidents & Securities made Granted or Conceived or that may be any ways interpreted in my favours at the time of my decease Together with all Action Dilligence & Execution competent or that may be Competent upon the premises with all that had followed or may follow upon the Same Dispensing hereby with the Generality foresaid and admitting these presents to be as valid & Effectual as if every [p.956] every particular generally above disponed were specially insert and Sett down hereuntill With full power to the said John Monro my Son and his heirs & the heirs Substitute to them immediately after my decease to intromit with uplift receive sell use & dispose upon the debts Sums of Money Goods & others above disponed and Generally to so every other Thing anent the promisses that I might do myself if in life And it is hereby Declared That the debts & Sums of money

& others Contained in the Inventory signed by me of this date or any other Inventory I shall hereafter make of my heretable & moveable Means & Effects or any part thereof is and shall be understood part of this present Disposition to exclude all necessity of Confirmation with the provision always as it is hereby expressly provided & declared That the sd John Monro my eldest Son & the heirs of his body & his other heirs & Substitutes above Mentioned shall by their Acceptation hereof be holden & obliged to make payment not only of all my Just & lawful debts & funeral Charges but also of the Sums of money & provisions granted by me to the sd Donald Alexander & Marg[are]t Monros my younger Children in Terms of & Conform to the bonds of provision granted by me in their favours of the date hereof And what further provisions I may hereafter Make in favours of my said three younger Children or any other Children I may yet have procreate of my body. As also of all or what part of the sd Sum of Twelve Thousand Merks the said Isobell MacDonald shall dispose of in favours of my said younger Children or either of them. As also providing & declaring as it is hereby provided & declared That in Case the said George Monro or the sds Alexander or [p.957] or John Monros his Brothers shall succeed to my Means and Estate hereby dispo[n]ed by the death of my own Children above named and the heirs of their bodys That then and in that Case the person so succeeding shall be bound and obliged Likeas by Acceptation hereof he binds & Obliges him to make payment of the Sum of Three hundred pounds St[erlin]g to each of his Brother and Sister that shall be in life for the time and That at the first Term of Whitsunday or Martinmas after his Succeeding to my sd Means & Estate with @ rent thereafter during the not pay[men]t. And I hereby Nominate & Appoint the sd John Monro to be my sole Executor and universal legator & Intromitter with my whole Goods Gear debts Sums of Money & others that shall pertain & be resting to me the time of my decease with power to the sd John Monro to make & give up Inventory procure Confirmation thereof if necessary And to do every other thing that to the Office of Executry is known to pertain hereby Seclud[ing] all other persons whatever form any interest in or Administration of my sds Goods Gear & debts & other before dispo[n]ed Reserving always to me full power & liberty not only to uplift & discharge & otherways to use & dispose upon the debts & Sums of money hereby dispo[n]ed But also to Cancell alter innovate or Change there presents in whole or in part at my pleasure in any time of my life Etiamsi in Articulo mortis And I hereby Declare That Notwithstanding these presents are not to take Effect till after my death And albeit the Same be found the time of my death Yet that the same shall have the foresd Effect of a delivered Evident to the said John Monro and his heirs & Substitutes above Mentioned with the not delivery whereof I have dispenced & hereby dispence for [p.958] forever And I Consent to the Registration hereof in the books of Council & Session other Judges books Competent therein to remain for preservation And to that Effect I Constitute my Pro[curato]rs In Witness whereof I have Subscribed these presents Consisting of this and the three preceeding pages written upon Stamped paper by Donald Ross Servitor to Ronald Dunbar Writer to the Signet At Edinburgh the twelfth day of March one Thousand seven hundred and fifty years Before these Witnesses David Forbes Writer Edinbr. And the saids Ronald Dunbar Donald Ross Witnesses also the Marginal note on the first page hereof which is also written by the said Donald Ross (Signed) Alexr Monro Ronald Dunbar Witness David Forbes Witness Don. Ross Witness – Masters James Smollett James Grame David Ross & Alexr Murray Commissaries of Edinbr. R. A. & C the sd umql Mr Alexr Monro his Disposition & Nomination before written & Inventory foresd of the sd Defunct his debts & Sums of money in so far as the Same is given up And We Give & Committ the Intromission

therewith to the sd Mr John Monro Exe[cuto]r testamentar foresd With full power &
Cautioner David Forbes Esqr. Writer in Edinbr. Dated 28th Octr 1767 years-