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10	Archer Ann Codicil 262	25.	1867
3	Amos James	48.	1868
4	Amos James (Nuncupative)	72	"
5	Amos Sussannah	83	"
11	Archer Thomas	152	1870
12	Ayres Charles	168	"
9	Andrews Mary A	176	"
6	Amoss William Lee	182	"
7	Amos Temperance	211	1871
1	Adams Samuel P.	290	1872
8	Amoss William	314	"
2	Allen Israel	332	1873

Bond Nicholas M.		Fol.	1	1866
Brown George W.		"	3	"
Bevard George		"	110	1869
Burkins Jacob		"	112	"
Beerman Benjamin H.		"	129	"
Baldwin Franklin C		"	147	1870
Bay James M		"	169	"
Bishop Elijah		"	186	"
Bradenbaugh Jacob		"	201	1871
Bowman Henry	.387.	"	213	"
Budd Elizabeth		"	268	1872
Billingslea Walter		"	308	"
Bond Thomas E		"	309	"
Brown Mary		"	320	1873
Bayless William F.		"	327	"
Bayless Samuel M		"	333	"
Barton John		"	366	"

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Cordery James M (Col)	1866	Folio	10	Dallam B Rush	1866	Folio	9
Coale James	1868	"	78	Daughton Daniel	1867	"	39
Clark Hannah Coe	"	"	98	Dever John	1868	"	67
Cresswell William	1869	"	119	Dameron Charles B	"	"	95
Campbell John	"	"	120	Deets Frederick	1869	"	137
Coale Gerard Coe	1870	"	149	Dougherty Samuel	1871	"	226
Carroll Daniel	1871	"	197	Divers Annanias	"	"	236
Coen John	"	"	199	Delmas Theodore	"	"	254
Clark Barnett J	"	"	215	Durham Abraham	1872	"	270
Chesney Mary	"	"	257	Dean Nathan Jr	"	"	311
Coulson William	1872	"	264	Dorney Mary A	1873	"	317
Carter Hannah G	"	"	280	Davidge Rebecca	"	"	358
Cannes Mary A	"	"	312				
Cook George P.	1873	"	369				
Cockey Rebecca	"	"	375				

4	Ewing William	Tolo	15	1867
3	Enlows Rebecca	"	"	"
5	Ewing Eliza	"	55	1868
1	Eaton Hannah	"	40	"
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4	Eclip John R	"	222	1871
6	Ewing William	"	241	"

6	Forwood Mary A	61	1868
3	Fletcher Septimus	243	1871
2	Few George Washington	287	1872
4	Foley James	329	1873
1	Fernandis Fanny	342	"

6	Griffith Edward	Mc	21	1861
3	Gladden Isaac	"	41	"
7	Guyton James	"	80	1861
4	Gordon Andrew	"	204	1871
2	Gilbert Cassandra	"	530	1873
5	Graves Madora	"	545	"
1	Gamball Sarah (colyr)		568	"
8	Guyton Sarah R	"	277	1872

	Holland Robert W.	Mc	3	1866
	Hall George Wm	"	5	"
	Huff Isaac	"	14	"
	Haveland Isabel	"	17	1867
	Heaton John	"	29	"
	Hewlett Andrew J.	"	32	"
	Howard Thomas G.	"	37	"
	Hall Elizabeth P.		62	1868
	Hall Charlotte Jane		68	"
	Hart Sarah		71	"
	Hamer Mary		88	"
	Holloway Elizabeth		73	"
	Hall John Cox		91	"
	Hammon William H		140	1869
	Hobesly Mary C		144	"
	Hughes Zenas		150	1870
	Hopkins John Cox		172	"
	Hall Aquila		174	"
	Hoopes Charles		187	"
	Handsly Richard C		188	"
	Hanway Eleanor		194	1871
	Hendon Alice P		196	"
	Hitchcock Ann		291	1872
	Hall Adaline B		288	"
	Harry Joel		502	"
	Hays Hamil B		503	"
	Hall Sophia S.		544	1873
	Herbst Mina		551	"
	Hall Ann E.		573	"
	Harrod Martha		582	"

1	Keithley John	Folio	96	1868
2	Kean James	"	218	1871
3	Keithley Edward F	"	281	1872
4	Kent Ann	"	322	1873

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1	Jones Benjamin H	1868	Folio	86
2	Johnson Jacob C.	"	"	104
3	Jarrett Archer H	1869	"	124
4	Jones William	"	"	127
5	Johnson Elizabeth	"	"	142
6	Johnson Sarah A	1871	"	234
7	Johnson Sarah	1872	"	286
8	Jones Jane S.	"	"	305
9	Johnson Caroline	1873	"	315
10	Judd John	"	"	324

Lewis Elisha	.49	1868	
Lee Hannah	.63	"	
Lewin John	.89	"	
Lampkin Benjamin Col	244	1871	
Low Jeremiah	247	"	
Love Elizabeth	250	"	

Moore Isaac	Tol	11	1866
Mitchel Samuel (Col)	"	13	1867
McCommons John	"	18	"
McComas Charlotte Ann	"	35	"
McConkey James	"	65	1861
Morrison John	"	75	"
Mason George	"	114	1869
Morrison Margaret P	"	118	"
Morgan Ann B.	"	132	"
McCourtney Elvira Mary	"	193	1871
Michael Owen	"	223	"
Murphy William	"	229	"
Morrison Mary	"	245	"
Massey Hannah M	"	298	1872
Mitchell Evan	"	319	1873
Miller Thomas	"	325	"
Martin Elizabeth S.	"	345	"
Miller Joseph	"	348	"
Murphy Thomas J.	"	363	"

Osborn	Bennett	1868	Folio	70	Norris	James	1872	Folio 267
Owings	Eleanor A.	1873	"	378	Norris	Elizabeth	"	" 300
					Norris	Alexander	1873	" 357
					Norris	Sophia E	"	" 377

Pinkney James	30	1867	Quinlan Susanna	1867	35
Pennington Eliza A.	31	"			
Powell Miranda	34	"			
Payne Willis Minor.	54	1868			
Peters Elizabeth	57	"			
Preston Jacob A.	76	"			
Pope Daniel	100	"			
Pany Rowlan	107	1869			
Payne Ellen	161	1870			
Proctor Elizabeth	184	"			
Pyle William H	210	1871			
Pitt Peter Col	255	"			
Perryman Juliana J.	354	1873			
Preston Mary A.	355	"			
Pounder Mary. (Copy)	384	"			
Polk William J.	274	1872			
Parish Daniel H.	204	1871			

Robinson John	Fol.	21	1867
Rice William	"	38	"
Riley James	"	88	1868
Reynolds Harmon	"	115	1869
Raitt Cassandra A.	"	154	1870
Robinson Thomas S.	"	190	1871
Rutledge Adeline	"	198	"
Russell Thomas	"	227	"
Rouse Christopher C	"	278	1872
Reasin Samuel H.	"	295	"
Ryan Martin	"	296	"
Rutledge John W.	"	324	1873
Robinson Ann	"	207	1871

Stultz Robert M.	Fol.	2	1866
Slade Washington M	"	44	1867
Silver Alice H	"	59	1868
Sappington John K.	"	81	"
Sutton J. P. S	"	85	"
Stump Ann	Codicil 130 "	99	" + codicil 1869
Strickoff Susannah	"	105	1869
Silver Benjamin	"	111	"
Stoble Gaskeriah	"	113	"
Sauble Sarah	"	126	"
Scarborough Archibald	"	128	"
Stewart Robert	"	141	"
Scarborough Edward A.	"	145	"
Spicer James	"	156	1870
Smith Ann	"	162	"
Shafer Jacob	"	164	"
Stump Margaret	Codicil 181 "	179	"
Smith Mary	"	208	1871
Smith Elizabeth C.	"	239	"
Smith Christian	"	249	"
Streett John W.	"	259	"
Stump Hannah	"	283	1872
Spencer Valentine	"	285	"
Streett Shadrach	"	292	"
Scarborough Thomas F.	"	299	"
Slade Rosanna	"	349	1873
Spencer Rebecca	"	368	"
Saunders John C.		275	1872

Tebin James	Feb	8	1866
Taylor Robert G.	"	158	1870
Trimble Joseph	"	160	"
Tanner Alfred A. (Minneapolis)	"	162	"
Thomas Oliver K.		178	"
Thompson William		191	1871
Taylor John		219	"
Tate James		5/25	1873

Wheeler Bennet	Feb.	6.	1866
Wiley John	"	45	1867
Warner Sarah	"	64	1868
Wiley David A	"	93	"
Wilson Mary	"	103	"
Whame Isabella	"	117	1869
Wood William L	"	121	"
Waxwood Benedict Cve	"	122	"
Waters Amos	"	133	"
Wheland Harriet H	"	159	1870
Wallham John	"	166	"
Walker John	"	170	"
Whitaker Samuel	"	221	1871
Whiteford Hugh S.	"	237	"
Webster John W	"	294	1872
Webster Henry	"	306	"
Warden William (Nonculpative)	"	318	1873
Wilson Rachel	"	366	"
Weeks Benjamin	"	380	"

Nicholas M Bond

In the Name of God Amen, I Nicholas M Bond of Harford County and State of Maryland, being in my Natural State of Mind memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament viz.

Item 1st I do will that my Servant Man named Gainson shall have after my death the earnings of his own labour thereafter to maintain himself so long as he shall be able to do so, after which my Will is that my Brother Elijah J Bond shall see that he is Well taken Care of

Item 2d I do will that my Servant Girt Called Ethel go free from and after my death, and I do will in Case she shall from any Cause become disabled from supporting herself my Brother Elijah J Bond shall see that she is Well taken Care of.

Item 3d I do Will that the Coloured Child Called David belonging to me shall serve my Brother Elijah J Bond untill he shall attain the age of twenty one Years and then go free

Item 4th I devise due bequeath after my debts funeral Charges and all Expenses are paid all the rest and residue of my Estate both Real and Personal and mixed to my Brother Elijah J Bond to him his Heirs and assigns forever.

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Brother Elijah J Bond to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and as the few debts I do owe are of so small an amount, I deem it unnissary (therefore) do will that he shall not be required to give security as Executor

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this thirteth day of August in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty Seven

Nicholas M Bond (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Nicholas M Bond the Within named Testator as and for his last Will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each Other have Subscribed Our names as Witnesses thereto

Samuel F Whistler, Jesse Hoskins, Joseph T Hoskins,

Harford County Ss

On the Third day of May 1866 came Elijah J Bond and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Nicholas M Bond late of Said County deceased; other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Test B H Hanson RWH Co

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Harford County Ss

On the Third day of May 1866 came Jesse Hoskins and Samuel F Whistler two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Nicholas Bond late of Said County dec^d and did Solemnly sincerely and truly declare and Affirm, That they did see the testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing, he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that they together with Joseph T Hoskins subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of Each Other

Test B H Hanson RWH Co

Robert M Stelz

In the Name of God Amen, I Robert M. Stelz of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing Mind, Memory, and Understanding do make this as and for my last Will and Testament in Manner following To wit

Item First I give and bequeath all my Estate both Real Personal and Mixed to my Mother Lydia Stelz now residing in Pensylvania during her natural life and after her death I give and bequeath as follows

Item Second, I give devise and bequeath to my Sister Susan Rogers, Margaret Channell, Lydia Stelz, Elizabeth Stelz, Eve Carter, what ever may remain after the death of my Mother, share and share alike, by their paying Robert Franklin Rogers, Fifty Dollars which I make a lien on my said Estate bequeath

Item Third I give and bequeath 1 Buggy Waggon & Harness, to Robert W Carter

Item Fourth I give and bequeath my Silver Watch & Chain to John Carter

Item Fifth I give and bequeath my Trunk and Contents to my Sister Eve Carter

And lastly I hereby Constitute and appoint Benjamin Franklin Carter my Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal this 17th day of May 1866

Robert M Stelz (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Robert M. Stelz the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm E. Hopkins, B F Beall, B. H. Hanson,

Harford County Set

On the 28th day of May 1866 Came Benjamin F Carter, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. That he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Robert M. Stelz late of Said County Deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson, R W H Co

Harford County Set

On the 28th day of May 1866 Came Wm E. Hopkins & B. F. Beall Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Robert M Stelz late of Said County Deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God That they did see the Testator herein named Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind, Memory and understanding and that they together with B. H. Hanson Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson, R W H Co

Robert W. Holland

I Robert W Holland of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this Instrument of writing as and for my Last Will and Testament

In the first place I release my Sons Elijah B Holland, Nicholas B Holland and Robert W Holland from all Debts or liabilities due to me

Secondly I make no devise or bequest to my wife because she is sufficiently provided for by her dowery in my Estate

I expressly disclaim any right to any Silver inherited by or bequeathed to my wife by any member of her family

Thirdly I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate and property real personal and mixed to my two Sons Robert W Holland and Elijah B Holland and their Heirs and assigns forever as tenants in Common

Lastly I Constitute and appoint Robert W Holland and Elijah B Holland as Executors of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal this 31st day of August 1865

R W Holland (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of Each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Benjamin P. Moore Jr, R W Whaland, R Burns Duvall, Stevenson Archer,

Harford County Set

On the Sixth day of June 1866 Came Stevenson Archer and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. That he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Robert W Holland late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson R W H Co

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Harford County Set

On the 6th day of June 1866 Came Stevenson Archer and B. P. Moore Jr two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Robert W Holland late of said County Deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God & affirmed, that they did see the Testator Sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind memory and understanding, and that they together with R W Whaland & R Burns Duvall Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson, R W H Co

George W. Brown

I George W Brown of Harford County and State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing

mind memory and Understanding but feeble in body, and anxious to settle my worldly affairs do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and Cancelling all other Wills heretofore Made by me

First I give and bequeath unto Mary B. Murphy Wife of Ephriam Murphy of Harford County State of Maryland, all my personal Property, and real Estate upon her Complying with the following Stipulations, She Mary Murphy is to hold the property so Willed during her natural life, in no manner is she to convey it away, and make it obligatory upon her to pay all my debts and funeral Expences, and to pay at once after my Decease to J. Thompson Frieze of Harford County Maryland who I appoint agent for Margaret B. Stancliff Seven hundred Dollars (700$) said money to be placed at Interest for the use and benefit of said Margaret B. Stancliff For Two Years after the Elapse of that time the money to be paid over to her by the said J. Thompson Frieze the duly appointed agent, and in Case of the death of the said Margaret B. Stancliff within the two Years then the said J. Thompson Frieze agent is required Equally divide the said Seven hundred Dollars between Rose Murphy, Mary C. Murphy, and Sallie C. Murphy Children of Mary B. Murphy. Further at the death of Mary B. Murphy, I wish the said property sold, and the proceeds thereof to be Equally divided between Rose Murphy, Mary C. Murphy and Sallie C. Murphy Daughters of Mary B. Murphy. Further the said property so Willed to Mary B. Murphy is to remain only as hers, if she complies with the requirements specified in this Will, otherwise the property will stand as and indebtedness to my Sister Margaret B. Stancliff for the sum of Seven hundred dollars, and if said money is not paid within six months or approved Security given for the payment thereof in one Year with Interest; then I empower and appoint J. Thompson Frieze agent for my Sister Margaret B. Stancliff to sell the said property, and divide the proceeds less the Seven Hundred Dollars and Cost, Equally between Rose Murphy, Mary C. Murphy, and Sallie C. Murphy Daughters of Mary B. Murphy, Further the said property so willed to Mary B. Murphy is never to Exchange hands, but to remain here during her natural life, if she truly and faithfully carry out my Instructions (and in no manner is it to be Conveyed away to her Husbands) but to remain so her children may have the benefit of it after her death as I have particularly discribed heretofore

In testamony whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this the Fifteenth day of May in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Six 1866.

May 15th 1866 George W. Brown (Seal)

Witnesses. J. Thompson Frieze
Bernard Mitchell
Joseph P. Webster

Harford County Set

on the 23d day of July 1866, Came J. Thompson Frieze, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of George W. Brown late of said County Sec. other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co.

Harford County Set.

on the 23d day of July 1866 came J. Thompson Frieze & on the 31st July 1866, Bernard Mitchell & Joseph P. Webster, the subscribing Witnesses to the ufongowing last Will and Testament of George W. Brown late of

said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, That they did see the testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that they subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court Test B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co.

George Wm. Hall

In the Name of God Amen, I George Wm. Hall of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this my last Will and Testament

After the payments of my Just Debts and funeral Expences, I direct my Executrix to place over my Grave a tomb or monument at a Cost not Exceeding three Hundred Dollars.

I give to my Niece Agnes Sophia Hall daughter of my Brother Thomas W. Hall the Sixty Shares of the Capital Stock of the Bank of Baltimore I now own, in trust to divide the Nett income thereof as it arises, Equally between my three nieces, the Daughters of my Brother Aquila Hall, and on the death of Either of them leaving issue living at the time of her death, to pay to such issue the portion of said income before paid to the Mother and if Either of said nieces shall die without leaving issue living at the time of her death, her portion of said nett income is to be divided as it arises Equally between her Surviving Sister, or the Surviving Sister, and the Issue, then living of a deceased Sister, such issue to take her Stripes the share the Mother would have if living, and if there be but one Surviving Sister, and as such issue then living of an other, the whole nett income is to be paid to the Sole surviving Sister during her life

On the death of the last Surviving of my said Nieces, the said principal Stock or its proceeds as then invested, is to be transferred to any Equally divided per Stripes amongst the issue then living of my said nieces, but if on the death of the said Surviving niece, there be no such issue living, then the said principal Stock is to become part of the residue of my Estate, and to be disposed of as hereinafter provided, The ufongowing provision for my said three Nieces, I deem sufficient as I have made large advances and Expenditures for their Father, which not being charged against him enure to their benefit

I give and devise to my Niece Agnes Sophia Hall, daughter of my Brother Thomas W. Hall Seven Thousand dollars; and to each of her Sisters viz Henrietta Howard Hall, Pattie White Hall and Isabella White Hall, five Thousand Dollars

I give and bequeath to my said Niece Agnes Sophia Hall all my Silver plate and China and all my Books and Book Cases, and if she determines to remain and keep House in my present residence

I give to my said Niece Agnes Sophia Hall all my Household and Kitchen furniture, but if she determines to leave my present residence and break up Housekeeping then the said Household and Kitchen furniture, other than the silver place China, Book and Book Cases above bequeathed to her, are to be sold and divided as part of the residue of my Estate as directed by the residuary clause of my Will, I give and bequeath to my said Niece Agnes Sophia Hall my Watch and desire her to give to that one of my Nephews she may think most deserving of it

I devise to my said Niece Agnes Sophia Hall and her Heirs all my lands and real Estate with the request that she manage the same to the best advantage during the minority of my Nephews William George Hall, Thomas White Hall, and John Howard Hall Sons of my Brother Thomas W. Hall and to

take and use the rents and profits thereof in her discretion, for such purposes as she may think proper and as each of her said Brothers, shall respectively attain the age of Twenty one Years, or at any time afterwards provided she may deem them worthy and capable of taking care of their portion, to divide it amongst them or any of them she may think worthy allotting to each or either such portion as she may deem fit and to do so by deed or will as a form sole notwithstanding any future Coverture, or if she should not deem them worthy, then she is to keep it or dispose of it as she may deem proper.

But if my said Niece Agness Sophia Hall should die without having so divided or allotted said land and real Estate or without having disposed of the same by deed or will then on the death of my said Niece I bequeath and devise said lands and real Estate to my said three Nephews above named in fee simple, and as tenants in common.

All the rest and residue of my Estate, I will and direct shall be divided into Eight equal parts of which I give and bequeath, five parts to my Niece Agness Sophia Hall and one part each to her three Sisters Henrietta, Pattie, and Isabella hereinbefore named.

Revoking all previous Wills I hereby appoint my said Niece Agness Sophia Hall sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I hereby subscribe my name and affix my seal this Second day of February Eighteen Hundred and Sixty five.

Geo Wm Hall (Seal)

Signed sealed and published as his last Will by George Wm Hall before us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribe our names as witnesses thereto

John S Dallam, Septimus C Sewell, Henry D Farnandis, Wm H Dallam,

Harford County Set

On the 2d day of August 1866 came Agness Sophia Hall and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of George Wm Hall late of said County deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing, and that she received the same from amongst the valuable papers of said deceased

Sworn to in open Court Test B. H. Hanson R W H Co

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Harford County Set

On the Second day of August 1866 came Henry D Farnandis, Wm H Dallam, John S Dallam three of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of George W Hall late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty, that they did see the Testator herein named sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Septimus C Sewell subscribed their names as witnesses thereto in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test B. H. Hanson, R W H Co

Bennet Wheeler

In the Name of God Amen, I Bennet Wheeler of Harford County and State of Maryland

do will and bequeath unto my Two Sons Michael I Wheeler and Sylvester Wheeler their heirs and assigns forever all my Farm and plantation on which I now live being part of a tract or parcel of land called "Bell Farm" and part of a tract of Land called addition to "Bell Farm" to them the said Michael I Wheeler and Sylvester Wheeler share and share alike. My son Michael I Wheeler's half to lay on the West side of the Public Road passing through the Farm, so as to include one half of all the wood Land and also one half of the Orchard. And my son Sylvester half to lay on the East side of the aforesaid road so as to include one half of all the Wood Land, and also one half of the Orchard, by them the said Michael I and Sylvester paying unto my Daughter Frances Ann Wheeler, the sum of Six hundred dollars each making the sum of twelve hundred dollars, and also the legal Interest thereon at the end of each and every year until paid, (beginning from my decease) and I do hereby bind and cause said Legacy and Interest as aforesaid to be a lean on their respective shares of the Land.

I give and devise unto my Daughter Frances Ann Wheeler the sum of Twelve hundred dollars as specified in my sons bequeathed in addition to three hundred dollars which I have already given her, and which she has invested for her own use. And also I give unto my Daughter Frances Ann one Bureau with the dressing Glass attached, one Bed and Bedding, two Counter paines, three Quilts and my large Trunk. I work and will that after my debts are paid and suitable tombstones placed at the head and foot of my Grave, that all my personal Estate shall be divided amongst my Two Sons aforesaid Equally (Except my Man bill) or sometimes called Wm Fusbury shall be entirely released from slavery liberated and set free from all manner of servitude at my decease.

I do hereby authorise and appoint David Pyle to lay off my Lands and divide all my Estate both personal real and mixed, between my two Sons to be laid off and divided as directed in my Will, whose division when done shall be final

And Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my Son Michael I Wheeler to be my Executor to this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Ninth day of January in the Year of Our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and fifty Eight

Bennet Wheeler (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Bennet Wheeler the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Samuel M Whiteford, Ignatius Wheeler, David Pyle,

Harford County Set

On the 4th day of August 1866 came David Pyle and did solemnly sincerely & truly declare and affirm, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Bennet Wheeler late of said County deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson, R W H Co

Harford County Set (Stamp 5¢)

On the 4th day of August 1866 came David Pyle and Samuel M. Whitford two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Bennet Wheeler late of Said County decd (and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God & affirmation by David Pyle) that they did see the Testator, Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind, Memory and understanding, and that they together with Ignatius Wheeler Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

James Tobin

In the name of God Amen, I James Tobin of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in perfect health of body, and of Sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding, but Considering the Certainty of Death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of Setting my Worldly Affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my just debts and General Charges are paid I give and bequeath as Follows

Item I give and bequeath unto my Executor hereinafter named the Sum of Thirty Dollars which I order and direct him to expend in having Masses said for the repose of my Soul, and the Souls of my deceased Wife and Children. I also direct him to have made and placed over my Grave a plain marble head and foot Stone, the Cost not to exceed Twenty Dollars

Item I give devise and bequeath unto my Son Martin Tobin the Sum of one Hundred Dollars. Item I give devise and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of my Estate unto my three Sons Martin Tobin, Jeremiah Tobin, James Tobin, their Executors Administrators and assigns, to be Equally divided between them, as tenants in Common Share and Share alike

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my ~~Son~~ Thomas Sutton to be the Executor of this my Will, hereby revoking and annulling all former Wills heretofore made by me and declaring this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, and I order and direct my said Executor as soon as Conveniently may be after my death to sell and dispose of either at public or private Sale, any part or the whole of my Estate if necessary to Carry into Effect the aforegoing provisions of this my Will

In testamony whereof I have hereto Set my hand and affixed my seal on this Sixteenth day of September in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty one.

James Tobin (Seal)

Signed Sealed published pronounced and declared by James Tobin the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Joseph G. Hensler, Joseph S. Hensler

Harford County Set

On the 5th day of Sept 1866 came John Moores who produced this Instrument of writing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, That he received the Same from the Testator for Safe Keeping and that it is the true and whole last Will and Testament of James Tobin late of Harford County deceased that has come to his hands or possession and that he doth not Know of any other

Certified by B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set (Stamp)

On the 5th day of Sept 1866 Came John Moores and Thomas Sutton and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, That James Tobin the decd requested them to take notice that the Alterations in his Will was made at his request and that the Will as it Stands is his last Will and Testament, and at the time of his Calling them to witness the alterations he was of sound mind memory and understanding

Certified by B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Benjamine Rush Dallam

In the name of God Amen I Benjamine Rush Dallam of Harford County and State of Maryland being of Sound mind Memory and understanding, do make and Constitute this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as Follows Viz. After my just debts and General Expenses are paid

I give and bequeath all the residue of my personal Estate to my Will beloved Wife Jane J. Dallam, I also give and bequeath to my Wife Jane J. Dallam all my Real Estate during her natural life, and after her death it is my Will that all of ~~my~~ said Real Estate be Equally divided Share and Share alike between my Sisters Elizabeth S. Dallam, and Florentine Morgan also a legacy of Three hundred Dollars to my Nephew William Morgan Dallam, or their legal Representatives to them their heirs and assigns forever

And lastly I do Constitute my Dear Wife Jane J. Dallam the Sole and only Executrix of this my last Will and testament. In testamony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighth day of July in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty three

B. Rush Dallam (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Benjamine Rush Dallam the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

W. B. Michael, F. E. Patterson, H. C. Nelson

Harford County Set

The 22d day of November 1866 then Came Jane J. Dallam who produced this Instrument of writing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, That she received the Same from the testator for Safe Keeping and that it is the true and whole last Will and testament of B. Rush Dallam late of Harford County Deceased, that has come to her hands or possession and that she doth not Know of any other

(Stamp)

B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

The 22d day of November 1866 then Came W. B. Michael & F. E. Patterson two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of B. Rush Dallam late of Harford County Deceased

and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding, and that they together with H. C. Nelson subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test P. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

James McCordery (Col.)

In the name of God Amen I James Cordery of Harford County and State of Maryland, being weak in body but of sound disposing mind Memory and understanding and considering the Certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried, and after my debts and funeral Expences are paid I will and bequeath as follows viz. Item 1st I Will and bequeath to my wife Catherine part of my Land premises upon conditions hereafter expressed that is that part in which the Dwelling House and other buildings are found to contain twenty five acres lines to be drawn after the date of this my last Will and Testament, the aforesaid Set of Land to be laid off by Benjamin S. Norris, Daniel Lee, and Thomas Cordery. The Land is known by the name of Hickory Bottom or by whatever name the same may be called. The whole amount of Land is fifty nine acres, my Will is that my wife holds the Land Willed to her during life, and at her death to be sold by my Executor as soon as convenient and the proceeds of the Sale to be equally divided between my four Daughters viz. Delia Ann, Mary Susan, Hannah Louisa, and Anna Margaret, the bequeath of Land and premises to wife Catherine is only on the condition of her not Marrying the Second time, but if she marries the second time she then forfeits the right bequeathed and the Executor is fully empowered, to make sale forthwith, the Balance of the Land is to be sold by my Executor as soon as convenient after my death.

Item 2d I Will and bequeath to each of my four Daughters named above one Bedstead Bed, and Bedding, and in addition Delia Ann one Spoonbed Chest and Mary Susan one Blue chest

Item 3d I devise that at my death all my personal Effects except what is Willed, shall be sold as soon as convenient after my death by my Executor hereafter named

Item 4th I appoint John H. Kirkwood and Thomas Cordery to be sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of December in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and sixty six

James McCordery (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and delivered by James McCordery the within named Testator in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses

Josiah Almoney, James S. Reed, Richard McDonald

Harford County Set

On the 10th day of December 1866 came John H. Kirkwood and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James McCordery (Col.) late of said County deceased, other than the above instruments of writing and that he received the same from Thomas Cordery who had the same for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court (Stamp) P. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

On the 26th day of December 1866 came Josiah Almoney and James S. Reed two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James McCordery (Col.) late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding, and that they together with Richard McDonald subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test P. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Isaac Moore

Be it remembered that I Isaac Moore of Harford County and State of Maryland, being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say in the first place I do will and direct that all my just debts and funeral Expences be paid and satisfied

I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Ann Moore twelve hundred (1200$) Dollars fifty (50$) Dollars of which to be paid to her by my Executor immediately after my decease, and the balance Eleven hundred and fifty (1150$) Dollars to be paid to her by my said Executor within one Year thereafter, I do also give and devise to my said Daughter Mary Ann a bed and bedding and such of my personal property as she claims as her own.

I give and bequeath to my Daughter Martha W. Robinson the sum of one Thousand (1000$) Dollars to be paid to her by my Executor at the Expiration of two Years after my decease

I give and bequeath to my Son Gordon B. Moore the evidence of debt I hold against him consisting of his Bonds and Mortgage for three hundred and twenty one Dollars and the Interest thereon and the sum of Fifty (50$) Dollars to be paid to him by my Executor the the said Gordon having already received of me the sum of Eight hundred (500$) Dollars.

I give and bequeath to my Son Charles Moore all my plantation on which I now live being a part of a tract of Land called "Deer Park" by him paying the above named Legacies as herein before specified, to him the said Charles Moore his heirs and assigns forever, I also give and devise to my said Son Charles Moore all my personal Estate of every description not hereinbefore bequeathed

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Son Charles Moore my sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this thirteth day of Eighth month in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and fifty Eight

Isaac Moore (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Isaac Moore the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in his presence and in the presence of each other and at his request we signed our names as witnesses thereto

Alexander Galbreath, Phillip G. Bagley, David G. McCoy,

Codicil

Whereas I Isaac Moore of Harford County State of Maryland have made and duly executed my last Will and Testament in writing bearing date the 13th day of the Eighth Month (August) 1858 which last Will and Testament and every part thereof I do hereby ratify and confirm excepting only that the bequest of Fifty Dollars I do will and bequeath to my Daughter in law Lilitia Moore the wife of my son Lindom Moore and whereas my son Charles Moore is constituted and appointed sole Executor to the above mentioned Will and I now desire to associate with him my son in Law John Robinson as one of my Executors I do hereby constitute and appoint, my said son in law John Robinson one of my Executors to act in conjunction with my said son Charles Moore as Executors to this my last Will and Testament; And I will that this Codicil shall be taken and held as part of my said Will and Testament

In testamony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 8th day of the 8th Month (August) 1864

Isaac Moore (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Isaac Moore the above named Testator as and for a Codicil to his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

David G. McCoy, R B McCoy, Wm G. McCoy,

Harford County Set (24 Stamp)

on the 16th day of January 1867 Came David G. McCoy and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Isaac Moore late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Test. B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co.

Harford County Set

on the 16th day of January 1867 came Alexander Galbreath, Philip G. Bagley, & David G. McCoy the three subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Isaac Moore late of said County deceased and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that they did see the testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co.

Harford County Set

on the 16th day of January 1867 Came David G. McCoy and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Isaac Moore late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that he rec'd the same from the Testator for safe keeping

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co.

Harford County Set

on the 16th day of January 1867 came David G. McCoy, R B McCoy, & Wm G. McCoy the three subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Codicil of Isaac Moore late of said County deceased and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Codicil, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and understanding and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Test. B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co.

Samuel Mitchel (Col.)

I Samuel Mitchel (Coulee man) of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding and wishing to settle my worldly affairs so as to be the better prepared to go hence when it shall please god to call me hence, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament

First it is my Will that my wife Philis Mitchell shall have and possess during her life all my property both real and personal for the proper use and maintance so long as she shall live

Secondly It is my Will and wish that my Grandson Julius Albert son of my deceased daughter Pamelia shall serve his Grand Mother Philis Mitchell until he arrives at the age of twenty one years, then he the said Julius Albert to be free from servitude and I by these presents do hereby manumate and set him free when he arrives at the age of twenty one years.

Thirdly It is my Will that after the death of my wife Philis that my said Grand Son Julius Albert son of my said Daughter Pamelia shall hein have and possess all my Estate both real personal and mixed to him his heirs or assigns, but in case he my said Grand Son Julius Albert should die before he arrives at the age to Lawfully of property then it my wish that my property shall be sold and the proceeds thereof paid over to the trustees of the Roman Catholic Church, in this County and near the Hickory to be applied by them for the use and benefit of said Church.

Fourthly I do hereby appoint and constitute Godfrey Watters Executor of this my last Will and Testament whom I do hereby authorize to sell and made a deed of my property in case it is necessary it shall be sold. And I do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made, ratifying and confirming this as my last Will and Testament in witness whereof I hereunto affix my hand and seal this 28th day of August 1852.

Samuel his X mark Mitchel (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Samuel Mitchell the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names thereto as witnesses

Henry G. Watters, Elizabeth G. Watters, James L. Watters.

Harford County Set

on the 25th day of January 1867 Came Godfrey Watters who made oath on the Holy Evangily of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Samuel Mitchel (Col.) late of said County dec'd. other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from amongst the valuable papers of Henry G. Watters dec'd.

Sworn to in open Court (18 Stamp) Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co.

Harford County Set

on the 25" day of January 1867 Came James I Walters one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testaments of Samuel Mitchell late of Said County Deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he did see the Testator herein named sign and seal this Will that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and disposing mind, Memory and understanding and that he together with Henry G Walters, & Elizabeth G Walters Subscribed his name as witness to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other.

& on the 30" Oct 1867 Came Elizabeth G Walters one other of

Sworn to in Open Court. Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Jesse Huff

Be it remembered that I Jesse Huff of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound mind Memory and Understanding do Make and Publish this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following that is to Say in the first place I Will that all my Just Debts and funeral Expenses be fully paid and Satisfied

My Will is that my Real Estate shall not be Sold for one Year after my death and then Sold a division Equally amongst my four Children Jones C Huff, Michael H Huff, Sarah K Huff, Thomas K Huff to Share equal alike

And lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Son Michael H Huff to be my sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, In Witness Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my seal this this tenth day of January in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven

Jesse Huff (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published and declared by Jesse Huff the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each Other have Subscribed Our Names as Witnesses thereto

John H Stokes, Benjamin Scarborough, John W. Scarborough

Harford County Set

On the 29" day of January 1867 Came John H Stokes and did Solemnly Sincerly and truly declare and affirm that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of Jesse Huff late of Said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

(1 Stamp)

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

on the 29" day of January 1867 Came John H Stokes & John W Scarborough two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jesse Huff late of Said County deceased and did Solemnly sincerly and truly declare and affirm, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding, and that they together with Benjamin Scarborough Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

William Ewing Jr.

In the Name of God Amen I William Ewing Jr of Harford County State of Maryland being low in health but of Sound disposing mind Memory and understanding, and being desirous of to settle my Worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this World when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following

First I Will and devise to my wife Cornelia A. Ewing one Bay Mare Colt together with all my Shock Consisting of Hogs, Cows Calves also all the Crops on hand and in the Grounds together with all my Household and Kitchen Furniture and whatsoever I may possess at my death.

Lastly I do Constitute and appoint my wife Cornelia A. Ewing to be sole Executor of this my last Will and testament revoking and Annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my seal the twenty Eighth day of November in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty Six

William Ewing (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Wm Ewing Jr the Said testator as and for his last Will and Testament in his presence and in the presence of Each Other at whose request we Subscribe our names as witnesses thereto.

John H Mitchell, James B Gallion, A Clark Gibson

Harford County Set

on the 29" day of January 1867 Came Cornelia A Ewing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, That she doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of William Ewing Jr late of Said County Deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing and that she received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

(Stamp 1 ¢)

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

on the 29" day of January 1867 Came James B Gallion & A Clark Gibson two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Ewing Jr late of Said County Dec. and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator herein named sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding and that they together with John H Mitchell Subscribed their name as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Test B. H. Hanson R.W.H.Co

Rebecca Enlows

In the Name of God Amen I Rebecca Enlows of Harford County State of Maryland do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following that is to Say after my debts is paid if there be any and my Funeral Charges are paid

Item 1st I give and bequeath unto the Seven children of my Deceased Sister Sophia Corbin of Ohio namely, Abram Corbin, John Corbin, James Corbin, Sarah Bannon, Prudence Hutton, Rebecca Gardner and Harriet Perkerson Three hundred Dollars Each.

Item 2d I give and bequeath to my two Nephews. Silas & Thomas Kennedy Each of them Five hundred Dollars

to be paid to them out of my Estate in Line Reversionary legacy bequeathed to them by the Will of my Brother James Enlows to be paid them in One Year after my decease provided the said Silas and Thomas Kennedy shall severally duly Execute such Instrument of writing as may be deemed necessary by my Executor hereafter to release my Estate from all or any claim whatever in Law or Equity which they may or supposed to have in Consequence of a Legacy Conditionally bequeathed to them by my late Brother James Enlows which condition was that of I should not have occasion to use the Money so bequeathed during my life, but if my said Nephews or Either of them should refuse to Execute the release above specified then the above legacy of One Thousand Dollars is Null and Void and of Now Effect in Law in respect to either of said Nephews so refusing or to both of them should they both refuse to Execute said release

Item 3d I give and bequeath to my Niece Mary A Bolton four hundred Dollars.

Item 4th I give and bequeath to Nephew Jeremiah Enlows three hundred Dollars

Item 5th I give and bequeath to the Children of my deceased Nephew James Enlows three hundred Dollars to be equally divided between them

Item 6th I give and bequeath to my Brother Thomas Enlows two Daughters of Sons Sarah & Mary and Elizabeth Baldwin Six hundred Dollars to be equally divided between them

Item 7th I give and bequeath to my Brother John Enlows two hundred Dollars his wife to have no Share nor part in the above legacies

Item 8th I give and bequeath to Nephew James E Allender Two hundred Dollars.

Item 9th I give and bequeath to my Niece Rebecca Clayton Two hundred Dollars.

Item 10th I give and bequeath to my Nephew Silas Kennedy an additional legacy of three hundred Dollars

Item 11th I give and bequeath to Mary A Allender a Grand Niece of mine living in Baltimore Three hundred Dollars the legacy to be left in hands of Silas Kennedy he paying her the Interest annually until the death of her Mother and then pay the said Niece the above legacy of three hundred Dollars

Item 12th I give and bequeath to Silas Kennedy for the use of Harriet Jackson one hundred Dollars to be paid to her twenty Dollars a Year for five Years.

Item 13th I give and bequeath to Eliza Ann (Col.) Norman one Bureau made of wild Cherry

I Will and direct my Executor shall make Sale of my Real Estate the present Dwelling Land with the rights of an Alley attached thereto that is to be reserved for a burying Ground forever

The Sale to be made of Real and personal Estate after my death as soon as convenient and the money to the payment of the Legacies which I have directed to be paid, and should there be a balance remaining in the hands of my Executor after payment of Legacies debts and costs of Settlement of the Estate then in that case, I Will and direct the Balance to be paid to the Methodist Episcopal Church Preachers aid Society in the East Baltimore Conference

And lastly I do hereby appoint my Nephew Silas Kennedy Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and disannulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Tenth day of April Eighteen hundred and Sixty Six

Rebecca Enlows (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered published and declared by the Testatrix to be her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in presence of each other and at her request have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

James A Whitson, Francis X his mark Kerney, Mary Whitson,

Harford County Set

On the 12th day of February 1867. Came Silas Kennedy and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Rebecca Enlows late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court (Seal R.S.) Test B. A. Hanson Clk

Harford County Set

On the 12th day of February 1867, Came Daniel A Whitson and Francis Kerney two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Rebecca Enlows late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal the Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing Mind Memory and understanding and that they together with Mary Whitson subscribed their names as witnesses to the Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. A. Hanson Clk

Asahel Haviland

I, Asahel Haveland of Harford County State of Maryland do make and declare this Instrument of writing to be my last Will and Testament, and I do hereby cancel all and every other Will that I may have heretofore made First I hereby direct my Executors hereinafter named to pay all my just debts that I may have unpaid at the time of my decease, together with all charges that may accrue on that account.

Secondly I give to my Daughter Almira Ann Hull a Note dated the 3rd mo. 28th 1859 Signed by her Husband Abel A Hull for $1000, one thousand Dollars Also to my Daughter Caroline H. Price I give a like Note $1000, one thousand Dollars, bearing even date with her Sisters signed by her husband Edward B. Price, provided nevertheless that if either of Daughters decease, leaving no Children then the above Note or Notes is to Equally divided between my Surviving heirs

Lastly I bequeath to my dear Wife Esther the entire use of all my Estate Personally and Real Excepting the above named Notes during her Natural life, after which I direct it to be equally divided between my Surviving Children and the heirs of my deceased Son Charles as follows, to my Daughter Almira Ann Hull one fifth, to my Son Bartlett Haveland one fifth, to my Daughter Caroline A Price one fifth, to my Son Wm. B. Haveland one fifth, and to the heirs of my deceased Son Charles the remaining fifth to be divided as follows, to Mary Haveland, one hundred Dollars more than Either his Sisters Mary or Brother Bartlett B. in Consideration of property left by said Mary's Mother absorbed in my deceased Son Charles's Estate.

In case of the decease before arriving to Lawful age of one of the Children of my Son Charles his or her portion to go to the Survivors, again if Either two of them be removed by death then shall to go to the survivors, Yet again in Case of the death of all three before they arrive at a adult age by Law, then the one fifth Intended by me for the heirs of my Son Charles as above mentioned, I direct to be devided Equally between my heirs

Lastly I hereby Constitute and appoint my Son Bartlett Haveland, Wm. B Haveland, and J. Berlin Hull Executors of this my last Will

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal on the 6th day of 6 Mo 1865.

Asahel Haviland (Seal)

Signed sealed and delivered by Arhael Haviland the testator in our presence as his Request last Will and Testament who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each Other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses to the same

Isaac F. Dixon, James F. Gibson, Elizabeth S. Dixon

Harford County Set

On the 26th day of February 1867. Came Darlington Hooper and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Asahel Haviland late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court.

(Stamp) Test B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

On the 27th day of April 1867 Came Isaac F. Dixon, and James F. Gibson two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Asahel Haviland late of said County deceased and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that they together with Elizabeth S. Dixon subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

John McCommons

In the Name of God Amen, I John McCommons of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix and Executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I divise and bequeath as follows.

I give and bequeath unto Hannah McCommons my wife, my personal property, and also the interest on whatever money I may have at interest at the time of my decease, until my youngest son George Norwood McCommons, shall arrive at the age of Twenty one Years then said amount of Principal whatever it may be to be devided equally among my three sons, Joseph T. Edward K. and George N. McCommons.

Item I give and devise unto Robert L. Plummer my step son the lot of Ground belonging to me in the Town of Havre De Grace

Item I divise that the lot of land purchased from James Loflin and lying contiguous

to the Old Brick Pond to be sold when my son George N. shall become of age fifty dollars of the proceeds of said land to be paid to my stepson Robert L. Plummer, and the balance to be divided equally between my three aforesaid mentioned sons

Item. I devise my land and premises where I at present reside after my wife death unto one of my two sons Joseph T., or George N., the one keeping said premises to pay the other and my son Edward one hundred and sixty six dollars each

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Hannah & her son Robert L. Plummer to be sole Executrix and Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this fifteenth day of March in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven

John McCommons (Seal)

Signed sealed published and delivered by John McCommons the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each Other, have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

James H. Foard, Jacob W. Hoopman, Richard Loflin,

Harford County Set

On the fourth day of May 1867. Came Richard Loflin and made oath on the Holy Evangily of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John McCommons late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

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Harford County Set

On the 4th day of May 1867. Came Richard Loflin, and James H. Foard two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John McCommons late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangily of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory, and understanding, and that they together with Jacob Hoopman subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in open Court

Test B. H. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Jacob C. Pley

In the Name of God Amen, I Jacob C. Pley of Harford County and State of Maryland, being sick in bed and weak body, but of sound and disposing mind memory, and understanding and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my just debts and funeral

Charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Rebecca Iley one Goose Feather Bed Bedstead and bedding, Six of my best Chairs, and one Red Mully Heifer

3d. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Virginia Iley, one Goose Feather bed bedstead and bedding 4th. I give and bequeath unto my Son Jacob C. Iley one Cherry working desk and fifty dollars in Cash. to be applied to his Education

5th. I give and bequeath unto my Son James William Iley one Set Shoemakers Tools

6th. I give and bequeath unto my Son John D. Iley one hundred Dollars Cash to be paid to my Son John D. Iley by my Executor hereinafter named. the Said John D. Iley is to apply this said one hundred Dollars to the payment of the Debt or Mortgage that is against my Real Estate and the ballance of my personal Effects to be Sold. And it is my Will, and I desire that after my Just Debts and Funeral Charges are paid that my Children so wit Ann Rebecca Iley, Mary Virginia Iley, Jacob C. Iley, James Wm Iley and John D. Iley Shall Share and Share alike in all the residue of my property.

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint Theodore Gorrell my Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament. Revoking and Annulling all former Wills by me Made Ratifying and Confirming this and none Other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testamony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixing my seal this 29th day of January Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven

Jacob C. Iley (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published delivered by Jacob C. Iley the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament, In the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of Each Other have Subscribed Our Names as Witnesses hereto

Wm Taylor, Benjamin Amos, Theodore Gorrell

Harford County Set

On the 9th day of May 1867. Then Came Theodore Gorrell and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth Not Know of any Will or Codicil of Jacob C. Iley late of Said County Deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

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Test B. A. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Harford County Set

On the 9th day of May 1867. Came Theodore Gorrell & on 23d day of May 1867, two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jacob C. Iley late of Harford County Dec'd and Made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God That they did see the Testator hereinnamed sign and seal this Will, That they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing, he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind Memory and understanding, and that they together with Wm Taylor Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other.

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test. B. A. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

John Robinson

I. John Robinson of Harford County State of Maryland do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as Follows.

I give and bequeath all my property of whatever Kind that I may die possessed of to my dearly beloved wife Sarah E. Robinson during her natural life at her death it Shall decend to my two Daughters Mary Martha, and Sarah Equally

Lastly I appoint my dearly beloved wife Sarah E. Robinson Executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking all former Wills made by me

In Testamony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and seal this twenty third day of February Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven

John Robinson (Seal)

Signed and Sealed in presence of us and in presence of Each of us and at the request of the Testator

G. A. Heuesler, Henry Richardson, Richard Mechem

Harford County Set

on the 6th day of June 1867 Came Henry Richardson and Made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God That he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping, that he doth Not Know of any Will or Codicil of John Robinson late of Harford County Deceased other than the above instrument of writing

Sworn to in Open Court

Test B. A. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

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Harford County Set

On the 6th day of June 1867 and on the 22d June 1867. Came Henry Richardson on the 6th June and G. A. Heuesler on the 22d June Two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Robinson late of Said County Deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testaments that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind Memory and understanding, and that they together with Richard Mechem Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of the Testator and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test B. A. Hanson, R.W.H.Co

Edward Griffith

The Testament and Last Will of Edward Griffith of Harford County in the State of Maryland Made this 31st day of May in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven

1st. From my Confidence in both I Nominate Constitute and appoint my Esteemed friends William G. Wetherall and Robert Mickle of Baltimore City Executors of this my Testament and last Will, and, in addition to the Compensation, which may be allowed to them, as Commissions by the Orphans Court, I give and bequeath to Each of them the Sum of Five Thousand Dollars

2d. It is my wish to release, and I do hereby release, from their indebtedness to me, for money lent and advanced, all my blood relations, descendents of my Parents, or of either of them, Except

John Higginbotham although a blood relation, I exclude him from any benefit of this clause of my Will,

3d I devise to my Nephew Alexander Griffith of the State of Illinois, his heirs and assigns, forever, all my right title, interest and Estate, in and to the Farm, in the State of Illinois on which he resides, and, in addition thereto, I give and bequeath to him a pecuniary legacy of Five Thousand Dollars

4th I give and bequeath to my Nephew, Charles E Griffith a pecuniary legacy of Four Thousand Dollars

5 I give and bequeath to my esteemed friends William G Wetherall and Robert Mickle in trust for the purposes herein after in this clause mentioned, the sum of thirty Thousand Dollars to be invested by them, in such way as they may think best, and the income thereof arising to pay over to my said Mary Isabel Bowie wife of Thomas F Bowie Esquire, of Prince George County during the joint life of my said Niece and her said husband, for her sole and separate use, and the income of which I direct shall be paid to her personally or on her written order, and not otherwise, It is my desire that the income arising from said trust fund, shall not be liable to the control of the said husband of my said Niece, or be liable for his debts contracts or engagements, and in making this provision I mean no disrespect to her said husband, nor am I actuated by any feeling of unkindness towards him. In case my said Niece shall survive her said husband, I authorise and direct the said Trustees to pay over to my said Niece the said trust fund, or, if invested, to transfer and deliver to her the investments thereof with all accumulations in their hands as her absolute property, free and discharged from the trust hereby created, and if, in the lifetime of her said husband, she shall, by any will, or instrument in nature of a will, attested by three credible witnesses, and whether such will or instrument in nature of a will, be executed with or without the consent of her husband, direct and appoint said trust fund, or any part or parts thereof, or the income thereof, in case she shall desire the said trust to be further continued, to be paid or delivered to any person or persons, by her designated in that behalf, then the said Trustees shall account for, deliver and dispose of said trust funds or shall continue to administer the said trust, in conformity to such direction, and appointment, and in default of any such direction or appointment, and as to any portion of said trust fund to which such appointment or direction shall not extend, the said Trustees shall hold and dispose of said trust fund, and any investments thereof, to the use of any child or children of my said Niece or the descendants of my said Niece, living at her death, and if there shall be no child or descendant of my said Niece living at her death, then to the use of such person or persons, as may be entitled thereto, as her legal representatives. As I have claims to a large amount against the said Thomas F Bowie and which I do not intend to release, but which I wish not to be vigorously enforced, I give and bequeath the said claims, as a specific bequest, to the said William G Wetherall and said Robert Mickle, as trustees, in trust for the sole and separate use of my said Niece Mary Virginia Bowie, in manner following; that is to say, it is my intention that the said Trustees shall have the ownership of, and the legal title to, said claims, and any security or securities which may be held therefor, or for any part thereof, which may be held by me at the time of my death, with power, in case, and whenever, they shall deem it expedient to do so, to take active steps to enforce the payment of the said claims, and to render such security or securities available, but authority is hereby given them

in their discretion, and without incurring thereby any liability for want of due diligence, to forbear all proceedings to enforce payment of any of said claims, during the life time of the said Thomas F Bowie Esqre

Any sum or sums, which may be received from said claims, by said Trustees, shall be held and disposed of by them, in the same manner, as above provided in this clause in respect to the bequest of thirty Thousand dollars in this clause mentioned

6 I direct that my Executors shall pay to my two nieces Isabella Hall, and Elizabeth Hall, daughters of Thomas Hall deceased, an annuity, to each of them, for and during their respective natural lives, of four hundred Dollars, to be computed from the day of my decease, and to be paid to them quarterly.

7 I give and bequeath to my esteemed friend William G Wetherall the sum of ten Thousand Dollars in trust for the benefit of Mary Isabel Wetherall, niece of my late beloved wife in manner following; it is my wish, and I direct, that the said sum shall be securely invested, and that the income, thereon arising, shall be paid to her, when and as received, so long as she shall remain unmarried, in case she shall marry then it is my wish, and I direct, that immediately upon her marriage, one half of the said fund shall be paid to her, to be at her absolute disposal, and I authorise and empower the said Trustee, if, in his discretion, he shall deem it advisable, to pay to her the whole amount, or, if he shall deem it better to, continue to hold the other half in trust; paying to her the income, so long as he may think it expedient to retain the one half in trust.

8 I give and bequeath to each of my nephews, named in this article, the sum of four Thousand Dollars: namely, Samuel Griffith Davis, John Jay, Dr John A Patterson, James Orville Patterson and Thomas White Hall

9 I give and bequeath to my Nephew Aquila Hall the sum of three Thousand Dollars.

10 I give and bequeath to Sarah L Patterson relict of my deceased Nephew, William A Patterson the sum of one Thousand Dollars, and I give and bequeath the sum of one Thousand Dollars to each of her six children, namely, Cordelia P Patterson, Frances W Patterson, Isabella Patterson, Benjamin H Patterson, Jane L Patterson and Robert Fenwick Patterson

11 I give and bequeath to Sallie L Lee, wife of Otho Scott Lee, and daughter of the late John L Griffith, the sum of one Thousand Dollars

12 I give and bequeath to Isabella Hall, daughter of the late John Thomas Hall, deceased, the sum of one Thousand Dollars

13 I give and bequeath to Mary Moore the sum of five hundred Dollars.

14 I give and bequeath to John Gabriel Christie the sum of five hundred Dollars

15 I give and bequeath to my servant William Stewart, a Colored Man and formerly my slave the sum of two hundred Dollars.

16 I give and bequeath to Harriet Scott a Colored Woman, and formerly my slave the sum of one hundred Dollars

17 I give and bequeath to Mary Wilson, a Colored Woman and formerly my slave, the sum of one hundred Dollars

18 I give and bequeath to the Vestry of St George's Parish of Harford County the sum of five Thousand Dollars, to be permanently invested for the benefit of Spesutia Church, in said County, so that the income arising from such investments, may be applied to the use of said Church, in such way, as those who, from time to time, may have the outside and management of the affairs of said Church, may deem most advantageous, But if from any cause legislation shall be necessary to

effect to this bequest, then it is my wish, and I direct, that my Executors at the Expense of my Estate shall procure such legislation, so that my intention in this behalf may be fully accomplished

19. It is my desire, and I direct, that the foregoing legacies and bequests shall be paid as soon as conveniently may be, after my decease

20 I desire and expressly direct that all my Real Estate, except the farm in Illinois above disposed of, in the Third Article of this my Will, shall be sold; and I do hereby authorise and Empower my Executors to sell the same, at such times, on such terms, and in such manner, as they may think best, and until sales thereof shall be made to rent out and lease the same, my wish is to convert all the real Estate which I may own, at the time of my death, except as aforesaid, into money so that the same may pass under my Will as personally, and be administered by my said Executors and be accounted for by them, in the settlement of their accounts as Executors

21. In case either of the persons, named as Executors of this my Will, shall declare to act, or shall omit to qualify as required by law, or if either shall die before the final settlement of my Estate, then I direct that the acting or the surviving Executor, as the case may be, may singly exercise the powers and authority, hereby confined upon them jointly.

22 It is my wish and I direct, that the rest residue and remainder of my Estate shall be divided and disposed of, in manner following, that is to say

(1) I give devise and bequeath one full part or share to Mary Virginia Bowie, Alexander Griffith, and Charles E Griffith, to be equally divided between them, each one to have, severally, one third part of said share, but it is my wish, and I direct, that the one third part of said share, accruing in right of the said Mary Virginia Bowie, shall pass into the hands of, and be held by, the said William G. Wetherall and Robert Mickle as trustees as aforesaid, upon the same trust and in like manner as expressed in the fifth article of this my Will, in relation to the bequest of Thirty thousand Dollars in said fifth Article mentioned

(2) I give devise and bequeath one full part or share to my nephew John Jay,

(3) I give devise and bequeath one full part or share to my nephew Samuel Griffith Davis

(4) I give and devise and bequeath one full part or share to my nephew Thomas White Hall

(5) I give devise and bequeath one full part or share to my nephew Dr John H Patterson, James Orville Patterson, Frederick Patterson and to my cousin Mary Fulford, relict of my deceased friend William Fulford, to be equally divided between them, each to receive, in severally, one fourth part of said share

(6) I give devise and bequeath one full part or share to John Gabriel Christie, Edward Giles Christie, Sally S Patterson (widow of my deceased nephew William A Patterson) and William G. Wetherall, to be equally divided between them, each to receive one fourth part thereof in severally.

23 As I do not wish to die intestate, as to any part of my Estate, real or personal, I desire and direct, that whatever I may be entitled to or own, in possession, remainder or reversion, or any devise or bequest, which may lapse, or fail, from any cause to take effect, shall form a part of and be considered, as part and parcel of, the residue of my Estate, and pass, as such, under this my Testament and last Will.

24. The devises and bequests, made in the foregoing disposition of my property, are the result of much consideration and deliberation, I am satisfied that I have done what is right and which conviction on my part, must be considered by those who may receive less than they expected

as a sufficient answer to disappointed expectations on the part of any person who may have expected more than they will receive, And I now hereby revoke any and all former Wills by me heretofore, at any time, made, declaring this, and none other to be my Testament and last Will

In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal, This 31st day of May in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and sixty seven

Edwd Griffith (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared, by the above named Testator, as and for his testament and last Will in the presence of us, who, at his request, in his presence, and all in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto This 31st day of May in the Year Eighteen hundred and sixty seven

Thomas Cord, Daniel Martin, Joseph E Taylor, B H Keen

Harford County Set

On the 9th day of July 1867 came William G Wetherall and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty Goa, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Edward Griffith late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test P H Hanson R W H Co

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Harford County Set

On the 9th day of July 1867, came Thomas Cord, Joseph E Taylor, & B H Keen three of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Edward Griffith late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty Goa, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Daniel Martin subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test P. H. Hanson, R W H Co

Ann Archer

I, Ann Archer of Harford County being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the uncertainty of life, and wishing to settle my worldly affairs, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following

First I give and bequeath to my two Daughters Mary and Nancy as joint tenants all my plate household furniture and Books, to them and to the survivor of them as long as they shall live unmarried and upon the death of either of them, or the marriage of either of them, the survivor shall have the whole

Second For the purpose of effecting a more equal and satisfactory distribution of the residue of my Estate than can probably be made in any other manner, I will and direct that all the rest and residue of my Estate both Real and Personal be sold by my Executors hereinafter named on the most advantageous terms they can effect either at public or private sale at their discretion and my Executors are hereby authorised to convey the same to the purchasers thereof in fee simple and are also authorised to lease such portion of my estate as have been laid off into lots

for that purpose and with the portions of my estate as they may deem advisable to dispose of in that manner, on such terms as they may deem best and sell and convey the same subject to such leases. And I hereby authorise my Executors or either of them to become the purchasers of any portion of my estate provided that the sale or sales in such case shall not be valid to pass any title to any said Executor unless sanctioned and agreed to in writing by the rest of my children, then living or unless the same be ratified by the Orphans Court or a court of Equity having competent jurisdiction. But as the sales herein before directed to be made are intended solely for the purpose of making a satisfactory and equal distribution of my estate. It is my will that such sales may be dispensed with as to so much of my estate as my children may be able to value and divide among themselves by mutual agreement. And I will and devise that my daughter Catharine wife of Henry Smithson shall have the privilege of taking the farm on which she now resides (being part of a tract called Lucky Mistake situated in Cecil County, near Port Deposit) or so much thereof as my Executors shall lay off for her, so as not to include any of the lots which I have leased for ninety nine years nor such parts of said tract as my Executors may deem inadvisable to leave under the direction I have given them, and so as not to exceed in value her share of my Estate, at such price as my Executors shall fix - my Executors to fix the boundarys of the land which my said daughter is hereby authorised and empowered to take or refuse to take at her option, and they are also to fix the value or price at which she may take the same taking into consideration any increase of value by reason of the improvement made upon said land while she has occupied it according to the instructions I have given my son Henry, so that full justice shall be done to her.

Third. After paying what debts I may owe and the expenses incident to the settlement of my estate I will and devise that all the rest and residue of my Estate including the proceeds arising from the sales of my real and personal property and such portions thereof as may be valued and divided and taken as aforesaid by my children without sale but excepting the personal property hereinbefore specifically bequeathed to my daughters Mary and Nancy, shall be equally divided among my three Sons Henry, James and Robert, and my four daughters, Hannah A. Constable, Mary Archer, Catharine Smithson and Nancy Archer, share and share alike. And in this division each of my said Children is to be charged with such portions of my estate as they may respectively take at the prices agreed on among them. And my daughter Hannah shall be charged with the sum of six thousand dollars which I have heretofore advanced to her, which I will shall be taken and considered as part of her distributive share of my Estate but she is not to be charged with any interest thereon during my life. And my daughter Catharine is to be charged with the sum of nine hundred and thirty five dollars, (being the amount of my advancement heretofore made for her separate use, Exclusive of the use of the land she lives on) and in case she elects to take the said land on which she resides as the same shall be laid off and valued by my Executors as hereinbefore provided she is to be charged with the amount of such valuation but she is not to be charged with any interest nor anything for the use and occupation of said lands during my life.

And my son James is to be charged with the sum of Fifteen hundred dollars for advances heretofore made to him as part of his share of my estate, but he is not to be charged with any interest thereon during my life, nor with any other monies heretofore advanced to him by me except the sum above named. And my son Robert as part of his share of my estate is to be charged with the sum of Six thousand five hundred and thirty one dollars, being the amount of the advances I have made to and for him since the first day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and fifty three and with such other sums as I may hereafter advance to him or pay or become responsible for on his account, but he is not to be charged with any interest during my life on the said amount advanced, nor with any money due to me prior to said first day of January 1853, as I have released him from all claim to the balance due by him to me at that time. And each of my said Children shall be charged in the distribution of my estate with such sums of money as I may hereafter advance to them respectively or pay on their account, with legal interest thereon. Except the money advanced and paid by me for the clothing and necessary expenses of my daughters Mary and Nancy, with which they are not to be charged.

Fourth - as I intend that my said daughters Mary, Catharine and Nancy shall only have the use of their respective shares of my estate, which I have heretofore directed they shall have, with the power of dividing the same and directing the manner of investment thereof. I will and devise the shares of my said three daughters to my son Henry K. Archer in trust for the sole and separate use of my said daughters respectively, each share to be for the use of each daughter during her natural life, and after her death to such person or persons as she may by will appoint. The shares of my said daughters not to be considered as joint but to be as independent and several from each other as if there was a separate Trustee for each, and not to be under the control of the present, or any future Husbands they may have. I further give my said daughters respectively the power of directing how their respective shares shall be invested but they are not empowered to direct the Trustee to invest in anything except Lands, ground rents, mortgages, State or City Stocks, or other safe securities, the Trustee to see that the security is safe. The Trustee will therefore hold the shares of my said daughters respectively during their natural lives, allowing them to have and receive the rents, interests issues, and profits accruing thereon and after their death or the death of any of them, her share shall go as she may by will appoint. And in case they or either of them shall die without having made such appointment the share of each daughter so dying intestate shall go to her children if she shall leave any living at the time of her death, to be equally divided among them. But if she shall die intestate without children living at the time of her death, then to such of my children as may be then living share and share alike. (and the said Trustee shall invest the shares of my said daughters as they may each of them direct in land ground rents, State or City Stock, or in loans upon Mortgages, or in other safe securities approved by him.)

Lastly I hereby appoint my Sons Henry K. Archer and James S. Archer Executors of this my last will and testament with full full power and authority to do all that I have herein directed to be done by my Executors, and if either of them

shall neglect or refuse to accept the appointment, or be absent from the State at the time of my decease, and not return and accept the appointment within thirty days thereafter, the other shall have full power and authority to act as if he alone had been herein named as my Executor. And I hereby annul all former wills by me made, leaving this to be my only last Will and Testament. × In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this third day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Ann Archer the above named testatrix as and for her last Will and testament in our presence who at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto. And we further declare that said Will was written at her request and its contents fully known to her. The words "being the amount of the advances" and the words "they shall have" on the fourth page and the words "as may be" on the sixth page being interlined before the said will was executed

Ann Archer (Seal)

Witnesses Wm R. Bissell, Elizabeth Walker, Anna J. Gale, Elizabeth McNulty

I, Ann Archer having heretofore made my last Will and testament which I hereby ratify and confirm as my last Will except so far as the same may be inconsistent with and be changed by this instrument, do make and publish this Codicil to said Will, to wit: × The Shares of my property and Estate which by said Will I have given and devised to my Sons James and Robert, I hereby give and devise and bequeath to my two daughters Mary and Nancy, and the survivor of them and the Heirs of the survivor ×

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my hand and seal this nineteenth day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty one

Ann Archer (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Ann Archer as and for a Codicil to her last Will and testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Saml Pearce, Alonzo Snow, J. H. Knight

Harford County ss,

On the twenty fourth day of August 1867, came Henry W. Archer, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ann Archer, late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safekeeping

Sworn to in open Court

(25 Internal Revenue Stamp) Test B. H. Hanson

R. W. H. Co

Harford County ss

On the twenty fourth day of August 1867, came Elizabeth Walker and Anna J. Gale, two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and testament of Ann Archer late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, and on the 2nd September 1867 came Samuel Pearce & J. H. Knight, two of the witnesses to the Codicil and qualified, that they did see the testatrix sign and seal this Will, that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that they together with Wm R. Bissell and Elizabeth McNulty, subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

John Heaton

In the name of God Amen. I John Heaton Sen. of Harford County, in the State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding or being and weak in body, but of sound re considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say. First I give and bequeath unto Wm Heaton my eldest Son and his wife Savannah, One hundred dollars and the notes of hand I hold against them. Second I give and bequeath unto John P. McClung and his wife Elizabeth One hundred dollars and the notes I hold against them. Third I give and bequeath unto Ida B. Heaton and her Sister Josephine my Grand Children, one hundred and fifty dollars each to be on interest till they come of age. And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Nelson Memyman and John Heaton jun to be sole Executors of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty first day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred Sixty Seven.

John Heaton (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by John Heaton the above named testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Samuel P. Richardson, Lynus H. Perry

Test Nelson Memyman

Harford County SS.

The 16th day of September 1847 came Nelson Merryman & John Healton Executors of John Healton and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they do not know of any will or codicil of said deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that they received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County.

On the 16th September 1847 came Samuel P. Richardson & Haynes H. Pusey two two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of John Healton late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the testator sign, and seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament, that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

James Pinkney

I, James Pinkney of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; do make this as and for my last will and testament

Item First. I give devise and bequeath to my wife Henrietta Pinkney all my Estate both real and personal during her life, and after her death to be equally divided between my children as follows. James Pinkney, David Pinkney, Harry Pinkney, Catharine Pinkney, Harriet Pinkney, Hester Pinkney, Phebe Pinkney

In witness where of I hereunto set my hand and affix my Seal this Fourteenth day of April 1847.

James his + mark Pinkney (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto,

Witnesses: Joseph H. Lewis, R. Chas Lee, David Lee

Harford County, SS.

On the 21st day of October 1847 came R. C. Lee and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he does not know of any will or codicil of James Pinkney late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the

Sworn to in Open Court Test. B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 21st day of October 1847, came R. Chas Lee and on the 5th day of November 1847, came Joseph H. Lewis, two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of James Pinkney late of said County deceased, and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that they together with David Lee subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Eliza A. Pennington

In the name of God, Amen. I, Eliza A. Pennington of the Town of Havre de Grace, Harford County and State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do hereby publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament,

Item 1st. I give my Soul to God, and my Body to the Earth.

Item 2nd. I give and bequeath to my Son William C. Pennington all my right, title and interest of in and to a certain Lot, piece & parcel of ground, situate, lying and being ~~and being~~ in the Town of Havre de Grace aforesaid, fronting Twenty five (25) feet on the North side of Giraud Street, and running North of equal width fronting on the West side of Union Street one hundred and twenty (120) feet together with the buildings and improvements thereon, and I also give and bequeath to my said Son Wm C. Pennington Three Hundred (300) dollars in Cash.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my Son Joseph A. Pennington the lot fronting one hundred (100) feet on the South side of St Clair Street, and sixty feet on the East side of a twenty feet public alley, said Lot being the Eastern half of Lot No 131, in Square No 234 together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my daughter Catharine C. McComas Fifty (50) Dollars in Cash.

Item 5th I give and bequeath to my daughter Maria L. Lyons Fifty (50) dollars in Cash,

Item 6th I further devise, my that two Sons, William C. and Joseph A. Pennington shall be at equal Expense, for my medical attendance, and funeral charges.

And Lastly, I hereby constitute and appoint John Thompson Briggs, my Executor of this my last will and testament,

Witnessed my hand and seal this tenth (10) day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty six in the presence of Thomas M. Macon & who have signed their names in my presence as witnesses and in the presence of each other

Eliza A. Pennington (Seal)

Thomas M. Bacon. T. J. Ives. Martha Clark

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of October 1867 came J. Thompson Frieze. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Eliza A Pennington late of said County. deceased. other than the above instrument of writing. and that he received the same from the testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of October 1867. came Thomas J. Ives. one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of Eliza A Pennington late of said County, deceased. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. that they did see the Testatrix. sign and seal this Will. that they heard her publish. pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and testament. that at the time of her doing so she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding. and that he together with Thomas M. Bacon and Martha Clark, subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence. and at her request. and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson. R. W. H. Co

Andrew J. Howlet

I. Andrew J. Howlet of Harford County and State of Maryland. do make and declare this my last Will and testament. to wit. It is my wish that my Wife Mary E. Howlet. have the entire control of my estate Real and Personal and all the interest and profit accruing therefrom until my youngest child arrives at the age of twenty one years. for the purpose boarding, clothing and schooling my children

Item. I will and bequeath to my wife after my youngest child arrives at twenty one. Six hundred dollars annually to be paid out of the proceeds of my home farm during her life. together with one bed. bedding and bedsteads. and two rooms on the second floor in the east end of the house. now occupied as a sitting and bed rooms. and a free use of the halls. but if my wife should see cause to marry before my children all arrives at the age of twenty one. It is my desire and I hereby direct the Guardian hereinafter appointed to take possession of all my property Real and Personal. for the benefit of my children and pay my wife two hundred dollars annually out of the proceeds of the aforesaid farm as her her full share of my estate

Item. I will and bequeath to my six sons. John S. Benjamin H. Andrew H. James G. William S. and Nelson H. my home farm to be equally divided between them. but if they can agree on the value of the farm then any one or more of them can take it by paying out to others their proportionate share. should they not agree I allow the Guardian to sell said farm and divide the proceeds

equally between them. the widows dower remaining in the property

Item. I will and bequeath to my three daughters Eliza A. Sarah J. and Agness S. two hundred dollars each together with with one bed, bedding and bedsteads to each one. to be paid out of my personal property. when the arrive at the age of twenty one.

Item. It is my desire and I do direct that my wife will have five hundred bushels of lime hauled and spread on the farm every year while she has it under her control

Item. I hold a deed of a small property now in the occupancy of David P. Scarborough and Brother. if the said Scarboroughs pay one hundred dollars and the interest thereon within one year after my death then I authorize my Executor to make them a deed for said property. If they fail to pay they aforesaid amount. I direct it to be sold and pass into my personal Estate.

Item. I allow the Guardian when my youngest child arrives at the age of twenty one to sell divide all the personal property not heretofore willed. equally between all my children I revoke all wills by me heretofore made and appoint my wife Sole Executor of this my last will and testament

I appoint Alexander Galbreath. Guardian of my children.

Witness my hand and seal this Eighteenth day of July Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven.

Andrew J. Howlett (Seal)

Signed. Sealed and published as his last will and testament in our presence who sign as witnesses at his request.

C. R. Glasgow. James S. Powell. Robert N. Glasgow

Harford County SS.

On the 12th day of November 1867. came Mary E. Howlett. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. that she doth not know of any other will or codicil of Andrew J. Howlet late of said County, deceased. other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 12th day of November 1867. came C. R. Glasgow. James S. Powell & Robert N. Glasgow, Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Andrew J. Howlett. late of said County. deceased. and did solemnly. sincerely and truly declare and affirm. that they did see the testator. sign and seal this Will. that they heard him publish. pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and testament. that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind. memory and understanding. and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Miranda Powell

In the name of God Amen I Miranda Powell of Harford County and State of Maryland being in ordinary health though weak of Body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid.

I devise and bequeath as follows,

Item First. I devise and bequeath to my son Wilson D. Powell five hundred dollars not demandable by him from my Executor til the expiration of five years after my death without interest.

2nd. I devise and bequeath to my son William W Powell five hundred dollars, not demandable by him from my Executor til the expiration of five years after my death without interest.

3rd. I devise will and bequeath the whole residue of my estate real personal and mixed to my four remaining children, Eliza S. Powell, George W. Powell, James S. Powell and David Powell, to be held by them jointly for the term of five years, after the expiration of the five years, to be equally divided amongst them share and share alike as they deem most advantageous, to the whole of them to wit, Eliza, George, James, and David my four last named children

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my son James S. Powell my Sole Executor to Execute and carry into effect this my last Will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, ratifying and confirming this and none other as and to be my last Will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Seventeenth day of February in the year Eighteen hundred and fifty nine,

Miranda Powell (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Miranda Powell as and for her last Will and testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto on the day and year above written.

John B. Foard, Andrew J. Howlett.

November 12th 1867. The hand writing of the two witnesses to the above will proved before me this day by Cunningham R. Glasgow & Robert T. Glasgow who say they know the hand writing of the two witnesses names above

(U.S. Stamp)

Certified before B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Susanna Quinlan

I, Susanna Quinlan of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding do make and ordain this my last will and testament in form following to wit:

First. It is my will and desire that my coloured woman Cassy at my death shall go at liberty that is to say shall be from service

Secondly. I give and bequeath to my son William M. Quinlan one Cent and no more

Thirdly. I give and bequeath to my son Henry Quinlan and Susanna Quinlan my daughter all the balance of my property of every kind whatsoever to be divided between them equally. In testimony I hereunto set my hand and seal this 31st day of August 1854

Susanna Quinlan (Seal)

Signed, sealed, acknowledged and declared in presence of us the subscribing witnesses.

James Kean. William Ward. Amos Standifort

Harford County, SS.

On the 13th day of November 1867. Came Susanna Quinlan, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Susanna Quinlan, late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court. Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 12th day of November 1867, came James Kean, W. Ward and Amos Standifort, subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing last Will and testament of Susanna Quinlan, late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will: that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of sound & disposing mind & memory and understanding, and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence, and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court. Test. B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Charlotte Ann McComas

In the name of God Amen. I Charlotte Ann McComas of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I will and devise as follows.

I give and devise unto my four children, namely, John F. McComas, William L. McComas, Hannah B. McComas, and Mary C. McComas, all my Estate of every description including my houses in the City of Baltimore, one of which is in Lexington Street, one on Oregon Street, and one on Boyd Street, and my parcel of land situate in Washington County, State of Ohio, and all personal & real, share and share alike, to them the said John F. William L. Hannah B. and Mary C. McComas, their heirs and assigns forever, and it is my will and desire that no division of the property shall take place until my youngest surviving child shall arrive at full age.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my Brother in Law William Stansbury to be my Sole Executor, and Guardian for my minor children authorising my said Executor, at any time during the minority of my children by consulting those who may be of age, to sell and dispose of any of my houses in the City of Baltimore, and to sell the land in the State of Ohio, and place the proceeds of such sales in ground rents, or other good investments, when such changes shall be advantageous.

Hereby revoking and annulling all former wills, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this twenty eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven.

Charlotte Ann McComas (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Charlotte Ann McComas the above named testatrix as and for her last will and testament in our presence who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John W. Sheell. J. A. C. Gailey. David Pyle

Harford County SS.

On the 15th day of November 1867 came Wm Stansbury, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Charlotte Ann McComas, late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS. (2 Stamps)

On the 15th & 28th day of Nov. 1867, came John W. Sheell and David Pyle, two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and testament of Charlotte Ann McComas, late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, severally declare that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will: that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and testament that at the time of her so doing she was to

best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with J. A. C. Gailey subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co

Thomas G. Howard

In the name of God Amen. I Thomas G. Howard of Harford County in the State of Maryland do make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following to wit.

1st I will and desire that all my just debts be paid.

2nd I will, bequeath and devise, unto my dear wife Margaret M. Howard and her heirs and assigns forever all the rest and residue of my Estate and property of every kind. Real, Personal and mixed, existing after the payment of my just debts.

Lastly, I hereby constitute and appoint my dear wife Margaret M. Howard, my Sole Executrix of this my last Will and testament, hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, and ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and testament In witness whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix my seal this fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty five

Thomas G. Howard (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by Thomas G. Howard the above named Testator as and for his last Will and testament in our presence and in the presence of each other, who at his request and in his presence have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm. Dallam, Isaac Amos, Wm Boulden

Harford County SS.

The 25th day of November 1867 came Wm. Dallam and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or codicil of Thomas G. Howard late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test B. H. Hanson R. W. H. Co.

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of November 1867 came Wm. Dallam and Wm Boulden two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Thomas G. Howard late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament, that at the time of his so doing, he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Isaac Amos, subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court. Test B. H. Hanson, R. W. H. Co

William Rice

In the name of God Amen, I William Rice, being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and testament.

And first. I will and direct that my body be decently, at the decression of my Executor and after my funeral expenses are paid I will and bequeathe as follows.

Item 1st. I will and bequeath to my wife Ann Maria Rice, one Third of all my estate after my debts and funeral expenses are paid.

Item 2nd. I Will and bequeath to my Son Moses Rice the horse which I now own.

Item 3rd. I Will and bequeath to my two children William Gabriel Rice and Eliza Rice all the rest and residue of my estate, to be equally divided between them share and share alike.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Walter Watters be the Executor of this my last Will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 27th day of November 1867

William his X mark Rice (Seal)

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of us who have signed our names as witnesses thereto in his presence and in the presence of each other

Thomas Bay. T. George Watters George B. Rigdon

Harford County S.S.

On the Fifth day of December 1867 came Walter Watters and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of William Rice Col.d late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he recieved the same from the hands of the testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the Fifth day of December 1867 came Thomas Bay, T. George Watters and George B. Rigdon subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Rice Col.d late of said County, deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H. Co

Daniel Daughton

In the name of God Amen! I Daniel Daughton of Harford County in in the State of Maryland, being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following.

That is to say first and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I give and devise as follows to wit.

I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Lenor A. Daughton all my Estate of every discription both personal, real and mixed to her the said Lenor A. Daughton her heirs and assigns forever, by her raising our children untill they shall arive at full age.

And Lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Lenor A. Daughton my sole Executor, hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal on this Seventeenth day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-seven

Daniel Daughton (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Daniel Daughton the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witness thereto

David Harry Geo. A. Davis. David Pyle

Harford County S.S.

On the Twenty Seventh day of December 1867 came David Harry and did solemnly and truly declare and affirm that he doth not Know of any will or codicil of Daniel Daughton late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he recieved the same from the hands of Lenor Daughton wife of the testator who had the same for safe Keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court, Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the Twenty seventh day of December 1867 came David Harry and David Pyle two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Daniel Daughton late of said County, deceased, and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and-

and affirm, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with George A Davis subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this will in his presence, and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed to in open Court, Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Hannah Eaton.

In the name of [Christ] God, I Hannah Eaton of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being weak of body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my Son John E Few and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I will and devise as follows

I give and bequath unto my Son John Eli Few all my Estate of every description both personal real and mixed, to him the said John E Few his heirs and assigns forever.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son John Eli Few to be my Sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty six

Hannah Eaton (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Hannah Eaton the above named testatrix for her last Will and Testament in our presence who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Archa H. Adams Samuel D. Adams David Pyle

Harford County ss

On this Twenty seventh day of December 1867 came David Pyle and solemnly and truly declared and affirmed that he

doth not know of any will or codicil of Hannah Eaton late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court Test. J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Jacob Gladden

In the name of God Amen. I Jacob Gladden of Harford County in the State of Maryland. now in the sixty seventh year of my age, and of sound and disposing mind. memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the direction of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I will and devise as follows.

I give and bequeath unto my Son William Gladden the farm on which he now lives called "Bonds Gratuity" obtained by me from William H. Judd and wife, by Deed bearing date the ninth day of April Eighteen Hundred and fifty-six to him the said William Gladden his heirs and assigns forever.

I give and bequeath unto my son James Gladden that part of my farm and plantation on which he now lives, and for which I have given him Deeds - one of which bears even date herewith, by him paying the liabilities and monies due me.

I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Hannah Jane Wilson wife of Archa Wilson the sum of Six hundred and fifty Dollars for

her own seperate use, to be paid to her by my Executor, also One Bureau (which belong to her mother)

I give and devise unto my Daughter Mary Eliza Whiteford wife of James R. Whiteford the sum of twelve hundred Dollars, for her own seperate use to be paid to her by my Executor, to be paid within two years from my decease.

I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Caroline E. Gladden the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid to her by my Executor, to be paid when she shall arrive at the age of twenty one Years, also, One bed and beding, One Bureau, One Horse, One Cow, and a home and living in my mansion house during her single life.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Abraham Francis Gladden the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, to be paid to him when he shall arrive at the age of Twenty-two Years, the interest of, after the end of one Year from my decease to be applied for his use, in Schooling, Clothing &c untill he shall arrive at the above age — and One bed and beding Choice No 3.

I give and bequeath unto to my Son John J. Gladden all my farm and plantation on which I now reside containing about One hundred and Eighty four Acres "more or less" (Excepting the priviledges herein bequeathed) unto to him the said John J. Gladden his heirs and assigns forever, by him paying to my Executor the sum of Two Thousand Dollars — within Eight Years from my decease with interest thereon annually to be paid from and after one Year from my decease also I give unto my Son John J. Gladden the Carpets, Window Trommings in the house, the Eight day clock — and for and during one Year all my household and Kitchen furniture at the end of which time, to be sold by my Executor, & also I give to my Son John J. Gladden One horse, the one which he now claims, One bed and beding and one Cow.

I give and bequeath unto my Titer in Law Mary Alexander for and during her single life, the interest accrueing on my City Stock (amounting to about Two hundred and Eighty Dollars principal) also a home in my Mansion House during the same period — One bed and beding Choice No. 4.

I give and bequeath unto my Grand-Son Jacob A. Durham son of my deceased daughter Rachel Ann Durham from and after the decease of Mary Alexander aforesaid the above named City Stock principal & interest.

I give and bequeath unto my Grand-Daughter Elizabeth F. Durham child of my deceased Daughter Rachel Ann Durham the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars — to be paid unto her when she shall arrive at the age of Eighteen Years.

All the rest and residue of my Estate I wish, will, and devise, may be Equally divided, share and share alike, amongst my five following named Children viz. James W. Gladden, Hannah Jane Wilson, Mary Eliza Whiteford Caroline E. Gladden, and Abraham Francis Gladden —

And lastly — I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Sons William Gladden and James W. Gladden my Executors to this my last Will and Testament, revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying this and none other to be my last Will and testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this Eighteenth day of October in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Sixty seven

Jacob Gladden [Seal]

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Jacob Gladden the above named Testator as and for his last will and testament in our presence who at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as Witnesses

David Tyle James Alexander John J. Alexander

Harford County SS.

On the Twenty Seventh day of December 1867 came David Tyle and Solemnly, Sincerely, and Truly Declared and affirmed that he doth not Know of of any Will or Codicil of Jacob Gladden late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court. Test

J. R. Ely R.W. H. Co.

$5.00/100
U.S. Stamp

Harford County SS.

On the Twenty Seventh day of December 1867 came David Tyle, James Alexander and John J. Alexander subscribing Witnesses to the afore going last Will and Testament of Jacob Gladden late of said County Deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly, sincerely and truly declare and affirm that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding; and that they together with Each other subscribed their names as witnesses, to this will in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn and Affirmed to in Open Court

Test

J. R. Ely R.W. H. Co.

Washington M. Slade

I Washington M. Slade of Harford County and State of Maryland do think proper to make this my last Will and Testament as follows.

Item I Will and bequeath to my Sister Penelope Nelson the sum of One Thousand Dollars and the interest notes I hold against Nathan Nelson Deced.

Item I Will and bequeath to my Sisters Minerva Watkins and Susan Hale my City Stock of $274.70/100 equally, share and share alike.

Item I Will and bequeath all the rest of my property real and personal to my wife Martha by her paying all my Debts, Funeral Expenses and Tomb Stones.

And Lastly. I do hereby appoint my Wife Martha Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this fourteenth day of November in the Year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty-Seven

Washington M. Slade [Seal]

Signed, Sealed Published and declared by the above named Testator Washington M. Slade for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

James H. Amos
N. H. Nelson
John H. Fantom

$1.00 U.S. Stamp

Harford County SS.

On the Thirtieth day of December 1867 came Martha Slade and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any will or codicil of Washington M. Slade late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that she recieved the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the Thirtieth day of December 1867 came James H. Amos and John Fantom two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Washington M. Slade late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with N. H. Nelson subscribed their names as witnesses, to this will in his presence, and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John Wiley

In the name of God Amen. I John Wiley of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following, that is to say-

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried, and after my debts and Funeral Expenses are paid I devise and bequeath as follows, to wit.

First-To my son Richard N. Wiley and his heirs forever I give and bequeath a Tract or lot of land, that is the Mill Lot, which Lot I call No one surveyed and Plated by Garrett Clark for One hundred and forty four acres and twelve perches of land, reference to said plot among the papers of the Testator will more fully appear also that part of Deer Creek running through a tract of Land called Wolf Range from Bank to Bank with the following incumbrances viz- my Wife Elizabeth Wiley is to have and to hold during her natural life the North East or lower end of my dwelling house including the Seller, Garrett, upper and lower Rooms also the privilege of access to the Kitchen through the passage or adjoining Room together with the Control and benefit of Springhouse, Garden and fruits, Poultry, a good supply of firewood cut for use at the door, boarding and a comfortable Conveyance to Church and home and to see her friends, and after her death the above priviledges to fall into the hands of my son Richard N. Wiley possession, I also Will and bequeath to my son Richard N. Wiley, One Horse Saddle and Bridle, one Cow one bed bedstead and bedding.

2nd To my Wife Elizabeth Wiley I Will and bequeath two good Beds, Bedsteads and Bedding, two Carpets, one Breakfast Table, Six Chairs, Rocking Chair all of her own choice, also one Bureau and one Stand, with other necessary furniture to be hers absolutely and to dispose of as she may please, also the sum of fifty Dollars payable annually during her life by my son Richard N. Wiley.

3rd To my five Daughters, namely, Sally A. Richardson, Hannah E. McClung Caroline M. Nelson, Mary A. Wiley and Zena J. Wiley and their heirs forever I give and bequeath part of the home tract of land, called Lot No. Two being part of my home farm, Lot No. 1 and No 2 composing my home farm said Lot No 2 being surveyed and plotted by Garret Clark for one hundred and twenty two acres and sixteen perches of land, reference to said Plot among the papers of the Testator will fully appear, it adjoins the lands of Thomas J. Ayers and others said daughters is to have an Equal value in said Lands.

To my Daughter Caroline M. Nelson I will and bequeath the sum of Thirty Dollars, payable by my Executors, she having heretofore recieved an equivalent to the sum of Thirty Dollars also one Horse, Saddle and Bridle.

To my other two Daughters. Viz. Mary A. Wiley and Zena S. Wiley I Will and bequeath the sum of Sixty Dollars payable by my Executors, also each of them one Horse, and one Cow; also Bed and Bedding and if any of my Daughters should remain Single at my death she is to have the right of a home at my Mansion House

4th To my Son John C Wiley and his heirs forever I give and bequeath a tract or lot of land I bought of Henry H Wilson, a part of a tract of land called Cooleys Hall adjoining the lands of Andrew Kirkwood and others, said Lot I call No 4 Surveyed and platted by Barnet Clark, for fifty five acres reference thereto being had will more fully appear, I also give and bequeath to my Son John C Wiley and his heirs forever one other tract or lot of land called Wolf Range containing twenty acres more or less, the Channel of Deer Creek running through Wolf Range not included, my Son John C Wiley not being "Compos Mentis" I appoint with the approval of the Court my two Sons Mathew H. S. Wiley and Richard A. Wiley his sole agents in making my Son John C Wiley's Contracts, and any Contract or agreement made without the approbation of his brothers or agents consent, not to be valid, I do further bequeath to my Son John C Wiley one horse Saddle and Bridle, one Cow, Bed Bedstead and Bedding and the right of a home at my Mansion House for four years from the date of this my last Will and Testament

5th To my Son Mathew H. S. Wiley and his heirs forever I give and bequeath a tract of land that I bought of Benjamin Rutledge called Cooleys Hall adjoining the lands of Nicholas H. Nelson, Potts and others and five acres of the land I bought of Henry H. Wilson now enclosed by a fence, said lot or parcel of land I call Lot No three surveyed and platted by Barnet Clark for one hundred and twenty seven acres of land reference to said plat among the papers of the Testator will more fully appear. The aforesaid devise is to be clear of all incumbrances provided my Son Mathew H. S. Wiley does not bring any obligation of mine against the Estate, otherwise it will leave the aforesaid devise with the amount of incumbrance brought against the Estate.

6th To my Son Thomas H Wiley and his heirs I give and bequeath the sum of Four hundred Dollars, payable by my Son Richard A. Wiley within four years from my death clear of interest until due, this devise is in addition to what I have already given him.

7th It is my Will and desire that Lot No 4 willed to my Son John C Wiley shall be the right and remain in the possession of my son Mathew H. S. Wiley for four Years from the date of this my last Will and Testament, and then to go as aforesaid devised. It is also my Will and desire that Lot No 2 devised to my five Daughters shall be the right and remain in the possession of my Son Richard A. Wiley for four Years from the date of this my last Will and Testament and then to go as aforesaid devised.

8th I appoint my two Sons Mathew H. S. Wiley and Richard A. Wiley to be Sole Executors and Residuary Legatees of this my last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty seventh day of April Eighteen hundred and Sixty-five

John Wiley [Seal]

Signed, Sealed, Published and Declared by John Wiley the within or above named Testator in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Caleb Knight Joseph Wiley Asbury Slade
William Owen Wiley John H. Kirkwood

Harford County S.S.

On the Twenty seventh day of January 1868 came John H. Kirkwood and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Wiley late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. H. N. Co.

One Dollar
U.S. Stamp

Harford County S.S.

On the Twenty seventh day of January 1868 came John H. Kirkwood Caleb Wright, William Owen Wiley three of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Wiley late of said County, deceased, and severally made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Joseph Wiley and Asbury Slade subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this Will in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. N. Co

James Amos

I James Amos of Harford County State of Maryland being in bad health of body but of sound and disposing mind do think proper to make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz- After my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

Item I give and bequeath to my sister Ariel Rutledge one gray colt.

Item I give and bequeath to my sister Charlotte Amos all my real and personal effects during her natural life and then at her death to go to William H. Pope to him and his heirs forever.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my sister Charlotte Amos and Abraham Rutledge my Executors of this my last Will and Testament ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighth day of January in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty eight.

James Amos Seal.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by James Amos the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John Watkins Thomas H. Nelson Elijah M. Hansbury

$1.00 U.S. Stamp

Harford County, SS.

On the Twenty Eighth day of January 1868 came John Watkins and did solemnly and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James Amos late of said County, deceased than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of Testator for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the Twenty Eighth day of January 1868, (the same) John Watkins, Thomas H. Nelson and Elijah M. Hansbury subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Amos and solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with each other subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed and sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely. R. H. H. Co.

Elisha Lewis

Be it Known that I Elisha Lewis of Bloomsbury in Harford County, in the State of Maryland, being of sound, disposing mind memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say,

I hereby direct and declare that this my Will shall operate as upon the day of my death, so that all the property I now own as well as that I may hereafter acquire, shall pass by the devises, of this my Will both real and personal.

I order and direct all my just debts to be fully satisfied and paid out of my Estate.

I give to my Son Albert Nelson Lewis, his heirs and assigns, my Warehouses and lots of ground and premises situate and lying in the City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland bounded by Charles Street West Alley and French Alley, with all the rights, and appurtenances subject however to the payment of the following annuities that is to say to my Son Elisha Lewis, his heirs and assigns, the sum of One Thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal quarterly instalments, of Two Hundred and fifty dollars each, to be computed from the day of my death; and also to my daughter Mary Lewis, her heirs and assigns, for her sole and separate use and benefit, – the sum of One Thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal quarterly instalments of, Two Hundred and fifty dollars each to be computed from the day of my death; and also to my Son William Melville Lewis, his heirs and assigns the sum of One Thousand dollars per annum, payable in equal quarterly instalments of Two Hundred and Fifty dollars each, to be computed from the day of my death; and also to my Son Augustus Sanell Lewis (now called Sanell Thomas Lewis) his heirs and assigns, the sum of One Thousand dollars per-annum, payable in equal quarterly instalments, of Two Hundred and Fifty dollars each to be computed from the day of my death; Should the above named Warehouses rent for a less sum than Six Thousand dollars per annum then and in that case each of the four children shall receive, Nine Hundred dollars per annum instead of One Thousand dollars as above stated – payable in equal quarterly instalments; and I do hereby declare the said annuities to be a lien and charge upon the said Warehouses and lots of ground and premises.

I give devise and bequeath to my Son Albert Nelson Lewis, his heirs and assigns one moiety of of my Farm called "Lower Bloomsbury" situate in Harford County, which Farm commences its boundary in the centre of the Post Road and extends into the Waters of the Chesapeake Bay and contains about Two Hundred and Sixteen Acres of land; and the other moiety

I give and bequeath to my four remaining children their heirs and assigns share and share alike, that is to say, that said Albert Nelson Lewis shall recieve one half of the net proceeds of the rents and the other half shall be equally divided amongst the four remaining children if at any time it shall be deemed advisable by the Executors and Administrators to sell and dispose of the said Farm or any parts thereof then it shall be sold, and one half of the net proceeds I give and bequeath to said Albert Nelson Lewis, his heirs and assigns, and the other half of the net proceeds to my remaining four Children their heirs and assigns share and share alike

I give devise and bequeath to my son Albert Nelson Lewis his heirs and assigns, One Hundred and Sixty acres of Military Bounty Land being one quarter Section in the State of Michigan registered in the Office at Marquett, S. E quarter Section 15 Township 47 North Range 11

I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis, during the term of her natural life, but no longer Fifteen Thousand Dollars U. S. Bonds commonly called 5-20's: also Forty nine Shares New Orleans Gas Light Company Stock. The Bonds and Stocks above named at the decease of my Wife, I leave and bequeath to my five children, their executors, administrators and assigns, to be equally divided amongst them.

I leave bequeath and fully give to my beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis, her executors administrators and assigns, Ten Bonds of One Thousand dollars each, of the Connecting Rail Way Company Penna; also Forty Shares of North American Fire Insurance Company Stock New York; also Fourteen Shares of New York Gas Light Company Stock

I give and bequeath to my Son Albert Nelson Lewis, his executors administrators and assigns, Forty Shares of Niagara Fire Insurance Company Stock, New York; also Ninety Five Shares of New York Gas Light Company Stock; also Seventy Five Shares of Baltimore City Passenger Rail Way Company Stock.

To my Son Elisha Lewis his executors administrators and assigns I give and bequeath Nine Shares of New York Gas Light Company Stock also Fifty Shares of Washington Gas Light Company Stock also Ninety Shares of Niagara Fire Insurance Company Stock New York.

I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Lewis her executors administrators or assigns for her sole and separate use and benefit One hundred Shares of Baltimore City Passenger Rail Way Company Stock also Nine Shares New York Gas Light Company Stock also Two U. S. Bonds of One Thousand Dollars each 7.30's (Convertable into 5.20's.

I give and bequeath to my son William Melville Lewis his executors administrators and assigns Seventy Five Shares of Baltimore City

Passenger Rail Way Company Stock, also Nine Shares of New York Gas Light Company Stock; also Fifty Shares of Washington Gas Light Company Stock; also Ninety Shares of Niagara Fire Insurance Company Stock New York. I give and bequeath to my Son Augustus Farrell Lewis (now Farrell Thomas Lewis) his executors, administrators and assigns Fifty Shares of Washington Gas Light Company Stock; also Nine Shares of New York Gas Light Company Stock; also Two U. S. Bonds of One Thousand dollars each 7.30's (Convertible into 5.20's)

I give and bequeath to my Son Albert Nelson Lewis, my double barrelled Gun my six barrelled Revolver and all the apparatus appertaining to both, also my set of drawers and Wardrobe on top, also my Secretary with Marble Slab, also my Clock with equestrian Statue, also my travelling trunk, also my blood stone watch seal also my diamond breast pin and likewise, all the following Silver ware with my Crest on each piece, big - twelve table spoons, three salt spoons, twelve dinner forks, twelve breakfast forks, two gravy Ladles, one Soup Ladle, one Teapot, one Sugar bowl and large Cream Jug and Slop Bowl.

I give to my Son Elisha Lewis my Gold Watch (No 4997) and Chain Should my son Elisha Lewis die before he attains the age of twenty one years then the said Watch and chain is to go, and I do hereby give the same to my Son William Melville Lewis.

I give and bequeath to my son William Melville Lewis my Large Mahogany Wardrobe.

I give and bequeath to my Son Augustus Farrell Lewis (now called Farrell Thomas Lewis) my inlaid Centre Table.

I give devise and bequeath to my beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis, my Farm called "Bloomsbury" (the centre of the Post Road divides it from "Tower Bloomsbury") situate in Hanford County aforesaid also my Farm called "Church Farm" and "Brady's Lot" and all my Land situate in Hanford County aforesaid, North of the Post Road until it shall be deemed advisable by her to sell and dispose of the same or any parts thereof, and when so disposed of one moiety of the net proceeds I give and bequeath to my said Wife Hannah S. Lewis and the remaining moiety I give and bequeath to my five children to be distributed amongst them share and share alike.

It is my desire that any monies accruing to the children from time to time shall be invested for them in State Securities.

I give and bequeath to my said beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis all my Household and Kitchen Furniture generally and also all my Farm and Garden Implements, Cart, Carriages, Harness, Horses, Cows, Sheep, Pigs, Poultry, and provisions, and grains, situate and being on my Lands and Farms, in Hanford County North of the Post Road.

I give all my Pictures to my said beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis above named and I also particularly request that the Family Group painted by Peebee, composed of my Wife, myself, and my Son Albert Nelson, shall be given (after the death of my Wife) to my Son Albert Nelson Lewis above named, and after his decease to my next oldest child living.

I give to my Wife all my Books and request that they be divided amongst the children, at such times and such proportions as may be deemed by her suitable.

I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis all the rest of my silver excepting however those portions of the same hereinbefore specifically devised and bequeathed, and I particularly desire and request that the Silver Teakettle shall be given to my Daughter Mary Lewis if living at the decease of her Mother.

I give and bequeath to my Nephew Dr. E. S. Lewis, One Thousand Dollars to purchase a Souvenir.

I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue and remainder of my Estate real personal and mixed wheresoever situate or being to my said beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis and to my five children Albert Nelson Lewis, Elisha Lewis, Mary Lewis, William Melville Lewis, Augustus Jarrett Lewis (now called Jarrett Thomas Lewis) their heirs executors administrators, and assigns absolutely, to be equally divided between them as tenants in common share and share alike.

And I do hereby further declare it to by my Will and intention and therefore I do order and direct in the case of the decease of any of my children hereinbefore named in this my Will under lawful age and without issue living at his, her or their respective death, the part or share of my Estate belonging to, or devised to him her or them so dying shall go to and become the property of the survivors or survivor of them absolutely and the heirs, executors administrators, and assigns of the survivors or survivor.

Should my Farms called "Bloomsbury" "Chear's Farm" and "Brady's Lot" and all my lands North of the Post Road not be sold or disposed of during the lifetime of my wife then at her decease the said Farms and Lands shall go to, and become the property of my children their heirs executors administrators and assigns, to be equally divided amongst them. All or any portion of my Estate devised, and bequeathed to my Daughter Mary Lewis is to be for her sole and separate use and benefit.

I leave and bequeath to my Nephew William T. Lewis Six Hundred dollars to purchase a Souvenir, and I also leave and bequeath to Thomas C. Ashmead of the Firm of Lewis & Co Phila. Four Hundred Dollars to purchase a Souvenir.

And Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my

said beloved Wife Hannah S. Lewis, and my friend Charles B. Hitchcock to be the Guardians of my children and also the Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made and declaring this to be my only one. It is my wish and therefore I proclaim that my said Wife Hannah S. Lewis shall give no kind of security for the performance of her duties under the operations of this my Will and I do hereby declare that the provision made by this my Will for my said Wife, is in lieu of her dower and thirds at Common Law or any other interest she may be entitled to in my Estate.

In Testimony Whereof I the said Elisha Lewis, have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal on this the Fourth day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

Elisha Lewis (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Elisha Lewis the Testator to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence, at his request, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

John Evans. John Hopkins. W. Worthington Hopkins

$62 50/100 U. S. Stamp

Harford County SS.

On the Thirty first day of January 1868 came Hannah S. Lewis and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Elisha Lewis late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that she received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court Test S. R. Ely R. W. N. C.

Harford County, SS.

On the Thirty first day of January 1868 came John Evans and W. Worthington Hopkins and on the 14th day February came John Hopkins subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elisha Lewis late of said county, deceased, and severally made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they hear him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with John Hopkins subscribed their names as witnesses, to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court. Test. S. R. Ely. R. W. N. C.

Willis Minah Payne

In the name of God. Amen — I, Willis Minah Payne now of Towsontown, in Baltimore County State of Maryland, being weak in body, but of sound & disposing, mind, memory, and understanding, blessed be Almighty God, considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle, my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following — that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executor, herein after named and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give and bequeath to my Sister Mary McLungs children namely Margaret McLung, Charlotte A McLung, John McLung, Ephraim B. McLung and Mary McLung, one dollar each to be paid to them by my Executor after my decease — And I give and bequeath to my brother Josiah Payne's children namely Mary E Payne and Josiah T. Payne one dollar each to be paid as above directed by Executor

Item, I give and devise unto my dear affectionate Sister, Sophia Charlotte Payne a tract of land lying in Harford County, State of Maryland called containing Eighty seven acres more or less, to her Sophia C Payne her heirs and assigns forever; but in consideration of this devise of property to my said Sister, I hereby will and desire that she pay all the above pecuniary legacies, all my debts I may owe at my decease and also pay to my Brother Benjamin N. Payne after my decease One hundred and twenty Dollars current Money of Maryland. N.B. Having forgotten the name of the above devised landed property I hereby for the purpose of identity, say it is land I, Willis M. Payne inherited from my father Benjamin Payne.

I give and bequeath to my aforenamed brother Benjamin & Sister, Sophia my two feather beds & bedding to be divided as they may choose

Item, I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate both real and personal, to my above named brother Benjamin & Sister Sophia to be equally divided between them, share and share alike.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear Brother Benjamin N. Payne, to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, revoking all former Wills heretofore by me made, ratifying & confirming this and none other, to be my Last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand & affixed my seal this tenth day of June in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred & forty one

Signed, sealed published and declared } Willis M her x mark Payne (Seal)

by the above named testatrix Willis M. Payne as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who, at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

N. N. Ware, W. Govane Howard Samuel Nigle

Harford County SS.

On the 23rd day of January 1867 came Benjamin N. Payne and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Willis M Payne late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test. J. H. Hanson R.W. N.Co.

Harford County SS.

On the First day of February 1868 came Samuel Nigle the only Surviving subscribing Witness to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Willis M Payne late of County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that he heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that he together with W. Govane Howard and N. N. Ware subscribed his name as witness, to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other, also that the Signatures of the deceased Witnesses were in their handwriting, and that they were at this date dead

Sworn to in Open Court,

Test J. R. Ely. R.W. N.Co.

Eliza Ewing.

In the name of God. Amen I. Eliza Ewing of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty and the uncertainty of the time of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First, and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my boddy to the earth to be decently buried and after my funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows,

I give and bequeath James E. Ewing my lawful Husband. All that Tract or parcel of Land situated Harford County State of Maryland and adjoining the Lands of Ezekiel Moulton James H. Ewing and others known and called by the name of Folley or whatsoever name it may be known by containing Nine Acres more or less and the buildings and improvements thereunto belonging.

Lastly I do hereby constitute this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of December 1867

Witnesses to testators mark. } Eliza x Ewing (Seal)
Flavius C. Moulton. }

Signed sealed published and delivered by Eliza Ewing the above named testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Thomas W. Moulton John L. Foulchton John W. Carroll

Harford County ss.

On the First day of February 1868 came James H. Ewing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Eliza Ewing late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court, Test S. R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Harford County, ss.

On the Eleventh day of February 1868 came Thomas W. Moulton and John W. Carroll subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Eliza Ewing late of said County, deceased and did solemnly and sincerely and truly declare and affirm that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with John L. Foulchton subscribed their names as Witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed to in open Court
Test
S. R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Elizabeth Peters

In the name of God, Amen, I Elizabeth Peters of the Town of Havre De Grace, Harford County and State of Maryland in view of the certainty of death, and of the uncertainty of the time thereof, being feeble in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory publish & declare this to be my last Will and Testament

1st I commit my body to the ground and my soul to God.

2nd I give and bequeath to Kate Mattingly my Bureau, my Bed Bedding and Bedstead

3rd I give and bequeath to Sarah Ann Carver – in money Twenty five Dollars (25) Dollars

4th I give and bequeath to Euphemia Poplar in money Twenty five Dollars (25) Dollars

5th I give and bequeath to Elizabeth A. Mattingly the balance of my effects whether in money or otherwise –

And Lastly, I constitute and appoint Hollis Courtney Senr. Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal, this Second day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty five (1865) in the presence of Thomas M. Bacon, Stephen S. Seneca and Hollis Courtney Jr. who are the subscribing Witnesses to this my last Will and Testament

Test Elizabeth her x mark Peters (Seal)

Thomas M. Bacon Havre De Grace Maryland
S. S. Seneca " " " "
H. Courtney Jr.

Harford County ss

On the Tenth day of February 1868 came Hollis Courtney Jr. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Elizabeth Peters late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the the hands of the testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test S. R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Harford County ss

On the 11th day of February 1868 came H. Courtney Jr. and on the 12th S. S. Seneca subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Peters late of said County, deceased, and severally made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Thomas M. Bacon subscribed their names as witnesses, to this will in her presence, and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Mary Harmer

Be it Remembered, that I Mary Harmer of Harford County, State of Maryland, being of sound, disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say; In the first place I do Will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid and satisfied.

I give and bequeath to my sister Hannah M. Massey wife of Isaac Massey, the sum of one Hundred and fifty Dollars, to be paid to her by my Executor as soon as convenient after my decease.

I give and bequeath to my Sister Lucy Stamp wife of Joseph Stamp the sum of Fifty Dollars, to be paid to her by my Executor as soon as convenient after my decease

I give and bequeath to my two following named Nieces daughters of Joseph Stamp the sum of Twenty-five Dollars each that to say to Sarah A. Pyle Twenty-five Dollars and to Lydia Pierce Twenty-five Dollars.

I give and bequeath to Hannah H. Stamp my Niece the sum of Fifty-Dollars

I give and bequeath to my Niece Hannah Esep daughter of my brother John Harmer the sum of Twenty five Dollars.

I give and bequeath to Perthenia Harmer wife of my Brother John Harmer the sum of Fifty Dollars

I give and bequeath to my Sisters Hannah M. Massey and Lucy Stamp all my Household and Kitchen Furniture to be divided between them share and share alike.

I Will and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate to my Niece Hannah H. Stamp daughter of Joseph Stamp.

Whereas my Brothers Joseph M Harmer and Joshua Harmer stands indebted to me and it is my Will and desire that each of them shall pay the amount of said debt as soon as convenient to my Executor hereinafter named, but I will and direct that they shall not be compelled to pay the amounts due by them during their natural lives unless a part or the whole of said debts be needed in the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses or the legacies of One Hundred and fifty Dollars hereinbefore bequeathed to my Sister Hannah M. Massey and Fifty Dollars to my Sister Lucy Stamp

And Lastly. I do hereby constitute and appoint my brother-in-law Joseph Stamp by my sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament ratifying and confirming this and none other, to be my last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 17th day of 1st month in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and fifty-five

Mary Harmer (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Mary Harmer the above named Testatrix as and for her Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Richard B. McCoy. Alexander Galbreath, David G. McCoy

Harford County ss.

On the Fifth day of February 1868 came Hannah H. Stamp and did Solemnly, Sincerely and Truly declare and affirm that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Harmer late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that she found the same among the papers of the testatrix.

Affirmed to in open Court.

Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co.

Harford County ss.

On the Fourteenth day of February 1868 came Alexander Galbreath, and on the 8th day of February 1868 came R. B. McCoy two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Harmer late of said County deceased, and did Solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm, and make Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that together with David G. McCoy subscribed their names as witnesses, this will in her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed and Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co.

Alice H. Silver

I. Alice H. Silver. of Harford County State of Maryland do make and publish this, as and for my last Will and Testament intending hereby to dispose of all my property and estate of Every Kind whatsoever, whether the same be held in my own name or by Trustee for my use and appointment. To my two Daughters, Mary Silver and Ennie E Silver. I give and devise and bequeath, my House and Lot in Darlington, Deeded by John H Price Trustee to Philip W Silver in trust for my use (my heirs and assigns) all my Bank Stocks, Baltimore City Stocks, Three hundred Dollars in State of Maryland Loan No 7156, now standing in the name of Philip W. Silver and all other property or Estate, I now have

or may acquire or that may be coming to my Estate whether Real, Personal, or mixed or held in trust or otherwise, for their sole and separate use share and share alike.

Lastly I hereby, constitute and appoint my Daughter Mary Silver my Executrix.

Witness my hand and seal this Seventy sixth day of August 1867

Alice H. Silver (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto and we hereby certify that the said testatrix was privately examined by us, apart from and out of the presence and hearing of her husband, whether she did make the same freely and voluntarily and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of ill usage by her said husband and she said, she did the same freely and voluntarily

Witnesses

John Ferguson Jno. F. McSilton Samuel H. Matthews

I hereby assent to the foregoing last Will and Testament of Alice H. Silver, my Wife. The day and year therein written Augst. 26th 1867 P. H. Silver

Hanford County ss.

On the Fifteenth day of February 1868 came Mary Silver Silver and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Alice H. Silver late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court. Test. S. F. Ely, R.W.H.C.

Hanford County ss.

On the Fifteenth day of February 1868 came John F. McSilton, John Ferguson and Samuel H. Matthews subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Alice H. Silver late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Samuel H. Matthews did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension

of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and Affirmed to in open Court.

Test S. F. Ely R.W.H.C.

Mary Ann Forwood

I Mary Ann Forwood of Hanford County, Maryland, being of sound and disposing, mind memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament as follows.

To my Infant Children Charles L. Forwood, Minnie Forwood and Edward Forwood I devise and bequeath all my Real property and appoint Joseph James as Guardian for my Children, with a request and desire that my faithful Husband Edward Forwood, should occupy and remain in the said Real Estate, as a home, providing it may not prove detrimental to the interest of said Children, leaving this last desire and request to the Judgement and discretion of said Guardian

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal this 7th day of August Eighteen hundred and Sixty-seven

Mary Ann Forwood (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Mary Ann Forwood the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed at her request our names as Witnesses thereto

Isaac H. Betts James T. Knight

Hanford County ss

On the Twenty ninth day of February 1868 came Isaac H. Betts and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Ann Forwood, (late of said County deceased) other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Test S. F. Ely R.W.H.C.

Hanford County ss

On the Twenty ninth day of February 1868 came Isaac H. Betts and James T. Knight subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Ann Forwood late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their

apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and under-
standing; and that they together subscribed their names as witnes-
-es to the Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence
of each other. Test. S. R. Ely R. H. N. Co

Elizabeth P. Hall

I Elizabeth P. Hall of Hanford County in the State of Maryland
being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind
memory, and understanding; considering the certainty of death and
the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my
worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave the world
when it shall please God to call me, do therefore make and
publish this my Last Will and Testament, in manner and form
following that is to say.

First and principally, I commit my Soul into the hands of
Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at
the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named, and after my just
debts and funeral charges are paid, I devise and bequeath as
follows. I devise and give unto my husband John Hall all my
Estate, real & personal, or mixed of which I shall die seized and possessed
or to which I shall be entitled at the time of decease; to have and to
hold the same to him, and his heirs, and assigns forever.

And Lastly. I do hereby constitute and appoint my mother Elizabeth
Johnson to be sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal this seventh day of December in the year of Our Lord One Thousand
Eight hundred and Sixty-seven.

Elizabeth P. her X mark Hall (Seal)

Signed, sealed published and declared by Elizabeth P. Hall the
above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament
in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence and in the
presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Jesse Hoskins John Clark William C. Hoskins

Hanford County ss.

On the Sixteenth day of January 1868 came Elizabeth
Johnson (Col'd) and made Oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God
that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth P. Hall other
than the above instrument of writing, and that she received the
same from the hand of the Testatrix for safe keeping
Sworn to in open Court

Test S. R. Ely R. H. N. Co,

Hanford County ss.

On the Twelfth day of March 1868 came John Clark
and on the 19th day of March 1868 came William C. Hoskins subscri-
-bing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth
P. Hall late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy
Evangelys of Almighty God and affirmation by William C. Hoskins
that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they
heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last
Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to
the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind
memory and understanding; and that they together with
Jesse Hoskins subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this will in
her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other.
Sworn and affirmed in Open Court.

Test S. R. Ely R. H. N. Co.

Hannah Lee

I Hannah Lee being of sound and disposing mind memo-
ory and understanding do make and publish this my last
Will and Testament as follows.

I hereby give devise and bequeath to my Son Otho S.
Lee all my property and Estate of every Kind and description
and appoint him sole Executor of this my last Will and
Testament. In witnes whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand
and seal this Twentieth day of April in the Year Eighteen Hun-
dred and Sixty-six. Hannah Lee (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared in our presence as and
for her last Will and Testament by Hannah Lee the above
named Testatrix, and at her request in her presence and in
the presence of each other we have subscribed our names as
witnesses thereto.

Geo. T. Maynadier F. H. Baker Sally P. Baker

Hanford County ss.

On the Seventh day of April 1868 came Otho
S. Lee and made Oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God
that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Hannah Lee
late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of
writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testa-
-trix for safe keeping.
Sworn to in open Court. Test. S. R. Ely R. H. N. Co,

Harford County SS.

On the Seventh day of April Came George T. Maynadier, F. H. Baker subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannah Lee late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Sally B. Baker subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court. Test. S. R. Ely R. H. R. Co

Sarah Warner.

In the name of God, Amen. I Sarah Warner of Harford County in the State of Maryland, sick and weak of body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

Second. I will and bequeath to George Eagleson One Dollar.

Item Third. I will and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Almony Five Dollars

Item Fourth I will and bequeath to my daughter Lucinda Ely Fifty Dollars

Item Fifth. I will, devise and bequeath to Sarah E. Eagleson Daughter of George Eagleson all my real Estate together with Two Hundred Dollars, and all the rest and residue of my personal Estate to her, her heirs and assigns forever.

And Lastly. I appoint Corbin G. Shutt to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this third day of April Eighteen Hundred and Sixty eight. Sarah her mark Warner (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared, by Sarah Warner the with named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

Silbert Shutt Howard W. Shutt Thomas Way

Harford County SS.

On the Thirteenth day of April 1868 Came Corbin G. Shutt and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Sarah Warner late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court. Test S. R. Ely R. H. R. Co

Harford County SS.

On the Thirteenth day of April 1868 Came Silbert Shutt, and Howard W. Shutt subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sarah Warner late of said County deceased, and severally made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Thomas Way subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this will in her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test. S. R. Ely R. H. R. Co

James McConkey (Copy)

In the name of God - Amen. I James McConkey of Peach Bottom Township, York County, State of Pennsylvania being weak in body, but of sound mind, memory and understanding praise be God for the same and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs while I have strength and capacity so to do do make and publish this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all Wills by me at any time heretofore made, and first and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of my Creator who gave it, my body I commit to the earth at the discretion of my Executor or Executors, would prefer being buried in Slate Ridge Church Yard where my most and dearest relations are buried.

And first I leave to my dear wife Mary Ann the House I now live in with the furniture of all kinds which is contained therein also the Land from the present publick Road below the Creek down the same to river Susquehanna thence down the same to the house William McCoy now lives in including the same, thence up to to Webbs line and along the same to the place of beginning viz the center of the Road fifty Yards below the saw mill to make it more plain I would say the line should begin at the latter place the center of the Road fifty Yards below the Saw mill on the South side of the Creek thence down the same to the Susquehanna River thence down the same until it intersects Webbs line thence West by said line to the corner thence North by Webbs line to the place of beginning, with the Ferry right which should rent for One hundred Dollars a year and Tavern Stand and Stables now occupied by Daniel Beverson the use of the Stable are intended to go with the tavern and the use of boats with the ferry all at the disposal of my said wife Mary Ann during her life, and at her death to go to such of her children as may then be living, The Coal Yard limestone lott lumber Yard and new Ware-house with the land in front thereof now enclosed and reserved for the free use of such of my Sons as may wish to use it or their decen-dents free of cost except the keeping of the same in repair, the land between the present Coal & Limestone piles and the river to be free to such of my decendants as my wish to use it free of cost, and whereas part of my sons have already had a portion of my Estate Stephen Decator has has had already five thousand four hundred & seventy two dollars for which I hold his note this sum I allow to be deducted from his share of my Estate if it should amount to that sum and whatever may be charged to either of my Sons on my Book I allow to be deducted from their share of my Estate,

To my Grandson James Son of Hugh McConkey I bequeath One Thousand Dollars to be placed at interest or given to him in notes bearing interest the interest to be for his use until he shall arrive at the age of Twenty one Years when he shall be entitled to the principal.

To my Daughter Julyanna I bequeath two Thousand Dollars.

To Henry F. McConkey's Children I bequeath Two Thousand Dollars to be paid them as they arrive at Twenty one Years of age, Share and Share alike by my Executors the remainder of my Estate I give to my remaining Sons William McConkey, John Q A. McConkey, Charles R. McConkey share and share alike and leave William McConkey and John Q A. McConkey the executors of this my last Will and testament and desire that the same be recorded as such written and signed this 25 day of December

Eighteen hundred and fifty nine now witness present at signing but the whole is in my own hand writing and hope that all parties will be satisfied therewith. James McConkey

York County SS.

Seal of Register

Certified to be a true Copy taken from and compared with the original remaining on file in the Register Office at York, in the County of York and State of Penna, Will Book V pg 434 Forlo C.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office this 27th day of March A.D. 1862. William Philly Register

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John Dever

I John Dever of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind memory and under-standing, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous of settling my worldly off-airs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and pub-lish this my last will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say.

First I direct my Executor hereinafter named to sell all my personal mixed and real Estate, the reciepts of which as far as necessary to be applied to the payment of my Debts.

Second. I give and bequeath to Elizabeth Hopkins daughter of Henry W and Mary E Hopkins One Hundred dollars, and one bed and bedding of her selection.

Third. The remainder, I give and bequeath to be Equally divi-ded between my Nephew Thomas Dever and my two Nieces Mary E Hopkins, and Hannah Emlen, share and share alike.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Nephew Thomas Dever my Executor, Revoking and annulling all former Wills be me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I (have) hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Thirtieth day of July Eighteen hundred and Sixty Six

John Dever (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John Dever the above named testator to be his last Will and testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have sub-scribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

B.H. Hanson Jr. James Baldwin Jas. C. Worthington

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of April 1868 came Thomas Dever and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Dever late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he found the same from among the papers of said Deceased.

Sworn to, in open Court. Test. S. K. Ely Reg. Wills. Co

Fee $2.00 U.S. Stamp

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of April 1868 came R. H. Hanson Jr. and on the second day of May came James C. Worthington two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Dever late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and affirmation by James C. Worthington that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with James Baldwin subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in his presence, and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and affirmed to in open Court. Test. S. K. Ely Reg. Wills. Co

Charlotte Jane Hall

Whereas my husband Henry Hall did by his last Will and Testament authorize me to dispose of by Deed, Will or other instrument among our children all the Estate of which he died seized and possessed the use whereof he gave to me during my natural life.

Now therefore in virtue of the authority and in execution of the power aforesaid I Charlotte Jane Hall of Harford County Maryland, do by this my last Will dispose of the said Estate of my deceased husband so far as the same remains unappointed & undisposed of, and do also dispose of all other property of which I may at the time of my death in my own right be seized and possessed. That is to say,

To my daughter Charlotte Ramsay Hall I give the farm on which I now reside commonly called New Echo, together with all the property of whatever kind on the farm and in the house.

To my daughter Sophia McHenry Brand I give a lot of Ground in the City of Baltimore situated in Lexington Street near the Corner of Cove Street, which said parcel of ground was conveyed to me by Deed from Ramsay McHenry having been previously leased by him to David Carson for the yearly rent of one hundred and fifty Dollars.

To my Daughter Sophia McH. Brand I give also the lot of ground corner of Preston and Holton Streets in the City of Baltimore which was conveyed to me by David Carson and wife, and by me leased to said David Carson for the yearly rent of Ninety Dollars.

I give devise and bequeath to my two sons Henry Carroll Hall and William White Ramsay Hall all that farm in Harford County known as Shandy Hall and now occupied by them and all my right and Estate therein, to each an equal undivided moiety, subject to the rents, covenants and provisions of the lease under which it is now held by me, and if they should desire to divide the said farm so that each may hold his part in severalty then I desire to impress upon my said sons the remembrance of their Fathers wishes that all that part of the said farm lying on the North East side of a line known by them to have been drawn during their Fathers life time, should be held by Henry C. Hall, & the residue by William H. R. Hall, The aforesaid line begins at a stone under a Cedar tree inside of the fence on the public road and measured on said road, distant about one hundred and fifty perches from the Bridge; from said stone runs South Sixty two degrees East forty eight chains and thirty five links to a stone under a Maple Tree on the South East side of Beaver Branch and thence South fifty four and a quarter degrees East to the Water Boundary of the farm. Should my sons at the time of my death be in possession of Shandy Hall as tenants I hereby declare no rental to be due by them to my Estate and I recognize all Crops & Stock thereon as belonging to them.

The residue of my Estate I will & direct shall be equally divided among my above named children Charlotte R. Hall, Sophia McH. Brand, Henry C. Hall and William H. R. Hall.

To my daughter Anne Eliza Barnard who in Gods Providence is placed above the need of any other gift from me, I leave only a Mothers blessing & the assurance of unforgetting love.

Revoking all other Wills, I do hereby appoint my son Henry C. Hall & my daughter Charlotte R. Hall Executors of this my last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my name & seal this Sixteenth of March in the Year of Our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-eight "the word "Branch" having been previously interlined"

Charlotte Jane Hall (L.S.)

Signed, Sealed and delivered as and for her last Will and Testament by the above named Testatrix in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other have hereunto affixed our names.

Jno. H. Maynadier William Evans Ramsay McHenry

Harford County S.S.

On the Tenth day of June 1868 came Charlotte Ramsay Hall and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Charlotte Jane Hall late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from among the papers of said Deceased.

Sworn to in open Court Test S. T. Ely R. W. K. Co.

Harford County SS

On the Tenth day of June 1868 came John K. Haynadier and William Evans subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Charlotte Jane Hall late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Ramsay McHenry subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court.

Test S. T. Ely R. W. K. Co

Bennett Osborn

In the name of God Amen. I Bennett Osborn of Harford County in the State of Maryland being, sick and weak in body, but of sound mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows, unto George B. Osborn my Nephew one open Wagon one Dearborn Wagon all my Tools appertaining to Pump making such as Block & Fall, Augers, Chisels, Gouges and Boring Rod, two Cross Cut Saws, two Broad Axes, two Hand Axes and all my hammers, one half of the Oat Crop on the Farm where I last resided. I hereby revoke all other Wills or assignments made by me and do hereby constitute and appoint my Brother Gamble, to be sole Executor of my said Will. In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and

affixed my seal this seventeenth day of September in the year Eighteen hundred & Sixty-seven

Bennett Osborn (Seal)

Signed Sealed & declared in the presence of

John B. Foy John F. Pennington

Harford County SS.

On the Seventh day of October 1867 came Garrett Osborn and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Bennett Osborn late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court Test S. T. Ely R. W. K. Co

Harford County SS.

On the Twelfth day of June 1868 then came John B. Foy and John F. Pennington subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Bennett Osborn late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses, to this Will in his presence, and at his request, and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test. S. T. Ely R. W. K. Co,

Sarah Hart

I Sarah Hart of Harford County in the State of Md. being of sound mind & Judgement knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life do make and publish this my Last Will and Testament.

First. I commit my Spirit to Almighty God and my body to the grave to be decently buried.

Item. The first I will and bequeath to my Broter John Hall of the State of Ohio, Five Hundred Dollars in cash.

Item 2nd. To James Thomas Davis my Nephew now residing in the City of Baltimore Md. Five Hundred Dollars in Cash.

Item the 3d I will to William Davis' son John Collins Davis One Hundred Dollars in Cash

Item the 4th I will unto Isaac Cairns my Broter in Law & to Louisa St Clair Equal all that may be left after burying me decently and putting Iron railing around my Grave in the Baltimore Cemetery

Head & foot stones set and all my expenses paid then an equal division of the balance of my Estate to made between Isaac Cairns and Louisa St Clair. In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand & seal this 6th day of March 1868.

Sarah Hart (Seal)

Test. Wm J. Bleany Charles Ayers Samuel Williamson

Signed, Sealed and delivered in presence of us this 6th day of March 1868.

$2.00 U. S. Stamp

Harford County SS.

On the Twelfth day of June 1868 then came John Varney St Clair and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of Sarah Hart late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he recieved the same from among the papers of said deceased Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the Twelfth day of June 1868 then came Wm J. Bleany Charles Ayers and Samuel Williamson subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sarah Hart late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses, to this will in her presence, and at her request, and in the presence of each other. Sworn to open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Noncupative Will of James Amos

In the matter of the Noncupative Will of James Amos Deceased	In the Orphans Court for Harford County July Term 1868

Among other proceedings the following was had in the matter of the Noncupative Will of James Amos late of Harford County deceased, in the Orphans Court this 3rd day of July 1868. John Watkins, Janett G. Morris and William Rampley appeared and being duly qualified by Oath and affirmation in open Court deposeth and says that they were present, at the last sickness of James Amos late of Harford County deceased on the 28th day of June 1868 and in the house of his habitation, where he has been a resident more than Ten days prior and before the making of This Will, that they heard him declare and desire that they should witness the following devises

and bequests of his property to be his last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

I give and devise to John A. Streett Three Hundred Dollars to him and his heirs forever.

I give Will and devise to Martha Smithson Three or Four hundred Dollars, to her and her heirs forever.

I give Will and devise to Virginia Smithson Three or Four hundred Dollars, to her and her heirs forever.

Item I give Will and devise to Amanda Smithson Three or Four Hundred Dollars, to her and her heirs forever.

Item. I give Will and devise to Aquilla Amoss the amount of money due me from him.

Item I give will and devise to Joshua Glenn The amount of money due me from him.

Item. I give Will and devise to Virginia and Amanda Smithson my Buggy Wagon.

Item I give Will and devise to James Wiley Two Hundred Dollars

Test John Watkins, Janett G. Morris, William Rampley

and at the time of the making of the aforegoing Will, The said Deceased to the best of their apprehension, was of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding

In the matter of the Noncupative Will of James Amos Deceased	In the Orphans Court of Harford County July Term 1868

After hearing the Testimony in the above Cause, and being satisfied that the aforegoing should be set up as the Noncupative Will of the said James Amos deceased, It is hereby ordered by the Register of Wills for Harford County in the Recess of the Orphans Court, this 3rd day of July 1868 that the above and aforegoing be and the same is hereby set up as the Noncupative Will of said James Amos deceased

J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Elizabeth Holloway

I Elizabeth Holloway of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound and disposing, mind memory, and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God, to call me hence do therefore make and publish this, my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First. I give and bequeath, to my Daughter Mary Margaret all my personal Estate

Second All the rest and residue of my property, real or mixed after paying my debts, I will and bequeath to be equally divided between my two daughters Mary Margaret and Martha Elizabeth, share and share alike, with this express proviso, that my daughter Martha Elizabeth pay to my daughter Lydia Ann Smith the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Thomas Dever and my daughter Mary Margaret to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, In Testimony Whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twenty fifth day of February in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty two

Elizabeth Holloway (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Elizabeth Holloway the above named testatrix to be her last Will & Testament in presence of us who at her request & in her presence & in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Witness Henry F. Walters Jas. F. Teasin John F. Andrews

Harford County, SS.

On the 5th day of August 1868 Then came Mary Margaret Holloway and Solemnly, Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth Holloway late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that she recieved the same from among the papers of the Testatrix

Affirmed to in open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R.W.N.Co

Harford County, SS.

On the 5th day of August 1868 Then came James F. Teasin and on the 6th day of August came Henry F. Walters subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Holloway late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with John F. Andrews subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R.W.N.Co

John Morrison

In the name of God, Amen. I. John Morrison of Harford County and State of Maryland, being in good health of body and Sound disposing mind, memory, and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs and thereby be the beter prepaired to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following That is to say

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Son Daniel and my Daughter Margaret Rosannah all my Land on which I now reside, consisting in two parcels, one called "Hunting Ground" Containing Twenty Eight acres more or less, The other called "Four Wings" Containing Twelve acres and Eighty five perches to be sold by my Executor, hereinafter mentioned, and be divided equal - after all expenses of the sale of said Land be paid, To there heirs and assigns in fee simple

I also give and bequeath unto my Son Daniel all my personal property at the time of my decease and my Son Daniel to pay all my Just debts

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Wife Mary during her natural lifetime the interest of one half the amount of the sale of the above named land to be paid annually by my Executor after my decease.

And Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my Son Daniel Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and conforming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Twelfth day of March Eighteen hundred and Sixty Six

John Morrison (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John Morrison the above named testator as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witness thereto

John R. Day Robert Bruce William Cox

Harford County SS.

On the 30th day of June 1868 Then came John R. Day and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Morrison late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he recieved the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

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Test J. R. Ely R.W.N.Co

Harford County SS.

On the 30th day of June 1868 Then came John R. Day and Robert Bruce subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Morrison late of said County, deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same, to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was, to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with William Cox subscribed their names as Witnesses, to this Will in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test. J. R. Ely R. W. N. Co

Jacob A. Preston

In the name of God Amen. I, Jacob A. Preston of Harford County State of Maryland, being of sound mind memory & understanding do make & constitute This my last Will and Testament in manner & form as follows To wit. I give & bequeath to my son Jacob Alexander Preston, all that part of "Oakland" farm on which I now reside which lies North & North West of my Barn including four fields (which should be divided into Six fields) together with the Mansion House in which I reside as well as the Orchards garden Lawn & House hold & Kitchen furniture to him his heirs & assigns forever: & I further give and bequeath to my said Son, J. Alexander Preston all the Woodland and old meadow field, lying on the West side of the Public Road which passes through my said farm as also all the Wood Land & old field lying on the South side of a cart Road which runs from or nearly opposite the old meadow bars, from said Public Road till it strikes Mitchel's fence about one hundred yards from the corner Stone near John Browns house, to him, his heirs, & assigns forever.

I give & bequeath to my Son John T. Preston all the residue of said "Oakland" farm, which includes four fields (which should be divided into five fields) together with the Buildings attached thereto & all the Woodland not devised to my Son J. Alexander Preston to him, his heirs & assigns forever; & I give to my said Son John T. Preston & My Daughter Mary Preston all my farm in "Bush River Neck" on which Mrs Neslon now resides (containing Three Hundred and Thirty Six Acres more or less) to be equally divided between them

share and share alike to them their heirs & assigns forever

I give and bequeath to my Daughter Fanny Preston my Farm on which Jno J. Dallam now resides, as also a small Tract of Woodland adjoining the land of the Rev. S. W. Crampton to her, her heirs & assigns forever. also all my Bank Stock which I hold in the National Farmers & Planters Bank of Baltimore & The Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Baltimore, to her, her heirs & assigns forever also my Havre D. E. Grace Turnpike Stock

I give & bequeath to my Daughter Mary Preston my house in St Paul's Street Baltimore No 87, in which my Son J. Alexander Preston resides at this time, to her her heirs & assigns forever.

I give & bequeath, to my Daughter Emily P. Preston all my Bank Stock in the Franklin Bank of Baltimore as well as two Bonds I own against the State of Missouri of One Thousand Dollars each. to her her heirs & assigns forever, I give and bequeath to my three Daughters Fanny, Mary & Emily my house in Courtland Street Baltimore No 69 as well as all the furniture in said house to be equally divided between them share and share alike, to them their heirs & assigns forever. I give, to my Daughter Fanny in addition to what I previously devised to her, all my Silver, & all the residue of my Estate after the foregoing devises and bequests are satisfied to her, her heirs & assigns forever. It is my will That all my debts shall be paid out of The sale of The Stock & farming utensils on "Oakland" farm & crops growing on all my farms, if found necessary to liquidate said debts, & if there should not be sufficient to pay said debts then & in that case, it is my Will that all the revenue arising from all my Estate, or so much as may be found necessary to pay said debts shall be reserved for that purpose during one Year after my death

I hereby appoint & Constitute my Son Jacob Alexander Preston my whole & Sole Executor of this my last Will & Testament, but it is understood & hereby declared to be my will that he shall make no charge for commissions or fees as Executor of this my last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twenty fifth day of July in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty seven

Jacob A. Preston (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared as and for his last Will and Testament who at his request, and in his presence and in the presence of Each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Joseph E Taylor. R. H. Keen Richard M Taylor

R. Emory Taylor.

Harford County S.S.

$10.00/100 U.S. Revenue Stamp

On the 7th day of August 1868 Then came S. W. Crampton and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Jacob A Preston late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the 7th day of August 1868 Then came Richard M Taylor and R. Emory Taylor subscribing Witnesses, to the aforegoing, last Will and Testament of Jacob A Preston late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Joseph E Taylor and B. H. Keen subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

James Coale

I James Coale of Harford County, Maryland, being of sound and disposing, mind memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament as follows.

After my debts and funeral expenses shall have been paid I direct my Executors to pay over the following legacies which I do hereby bequeath unto the persons hereinafter named viz. To William E Coale, Isaac Coale and Susan Coale, Children of my brother Isaac Coale deceased and to Mary Welsh wife of Thomas C Welsh, grand daughter of the said Isaac Coale. I give and bequeath the sum of Fifty Dollars to each.

To Eliza Jackson daughter of W. Skipworth and Eliza Coale to Ruth Ann Quackenboss, daughter of Philip and Eliza Price, and to Elizabeth Johnson daughter of my brother William Coale I give and bequeath the sum of Fifty Dollars to each

To my Nephews James C Worthington and John H Worthington and to my niece Rebecca Worthington I give and bequeath the sum of One hundred Dollars to each. I hereby instruct my Executors to place in the hands of William Corse one hundred dollars which I bequeath to Joseph son of my niece Elizabeth James, to be paid to him by the said William Corse with the interest thereon when he the said Joseph shall arrive at the age

of Twenty one Years and in case the said Joseph shall die under age, the amount which would have gone to him shall pass to William Jas. Coale son of William Corse, I bequeath my Clothing to my brother William Coale and I desire my Executors to divide my library of books among themselves and James C. John H and Rebecca Worthington, The Residue of my Estate real, personal and mixed, I devise and bequeath to the four children of my Sister, Susan Corse, share and share alike, to wit; To William Corse one fourth, to James Corse one fourth, to John Corse one fourth, to Cassandra wife of John W Coale one fourth - but the share of my nephew James Corse I leave in trust with my Executors to invest for his use and benefit as they may think most for his advantage in a house and Lot for him or in any other way that it may be most secure and profitable for him, and I direct my Executors if they shall invest it in real Estate or securities of any Kind to have it so limited and fixed that it shall be secured to his lawful issue if he leave such, and if he do not, then he shall have power to will it at his death to any of his brothers or sisters or their children or such of them as he may prefer, I leave William Corse, John Corse, and John W. Coale Executors of this my last Will and testament, directing them to sell and dispose of all my real and personal property leaving the manner and terms of sale at their discretion and giving them power to convey Land, make and change investments of money and do all other acts and deeds for their benefit of my Estate as I myself if living could have done, and I do hereby make and publish this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all others Witness my hand and Seal

James Coale (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by James Coale the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence and the presence of each other, at his request have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto this Third day of March, 1862.

E. Quarles. Silas Ross Wm. Ross Robert Ross.

Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of July 1868 Then came John Corse and did Solemnly, Sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of James Coale late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from among the papers of said deceased

Affirmed to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of July 1868 Then came William Ross Robert Ross and Silas Ross subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Coale late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator

sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with E. Quarles subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

James Guyton

In the name of God, Amen. I James Guyton of Harford County State of Maryland, being weak in body but of sound mind memory and understanding knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs that I may be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

First and Principally I commit my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried, and after all my just debts and Funeral Expenses are paid I give and bequeathe as follows.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Sarah Rebecca Guyton all my Estate both real and personal to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

Last I do hereby constitute and appoint Samuel W. James sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me made and declaring this and none other to be my Last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this Seventh day of August Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

James Guyton (Seal)

James Guyton the above named Testator as and for his Last Will and Testament at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereunto

John B. Curry Geo Reese Thomas Kennedy

Harford County S.S.

On the 20th day of August 1868 then came John B Curry and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James Guyton late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he recieved the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 20th day of August 1868 Then came John B Curry Thomas Kennedy and George Reese subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Guyton late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly

Sincerely and Truly declared and Affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other Sworn and Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John K Sappington

I, John K Sappington of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this my last Will and Testament as follows to wit

I Will and direct that all my Estate, Real, Personal and mixed of whatsoever nature or kind or wheresoever found be sold and the whole proceeds thereof to be divided between my three Daughters Cassandra F. Rowland Rebecca N. Evans and Abiguil Helen Sappington, Share and Share alike as Tenants in common for their Sole and Seperate use

And I hereby appoint Charlton W. Billingslea William B. Rowland and John Evans Executors of this my last Will and Testament, with full power to them or the Survivor of them, or such of them as may take upon themselves the Execution of the trust hereby imposed to sell and dispose of my entire Estate Real and personal as aforesaid.

As witness my hand and Seal this first day of April 1864 the interlining of the words with full power inserted before signing

John K Sappington (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John K. Sappington the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William Young William Dallam A. H. Strawbaugh

Codicil I, John K Sappington of Harford County having heretofore made and duly Executed my last Will and Testament Every clause and bequest whereof I do hereby ratify and confirm, Except such clauses and bequests as are by this my Codicil which I will and direct shall be taken and held as part of my said last Will and Testament are changed or made void

I give and bequeath to my Daughter A. Helen wife of Israel G. Matthews for her Sole and Seperate use all the Silver Plate and other household property which I inherited or became possessed off by her mother my dear wife Aby Ann as a Specific Legacy. Item. I do hereby revoke and make void

The appointment of my Sons in law William B. Rowland and John Evans as Executors named in my Said will. and ratify and Confirm. the appointment of C. W. Billingslea as Sole Executor of my Said last will and Testament and this my Codicil thereto with all the Powers Conferred on him, that were given to the those by Said last will to Sell dispose off and distribute my Entire Estate Real and Personal

In Testimony whereof I hereto Subscribe my name and affix my Seal this 18 day of May 1868

John K. Sappington (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by John K. Sappington the Testator as as and for a Codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Hugh Dunlap John R. Doan. Henry Doan

Harford County SS

On the 22nd day of August 1868 then Came C. W. Billingslea and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of John K. Sappington late of Said County deceased Other than the above instruments of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

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Harford County SS

On the 22 day of August 1868 then Came William Young. A. H. Strawbaugh and William Dallam Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John K. Sappington. late of Said County deceased. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will. that they heard him Publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to and affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS

On the 22nd day of August 1868 then Came Hugh Dunlap John R. Doan and Henry Doan Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing

Codicil and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Codicil that they heard him Publish pronounce and declare the Same to be a Supplement to his last Will and Testament and at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Susannah Amos

In the name of God Amen. I Susannah Amos wife of William Amos of Harford County in the State of Maryland. being weak as body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the Certainty of death. and the uncertainty of the time thereof. and being desirous to Settle my worldly affairs. and thereby be the better prepared to leave this World when it shall please God to call me hence. do therefore Publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally. I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently Buried at the discretion of my friends and after my debts and funeral Charges a paid I will and devise as follows

Whereas by a deed of Conveyance dated the twentieth day of February in the Year A.D. Eighteen Hundred and fifty five and recorded in Liber A.L.F. No 108 One of the land records of the Circuit Court for Harford County. I obtained Jointly with my husband from John Heaton and Others, a Piece or Parcel of land lying in Harford County. Called Beautiful Plains, Containing about one Hundred acres of land more or less. Now I therefore hereby give and bequeath all my undivided half of the whole of Said premises unto my Husband William Amos. for and during his natural life, and at his decease. I give and devise Said lands and premises unto Alexander Rigdon Son of William Rigdon, and Calvin Richardson Son of Thomas Richardson Share and Share alike in fee Simple. Nevertheless it is my will wish and desire. that if my Said Husband Shall at any time within two years from my decease Shall pay or cause to be paid unto the Said Alexander Rigdon and Calvin Richardson the Sum of two hundred and fifty dollars Each making the Sum of five hundred dollars. then and in that Case. It is my will that my Said husband Shall possess the Same in fee Simple

And lastly I do hereby Constitute my Husband William Amos Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this

and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal on this twenty Second day of November in the year of Our lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty five

Susannah her x mark Amos (Seal)

William Amos

Signed Sealed published and declared by Susannah Amos the above named testatrix as and for her last Will and testament in our presence, who in her presence at her request and in the presence of Each other Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto the declaring in our presence from and apart and out of the presence and hearing of her said husband that she did sign seal and make the the said will freely and Voluntarily and without being induced to do so by fear or threats of or ill usage by her husband or by fear of his displeasure and says she does it willingly

William Rigdon Mary E Amos David Pyle

Harford County S S

On the 25th day of August 1868 then came William Amos and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Susannah Amos late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County S S

On the 25th day of August 1868 then came William Rigdon and Mary E Amos Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Susannah Amos late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of almighty God that they did see the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the Same to be her last will and Testament that at the time of her So doing she was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with David Pyle Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R W H Co

J. P. S. Sutton

J. J. P. S. Sutton of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind and memory, intending to make a proper disposition of the property wherewith it has pleased providence to favor me do make and publish this my will and Testament

First I desire that all my Just claims against my Estate be fully paid and the remainder of my money, I do give and devise to my Cousin Susan F. Boyd and with the Same paid her

Second I give my watch to William J. Kiew

Lastly I hereby appoint my uncle Samuel Sutton Executor of this my last will In Testimony whereof I have hereto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this twenty Eight day of July Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

Jonathan P. S. Sutton (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published as his last will by J. P. S. Sutton testator in the presence of us who at his request in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto the day and year above written

James R. Chesney John L. Gorrell T. Morgan Elliott

Harford County S S

On the 29th day of August 1868 then came Samuel Sutton and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of J. P. S. Sutton late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the Same from the hands of the Father of deceased who had the Same for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R W H Co

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Harford County S S

On the 29th day of August 1868 then came James R Chestney James L Gorrell and T. Morgan Elliott Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of J. P. S. Sutton late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R W H Co

Benjamin H. Jones

In the name of God Amen. I Benjamin H. Jones of Harford County in the State of Maryland. being in usual health and of Sound mind memory and understanding, Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to be decently buried on the north side of the public road leading to the Pennsylvania line. near the upper post of the present bars going into the orchard and after my wifes thirds are taken out and my just debts paid I give and devise as follows

I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah Norris wife of Reubin Norris three acres of land to be laid off from the lower end of what is known by the medow lot for and during her life. and at her decease to be Equally divided between her three present Children, share and share alike that is each to have one acre of land

I give and bequeath unto my Son Benjamin Jones two Acres of land to be laid off the lower end of the field lying on the north side of the Road leading to the Pennsylvania line and adjoining the lands. obtained by him from Lewis Norris also one acre off the upper End of the medow lot to him the said Benjamin during his natural life and at his disease to go to his heirs

I give and bequeath unto my Son John Jones all that point of land lying on the East side of the Road leading from Baltimore to Peach Bottom. and adjoining Joshua Low. during his natural life, and at his disease to go to his heirs

I give and bequeath unto my Son Hiram Jones the lot of ground lying on the East side of the aforesaid Peach Bottom road. and bounded on the north by the road leading to the Pennsylvania line. and adjoining the lands formerly owned by F. Y. Amas. by him allowing the rest of the heirs to have the use of the well, who are to help keep said well in repair. also one acre of the meddow lot adjoining the lot bequeathed to Benjamin to him the said Hiram, during his natural life. and at his decease to go to his heirs

I give and bequeath unto my Daughters Frances, Martha Jane. and Mary E. Jones Six acres of land Each to have two acres and to have and outlet on the Road leading from Baltimore to Peach Bottom. Said lots to be laid off on the west side of said road. So as not to Encroach on the Stable, Stack yard or Cattle yard to them the said Frances. Martha Jane. and Mary E. Jones during their natural lives then to go to their heirs

I give and bequeath unto my Son James Jones the mansion house and the ground fronting on the Road leading to the State line and with that road twenty five feet west of the House, and to run back bounding on the Peach Bottom road for Sixty feet, the orchard back of the house, the garden, lot below the the house, and

the lot across the road. occupied for Stable Stack yard. and Cattle yard, by him taking care of my wife. Matilda Jones during her natural life. also the balance of the meddow lot to him the said James during his natural life, and at his decease to go to his heirs

I give and bequeath to my Eight Children Viz. Sarah, Benjamin, John, Hiram Frances. Martha Jane, James and Mary E. Jones, a piece of land or building lot each, on the Road west of the Stone House. to be laid off from the end of twenty five feet from the Stone house up the road towards the upper corner of the orchard Each lot to be twenty five feet in front and to run fifty feet back, and to lay Contiguous to each other them during their lives and at their decease to go to their respective heirs

I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my lands unto my said Eight Children share and share alike for and during their natural lives and at their decease to go to their respective heirs

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Hugh Cunningham Whiteford my Executor to this my last will and Testament. who I authorize to sell and dispose of my personal Estate to pay my funeral Expenses and debts and to account for the ballance according to the direction of the Orphans Court.

In Testimony whereof I the said Benjamin H. Jones hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal on this Seventh day of May in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty three

Benjamin H. Jones (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Benjamin H. Jones as and for his last Will and Testament, in our presence who in his presence at his request and in the presence of Each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

David Pyle. David P. Scarborough. David L. Pyle

Harford County SS

On the 8th day of September 1868 then came Martha J. Jones and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Benjamin H. Jones late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Rtr&Co

Harford County SS

On the 8th day of September 1868 then came David Pyle and David L. Pyle two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforesaid last Will and Testament of Benjamin H. Jones late of said County deceased. and solemly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the testator sign and seal this will that they hard him publish pronounce and declare

the Same to be his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with David P. Scarbrough Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.&Co

James Riley

James Riley's last will and Testament: In the name of God I James Riley of Harford County State of Maryland being weak in body but of Sound mind memory and understanding Knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs that I may be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz

First and principally I commit my Soul to God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be buried at and after all my Just depts and funeral charges are paid I give and bequeath as follows

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Margaret Riley after all my Just depts are paid all my Real personal and mixed Property during her natural lifetime then to go to my beloved Son William Thomas Riley him his heirs and assigns forever

Item in case of the death of my beloved wife Margaret Riley and Son William Thomas Riley before he comes to heir my estate then the aforesaid estate goes back to my mother Susannah Riley if living, if not it goes to my Brother David Riley him his heirs and assigns forever

Item But in case of the death of my beloved Son William Thomas Riley before he heirs the aforegoing property then Margaret Riley has all my personal property to dispose of at will, and the Real Estate to go as before mentioned after her death

Last I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Margaret Riley Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revocking annulling all former Wills made by me and declaring this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony hereof I have hereunto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this Twenty first day of June Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

James Riley (Seal)

James Riley the above testator as and for his last Will and Testament

In the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Robert A. Whiteford Charles A. Johnson George R. Scarff

Harford County SS

On the 14th day of September 1868 then Came Margaret Riley and did Solemnly Sincerely and truly declare and affirm that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James Riley late of Said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that she received the Same from the hands of the testator for Safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.&Co

Harford County SS

On the 14th day of September 1868 then Came Robert A Whiteford Charles A Johnson and George R Scarff Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Riley late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.&Co

John Lewin

Be it remembered that I John Lewin of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound disposing mind memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

In the first place, I do will and direct: that all my Just debts and funeral Expenses be paid and Satisfied, and I do hereby authorize and empower my Executor hereinafter named to dispose of and Sell all my personal property and real Estate Except So much thereof as is hereinafter devised, as Soon after my decease as may be convenient or at a time he shall think best for the interest of those concerned, and I do hereby authorise and Empower him to make and Execute all and every deed or deeds that may be necessary for Conveying and Securing the Same to the purchaser or purchasers in fee Simple, and I do hereby direct my Executor hereinafter named to retain the Sum of One thousand Dollars from the Sales of my Real Estate and Secure the Same by a lien on the lands he shall have Sold or by Some other Safe investments, the Interest of which Sum of money I will and direct shall be

paid annually in Equal Portions to my daughters Ann Lewin and Lydia Lewin for and during their natural or single lives. and if they or either of them should be in circumstances that the interest to the aforesaid Sum will not maintain them they shall have the power to draw on the principal to the amount of the Sum of Ten Dollars a year during their need and at the death or marriage of one or both of my said daughters that portion of said Fund set apart for her or their benefit shall be divided share and share alike between my residuary legatees herein after named or to their legal heirs

I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Rachel Ann Pyle the Sum of Two Hundred Dollars

I give and bequeath to my Grand Son David L. Pyle the Sum of two Hundred Dollars to be paid to him when he arrives to the age of twenty one years

I give and bequeath to my Grand daughter Rachel Frances Lewin the Sum of two Hundred Dollars to be paid to her when she arrives to the age of Eighteen years

I give and bequeath to Wm. H. Thompson four Children namely Margaret Ann Mary Lydia and William John Thompson the Sum of one Hundred Dollars each to be paid to each of them when they arrive at legal age

I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann Lewin the Bed and Bedding which she now occupies and one Bureau six chairs and the carpet in the room. and the one half of all the poultry which may be on the premises at the time of my decease

I give and bequeath to my daughter Lydia Lewin the bed & bedding which she now occupies one Bureau six chairs and the carpet in the room, one cow her choice, all my friends Books. and the one half of all the poultry which may be on the premises at the time of my death

I give and bequeath to David G. McCoy Trustee appointed by Deer Creek Monthly Meeting. or to such other person or persons as may hereafter be appointed Trustee or Trustees by said meeting. for the use and benefit of the Society of Friends of Broad Creek the following lot of ground now laysd off and contained within the following meets and bounds beginning for the same near or at the South East Corner of the meeting house lot and running thence South thirty seven and a half degrees west three perches to a stone South sixty three and a half degrees west twenty five perches to a stone on the East side of the public road. North Eighteen degrees East Eight perches to the Broad Creek meeting house lot then with said lot South fifty three and a half degrees East twenty seven perches to the place of beginning

I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate Real and Personal to my following named Eight Children to wit. Rachel Hall Sarah R Thompson. John Lewin & William P. Lewin. Ann Lewin Mary S. Pyle Amos S. Lewin and Lydia Lewin

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint David Pyle to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made and declaring this to be my only one

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this twenty seventh day of the third month in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and fifty three

John Lewin (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John Lewin the Testator to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses

David G. McCoy Richard B. McCoy William G. McCoy

Harford County SS

On the 22nd day of October 1858 then came David G. McCoy and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or codicil of John Lewin late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test S. N. Cly R. Hall Co

Harford County SS

On the 22nd day of October 1858 then came David G McCoy and Richard B McCoy two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Lewin late of said County deceased and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament. that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with William G McCoy subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test S. N. Cly R. Hall Co

John Hall Will

In the name of God Amen I John Hall. of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body. but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world. when it shall please God to call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God

and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my Just debts and funeral charges are paid. I devise and bequeath as follows

I give and devise unto George W. H. Spencer infant Son of Daniel Spencer all my lot of wood land containing about five acres as now laid off for me. or all the right title and interest which I may have in said lot in fee simple

I give and devise unto my Brother Charles W. Hall. all my other lot of land containing about ten Acres as it is now laid off for me or all the right title and interest which I may have in said lot in fee simple

I also give and bequeath unto my Brother Charles W. Hall my Silver watch

I give and bequeath unto my mother Caroline Cooper my fancy quilt or Counterpane. And my will and desire is that my Executor hereinafter named shall sell at public sale soon as convenient after my decease. all the residue of my personal property and out of the proceeds of said sale I direct that all my Just debts and funeral charges shall be paid. and should there be any money remaining from said sale after all my Just debts and funeral charges are paid my will and desire is that my Executor shall pay it over to my mother Caroline Cooper

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Brother Charles W. Hall to be sole executor of this my last will and testament. revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight

John his Hall (Seal)
Mark

Signed sealed published and declared by John Hall the above named Testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto

Elias Beaumont John C. Monks John Clark

Harford County SS

On the 8th day of September 1868 then came John Clark and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codicil of John Hall Sr late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. N. Ely R. W. Co

Harford County SS

On the 8th day of September 1868 then came John Clark and on the 28th day of October 1868 then came Elias Beaumont two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of John Hall Sr late of said County deceased. and severally made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal this will that they had him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with John C. Monks subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request. and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. N. Ely R. W. Co

David N. Wiley

In the name of God Amen I David N. Wiley of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak in body but of sound disposing mind memory and understanding. and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in the manner and form following. that is to say. First and principaly. I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried. and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid I devise and bequeath as follows to wit

Item 1st It is my will that my Mill property with twenty acres belonging thereto shall be sold by my Executor so soon as is convenient after my death: and the proceeds of the sale to be divided as follows. Two thirds of the money is to be equally divided. between my four sons namely Joseph. Mathew. David W. and James Wiley and the other third to be equally divided between my four daughters or their heirs, namely Rebecca Morsteller. Mary Heaps Eliza J Cashcash. and Hannah Duncan

Item 2nd To my son James Wiley I will and bequeath all the land I own that I purchased of Abraham Almoney to him and his heirs forever

Item 3rd. It is my will that the land and premises on which I now reside. and purchased of my daughter Sarah J. Wiley, shall also be sold by my Executors hereinafter named so soon as is convenient after my death, and all other land that I own or possess not willed or disposed of. and the proceeds of the sale to be divided as named and expressed in

Item First

Item 1st" It is my will that all of my Personal Property shall be sold and the Proceeds of Sale be divided as named in items First and Third

Item 2d It is my Will that the Money advanced to and owing by William Duncan One Hundred and fifty Dollars, shall be paid by the said Duncan to his three Children, in Equal Sums, the issue of my daughter Hannah when they shall arrive at lawful age

Item 3d I appoint my Sons Joseph and Mathew Riley to be Executors of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight

L. N. Riley (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by David N. Riley the within named Testator in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John H. Hardwood John Payne William Duncan Benjamin Amoney

Harford County S.S

On the 2d day of November 1868 then came John H. Hardwood and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of D. N. Riley late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R. W. Hco

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Harford County S.S

On the 2d day of November 1868 then came John H. Hardwood and Benjamin Amoney two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of D. N. Riley late of said County deceased. And made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will. that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with John Payne and William Duncan subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test J. N. Ely R. W. Hco

Charles B. Cameron

I Charles Bodley Cameron of the City of Baltimore State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make this as and for my last Will and Testament

I give and bequeath to my Sister Lucy Virginia Cummingham wife of Charles S. Cumming Esq of Harford County State of Maryland, One Thousand Dollars to be invested for her sole and exclusive use and benefit

I give and bequeath to my Sister Caroline Keating Fellows wife of Barnard C. Fellows of Pittsfield State of Massachusetts, One Thousand Dollars to be invested for her sole and exclusive use and benefit

I give and bequeath to my Aunt Jane Chaney Andrew, of James M. Chaney of the City of Baltimore State of Maryland One Hundred Dollars

I give and bequeath to my Cousin Clara Chaney Daughter of Jane of the City and State aforesaid One Hundred Dollars

I give and bequeath to my Cousin Ruth Piggins widow of John Piggins of the City and State aforesaid One Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to my Cousin Malvina Geoghegan wife of Thomas Geoghegan of the City and State aforesaid One Hundred Dollars

I give and bequeath to my friend James B. Seattle of the City and State aforesaid, One Hundred Dollars

I wish and desire and do direct that whatever monies may remain after payment of the above legacies shall be used for the payment of all my just debts and funeral Expenses. And for improving my lot in the Western Cemetery near the City of Baltimore

I hereby constitute and appoint my Sister Lucy Virginia Cummingham Executor of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal this twenty seventh day of October 1868

C. B. Cameron (Seal)

Witness

John Carroll Hatch Christopher C. Rouse Samuel M. Cummingham

Harford County S.S

On the 1st day of November 1868 then came Lucy Virginia Cummingham and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that she does not know of any Will or Codicil of C. B. Cameron late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R. W. Hco

Harford County S.S.

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On the 9th day of November 1868 then came John Carroll Walsh Subscribing witness to the aforegoing last Will and Testaments of C. B. Dameron late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that he heed him Publish Pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament. that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with Christopher C Rouse and Daniel M. Cunningham Subscribed his name as witness to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John Keithley

In the name of God Amen I John Keithley of Harford County & State of Maryland being Sick and weak in body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding Knowing of the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to Settle my worldly affairs. and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it Shall Please God to Call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally I Commit my Soul unto God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends

Item I direct that all my debts and necessary Expences be paid as herein after provided

Item I give and bequeath unto my dear wife Hellen Keithely on Feather bed. One Bureau One Table Six Chairs. and my four Head of Cattle Consisting of two Cows and two Heifers. Also Sixty Six Dollars and Sixty Seven Cents in Cash

Item I wish and Expressly direct that all the residue of my personal property not heretofore bequeathed. Shall be Sold at Such time and on Such terms as is deemed most advantageous by my Executor hereinafter named

Item It is my wish and desire that one half of all my debts Shall be paid out of the proceeds of the Sale of the personal property authorized to be Sold

Item It is my wish and I direct the the Ballance remaining after the payment of the debts authorized be Equally divided between my dear wife Hellen Keithley and my Son Thomas R. Keithley of Lancaster County Pennsylvania

Item It is my wish and I expressly direct that my dear wife Hellen

Keithley shall pay one Half of my debts. and Expences out of her share of the personal property above authorized to be Sold &c

Item It is my wish and I expressly direct that all my Real Estate Shall be Sold at Such time and on Such terms as my Executor Shall deem fit and that the proceeds Shall be Equally divided between my dear wife Hellen Keithley and my Son Thomas R Keithley of Lancaster County Pennsylvania

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint A. Preston Gilbert to be my Sole Executor of this my last Will and testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this twenty first day of March Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

John Keithley (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of us by John Keithley the above named Testator and at his request

James M. Everest Holland Greenland William S. Coale

Harford County S.S.

On the 11th day of November 1868 then came A. Preston Gilbert and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Keithley. late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

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Harford County S.S.

On the 11th day of November 1868. then came James M. Everest Holland Greenland and Wm S. Coale Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Keithley late of Said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will. that they heed him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Hannah Clark cold

I, Hannah Clark, Coloured woman, of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being of Sound mind and memory, working to dispose of my property so that it may pass as I wish it should, therefore I make this as my last Will and Testament

It is my Will and wish that Mary Taylor Coolered girl that has lived with me for some years shall inherit my whole estate

Therefore I bequeath give and devise unto the said Mary Taylor all property that I may leave at my death, both Real personal or mixed for her sponse use and benefit and I further appoint and constitute the said Mary Taylor Executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking all other Wills by me made, acknowledging and confirming this as my Will

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this second day of November 1864

Hannah her mark Clark (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Hannah Clark the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and testament in the presence of us who in her presence and in the presence of Each other at her request have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Henry G. Walters Godfrey Walters Elizabeth G. Walters

Harford County SS

On the 11th day of December 1868 then came Godfrey Walters and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Hannah Clark cole late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the papers of his father Henry G. Walters

Sworn to in open Court

Test F. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Harford County SS

On the 11th day of December 1868 then came Godfrey Walters and Elizabeth G. Walters two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannah Clark cole late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their

apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Henry G. Walters subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test F. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Ann Stump

I Ann Stump of Harford County in the State of Maryland, do hereby publish this as and for my last Will and Testament

In the first place I bequeath my soul to the God who gave it, my body to the Earth to be decently buried

I desire that all my just debts shall be first paid, but of the rest of my Estate I give and bequeath three Hundred dollars to be paid to the Trustees of Harmony Church for the use of said Church, to be appropriated to such use as said Trustees shall think best

All my Stock in the York County Bank in Pennsylvania, I give and bequeath to Edward Bingham Son of Hugh Bingham

That portion of my property on my farm called Ever Green in side and out side of the House, I give and bequeath to Fredrick Stump

To my servants moses and Dinah I give and bequeath the sum of one Hundred dollars each

Witness my hand and seal this Eighteenth day of September A.D. Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

Ann Stump (Seal)

Signed Sealed and to me delivered as and for her last Will and Testament this 18th of Sept 1868 by Mrs Ann Stump

Frederick Stump

Harford County SS

On the 13th day of December 1868 then came Frederick Stump and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ann Stump late of said County deceased Except a Codicil represented to be in the hands of Mr Moore Clark County Virginia, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test F. R. Ely R. W. & Co

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Harford County SS

On the 13th day of December 1868 then came Frederick Stump subscribing witness to the aforegoing

Last Will and Testament of Amos Stump late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did See the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will. that he heard her publish pronounce and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament. that at the time of Her So doing She was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. and that he Subscribed his name as Witness to this Will in her presence and at her request.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely. R. Wells

Daniel Pope

Last Will and Testament of Daniel Pope of Harford County Maryland

I Daniel Pope of Harford County Maryland being of Sound mind and in good health. do make declare and publish this to be my last Will and Testament. hereby revoking any and all other Wills I may have heretofore made

1st First I hereby Constitute and appoint George A Pope of Baltimore City Maryland and Daniel P. Hollingsworth of Harford County Maryland to be Executors of this my Will, and I do hereby Clothe them with full and absolute authority to Sell or Otherwise dispose of, and Convey a full and Sufficient title to any and all property of Every Kind belonging to me which is not otherwise Specifically disposed of in this Will,

If George A. Pope shall die at any time before the full Consummation of the duties imposed upon him as Executor of this Will, It is my wish and Will that his brother Daniel F. Pope of Baltimore City shall be appointed in his Stead. and if Daniel P. Hollingsworth shall die at any time before the full consummation of the duties imposed upon him as Executor of this Will, it is my wish and will that his brother Edward P. Hollingsworth, shall be appointed in his Stead

2nd Second I hereby give and bequeath to the Six Children of Amos and Lois Hollingsworth as follows To Daniel P and Edward P Each the Sum of Three thousand Dollars, to Elizabeth, Rebecca, Cyrus and Charles, Each the Sum of One thousand Dollars. making in all to the Six Children, the Sum of Ten thousand Dollars

3rd Third. I hereby give and bequeath to my Nephews. George A Daniel F. and David S. Pope Sons of my Brother David Each the Sum of One thousand Dollars in all Three thousand Dollars

4th Fourth I hereby give and bequeath to my nieces Hannah and Parthenia Lovegrove daughters of my Sister Lydia Each the Sum of One thousand Dollars, in all two thousand Dollars. to be held in

Trust for them Separately by George A Pope of Baltimore City who is hereby authorized Either to hold the principal Sums for them and pay them the interest. Such principal Sums may Earn from any investments or reinvestments of the Same, he may in his discretion make or to pay to Either of my Said nieces the whole or any part of her Share of Said principal Sums as in his Judgment may Seem best at any time. And it is my will that if Either of my Said nieces, shall die before having received the whole of her Share of Said principal Sum, then the Same, or So much of it as shall not have been paid to her. Shall revert to my Executors to be divided according to the Seventh clause of this Will. provided that at the time of her death she shall leave no child or decendants then living, It being my intention to provide that the Said Shares shall not go to the collateral next of Kin of my Said nieces but unless they leave a child or decendant living to take their Share. the Said Share shall revert to the residuary fund to be divided as part of my Estate In case George A. Pope shall die in the life time of his brother Daniel F Pope. the Said Shares shall be held by the Said Daniel F. Pope as trustee, under the like powers and limitations, If both shall die then a trustee may be appointed. It being my will that the Trust shall continue during the lifetime of both my Said nieces unless terminated by the payment to them of the Said Shares

5th Fifth I hereby give and bequeath to Lois Hollingsworth, wife of Amos Hollingsworth, my Farm in Harford County Maryland. together with the buildings thereupon, and all the Stock, implements, and other property thereon of which I am the owner, Excepting only such things as are otherwise bequeathed in this Will, and I also give and bequeath to the Said Lois Hollingsworth all my household furniture. books, Silver ware and Clothing of Every description

6th Sixth. I hereby give and bequeath to Daniel P. Hollingsworth, my Watch, Horse, Carriage and Harness and Chest of Tools

7th Seventh. In the Event of my making no Codicil to this my Will, my Executors are hereby directed after having paid the bequests hereinbefore enumerated, and disposed of the property as herein Specified, at such time or times as they may deem best, to divide the whole remainder of my property of every Kind and description, Either by converting it all or in part into money by Sale. or by Specifically dividing the whole or any part thereof, into twelve equal parts. and pay to Each of the following named persons. One of the Said twelve parts, Namely, Lois Hollingsworth, Daniel P, Elizabeth, Edward P., Rebecca, Cyrus and Charles her Children, George A. Daniel F. and David S Pope and Hannah and Parthenia Lovegrove, the Said parts for Hannah and Parthenia Lovegrove to be held for them Separately in trust by Said George A. Pope with the Same powers and limitations

and provisions as mentioned in the Fourth clause of this Will, in reference to the legacy of One thousand Dollars. Each to the Said Hannah and Parthenia Lovegrove

In Witness Whereof I hereunto Sign my name and affix my Seal this twelfth day of the third month Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

Daniel Pope (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Daniel Pope the above testator as and for his last Will and Testament in presence of us who in his presence and Sight, and in the Sight and presence of Each other and at his request have Subscribed our names as Witnesses to Said last Will and Testament on this twelfth day of the third month Eighteen hundred and Sixty Eight

John L. Crawford J. B. Davenport Joseph Clendenin

Harford County S S

On the 17th day of December 1868 then came George A. Pope and did Solemly Sincearly and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Daniel Pope late of Said County deceased, of a later date other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the testator for Safe keeping

affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

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Harford County S S

On the 17th day of December 1868 then came J. B. Davenport and Joseph Clendenin Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Daniel Pope late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and Solemly Sincearly and truly declared and affirmed that they did See the testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding and that they together with John L. Crawford Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn and affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Mary Wilson

In the name of God amen. I Mary Wilson of Harford County, in the State of Maryland being weak in Body, but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, Considering the Certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time of thereof, and being desirous to Settle my Worldly affairs do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say. I devise and bequeath all my Estate, both Real and Personal to my beloved Husband Christopher Wilson to him his heirs and assigns in fee Simple

And I do hereby Constitute and appoint my dear Husband Christopher Wilson to be my Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament awoking all former Wills, ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Seventh day of March in the year of our Lord 1868.

Mary Wilson (Seal)

Richard Holloway John Hawkins. James F. Reasin

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Mary Wilson the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at her request in her presence, and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto. the Said Mary Wilson having Sined and Sealed the Said Will, before us out of the presence and hearing of her husband Christopher Wilson, and the Said Mary Wilson being by us privately Examined apart from and out of the presence and hearing of her Said Husband whether she doth make the Same willingly and Voluntarily, and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of or ill usage by her Said Husband, declareth and Saith she does it willingly and freely, and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of or ill usage by her Said husband or through fear of his displeasure

I Christopher Wilson Husband of the above named Testatrix hereby Consent to the above Will and Subscribe my name hereto this Seventh day of March 1868

Signed and Subscribed by Christopher Wilson in our presence

Richard Holloway John Hawkins James F. Reasin

Harford County S. S

On the 21st day of December 1868 then Came Christopher Wilson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of a later date of Mary Wilson late of Said County deceased Other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hand of the testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S S

On the 21st day of December 1868 then came James F Reasin Richard Holloway and John Hawkins Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Wilson late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the testatrix Sign and Seal this Will. that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her So doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory. and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R. W. H. Co

Jacob Johnson Cold

In the name of God Amen. I Jacob Johnson of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being Sick and weak in Body but of Sound and disposing mind & understanding. Considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous, to Settle my Worldly affairs. and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it Shall please God to Call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named after my debts and funeral charges are paid. and my wife thirds taken out. I devise and bequeath as follows.

Item I will and bequeath to my wife Laura Johnson. the House an lot and House no, 343, spr; 233, also all my personal property

And lastly. I do hereby Constitute and appoint my dear wife Laura to be Sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking and allulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and now other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof. I hereto Set my hand and Seal. this First day of December in the year of Our Lord Eighteen. hundred and Sixty Eight

Jacob his x mark Johnson (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above name Jacob Johnson as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in presence of each other; have hereto Set our hands as witnesses hereto

John H. Richardson William Osborn Jesse White

Harford County S S

On the 27th January 1869 then came John H Richardson William Osborn. Jesse White. Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jacob Johnson late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God. that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will. that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R. W. H. Co

Susannah Strithoff

I Susan Strithoff of Harford County. State of Maryland Knowing the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to Settle my worldley affairs and thearby be the better prepared to leave this world when it Shall please God to call me heance do thearfore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following that is to Say First and principaly I commit my Soul into the hands of almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discression of my friends Secondley that my Executor hearafter named pay all my just debts and funeral charges Soon as the means can be raised from my personal property for him So to do

Item 1 I Will or give and bequeath to my neace Sarah E. Holt of Harford County. one Bead 1 Blanket; 2 Sheates 1 quilt and 2 pillear cases, 1 Set of Cheaney Dishes, my Corner rag

Carpet. Kitchen Stove, my Earthen ware and Churn Small looking Glass and Card and my large Chest.

Item 2nd I give and Bequeath to my Neace Susan Ann Barlow my Silver Spoons, best Carpet, Bureau large Looking glass Parlor Stove my Cupboard ware not divided and Fifty Dollars in cash and I to my Neace

Item 3 I give and bequeath to my Neace Mary Martha Barlow One Bead with new tick, One Blanket, 2 Sheets One Quilt with Pillow and Cases Bead Steads Table and Spinning Wheel

Item 4th I give and bequeath to James Barlow and John Hill my Corn, Wheat to Shear and Shear alike

Item 5 I give and bequeath to my Neace Nathanian Newlon it my Neat Cattle I give and bequeath to my 3 Neaces Catharine Newlon Susan Ann Barlow, Mary Martha Barlow all other Furniture of Every description I may be Possessed of not above disposed of to be Equally divided between them by my Executor hereafter to be named to this my last Will and Testament

Finally I do hereby Constitute and appoint David Tucker Sen my Executor to this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Eighteen day of March in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight.

Susannah Stirkoff (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Susan Stirkoff the above named testator as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of Each other subscribe our names as witnesses thereto

Witnesses

John R. Roe Thomas C. Smithson John C. Tucker

Hartford County S.S.

On the 1st day of February 1869 then came David Tucker Sr and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he does not know of any will or Codicil of Susannah Stirkoff late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Cg N. Hills

Hartford County S.S.

On the 1st day of February 1869 then came John C. Tucker Thomas C. Smithson and John R. Roe Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing last will and Testament of Susan Stirkoff late of said County

deceased. John C. Tucker and Thomas Smithson, made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, and John R. Roe Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed That they did see the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will, that they heard her Publish Pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing She was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each Other

Affirmed and Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. N. Cg N. Hills

Copy Rowland Parry

Extract from the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Bangor

Probate Court Seal

I, Rowland Parry of Brynkenlog Villa Upper Bangor in the County of Carnarvon hereby revoke all Wills Codicils and Other Testamentary dispositions heretofore made by me and declare this to be my last Will and Testament

I bequeath to Each of my Executors who shall prove this my Will and act therein and each in the trust thereof Fifty Pounds, I devise all my Real Estate both in this County and America except what I shall dispose of by this my Will or any Codicil thereto unto and to the use of my Brother Owen Parry of Hair Farm near Amlwch in the County of Anglesey and of my Brother in law John Michael High Street Bangor aforesaid their heirs Executors and Administrators respectively upon trust that the said Owen Parry and John Michael or the survivor of them or the heirs Executors or Administrators of such survivor shall sell the same, Provided always and I hereby declare that the trustees or trustees for the time being of this my Will may postpone the sale of my freehold and leasehold tenements or any part thereof during such period as they or he shall think proper except that part of my Farm of Glynmelwen in the Parish of Llandeiniolen in the County of Carnarvon which I invested with the trustees of the Llandeiniolen and Llanrug Enfranchisement Trustees to the sale of said Farm and other lands and which sale took place at the Royal Sportsman Hotel Carnarvon on the twentieth day of August One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty four, and also all my Freehold Estate situate at or near Colwyn in the County of Denbigh and which portions of my Freehold Farm of Glynmelwen and my Freehold Estate at or near Colwyn, I desire the said trustees or trustee to sell as soon after my decease as they shall think it expedient to my Estate to do so and they or he shall

not sell any part of my freehold and leasehold Estate except as aforesaid during the life of my wife and daughter or the Survivor of them without their or her Consent in writing. And I declare that the net rents and profits of such of the same premises as shall not for the time being have been sold no portion of the rents and profits being retained as Capital, shall be paid and applied as the annual income of the proceeds of sale thereof would be applied if the same premises had been actually sold. I bequeath all my personal estate unto the said Owen Pany and John Michael their executors and Administrators upon trust that the said Owen Pany and John Michael or the Survivor of them or the Executors or administrators of such Survivor shall call in sell and convert into money such part of my said personal Estate as shall not consist of money. And I declare that the said Owen Pany and John Michael and the Survivor of them and the heirs and Executors or administrators respectively of such Survivor shall out of the moneys to arise from the sale of my said real estate and from the calling in sale and conversion into money of such part of my said personal estate as shall not consist of money and the money of which I shall be possessed at my death, pay my funeral and testamentary expences and debts whether such debts be barred by the Statute of Limitations or not provided such claimants who would otherwise be so barred can prove to the satisfaction of the said Owen Pany and John Michael that such debts were duly contracted by me and the legacies. Other than the specific legacies bequeathed by this my will or any Codicil thereto, and shall invest the residue of the said moneys in the names or name or under the legal control of the said Owen Pany and John Michael or the Survivor of them or the Executor administrators of such Survivor in any of the public stocks or funds or Government securities of the United Kingdom or upon freehold copyhold leasehold or chattel real securities in England Wales or Ireland on in or upon the shares stocks or securities of any Company or Corporation whether Commercial Municipal or otherwise carrying on business or constituted for any purpose in the United Kingdom but in no other investment. And I declare that the said trustees or trustees may vary the said stocks, funds, shares and securities at their or his discretion and shall pay the income of the said trust premises to my wife Ann and my said daughter Ann during their lives in equal shares and the whole of said income to the survivor of them during her life, And after the death of my said wife and my said daughter, shall hold the said trust premises upon trust for all or any such one or more of the issue of my said daughter and in such manner and form in every respect as my said daughter, shall by deed or will or Codicil appoint. And in default of any such appointment and so far as no such appointment shall extend. In trust for all the children of my said daughter, or any her child who being sons or a son, shall attain the age of twenty one years or being daughters or a daughter, shall attain that age or many and if more than one in equal

shares, provided always, and I hereby declare that notwithstanding the trusts hereinbefore declared in favor of the issue of my said daughter it shall be lawful for my said daughter when married by will or Codicil to appoint that all or any part of the interest dividends and income of the said stocks funds shares and securities in or upon or into which the same shall be invested or varied shall from and after her death be paid to her husband for his life or for any less period and upon such conditions and with such restrictions as she shall think fit. And in default or failure of such issue in trust for my Brothers John Pany Richard Pany Robert Pany the said Owen Pany and my Sister Jane Williams my Sister Ann Delamere my Nephew John Jones son of my Sister Mary Jones and my Brother in law Thomas Griffith, their Executors and administrators in equal shares, and in case of my said daughter dying without issue as aforesaid, I bequeath unto the said Owen Pany and John Michael the sum of One thousand pounds upon trust to invest the same in manner hereinbefore mentioned and to pay the annual income thereof unto the said John Michael and Elizabeth his wife during their lives, and to the Survivor of them during her or his life and after the death of the Survivor of them upon trust for Thomas Michael the son of the said John and Elizabeth Michael his executors and administrators absolutely. I bequeath unto my said wife and my said daughter the sum of Five hundred pounds to be applied by them towards any Religious Charity the choose, I bequeath the sum of Five hundred pounds to the Elders and Deacons of Tur Gwyn Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Chapel in Upper Bangor or any other Chapel which may hereafter be erected in lieu thereof to be invested by them on good freehold security and the annual income thereof to be applied towards the salary of a stated Minister or towards paying other preachers officiating in the same Chapel but should such Chapel be discontinued by the said Connexion then the said principal sum of Five hundred pounds and the income thereof is to be applied to support preachers of the same Connexion in the Parish of Bangor as the County monthly Meeting of Carnarvonshire shall direct. And I appoint the said Owen Pany and the said John Michael Executors of this my will. In witness whereof I the said Rowland Pany the Testator have to this my last will and testament contained in four sheets of paper to this and the three preceding sheets thereof set my hand this third day of March in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and sixty six

Rowland Pany

Signed and declared by the said Rowland Pany the Testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us present at the same time who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses, John Williams Guynpyri Coach Builder David Edwards Solicitor Bangor

Proved at Bangor the 11th day of June 1866 by the Oaths of Owen Parry the Brother and John Michael the Executors to whom Administration was granted the testator Rowland Parry was late of Vronheulog Villa Upper Bangor in the Parish of Bangor in the County of Camarvon Gentleman and dec'd on the 8th day of May 1866 at Beyrout in Syria, under £2000

R. J. Williams Sol. Camarvon

I the undersigned do hereby certify that the writing on the preceding pages numbered 1 to 6 is a true and faithful Copy of the Original last Will and Testament of Rowland Parry late of Vronheulog Villa Upper Bangor in the Parish of Bangor in the County of Camarvon Gentleman deceased now remaining in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Bangor, such Copy having been carefully Collated with the said Original Will and found to agree therewith

H. Deaver Roberts, District Register

Seal of the court of Probate. Bangor Registry

George Bevard

I George Bevard of Harford County and State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind and understanding do hereby make declare and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First I give and bequeath to my Son George Bevard Jr and my Daughter Annie E. Bevard all my personal property to be divided between them Equally

Second I give and bequeath to my Son George Bevard Jr all my Real Estate to him his heirs and assigns forever. out of which however I direct he shall pay to my Son James Bevard One thousand dollars to my Son Wakeman H. Bevard One thousand dollars. and to my daughter Annie E. Bevard One thousand Dollars, and a home so long as she shall remain single. and I hereby appoint and Constitute my Son George Bevard Jr Executor to this my last Will and Testament. and I direct him to execute this my last Will and Testament and now other

February 13th 1869

George Bevard

This is to Certify that George Bevard signed the within instrument of writing as his last Will and testament in our presence and in the presence of Each Other February 13th 1869 Joseph H. Jewett. S. J. Ramsey

Harford County S S

On the 1st day of March 1869 then came George Bevard and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of George Bevard late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co.

Harford County S S

On the 1st day of March 1869 then came Samuel J. Ramsey and Joseph H. Jewett subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of George Bevard late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and solemly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn and affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co.

Benjamin Silver

In the name of God Amen. I Benjamin Silver of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this my last Will and Testament as follows

I give and bequeath unto my wife Hannah Silver all my Estate during her lifetime and at her decease I give and bequeath the same to Thomas T. Mitchell Son of Evan and Frances Mitchell and the grandson of my wife Hannah Silver

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty ninth day of July in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and fifty Eight

Benjamin Silver (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Benjamin Silver as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto on this 29th day of July 1858

William Murphy Henry M. Cole George W. Murphy

Harford County S S

On the 16th day of March 1869 then came Thomas P Mitchell and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Benjamin Silver late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the widow of Said deceased who had the Same for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

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Harford County S S

On the 16th day of March 1869 then came Henry M Cole Subscribing witness to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Benjamin Silver late of Harford County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did See the Testator Sign and Seal this will that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with William Murphy and George W. Murphy Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Jacob Burkins

In the name of God Amen I Jacob Burkins of Harford County in the State of Maryland being Sick and weak in body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding Considering the Certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to Settle my world affairs and thereby be the better prepaired to leave this world when it Shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently burried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named. And I do authorize and direct my Executor to Sell my personal property. and if necessary my Real Estate. And after my funeral Charges. and all my Just debts are paid I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate to my dearly beloved wife Catherine Burkins. and her heirs and assigns in fee Simple

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint John Daugherty to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament ratifying and Confirming this and non other to be my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I have Set my hand and affixed my Seal this fifth day of October in the year 1868

Jacob Burkins (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Jacob Burkins the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us

Samuel Love Robert Little Oliver C. Love

Harford County S S

On the 22nd day of March 1869 then came John Daugherty and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Jacob Burkins late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Harford County S S

On the 22nd day of March 1869 then came Samuel T. Love and Robert Little two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jacob Burkins late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Oliver C Love Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Zacheriah Stroble

In the name of God I Zacheriah Stroble of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak in body but Sound in mind and desirous to Settle my worldly affairs do Will and bequeath to Mary Ann Cain of Harford County and State aforesaid. all my Real Estate and personal property. She the Said Mary Ann Cain promises to take good care of me in Sickness. and in health: and to never leave me while life doth last

In testimony thereof in presence of these witnesses I set my hand and affix my Seal this Second day of June Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

Jeremiah Stroble (Seal)

William Hopkins Samuel R. Emmert Amos Thompson

Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of July 1868 then came Mary Ann Bam and made oath to the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Jeremiah Stroble late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. N. Cole Clk. N. D. Hos

Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of July 1868 then came William Hopkins and on the 30th day of March 1869 then came Samuel R. Emmert and Amos Thompson subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jeremiah Stroble late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. N. Cole Clk. N. D. Hos

George Mason

I George Mason of Harford County State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and nullifying all my former last Wills and Testaments and findings in nature of last Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made. This Will is

First: That my funeral Charges and just debts shall be paid by my Executor hereinafter named

Second I give devise and bequeath all the rents and residue of my Estate real personal and mixed of which I shall be seized and possessed or to which I shall be entitled at the time of my decease to Samuel H. Matthews to have and hold the same to him and to his heirs Executors

Administrators and assigns to his and their use and behoof forever

Thirdly I do nominate and appoint the said Samuel H. Matthews to be the sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I the said George Mason have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this Eighteenth day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty four

George Mason (Seal)

Signed sealed and declared by the said George Mason to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto in the presence of each other

J. J. Hopkins Samuel H. Hopkins J. J. Hall

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of March 1869 then came Philip H. Silver and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of George Mason late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. N. Cole Clk. N. D. Hos

Harford County S.S.

On the 3rd day of April 1869 then came J. J. Hopkins and J. J. Hall two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of George Mason late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Samuel H. Hopkins subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. N. Cole Clk. N. D. Hos

Hamon Reynolds

In the name of God Amen I Hamon Reynolds of Harford County and State of Maryland considering the uncertainty of life and being of sound mind and memory and in good bodily health do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following

That is to Say
First It is my Will that all my Just debts and funeral Expenses be first Paid
Second I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Catherine Reynolds all my Estate both Real and Personal whatsoever to hold to her the Said Catherine Reynolds her heirs and assigns forever
Lastly It is my will and I hereby appoint my beloved wife Catherine Reynolds my Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made
In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Eleventh day of June in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and fifty nine

Hannon Reynolds (Seal)

The above instrument Consisting of One Sheet was now here Subscribed by Hannon Reynolds the Testator in the presence of Each of us and was at the same time declared by him to be his last Will and Testament, and we at his request sign our names hereto as attesting Witnesses

William Ashbridge Isaac Bicknell C. R. Glasgow

Harford County S S
On the 6th day of April 1869 then came C. R. Glasgow and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Hannon Reynolds late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping
Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County
On the 6th day of April 1869 then came C. R. Glasgow and Isaac Bicknell two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannon Reynolds late of Said County deceased and Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did See the testator Sign and Seal this Will that they had him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with William Ashbridge Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other
Affirmed to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Isabella Whann

In the name of God Amen I Isabella Whann of Harford County in the State of Maryland being Sick and weak in body but of Sound and disposing mind and memory and understanding Considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to Serve my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it Shall please God to Call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say. First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried I give and devise unto my Husband Samuel Whann during his natural life all that portion of the land whereon he and I now reside, deeded by my deceased Father in or about the year Eighteen Hundred and Eighteen to my Sister Ester Barnet, now Ester Martin and myself to which I am entitled it being one undivided fifth part at the death of our mother and Composed of five different tracts or parts of Tracts of land Called and known by the following names or by whatever name or names the same may be called to Wit Variation, Renshaws last Purchase, Addition, Giles and Webster's Discovery, and the Little Spot.
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this fifteenth day of December Eighteen Hundred and forty four

Isabella Whann (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Isabella Whann the above named Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Luther Martin Hugh A. Beard Thomas C. Flahart

Harford County S S
On the 6th day of April 1869 then came Samuel Whann and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil Isabella Whann late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping
Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S S
On the 6th day of April 1869 then came Luther Martin the only surviving Subscribing witness to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Isabella Whann Late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did See the Testatrix Sign and

Seal this Will that he heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, and at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with Hugh S. Beard and Thomas E. Gilbert subscribed his name as witness to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Test L. N. Ely N. Wilde

Sworn to

Margaret P. Morrison

I Margaret P. Morrison of Harford County and State of Maryland, do make this my last Will and Testament as follows

First I give devise and bequeath to my sister Hannah Jane Morrison all my Estate Real Personal and Mixed of every nature and kind to her absolutely

And do hereby constitute and appoint my said sister Hannah Jane my sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 24 day of May 1865

Margaret P. Morrison (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Margaret P. Morrison the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence who at her request and in her presence have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto

C. H. Billingslea James M. Magness Basil Grafton

Harford County ss

On the 20 day of June 1869 then came Hannah J. Morrison and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that she does not know of any Will or Codicil of Margaret P. Morrison late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the papers of the Testatrix

Sworn to in open Court

Test L. N. Ely N. Wilde

Harford County ss

On the 20 day of June 1869 then came C. H. Billingslea James M. Magness and Basil Grafton subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and Testament of Margaret P. Morrison late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this

Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test L. N. Ely N. Wilde

William Criswell

I William Criswell of Harford County State of Maryland do make and publish this as and for my last Will and Testament

I give bequeath and devise to my wife Margaret Criswell all my property Real and Personal and Mixed for and during the term of her natural life, and at her death to go to my son Charles Edward Criswell subject to the payment of the following legacies namely. Two Hundred Dollars to my daughter Margaret Rosina Sredendick. Two Hundred Dollars to my daughter Mary Catherine Criswell. Two Hundred dollars to my daughter Hannah Ann Criswell. Two Hundred Dollars to my daughter Emma Medora Criswell, and Two Hundred Dollars to my daughter Ellen Virginia Criswell if all living at the time of the decease of my said wife Margaret Criswell or to such of them as may be living at that time. I do hereby appoint and constitute my wife Margaret Criswell sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and seal this twenty first day of June in the year of our lord Eighteen Hundred and sixty nine

William Criswell (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by William Criswell the above named Testator to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names thereto

John C. Veirs William E. Doe John T. Coates

Harford County ss

On the 25 day of June 1869 then came John Carroll Veirs and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of William Criswell late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received

The Same from the Hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

Harford County S.S.

On the 26 day of June 1867 then Came John Carroll Walsh and William S. Price two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Carroll late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament. That at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Knowledge of sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding and that they together with John B. Foster Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

John Campbell

Harford County June 19th 1867. Being of sound mind I write and bequeath all my property after paying my just debts to Lydia H. Tenly and George Tenly Son and daughter of Henry and Mary Tenly

Signed John his X mark Campbell

Test A. S. Baldwin
" Felix McKenna

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of June 1867 then Came A. S. Baldwin one of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Campbell late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with Felix McKenna Subscribed his name as witness to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

William S. Wood

In the name of God Amen. I William S. Wood of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time. therefore and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commend my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God and my Body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named. after my debts and General Charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

Item I devise the late Captain John Wood of Harford County deceased died by his last Will and Testament bearing date on or about the thirteenth day of July 1847 and duly recorded in the Records of the orphans Court or Register of Wills for said County bequeath and devise unto two of his Sons Myselfe. William S. Wood and brother James S. Wood upon the decease of their mother Cecelia Wood wife of the late John Wood aforesaid certain lands hereinafter described lying in Harford County aforesaid containing the following bounds or parts of parcels to wit Part of Abrahams Acquaintance, Mrs Billows, Part of the Rose Bush, Part of Runwardes Troubles, all being contiguous to Each other situate on the West Side of the Public Road leading from Havelsville to the Upper Cross Roads. and bounded South by said Road and Easter by the lands of the following individuals to wit. Elijah Rosebud John H. Stell James W. Carter Lysias Rosebud Lloyd Webster John Hawkins and by the Sarah Furnace lands. herein before described lands containing about one Hundred and Twenty Acres. more or less. and being more fully described in the last Will and Testament aforesaid being the same lands on which the family of the said John Wood resided at the time of his death

Item I give and devise unto my brother James S. Wood upon my mother Cecelia Wood, death all my half of the above described land with accing my half of the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging together with all of my half of the furniture bequeathed to me by my Father the Said John Wood, and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my

Brother James D. Wood to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my Last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and Seal this Eleventh day January in the Year of Our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

William D. Wood (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the above named William D. Wood as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in presence of Each other have hereunto set our Hands as Witnesses hereto

Martin L. Fanett William H. Mason Thomas M. Cathcart

Harford County SS

On the 6th day of May 1869 then Came Thomas M Cathcart and did Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William D. Wood late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator For Safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 6th day of May 1869 then Came Thomas M Cathcart and Martin L. Fanett two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William D. Wood late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this will. that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with William H. Mason Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other Sworn to in open Court

Affirmed,

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Benadict Waxwood

In the name of God Amen I Benadict Waxwood of Harford County in the State of Maryland. being in perfect health of Body and of Sound and disposing mind memory. and understanding Considering

the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs. and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to Call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors herein after named. and after my debts and funeral Charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

I give and devise unto my wife Sarah all my personal property

I give and bequeath unto my Children as follows Viz to my Daughter Eliza Ash the Sum of ten Dollars to my Son Edward ten Dollars to my Daughter Margaret Smith ten Dollars to my daughter Priscilla Hinds ten Dollars to my Grandson Henry Waxwood five Dollars to my Grand Daughter Sarah Haines five dollars. and lastly I give and devise unto my Son James R Waxwood my Real Estate which I own and am possessed of at the present time by him paying my children and Grandchildren aforesaid the amount of money. bequeathed to Each of them. and also my Son James to pay my debts and funeral expences and whatever personal property there may be at my wifes decease, in Case she should Survive me for it to go to my Son James R Waxwood aforesaid

And lastly I do hereby Constitute and Appoint Isaac Harrington and Charles Garrett to be Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my Seal. this twenty fifth day of April in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty Seven

Benadict Waxwood (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Benedict Waxwood the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Richard Loflin William Bowen James Loflin

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of December 1868 then Came Richard Loflin and did Solemnly Sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Benadict Waxwood late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that he received

the same from the hands of Charles Garrett who had the same for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S S

On the 3rd day of December 1868 then came Richard Loflin and on the 31st day of May 1869 then came William Bowen two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforesaid last will and testament of Benadict Waxwood late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the testator sign and seal this will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with James Loflin subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn and affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Archer H. Garrett

The last will and testament of Archer H. Garrett I will and bequeath to my Executor hereinafter named all my property personal and real in trust and for the purposes hereinafter specified

First to pay my just debts

Secondly after payment of my debts I will that my Executor shall retain five hundred dollars and to expend it in the Edjucation of John C Butler son of Ruben Butler deceased. I give to my name sake Archer Garrett son of William B. Garrett my watch and seal as my wife holds a policy of insurance on my life for the sum of two thousand dollars in her own name. I will that five thousand dollars shall be invested in some safe securities for her benefit during her life and the interest be paid to her annually until her death, after her death I will that the sum of five hundred dollars shall be paid to my name sake Archer Garrett when he becomes of age out of the sum of five thousand dollars

Thirdly I will my wife the Chamber and Parlor furniture excepting my mothers portrait and all bed linen and clothing except such as was made by my mother and used by her during her life time

Fourthly. I give to Stevenson Archer my mothers portrait and all the rest and residue of my property real personal and mixed including the balance of the sum of five thousand dollars which I have directed to be invested for the benefit of my wife during her life except as hereinafter

excepted Fifthly I give my wearing apparel to my name sake heretofore named and that the Cherry Bureau Chd bedstead that belonged to my mother shall be kept by Stevenson Archer out of my respect to her memory. the portrait to descend at the death of S Archer to my nearest relative on my mothers side

Sixthly. I authorise my Executor to retain or sell my Real property whenever he can obtain a fair price for it, I revoke all other wills and declare this to be my last will and testament and constitute and appoint Stevenson Archer my Executor

Witness my hand and seal this twenty first day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and sixty Eight

Archer H. Garrett (Seal)

Signed sealed and delivered in our presence by the testator and acknowledged by him to be his last will and testament who in his presence and in the presence of each other signed the same at his request as the subscribing witnesses thereto the words until and after her death being first interlined & other words being interlined

George J. Maynadier Otho S. Lee Alexander M. Fulford

Harford County S S

On the 12th day of July 1869 then came Stevenson Archer and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Archer H. Garrett late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing except a will of prior date which is by this will revoked and that he received the same from among the private papers of the testator

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

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Harford County S S

On the 12th day of July 1869 then came Otho S Lee and George J. Maynadier two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforesaid last will and testament of Archer H. Garrett late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal this will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Alexander M. Fulford subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Sarah Sample

I Sarah Sample of Harford County State of Maryland resign my Spirit to the God who gave it and my body to its mother dust; being of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking and making mill and void all former last Wills and Testaments

My Will is First that my funeral Charges and Just debts shall be paid by my Executor hereinafter named

I give and bequeath to my Sister Elizabeth Whiteford her heirs and assigns forever the one half of the interest due me from the tide Water Canal Company at the death of the Said Elizabeth Whiteford my Sister I give this interest to her Children Hugh Cunningham, Rebecca Agnes and Sarah Eliza Whiteford their heirs and assigns forever

I give and bequeath to my nieces Rebecca Agnes and Sarah Eliza Whiteford their heirs and assigns forever my Watch Side Board and Bed Stead to be Equally divided between them

I give and bequeath to my Nephew Hugh Cunningham Whiteford his heirs and assigns forever my Bed Bed Clothing and my third of a fish pot bequeathed to me by my Father; I do also bequeath to the Said Hugh Cunningham Whiteford my Nephew his heirs and assigns forever the one half of all the rest and residue of my Estate

I give devise and bequeath to the Said Rebecca Agnes and Sarah Eliza Whiteford my nieces their heirs and assigns forever the other half the remainder of my Estate to be equally divided between them, and I do nominate and appoint John Sappington Jr to be the Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I the Said Sarah Sample have here subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight

Sarah Sample (Seal)

Signed Sealed and declared by the Said Sarah Sample to be her last Will and Testament in presence of us who at her request and in her presence have subscribed our names as Witnesses hereto in the presence of Each other

Joseph L. Smith William G. Coulson John Sappington Jr

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of August 1869 then came John Sappington Jr and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Sarah Sample late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testatrix for Safe Keeping.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of August 1869 then came John Sappington Jr Joseph L. Smith and William G. Coulson, Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sarah Sample late of Said County deceased the first named witness made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God, the others severe with uplifted hand that they did see the testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. N. Ely R.W.H.Co

William Jones

This Seventeenth day of June One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty nine I William Jones of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak of body but of Sound mind and memory Considering the Certainty of time in this life and being desirous of Settling my temporal Concerns, and outward affairs to my own Satisfaction as far as is practicable in this case do make this my last Will and Testament

Item 1st I will and bequeath to my Son William H. Jones the Sum of Two Thousand Dollars with all the produce of the Farm this Season

Item 2nd and I further will and bequeath to my Son John Thomas Jones the Sum of One Hundred Dollars

Item 3rd and I further desire that after the above legacies are fully Satisfied the Balance of my property both Real and personal be Equally divided between Azariah Jones Nicholas Jones Mary Ann Davis, Eliza Davis Sarah Elizabeth Davis, Alis Ann Jones Susan Leatenia Jones

Item 4th and I ordain and appoint Azariah Jones my lawful Executor of this my last Will and Testament, as witness my hand and Seal the day and year above written

William Jones (Seal)

Witness present

E. Pearson Amoss John Lancaster

Signed Sealed and pronounced by the Said William Jones to be his last Will and Testament

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of August 1869 Then Came John Lancaster and Solemly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of William Jones late of Said County deceased other than the above instruments of writing and that he received the Same from the Hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of August 1869 Then Came John Lancaster and E. Pearson Amoss, Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Jones late of Said County deceased and Solemly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Archibald Scarborough

In the name of God Amen I Archibald Scarborough of Harford County and State of Maryland being in health and of Sound mind and memory do make and Constitute this my last Will in manner and form following Viz. after my Just debts and Burial Expences are paid,

I give and bequeath to my Wife Sarah Scarborough all my Real Estate and personal property during her life and at her death I give and bequeath my Real Estate to my Son Archibald Scarborough during his life he paying the Sums hereafter named and at his decease my Real Estate to be Sold and the amount of Sale to be Equally divided between the children of Sd Archibald Share and Share alike

Item my Will is that my Son Archibald pay to my Son Stephen T. Scarborough three dollars and to my daughter Mary F. Forwood one Hundred dollars and to my daughter Elizabeth F. Scarborough one hundred dollars, and to my daughter Sarah F. Temple one Hundred dollars, and to my grand daughter Martha and Family Scarborough daughters of my Son John Scarborough ten dollars Each

Item I give to my daughters Sarah and Elizabeth Each a bed and bedding apiece and also to have the back House for a Home during their lives

Item I hereby appoint my Son Archibald Guardian to my Grand daughters

Martha and Family Scarborough

And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Son Archibald Scarborough Executor to this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all Wills by me heretofore made In Witness hereof I have Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this 7th day of February one thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty two

Archibald Scarborough (Seal)

Signed Sealed and acknowledged in presence of us what his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other at his request have Subscribed our names as Witnesses

Test Harmon Pyle Isaac C. Pyle Ely Pyle

Harford County SS

On the 14th day of August 1869 Then Came Archer Scarborough and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of Archibald Scarborough late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the widow of the testator who had the Same for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 14 day of August 1869 Then Came Isaac C. Pyle and Ely Pyle two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Archibald Scarborough late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Harmon Pyle Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Benjamin W. Boarman

In the name of God Amen I Benjamin W. Boarman of Harford County in the State of Maryland do make and Publish this as my last Will and Testament, annulling and Revoking all Wills by me heretofore made

Item First I Will and direct that my body be decently interred by my

Executrix hereinafter named
Item Secd I will bequeath and devise all of my property Real Personal and mixed to my wife Jane Caroline Boarman in Fee
Item third I do hereby Constitute and appoint my wife Jane Caroline Boarman Executrix of this my last Will and Testament
Witness my hand and Seal this Thirtieth (30) July A.D. 1869

R. W. Boarman (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Benjamin W. Boarman as and for his last Will and Testament who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of Each Other has Signed Our names as Witnesses thereto

Isabel Boarman Alexander Boarman R. R. Boarman

Harford S.S.
On the 25" day of September 1869 then Came Alexander Boarman and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Benjamin W. Boarman late of Said County deceased other than the above instruments of writing and that he received the Same from among the Papers of the Testator
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. Co

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Harford County S.S.
On the 25" day of September 1869 then Came Alexander Boarman and R. R. Boarman two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Benjamin W. Boarman late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him Publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Isabel Boarman Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. Co

Ann Stump Codicil

I Ann Stump of Harford County Maryland but now in Clarke County Virginia do make this my last Will and Testament

I give and bequeath all my Stock in the Old York Bank in Pennsylvania to my niece Elizabeth, the wife of Hays Mickey for and during the period of her natural life and at her death the Same to be divided Equally among her Children, during the lifetime of the Said Elizabeth W. Mickey the Said Bank Stock to be held for her Sole and Separate use
The Will heretofore made by me and in the Possession of Frederick Stump of Maryland I wish to Stand in all respects except as altered by the provisions of this Will
Given under my hand in Said County of Clarke Virginia this 18" day of October 1868

Ann Stump

Witness by the undersigned in presence of the Testatrix and of Each other at her request and in her presence and of Each other

Mrs. Margaret Caroline Sibley John W. Witherspoon Saml J. C. Moore
Mary Pennington

State of Virginia Clarke County to Wit
I Aaron Duble a Justice of the peace, in and for the County of Clarke in the State of Virginia do hereby Certify that John W. Witherspoon Samuel J. C. Moore and Mary Pennington whose names are Signed to the foregoing Paper purporting to be the Will of Ann Stump deceased this day personally appeared before me in my County aforesaid and made Oath as follows the Said Samuel J. C. Moore and Mary Pennington being first Sworn deposed that the Said Ann Stump Signed Said Will in their presence and in the presence of Margaret Caroline Sibley the other attesting witness. and the Said Samuel J. C. Moore Mary Pennington & John W. Witherspoon deposed that the Said Ann Stump published and declared the Said Paper as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of themselves and of Said Margaret Caroline Sibley they also deposed and made Oath that they together with Said Margaret Caroline Sibley Signed Said Will in the presence of Said Ann Stump and at her request and in the presence of Each other. and that at the time of So doing She Said Ann Stump was of Sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of their knowledge and belief. Given under my hand and Seal this 9" day of December 1868

Aaron Duble J.P. (Seal)

Harford County Sct.
On the 22nd day of October 1869 then Came John W. Witherspoon one of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Ann Stump late of Harford County deceased. and made Oath on

The Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testatrix Sign and seal this Codicil, that he heard her publish pronounce, and declare the same to be a Codicil to her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory, and understanding, and that he together with Margaret Caroline Sibley Samuel J. C. Moore and Mary Pennington subscribed his name as witness to the Codicil in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

I worn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Ann B. Morgan

In the name of God Amen I Ann B. Morgan of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and being desirous of disposing of my worldly affairs before it shall please God to call me hence, do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my last Will and Testament

Item First. I give devise and bequeath to my dear Sister Harriet Miller all my [illegible] Household Furniture wearing apparel and Silver and bedding in trust to divide the same between herself and such of my friends as I have heretofore or may hereafter designate to her the said Harriet,

Item Second. I give devise and bequeath to my said Sister Harriet Miller One third of all the rest and residue of my Estate and property Real Personal and mixed to have and to hold the same in Fee Simple

Item Third. I give [illegible] devise and bequeath to my five Nephews and nieces to wit John Frank Miller H. Clinton Miller Kate Miller Myra Miller and Ida Miller the remaining two thirds of my Estate and property Real Personal and mixed to have and hold the same in Fee Simple share and share a like

Item Fourth. I hereby authorise and direct my Executor hereinafter named at his discretion to sell and convey assign and transfer any and all of my Estate and property for the purpose of effecting a division among my Legatees or devisees

I do hereby constitute and appoint my Friend Wm Lee Amos Executor of this my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 10th day of April 1867

Ann B. Morgan (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at

her request and in her presence have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto we also being in the presence of each other at the signing thereof

Thomas Kemp David Lee Norris Stevenson Archer

Harford County SS

On the 29th day of October 1869 then came William Lee Amos and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ann B. Morgan late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Sister of the Testatrix who had the same for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

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Harford County SS

On the 29th day of October 1869 then came David Lee Norris and on the 12th day of November 1869 came Stevenson Archer two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ann B. Morgan late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Thomas Kemp subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Affirmed and sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Amos Waters

In the name of God Amen. I Amos Waters of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in perfect health of body, and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Testament in manner and form following that is to say First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried, at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter

named, and after my Just debts and Funeral Charges are Paid I devise and bequeath as follows that is to Say

I give devise and bequeath unto my Daughter Catharine M. Street those three Pieces or Parcels of land being part of a tract Called "Bears Camp" which I purchased of Thomas E. Smithson, Charles Cornish and Deborah Lee. To the Said Catharine M. Street her heirs and assigns forever. The Same however to be Subject to my wifes right of dower

Also I give devise and bequeath unto my Son William H. Waters all the residue or balance of the farm on which I now reside that is Say all of the Said farm Except those three Parts alone devised to my daughter Catharine M Street To Have and to hold the Same unto the Said William H. Waters his heirs and assigns forever together with the Mills and all the other buildings and improvements thereon erected and being the Same to be Subject however to my wifes right of dower. As to all the rest residue and remainder of my property and estate of what kind and nature soever whether real personal or mixed I give devise and bequeath the Same to my wife Sarah M. Waters my Son William H. Waters and my Daughter Catharine M Street to be divided equally among them share and share alike

And lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Said Son William H. Waters to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this Eighteenth day of December in the Year of Our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty

Amos Waters (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Amos Waters the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence, and in the presence of Each other have hereunto Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William H. Maynadier John H. Maynadier J. Murray Maynadier

Harford County S.S

On the 8th day of November 1869 Then Came William H. Maynadier and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicils of Amos Waters late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that he received the Same from the Hands of the Testator for Safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely Clk

Harford County S.S

On the 8th day of November 1869 Then Came William H. Maynadier and John H. Maynadier two of the Subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and Testament of Amos Waters late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing, he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with J. Murray Maynadier Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely Clk

Codicil. I Amos Waters of Harford County in the State of Maryland do make and publish this Codicil to my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to Say whereas in and by my last Will and Testament to which this is a Codicil, I have given and devised to my Daughter Catharine M Street those three pieces or Parcels of land being part of a tract called "Bears Camp" which I purchased of Thomas E Smithson, Charles Cornish and Deborah Lee respectively subject to my wifes right of dower in the Same, Now I do hereby order and declare that my Will is that my Son William H. Waters may if he shall so Elect take the Said three pieces or Parcels of land above mentioned subject only to my wifes right of dower. and pay to my Daughter Catharine M Street in place thereof the Sum of Two thousand five Hundred dollars but if the Said William H. Waters shall not elect to pay to my Said daughter Catharine M Street the Sum of Two thousand five Hundred dollars in place of the Said three pieces or parcels of land then and in that case the devise of the Said three pieces or Parcels of land to my Daughter Catharine M. Street shall Stand as in my last Will and Testament to which this is a Codicil and as if this Codicil had never been made And it is my desire that this my present Codicil be annexed to and made a part of my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this twenty ninth day of August in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty three

Amos Waters (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Amos Waters the above named Testator as and for a Codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have hereunto Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

The interlineations in the Sixteenth line of first page having been first made

J. J. Maynadier Laura M. Maynadier William C Maynadier

Harford County S.S

On the 5th day of November 1869 then came William C. Maynadier and J. J. Maynadier, and Laura M. Maynadier Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Amos Waters late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Codicil, that heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a codicil to his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Test. J. R. Ely Clk W.T.C.

Codicil I Amos Waters of Harford County in the State of Maryland do make and publish this Codicil to my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say, whereas in and by my last Will and Testament I stated this is a Codicil, after having given and devised my farm and mill property being the same on which I now reside I have given devised and bequeathed, all the rest residue and remainder of my property and Estate to my wife Sarah A. Waters, my son William H Waters and my daughter Catharine M. Streets to be equally divided among them share and share alike, now I do hereby order and declare that my Will is that my personal property of which the residue above mentioned immediately consists shall be equally divided among the persons aforesaid but shall be disposed of as follows that is to say I give and bequeath to my daughter Catharine M. Streets my negro man named Henry a slave for a term of years and my negro woman named Eliza a slave for life neither with the freedom which the said Eliza now has or may hereafter have these slaves to be her and her separate property of the said Catharine M. Streets alone and not subject to the debts or controle of her husband or any other person except herself. Also I do give and bequeath to my wife Sarah A. Waters all my furniture kitchen utensils and household things and effects of every kind and nature whatever. also my two mules the one called Tom and the other Lilie, also my two cows and a heifer now on my farm, also my two horse spring waggon and the harness belonging to the

As to the rest and remainder of my personal property and Estate of what kind and nature soever, I give and bequeath the same all and every part of it to my son William H. Waters. And it is my desire that this my present codicil together with my former codicil executed the 27th August 1863 be annexed to and made part of my last Will and Testament to all intents and purposes

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed seal this seventeenth day of September in the year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Four

Amos Waters (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Amos Waters the above named Testator, as and for a codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto. The interlineation in the 27th line of the first page having been first made

William C Maynadier Jesse J. Maynadier Elizabeth Maynadier

Harford County S.S

On the 5th day of November 1869 then came William C Maynadier and Jesse J. Maynadier two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing codicil of Amos Waters late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator therein named sign and seal this codicil that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a codicil to his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Elizabeth Maynadier subscribed their names as witnesses to this codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Test. J. R. Ely Clk W.T.C.

Frederick Betts

I Frederick Betts of Harford County and State of Maryland being in the enjoyment of my usual health and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby the better prepared to leave the world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the form following to wit

First and principally I commend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God

and my body to the Earth to be decently buried by my Executor hereinafter named and after my just debts and General Expenses Court and other Charges are paid I bequeath and devise as follows to wit

Item To my two Sons John Deets and George A. Deets I give and bequeath that part of my Farm lying on the East Side of the Turnpike, Beginning at a place near a Stone quarry where the said Turnpike crosses an old fence now, and running thence somewhat in a Southerly direction over to a Corner of my land on the South Side of the County Road which leads past Mrs. Robinsons towards James Hopes, and running thence with said County roads in an Easterly direction to another Corner of my land near John W. Strutts gate and thence in a northerly direction to said Turnpike to another Corner of my land and thence in a westerly direction with said Turnpike to the place of beginning to be equally divided between my said two Sons John and George A by a Straight line from the said Turnpike to the said County Road leading past Mrs Robinsons towards James Hopes and I devise and bequeath the most Easterly half to my said Son John Deets and his heirs and assigns forever, and the Westerly part I devise and bequeath to my said Son George A. Deets and his heirs and assigns forever

Item To my Son Samuel Deets I give and bequeath all that part of my Farm which lies on the northerly Side of the Turnpike and is bounded in part by the land of the late Adam Rearick the land of the late Abraham Slade and my said Son Johns lot &c, with the dwelling house, barn, orchards and other improvements including that portion or strip of land or part of my said Farm lying between the said Turnpike and County Road leading from Jarrettsville to the Black Horse. Also the balance of my Farm lying between the said Turnpike and the said County Road leading past the said Mrs Robinsons and west of that part of my said Farm which I bequeathed to my said Son George A Deets, together with all my personal property of every kind and all money that may be due to me at the time of my death I devise and bequeath to my said Son Samuel Deets and to his heirs and assigns forever. My Entire Farm divided as above, and divided and bequeathed to my three Sons Samuel, John, and George A Contains about one Hundred and fifteen and a half acres more or less and is part of a tract or parcel of land called "Honesty is the Best Policy"

Item Out of the proceeds of the property herein before given to my said Son Samuel Deets he is to pay to Each of my three daughters Sarah Hale, Mary Cox and Catharine Tipton the sum of twenty five Dollars Each in the following order

Item To my daughter Catharine Tipton I give and bequeath in addition to the twenty five dollars which my said Son Samuel shall pay to her one year after my death without interest one Bureau, two Ewe Sheep and one Spinning wheel

Item To my two daughters Sarah Hale and Mary Cox my said Son Samuel shall pay two years after my death to Each twenty five Dollars without interest,

Item My Son Frederick Deets owes me Six hundred dollars with the interest thereon since the month of December 1862 of this sum I give and bequeath to him my said Son Frederick One Hundred and fifty dollars of the Interest due thereon

Item To my Grandson James Edward Deets Son of my said Son Samuel Deets I give and bequeath the sum of fifty dollars without interest to be paid to him when he arrives at the age of twenty one years It being the price of a Colt which I gave him when he was a Small boy

Item It is my will that all my children hereinbefore named Sons and daughters shall unite in obtaining and placing over the grave of my wife Hannah Deets and over my grave each plain neat and suitable tombstones as soon as practicable after my death My birth occurred June the month Seventeen Hundred and ninety three my wifes age is recorded in the Bible

Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my two Sons John Deets and Samuel Deets aforesaid to be Sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament to settle my Estate revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Conforming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal on this month day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

Frederick his X mark Deets (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Frederick Deets the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto: the words pay to between the 22nd and 23rd line on the Second page being interlined before signing and the words of age, stricken out on the 2d. page 9th line

Martin L. Jarrett Benjamin Mason Thomas M Cathcart

Harford County SS

On the 7th day of December 1869 then came Samuel Deets and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Frederick Deets late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.H.&Co

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Harford County SS

On the 7th day of December 1869 then came Martin L. Jarrett and Benjamin Mason two of the subscribing witnesses

to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Frederick Deets late of Said County deceased. and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Thomas M Cathcart Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn To in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

William W. Hanyman

I William W. Hanyman of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. and being desirous to settle all my worldly affairs and thus be prepared for death when God in his wisdom shall see best to Call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. that is to Say. after my debts and Funeral Expences are paid. I give and bequeath to my Son William W Hanyman all my Tools and implements used and known as Carpenters and Cabinet makers tools of whatever kind now owned by me

I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate both Real and personal to my dear wife Caroline to be intirely at her disposal and I do hereby revoke and annull all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Eighth day of January in the year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty

W. W. Hanyman (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by William W. Hanyman the above Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence. and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

James A Fulton William Finney Hanna Alonzo Michael

Harford County S S

On the 14th day of December 1869 then Came Caroline Hanyman and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God

that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William W. Hanyman late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S S

On the 15th day of December 1869 then Came James A. Fulton and William Finney Hanna two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William W. Hanyman late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they herd him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Alonzo Michael Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Robert Stewart

I Robert Stewart of Harford County and State of Maryland being of Sound mind memory and understanding. do hereby make declare and Constitute this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say

1st I direct that all of my Just debts and Funeral Expences shall be fully paid

2nd I give and bequeath to Sophia Harvey three Hundred Dollars

3rd I direct and hereby Empower my Executor hereinafter named to execute to Charles Dolan a good and Sufficient Deed for a parcel of land that I have sold him and now in his possession on his paying the Sum of two Hundred and Sixty dollars with all interest that may have or shall accrue thereon

4th All the rest and residue of my Estate I give and bequeath to my beloved Sister Elizabeth Stewart of Scotland

5th I hereby apoint and Constitute Joseph H. Jewett Sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament. and I direct him to Execute this my last Will and Testament and none other

Robert Stewart

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of 8 11th mo 19th 1869

Robert Love H. L. Allen. N. Newlin Smith

Harford County S S

On the 20th day of December 1869 Then Came Joseph H Jewett and Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Robert Stewart late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Affirmed to

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

United States Stamp $1.00

Harford County S S

On the 20th day of December 1869 Then Came H. L. Allen, N. Newlin Smith, and Robert Love Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Robert Stewart late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him Publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed and Sworn to

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Elizabeth Johnson

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth Johnson of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of Sound mind memory and understanding do make this my last Will and Testament in the following manner

First and Principally I Commit my Soul to God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereinafter named and after my debts are paid and my funeral Expenses are defrayed I give and devise as follows

Item 1st I give and devise to my Son Thomas Johnson and heirs Seven acres of my land lying on the North Side of my place the line to run Parallel with the line that now divides between the Said Thomas Johnson's land and mine I also give to my Son Thomas Johnson One bed and Bedding

Item 2nd I give to my Son Charles A. Johnson and heirs Six acres of my land laying on the South Side of my place adjoining the lands of Thomas Riley's heirs the line to Commence at the Baltimore Road and run a westward Course to the fence running from the Shop now occupied by Said Charles A. Johnson towards the house now occupied by my Self and to be equi distant from Each Then running down the fence to the

first gate post then running at a westward Course on the South Side of the road leading to my barn to a point twelve feet from a line Parallel with the East End of Said Barn then I will and devise that my Son Charles A Johnson and One of my Daughters Shall each Choose a Person to Continue locating the line from the named point So as to Leave the barn and Spring House to be on the land that I will to my two Daughters and the Spring of water near the branch below my Spring house to be on the land that I will to my Son Charles A. Johnson I also give to my Son Charles A Johnson One bed and Bedding

Item 3rd I give and devise to my two Daughters Mary E Johnson and Caroline R Johnson all the residue of my property Both Real and Personal And Lastly I do hereby appoint my Son Charles A Johnson and my Daughter Caroline R Johnson Executor and Executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none Other to be my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this 29th day of September in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty five

Elizabeth Johnson (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the testatrix to be her last Will and Testament In the presence of us who in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each Other have Subscribed Our names as witnesses thereto

Samuel G. Scarff Richard Mechem Charles Parker

Harford County S S

On the 29th day of December 1869 then Came Samuel G Scarff and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth Johnson late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County S S

On the 29th day of December 1869 Then Came Samuel G. Scarff and Charles Parker two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Johnson late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the testatrix Sign and Seal this Will that they heard her Publish

Testament and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament. That at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Richard Meshane Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. H. Ely R. W. Ce

Mary C. Hardesty Copy

In the name of God Amen I Mary C Hardesty formerly Rogers though sick in body yet being of sound and disposing mind and understanding do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament

First By virtue of all power received to or possessed by me I bequeath to my friend Julia Barker for and during her natural life an annuity of Two Hundred dollars per annum payable quarterly in sums of Fifty dollars Each

Secondly. And by virtue of the same power or any power by me possessed I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my property real or personal of whatsoever kind and wheresoever situate to my Husband Richard C Hardesty his heirs and assigns absolutely

Witness my hand and seal this 24th December A.D. 1868

Mary C. Hardesty (S.)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will in our presence who in her presence at her request and in the presence of Each Other have hereunto subscribed our names as attesting witnesses thereto

Hosman Conner John Curlett H. C. Conner

US Stamp $25.

Baltimore City SS

On the 21st day of May 1869 came Hosman H Lawrence and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary C Hardesty late of said city deceased other than the above instrument of writing. And that the same was at the time of its Execution lodged in the Vault of the Chesapeake Bank and has there remained until this morning when it was by the Cashier of said Bank taken from the Vault and delivered to deponent who presents it to the Court

Test J. Hosman Brown
Register of Wills for Baltimore City

Sworn to in Open Court

Baltimore City SS

On the 22nd day of May 1869 came Hosman Conner John Curlett and H. C. Conner three subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary C Hardesty of said city deceased. And made oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal the Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. And that they subscribed their names as witnesses to the Will in her presence at her request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. Hosman Brown
Register of Wills for Baltimore City

In the Baltimore City Orphans Court

The Court after having carefully examined the above last Will and Testament of Mary C Hardesty late of Baltimore City deceased and also the evidence adduced as to its validity. Orders and decrees this 22nd day of May 1869 that the same be admitted in this Court as the true and genuine last Will and Testament of the said Mary C Hardesty deceased

Jas Alderdice Thomas Ford Solomon S. Lewis

I do hereby certify that the aforegoing is a true copy taken from Will Liber J. H. No. 13 folio 325 &c being one of the Records in the office of the Register of Wills for Baltimore City

Seal

I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of my office this twenty Eighth day of December in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Nine

Test J. Hosman Brown Register of Wills for Baltimore City

Edward A. Scarborough

Be it remembered that I Edward A. Scarborough of Bayford County State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

In the first place I do will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid and satisfied

I give and bequeath to my son Edward L. H. Scarborough one feather bed and bed when he comes to the age of twenty one years

I give and bequeath to my daughter Rachel A. Scarborough one feather

Bed and one Cow when she comes to the age of twenty one Years
I give and bequeath to my Daughter Abigail F Scarborough one Feather Bed and one Cow when she comes to the age of twenty one Years
I give and bequeath to my Son Forhna A Scarborough one Feather bed and one Cow when he arrives at the age of Twenty one Years or at the death of their Mother and to have a home with her while they help her to work and take care of her
I give and bequeath to my Beloved wife Abigail H Scarborough all the balance of my Personal Estate and also all my Real Estate for her use her life time or so long as she should remain my widdow but in case she should get married. Then she is Just to have Just what the law allows her but if she does not get married again she is to have all my Real and Personal Estate for her Labor and maintainance her life time. at her decease then all my property both Real and Personal is to be sold to the highest bidder for cash and the money to be Equally divided amongst my Seven Children Emeline S. Bailey, Elizabeth ann Scarborough, Hermon H. Scarborough Edward L H Scarborough Rachel M Scarborough Abigail F Scarborough and Forhna A Scarborough
And if any one of the heirs Refuse to make a deed to the Disadvantage of the heirs he or she Shall have no Share In Said estate but this is not to be understood that they are not to have a reasonable time to do it, In Say thirty days
In say thirty days. Any of my children owing money to my Estate is to pay principal and Interest on the Same at Six per cent in Said Estate or any of the heirs making of the heirs making an account with their mother Shall be liable to the Same. She may hire and pay any of the heirs, and pay them right wages if she has to Sell part of the land to do it not to exceed Eight acres
Lastly I do apoint and nominate my wife Abigail H Scarborough and Philip F. Scarborough Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all other wills or Wills by me heretofore made ratifying this and none other to be my last Will and testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Sixth day of January Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

Edward A Scarborough (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Published by Edward A Scarborough as and for his last will and Testament in our presence who have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

David G McCoy Silas Warner John H. Stokes

The name Philip F Scarborough inter lined before Signed

Harford County SS

On the 31st day of January 1870 then Came Philip F Scarborough and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Edward A Scarborough late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the testator for Safe Keeping
Sworn to in open Court

Test F R Ely R.W.&Co

Harford County SS

On the 31st day of January 1870 then came David G McCoy and John H Stokes two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Edward A Scarborough late of Said County deceased, and Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Silas Warner Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other
Affirmed to in open Court

Test F R Ely R.W.&Co

Franklin C Baldwin

In the name of God Amen I Franklin C Baldwin of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding Considering the Certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to Settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it Shall please God to Call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testaments in manner and form following that is to Say
First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows
I give and bequeath unto Joseph R Baldwin my Son of Harford County one pair of bedsteads, one Feather Bed, one bolster, two pillows two quilts ready for quilting, one quilt fancy nearly new and two common quilts one blanket nearly new, twenty five squares all ready for placing and quilting, one Cherry Bureau, four sheets, four pillow cases one bolster

case one trunk and chest, and whatever money such as bounty or otherwise to be placed at interest until my said son shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, and then both principle and interest to be paid to him And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my uncle Jarrett Baldwin to be sole Executor of this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this first day of December in the year of our one thousand Eight Hundred and sixty nine

Franklin C. Baldwin (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Franklin C. Baldwin the above named testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Richard Loflin J. H. Ford

Harford County SS

On the 1st day of February 1870 then came Richard Loflin and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he did not know of any Will or Codicil of Franklin C. Baldwin late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS

On the 1st day of February 1870 then came Richard Loflin one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of Franklin C. Baldwin late of said County deceased, and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he did see the testator sign and seal this will that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with J. H. Ford subscribed his name as witness to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Whereas I Franklin C. Baldwin of Harford County having made and duly Executed my last will and testament in writing bearing date the first day of December Eighteen Hundred and sixty nine which said last will and testament and every clause and bequest therein contained, I do hereby ratify and confirm, and on account of a few articles that were omitted in said will do therefore make this my Codicil which I will and direct shall be taken and held, as part of my said will and testament in manner and form following that is to say. I give and devise unto my said son Joseph R. Baldwin one mattress, one bible, and one picture frame

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this third day of December in the year Eighteen Hundred and sixty nine

Franklin C. Baldwin (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Franklin C. Baldwin the above named testator as for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Richard Loflin James H. Ford

Harford County SS

On the 1st day of February 1870 then came Richard Loflin one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Franklin C. Baldwin late of said County deceased, and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he did see the testator herein named sign and seal the Codicil, that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to his last will and testament, and at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that he together with James H. Ford subscribed his name as witness to this Codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Gerard Coale Col

I Gerard Coale Col feeling unsound in body, but sound in mind firming that I may die. I wish to dispose of my little property and affects, First I give my soul to God and hope to receive mercy, and secondly I wish to be buried decently, and after my debts are paid, and funeral Expences paid, I wish to give to Martha Coale wife of Isaac W. Coale all my property Real and personal of whatever kind and wherever found, both Real and personal, and I do hereby appoint Isaac W. Coale

my Executor to carry into effect this my last will and Testament

Witness this 30th December 1862 Gerard Coale

James Shalmann. Skipworth H. Coale William F. Coale

Harford County SS

On the 7th day of February 1870 then came Isaac W. Coale and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Gerard Coale sec late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 7th day of February 1870 then came Skipworth H. Coale one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Gerard Coale sec late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this will that he had him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with James Shalmann and William F. Coale subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Jenas Hughes

In the name of God Amen I Jenas Hughes of Jork County State of Pennsylvania being weak in body but of sound disposing mind memory and understanding and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my Body to the Earth to be decently buried and after my debts and funeral Expences are paid I devise and bequeath as follows to wit

First I will and bequeath to my two daughters viz Mary Daugherty wife of Samuel Daugherty and Rebecca Murphy wife of George S. Murphy and their heirs, Each the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, payable out

of the money due me on mortgages Judgments and notes by my Executor hereinafter named

Second To my daughter Hannah Duncan wife of Sampson S. Duncan I will and bequeath the sum of Twenty five Hundred dollars payable out of the same funds named in the first item these bequeaths is intended by me to embrace all the money due me on mortgage Judgments and notes, but if there should be an excess of the sum of Six Thousand five Hundred Dollars, It is my will that it shall be Equally divided between my three daughters above named, and if there should be a deficiency in making up the above named Legacies then the Legacies shall be marshaled, and in addition to the above named money Legacies I bequeath to my daughter Hannah Duncan all the personal Effects in my bed chamber viz One Bureau One Clock One bed Bedstead and Bedding, also One Copper Kettle

Fourth It is my will that whatever money may arise from the sale of my land in Harford County Maryland, which is not to exceed Six Thousand Dollars by agreement to George S. Murphy and Samuel Daugherty which is now in suit in Maryland Harford County Court it shall be equally divided between my three daughters, this bequeath shall embrace all rents issues and profits that may be recovered from William Hughes in the suit now pending between the said George S. Murphy Samuel Daugherty One party and William Hughes the other party in Maryland Harford County Court

Fifth To my son William Hughes I will and bequeath to what he has already received the sum of five Dollars

Sixth I Constitute and appoint John H. Kirkwood of William to be sole Executor of this my last will and Testament authorizing him to Execute any deed required in the sale of my land as fully as though I was living

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Eleventh day of March Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Eight

Jenas Hughes (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and delivered by Jenas Hughes the above named Testator in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John Smith Joseph Pierce William G. Ross

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of February 1870 then came John H. Kirkwood and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not

Know of any will or Codicil of Jenas Hughes. late of Harford County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from among the Valuable Papers of the Testator
Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

U S Stamp $2

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of February 1870 Then came William G Ross and Joseph Pierce Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jenas Hughes late of Said County deceased. and did Swere by Almighty God the Searcher of all hearts that they Did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they Heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. and that they together with John Smith Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other and for Such they will answer to God in the great day
Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Thomas Archer

I Thomas Archer of Harford County and State of Maryland being of Sound disposing mind memory and understanding. do make and publish this as and for my last Will and Testament that is to Say
Imprimis I will that all my Just debts be paid by my Executrix hereinafter named
Item I give and devise to my beloved Wife Susanna P. Archer all my Estate Real personal and mixed for and during the term of her natural life. for the use and benefit of Our Children. Hanis Archer Mary E G Archer George Archer and Delia L Archer. and of Our Grand daughter Ellen Glasgow Archer daughter of my deceased Son James Glasgow Archer
Item I give and devise all the rest and residue of my Said Estate after the decease of my wife to my aforesaid Children and Grandchild and to their heirs to be Equally divided between them
Item In the distribution of my Estate as aforesaid my will is that my Son George Archer be charged with the Sum of one Thousand (1000) dollars. without interest this amount having been Expended by me in giving him a Collegiate Education
Item In like manner my will is that my Grand Daughter Ellen G Archer be charged with one Thousand (1000) dollars this amount

having been Expended by me in giving her Father a Collegiate and Theological Education without Interest
Item My Son Hanis Archer having been engaged in assisting me in Conducting Operations on the Farm Commencing January 1st 1868 My Will is that as long as Such Services Shall Continue he Shall be paid the Sum of Two Hundred (200) dollars per annum for the Same. when my Estate Shall be distributed at the decease of my wife. The first year to terminate on the first day of January 1869 and the Contract to Continue as long as he and I can agree and after my decease as long as his Mother and he can agree
It is my Will that interest Shall not be paid on these Sums of Two Hundred (200) dollars or rather that interest Shall not begin to run till the End of One year after the decease of myself and my wife
Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my wife Susanna P. Archer Executrix of this my last Will and Testament. and after her decease I hereby Constitute and appoint my Sons Hanis Archer and George Archer Joint Executors of this my last Will and Testament
In Testimony whereof I hereunto Subscribe my name and affix my Seal this day of in the year One Thousand Eight Hundred an Seventy

(Seal)

We the Subscribers hereby Certify that we Saw the Testator Thomas Archer Sign and Seal the aforegoing as and for his last Will and Testament and that we at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Witnesses.

Harford County Sct

The 8th day of March 1870 Then came Hanis Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Thomas Archer late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that he found the Same among the Valuable papers of Said deceased
Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

U S Stamp $1.50

Harford County Sct

The 8th day of March 1870 Then came George L. VanBibber and Skipworth H. Coale and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they were familiar with the hand writing of Thomas Archer. and that the aforegoing instrument of writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Said Thomas

Archer is in the hand writing of Said deceased
Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. C.

Cassandra A. Raitt

In the name of God amen I Cassandra A. Raitt of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding but of feble and precarious health, and wishing to arrange and dispose of what property Real personal and mixed, I may be possessed of or in any manner entitled to at the time of my death do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to wit

First I give devise and bequeath to my Daughter Laura C. Raitt the House and lot of land containing three acres more or less, where I now reside situated in Harford County on the public road leading from Bel Air to the Hickory and which is the same and all the land I purchased from Col E. H. Webster and which adjoins the lands of Said Webster and Othe S. Lee together with all the Buildings, improvements and appertenances belonging thereto to her and her heirs and assigns in fee simple forever, I also give and bequeath to my Said daughter Laura C. Raitt, all my Household and Kitchen furniture, and all other articles of personal property now in the dwelling house abroad devised to her of whatever description Except evidences of Debts due me or money on hand

Second I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Ella M. Raitt one thousand Dollars to be paid to her upon her arrival at the age of Eighteen years and until her arrival at such age I direct the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereinafter named and appointed to invest the Said Sum of one thousand Dollars in a safe and secure investment and to pay over the interest accruing therefrom annually to my Said Grand Daughter or to whomsoever may be entitled to receive it for her benefit and in case of her death before arriving at age the Said Sum to be paid to my daughter Laura C. Raitt,

Third I give and bequeath to my four Grand Children Frank H. Raitt Charles Hammond Raitt Mary Sue Raitt and Harry Howard Raitt Children of my Son Henry C. Raitt the Sum of Eight Hundred Dollars Each, to be paid to Each of them, as they shall attain to their majority viz the boys to twenty one years of age and the girl to Eighteen, and prior to that time as soon as may conveniently be after my decease; I direct my Executor hereinafter named to invest Said Sums of Eight hundred dollars each in some safe and secure interest bearing Security, and to pay over the interest accruing therefrom in Equal proportions to my Said four grand Children last named or to whomsoever may

be legally entitled to receive the Same for their benefit

Fourth I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate of whatever description, Real personal or mixed and debts due me of whatever nature after payment therefrom of my funeral Expenses, and the erection of plain Lomb Stone over my grave, to my Daughter Laura C. Raitt to her and her heirs and assigns in fee simple forever

Lastly I Constitute and appoint Hon Stevenson Archer Executor of this my last Will and Testament with full powers to carry out and Execute all and singular the provisions above contained herein

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal on this Eleventh day of January A.D. Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

Cassandra A. Raitt (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Cassandra Raitt the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of Each other have hereunto Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto, the interlineation on the Second page after the fifth line being first made prior to the Signing and Sealing of by the Testatrix

E. Hall Richardson J. S. Richardson Othe S. Lee

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of March 1870 then came George L. VanBibber and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Cassandra A. Raitt late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and following Codicil, and that he received the Same at her mansion house from the Hands of Laura C. Raitt

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. C.

U.S. Stamp $1.50

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of March 1870 then came John S. Richardson and Othe S. Lee and on the 16th day of March came E. Hall Richardson, Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Cassandra A. Raitt, late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of

Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Codicil I desire the interest on the Sum of One Thousand Dollars left my Grand Daughter Ella M Raitt to be paid to her aunt Laura C. Raitt for her benefit during her minority and the interest on the Sum left to Henry C. Raitts Children to be paid to their Father for their benefit during their minority

Cassandra A. Raitt

Test E. Hall Richardson

Harford County SS

On the 14 day of March 1870 then came E Hall Richardson Subscribing Witness to the aforegoing Codicil of Cassandra A Raitt late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Codicil that he heard her publish pronounce and declare the Same to be a Codicil to her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he subscribed his name to this Codicil in her presence and at her request
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

James Spicer

In the name of God Amen. I James Spicer of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament
Item First. I give and devise to my Son James A. Spicer all that part of my farm being part of "Homer Reservoyed" and Richardson Reserve Comprised within the following Metes and bounds. Beginning at a Stone marked No 4 and running thence north 5° West One Hundred and forty perches to a Stone on the west side of the Outlet thence on the west side of said road or outlet north 23° East fifty nine perches to a Stone at the fence and in a line of Duvalls land running thence with duvalls land to a boundary Stone Standing in line of Osborns land running thence binding on Osborns land to a Stone Standing on line of George W Hall's land thence with a Straight line to place of

Beginning Supposed to Contain fifty acres more or less with all the buildings and appurtenances thereon for and during the natural life of my said Son James A. Spicer and at his death to descend to his children
Item Second I give and devise to my Son John T. Spicer one half the balance of my Farm
Item Third I give and devise to my daughter Jane R. Johns wife of Edward F. Johns the other half of the said balance of my farm
Item Fourth I give and bequeath to my Son James A. Spicer all the personal property on my said farm
Item Fifth I give and bequeath all the residue of my personal property share and share alike to my Children James A Spicer John T. Spicer and Jane R. Johns
And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my Son John T. Spicer to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this thirty first day of July in the Year of Our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty nine

James Spicer (Seal)

Sign Sealed published and declared by James Spicer the above named Testator, as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence, and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto "the words with all the Buildings and appurtenances thereon" being first interlined

John Candle Walsh C. P. Duval Benj Osborn

Harford County SS

On the 14 day of March 1870 then came C. P. Duval and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James Spicer late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping
Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County SS

On the 14 day of March 1870 then came C. P. Duval and on the 26 day of March came John C. Walsh two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Spicer late of said County deceased, and made oath

on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they Together with Benjamin Orrison Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Robert G. Taylor

I Robert G. Taylor of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills made by me at any time, as to such property as it has pleased God to entrust me with I dispose of the Same as follows

I give and bequeath to my Wife Mary E Taylor to her sole use and benefit two Notes of Hand that I hold against my Brother Richard both dated February 5th 1870 One for $100, payable in One Year, The Other for $140, payable in two Years and all other property that I do possess or may possess at the time of my decease after my debts and funeral expenses are paid

As to my Daughter Macey M. Taylor residing in the State of Illinois not knowing whether she is living or dead I make no provision for her

In witness whereof I Robert G Taylor the testator have to this my Will set my hand and Seal this 7th day of February 1870

Robert G. Taylor (Seal)

Test
John Stewart
A. Alvin Everett

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of March 1870 then Came James A Fulton and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Robert G. Taylor late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of April 1870 then Came John Stewart and A Alvin Everett Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Robert G Taylor late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same

to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they Together Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harriet H. Whaland

I Harriet H Whaland of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my last Will and Testament

First I give and bequeath to my husband Robert W Whaland my two Negroes Hannah and Kate

Second I give and bequeath all the rest of my property and Estate Real and personal to my said husband Robert W Whaland, Except my annexed Ring set in black enamel and my wearing apparel which I bequeath to my Sister Pamelia H Hays

Lastly I Constitute and appoint the said Robert W Whaland Executor of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my Seal this nineteenth day of August 1864

Harriet H. Whaland (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered by the testatrix Harriet H Whaland as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence who in the presence of the Testatrix and in the presence of Each other Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto at the request of Said Testatrix

Archer H Janett J. Thomas C Hopkins Shepherd Haynes

Harford County SS

On the 21st day of April 1870 then Came Robert W Whaland and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Harriet H Whaland late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the Same from among the valuable papers of Said deceased

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County SS

On the 21st day of April 1870 then Came J. Thomas C Hopkins and Shepherd Haynes two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last

Will and Testament of Hamel H. Whaland late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this order that they heard Her Publish Pronounce and declare the Same to be Her last Will and Testament that at the time of her So doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing Mind Memory and understanding And that they together with Archer H. Hall Subscribed Their Names as witnesses to this Will in Her Presence and at Her request And in the Presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test A. R. Ely R. H. Hall

Joseph Trimble

Know all men by these Presents that I Joseph Trimble of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and Publish this my last Will and Testament. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Ann Trimble All of my Estate Real Personal and Mixed or the rents and profits arising from the Same during her natural life and at her death to be disposed of according to the best of her Judgment for the use and benefit of my two daughters Phebe T. Hopes and Rachel T. Hopes or their Children. My Daughters to receive Share and Share alike I Ordain and appoint my beloved wife Ann Trimble and Wellington Hopes my Executors to this my last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal and published and declared this to be my last Will and Testament in the presence of the Witnesses named below this 24th of twenty Seventh day of June month One thousand Eight Hundred and fifty Eight

Joseph Trimble (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the Said Joseph Trimble as and for his last Will and Testament in presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of Each other and at his request have hereto Subscribed our names as witnesses

Pollitte Harland William C. Harland Edward C. Price

Harford County S.S

On the 5 day of June 1858 then came Wellington Hopes and did Solemnly Sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Joseph Trimble late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test A. R. Ely R. H. Hall

United States Stamp $2.50

Harford County S.S

On the 5 day of June 1858 came William C. Haverland and on the 26 day of June 1858 came Pollitte C. Haverland two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Joseph Trimble late of Said County deceased and Solemnly Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing Mind memory and understanding and that they together with Edward C. Price Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test A. R. Ely R. H. Hall

Ellen Payne

In the name of God Amen I Ellen Payne wife of John Payne of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak in Body but of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. And being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First Of Principally I commit my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of the Executor hereinafter named

Item First I give and devise unto my four single children viz William T. Payne Joseph B. Payne Emma C. B. Payne and Lydia E. Payne Jointly the lot of land devised to me by Edward M. Payne deceased lying in Gorsts Ferry Pennsylvania containing Thirteen Acres more or less Known by the name of "Rights of Ward" or by whatever name the same may be called, the land adjoining the lands of John Waters, James Hartridge and others to them and their heirs and assigns forever

Item 2d To the said named children I give and devise Jointly all the money owing to me or on hands together with all my personal property Each in equal shares or portions, with the exception of One Hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) one hundred dollars is to be spent in the purchase of a house for the two named sons for family use, the other fifty dollars is to pay a debt I owe, this second devise is with the free understanding that my Husband John Payne is to have a life Estate in all that I have devised

Item 3d I hereby Constitute and appoint my Son William T. Payne to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, In Testimony whereof

I hereto set my hand and affix my seal this fifth day of March in the year Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

Ellen her x mark Payne (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Ellen Payne the above named Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence and in the presence of Each other have hereto set our hands as Witnesses hereto

William Heaton James Reed David W. Wiley John H. Kirkwood

Harford County SS

On the 25th day of April 1870 then came John H. Kirkwood and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ellen Payne late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 25th day of April 1870 then came James Reed David W. Wiley and John H. Kirkwood three of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ellen Payne late of Said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will, that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with William Heaton subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Ann Smith

I Ann Smith of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do hereby declare publish and constitute this to be my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say

First I give and bequeath to my son William Henry Smith twenty five Dollars to my two sons John Thomas & Richard S. Smith, one Dollar Each to the two children of my deceased daughter Margaret Ann Ely I give one Dollar Each, and to my son George H. Smith I give

one dollar

Second To my two daughters Mary Jane Good and Ann Smith I give five Dollars Each and all of my wearing apparel, To my daughter in Law Laura Smith in consideration of her kindness and attention to me I give all of my household goods

And Lastly I give and bequeath in Fee Simple to my son Reuben S. Smith all the rest and residue of my Estate after the foregoing Legacies and my just and lawful debts and funeral Expences shall be paid

And I do hereby appoint and constitute Joseph H. Jewett sole Executor to this my last Will and Testament, and I direct him to Execute this for my last Will and Testament and no other, and from whom no security shall be required

Ann Smith (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered in our presence and in the presence of Each other on this 13th day of January 1870

Samuel W. Manis James T. Knight T. H. C. Reed

Harford County SS

On the 16th day of April 1870 then came Joseph H. Jewett and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ann Smith late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 16th day of April 1870 then came James T. Knight and T. H. C. Reed two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ann Smith late of Said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Samuel W. Manis subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Nuncupative Will of Alfred A. Tague

In the matter of the Nuncupative Will of Alfred A. Tague deceased } In the Orphans Court of Harford County May Term 1870

Among other Proceedings the Testimony was taken in the matter of the Nuncupative Will of Alfred A. Tague late of Harford County deceased in the Orphans Court this 24 day of May 1870 Margaret A. Tague and Thomas Baker Executrix and Ex the 25 day of May 1870 Isaac Scarborough Affiant and Louis Ann Scarborough Affiant being duly sworn according to Law Depose and Say. That they were present at the last sickness of Alfred A. Tague late of Harford County deceased and the said Isaac Scarborough and Thomas Baker be the 3 day of April 1870 and the said Margaret A. Tague at or near the same time, in the house of his habitation where he has been a resident for more than ten days prior and before the making of this Will. That they heard him declare and desire that they should witness the following Will and Testament of his property to be his last Will and Testament in manner and form following

I give devise and bequeath to my wife Ruth Ann Tague all my personal Property absolutely. And at the time of the making of this Will the said deceased to the best of their apprehension was of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding

In the Matter of the Nuncupative Will of Alfred A. Tague deceased } In the Orphans Court of Harford County May Term 1870

After hearing the testimony in the above cause and being satisfied that the foregoing paper be set up as a Nuncupative Will of the said Alfred A. Tague deceased. It is hereby ordered by the Register of Wills for Harford County in the Orphans Court of said County this 25 day of May 1870 that the above and foregoing be and the same is hereby set up as the Nuncupative Will of the said Alfred A. Tague deceased

R. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

Isaac Shafer

In the name of God Amen I Isaac Shafer of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. And being desirous to settle my worldly affairs do hereby make and publish this my last Will and testament.

in manner and form following that is to say

Item 1st I give and bequeath unto my Eldest daughter Vilina the sum of Eight dollars to be paid to her five years after my death

Item 2nd I give and bequeath unto my Second daughter Louisa the sum of Eight dollars to be paid her seven years after my death

Item 3rd I give and bequeath all the rest of my Estate both real and personal after my debts are paid to my wife Margaret during her natural life and redeemed then to be equally divided between my four sons Nathan Francis, Augustus, and David, and in case that any one or more of my said sons should die before my wife the property both real and personal to be divided between those that are living share and share alike

Nathan and Lewis constitute and appoint Henry S. Horn my Administrator in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighth day of May A.D. 1857

Isaac Shafer (Seal)

Witness present

Isaac Gist Henry S. Horn Thomas Morris

Harford County S.S.

On the 10th day of May 1870 then came Henry S. Horn and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Isaac Shafer late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test. R. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

Harford County S.S.

On the 10th day of May 1870 then came Henry S. Horn and on the 17th day of June 1870 came Thomas Morris one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and testament of Isaac Shafer late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal the Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament. That at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. And that the testator and said Witnesses subscribed their names as witnesses to the Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn to in Open Court

Test. R. N. Ely Reg. of Wills

John Wareham

In the Name of God Amen I John Wareham of the town of Havre de Grace County of Harford and State of Maryland being desirous of settling my worldly affairs before it shall please God to call me hence do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my last Will and Testament

Item First I commit my soul to Almighty God, never doubting a glorious resurrection through the merits of His Son our Saviour Jesus Christ and my body to the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named

Item Second It is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid

Item Third I give and bequeath to my niece Margaret E. Brown and her heirs the sum of Five Hundred Dollars

Item Fourth I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate real and mixed as follows

One Fifth thereof to my brother Scott Wareham and his heirs

One Fifth thereof to my sister Mary E. Brown and her heirs

One Fifth to John L. Williams and his heirs in trust to apply the rents issues income and profits thereof to the maintenance and support of my sister Elizabeth Turner during her natural life, and after her death to distribute the same equally to such child or children of the said Elizabeth as shall be living at the time of her death

One Fifth to the following children of my deceased sister Margaret Hoffman namely, John W. Hoffman David W. Hoffman Elizabeth Erwin, Mary M. Holloway, Augustus Hoffman and Rachel, their heirs and assigns forever share and share alike

One Fifth thereof to be subdivided into three parts one of which shall go to Annie E. Evans and her heirs, one to John L. Williams, and his heirs in trust to apply the rents issues income and profits to the maintenance and support of my nephew John L. Wareham, and his wife and children during the natural life of said John and after his death to his widow during her natural life, and after the death of said John and wife to divide the same among all such child or children as said John may leave living at the time of his death, The remaining third part of said last mentioned fifth share go to my niece Louisa Morris and her heirs for her sole and separate use

Whereas I have heretofore made advances or loans to said John L. Wareham, and John L. Morris the husband of said Louisa Morris now it is my will and desire, that the sums heretofore bequeathed to said John L. Williams as trustee for said John L. Wareham his wife and children be diminished by the advances and loans heretofore made or which may hereafter be made by me to him

the said John L. Wareham, and the portion bequeathed, to the said Louisa Morris be diminished by an amount equal to the advances and loans which may hereafter be made to her said husband John L. Morris, the portion of each of my other legatees shall be diminished by the advances or loans which have been or hereafter may be made to them respectively

Lastly, I hereby constitute and appoint my friend John L. Williams Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I hereby empower him at his discretion to sell transfer, and convey any or all of my Estate or property for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this my last Will and Testament. I hereby revoke all former Wills heretofore made by me

Witness my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of October Eighteen Hundred and sixty five

John Wareham (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John Wareham the above named testator as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses

S. M. Rosin W. E. Rosin John T. Adams

Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of June 1870 then came John L. Williams and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of John Wareham late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test Alex. T. N. Cay, Jr. Clk

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Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of June 1870 then came Samuel M. Rosin and John T. Adams two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and Testament of John Wareham late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with W. E. Rosin subscribed their names as witnesses

to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test A. N. Cox A. Nickols

Charles Ayres

In the name of God Amen. I Charles Ayres of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. And being desirous of settling my worldly affairs and thereby the the better prepared to leave this world I when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say first and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and General Charges are paid I devise and bequeathed as follows

Item I have given to Martha Ann Carter, Robert S. Ayres and Laura A. Ayres, Few Acres of land each and I consider their share of my Estate or property intuitive to the Year and Annual

Item I give to my wife Elizabeth Ayres after paying my Son Charles W. Ayres five Hundred Dollars and my Son William R. Ayres Three Hundred Dollars the balance of my property the both Real Estate and personal effects to her and her heirs forever.

Item I hold a note of about Four Hundred dollars against the Trustees of Lappans Meeting House, which I give free and clear into their hands in case they should cease to exist as a place of worship for 6 or 12 months. I give my sole interest to the Methodist Episcopal Church.

At Lastly I appoint my wife Elizabeth and my Son John T. Ayres my sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament Confirming this and revoking and annulling all other

Charles Ayres (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered at his request in the presence and in the presence of Each Other July nineteenth One thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy

John T. Ayres William T. Nicholls John Mathews

Harford County S S

On the 4th day of August 1870 then Came John Mathews

and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Charles Ayres late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test A. N. Cox R. W. F. Co

Harford County S S

On the 4th day of August 1870 then Came John Mathews John T. Ayres and William T. Nicholls the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Charles Ayres late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God in Solemn manner and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they Subscribed their names as Witnesses to the Will in the presence and at his request and in the presence of Each Other

Affirmed & Sworn to in Open Court

Test A. N. Cox R. W. F. Co

James M. Cox

I James M. Cox Trust of Harford County and State of Maryland being sick in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make this my last Will and Testament.

After the payment of My just debts and funeral expenses I give and devise all my estate Real Personal and mixed to my Sister Elizabeth Morse my Brother Thomas Cox and to my Brother Andrew Cox as tenants in common and in equal shares to them their heirs and assigns forever.

I have conveyed or undertaken to convey to my Sister Elizabeth Morse by deed dated the 23rd day of June 1870 all that piece of land in Harford County Maryland. Known as "Hughes Inheritance" which I bought of John N. Stump. And also all that tract of Contiguous land in said County known as "Fork Neck" or "Fork Neck Corrected" which lies on the South East side of the Glade Road. I hereby empower and direct my Executor hereinafter named in case there should be any informality or misinterpretation in said deed or in the acknowledgement thereof to convey said lands to my said Sister Elizabeth Morse in fee simple by gift and confirmation. And so as to vest the fee simple which it was my intention to convey

The devises herein made are intended to embrace all my Estate Real

and Personal wherever Situated in Maryland or Elsewhere
I hereby Constitute and appoint my brother Thomas Bay the Executor of this my last Will

In testimony whereof I have hereunto Subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this twenty third day of June Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

James M Bay (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Published as his will by James M. Bay the Testator in our presence who at his request and in his presence and the presence of Each other have hereto Subscribed our names as witnesses to Said Will

Henry D. Fernandis Samuel Streett Thomas Denton

Harford County. S.S.

On the 9th day of August 1870 then came Thomas Bay and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James M Bay late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing. and that he received the Same from the Sister of Said deceased who had received the Same from the Testator for Safe Keeping
Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. &c.

United States Stamps $1c

Harford County S.S.

On the 9th day of August 1870 then came Henry D. Fernandis and Thomas Denton two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James M Bay late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. and that they together with Samuel Streett Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other
Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. &c.

John Walker

In the name of God Amen I John Walker of Havre de Grace Harford

County in the State of Maryland being in perfect health of body and of Sound and disposing memory and understanding. Considering the Certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof. and being desirous to Settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this World when it Shall please God to Call me hence. do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say
First and principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid I devise and bequeath as follows so wit. All that Lot and parcel of Ground being and Lying in that part of Havre de Grace Called Graetown. together with all the buildings and improvements thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. also all my Household and Kitchen furniture, also all notes Bonds Boots, and other property, and all property of whatsoever kind I have possess or which I may possess at my death to be Equally divided between my three beloved Children namely William J. Walker John Crawford Walker and Phoebe Frances Walker. and in Case either of them should die then the whole property to be equally divided between the two Survivors and in Case any two of them should die then the whole property to be possessed by the Survivor for their Sole use and benefit in fee Simple
And Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my beloved Son William J. Walker together with my trusted & Esteemed friend William E Woodhouse to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made and ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this twentieth day of October in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and fifty nine

John Walker (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Published in presence of

William B. Morgan Doris Seneca John T. Bradbury

Harford County S.S.

On the 9th day of August 1870 then came William E Woodhouse and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Walker late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Harford County SS

On the 9th day of August 1870 then Came William B. Morgan and Doris Seneca two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Walker Late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with John T. Bradbury Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

John Hopkins Colored

Be it remembered that I John Hopkins Colored of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound mind memory and understanding do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to Say. I do will and direct that all my just debts and funeral Expenses be paid and Satisfied.

And I Give and Bequeath to my acknowledged daughter Ann Maria Hopkins Col daughter of Lizzie Hopkins Col now residing at Benedict Bradford's Col Every and all of my Personal and Real Estate. And I do hereby Order and direct and fully authorize and empower my Executor hereinafter named to Sell and dispose of to the best advantage all my Personal and Real Estate and upon receipt of the purchase money to make Execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof one or more good and Sufficient deeds of Conveyance in fee Simple. It is furthermore my Will and direction that my Executor hereinafter named Shall invest all Such moneys as Shall be devised from the Sale of my Personal and Real Estate to the best of his Judgment and ability which investment Shall be paid over to my Said Daughter Ann Maria Hopkins Col, on her arriving at the age of Eighteen Years, I hereby Constitute and appoint Samuel H. Matthews Guardian to my Said daughter Ann Maria Hopkins until She Shall arrive at the age of Eighteen Years

And Lastly I do appoint Samuel H. Matthews my Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all other former Wills heretofore by me made. Certifying this and none other

to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Fifteenth day of October in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Six

John his X mark Hopkins (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by John Hopkins Col, the above named Testator as and for His last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Samuel W. Hopkins Thomas C. Hopkins Joshua H. Shaw

Harford County SS

On the 15th day of August 1870 Then Came Samuel H. Matthews and did Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Hopkins Col, Late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from Joshua H. Shaw who received the Same from the hands of the Testator to place in his hands for safe keeping

affirmed to Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Harford County SS United States Stamp

On the 15th day of August 1870 Then Came Thomas C. Hopkins and Samuel W. Hopkins two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Hopkins Late of Said County deceased and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with Joshua H. Shaw Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

affirmed to Test J. R. Ely R. W. & Co

Aquila Hall

I, Aquila Hall of Harford County and State of Maryland, do make this my last will and testament.

I desire my just debts and funeral expenses to be paid, as soon as possible after my death.

I give and devise to my wife Catharine Hall, if she survive me, one third of my personal property after the payment of debts, absolutely, and one third of my real Estate during her life.

All the rest and residue of my estate, real personal and mixed I give and devise to my brothers, George Wm. Hall, and Thomas H. Hall and their heirs in trust to hold manage and invest the same as they may deem best; with power to them, or the survivor of them, to sell and convey or dispose of all or any part thereof and to invest the proceeds, and and such investments to change from time to time; and after deducting the expenses of this trust, to pay over in equal portions to my three daughters, Sophia Catharine Hall, Alverda Hall and Elizabeth Hall, the annual rents, profits and income of said estate; and if either of my said daughters shall die without leaving issue living at the time of her death then to pay such deceased daughters part of said yield and income to the surviving Sister, if only one survives; but if either daughter shall die leaving issue living at the time of her death, such issue shall take and receive such portion as the mother would have received if living.

And in further trust, after the death of all of my said daughters to convey assign and pay over the said estate to the child or children of my said daughters, or of such of them as may leave issue living at the time of her death, to be equally divided among them, that is, the issue of each daughter is to have one share

But if none of my said daughters shall leave issue living at the time of her death, or if no such issue be living at the time of the death of the last surviving daughter, then I give and devise all my said estate to the children of my brother, Thomas H. Hall in fee simple, and direct the said trustees, or the survivor of them, to convey and assign the same.

I hereby appoint the George Wm. Hall and Thomas H. Hall Executors of this Will

Witness my hand and Seal this Twenty-fifth day of November Eighteen hundred and Sixty two

Aquila Hall (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared as his last Will and testament by Aquila Hall the testator, in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have

subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

A. J. Curry. Jos. C. Treadwell. Hanson Cole

Lemuel H. Amos Thomas McComas

Codicil

I Aquila Hall do make this a codicil to my last will and testament dated on the Twenty fifth day of November Eighteen hundred and Sixty-two hereby confirming and ratifying said Will except so far as altered by this codicil

My brother George Wm. Hall having departed this life I hereby nominate and appoint my daughter Alverda Hall as co-executor with my brother Thomas H. Hall of my said last Will

Witness my hand and Seal this first day of August Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-Six

Test Aquila his X mark Hall (Seal)

Henry D. Farmandis

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of September 1870 then came Thomas H. Hall and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Aquila Hall late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely

Register of Wills of Harford County

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Harford County SS

On the 17th day of September 1870 then came Hanson Cole and on the 1st day of October 1870 then came A. J. Curry two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Aquila Hall late of said County, deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Joseph C. Treadwell and Lemuel H. Amos & Thomas McComas subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely

Register of Wills of Harford County

Harford County SS

On the 5th day of October 1870 then came Henry D. Tamandis subscribing witness to the aforegoing Codicil of Aquila Hall late of Harford County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this Codicil, that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, and that he subscribed his name as witness to this Codicil in his presence and at his request.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Reg. W. N. Co

Mary Ann Andrews.

In the name of God. Amen. I Mary Ann Andrews of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in good health and of sound mind memory and understanding and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to arrange all my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence. I do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form as follows That is to say

First and principally. I commit my Soul to Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends and after all my debts are paid and satisfied and all my funeral expenses are paid. I give bequeath and devise as follows, to wit:

Item. I give devise and bequeath to my Son William H. Andrews all my real estate being the same and all that lot of ground with all the improvements thereon, and all the appurtenances thereunto belonging which I purchased from William M. Williams and Mary Williams and which is more particularly described in a deed from them to myself dated March 26th 1870 and being the same Land and premises whereon I now reside.

Item. I give devise and bequeath to my Son William H. Andrews in trust for his children which are or may be my grand children all my beds, bedding and all things that are or may be properly so called now unto me belonging.

Item. I give devise and bequeath to my Son William H. Andrews in trust for my Grand daughter Ida Andrews all and singular all my Clothing of all and every description and all things worn used or intended for that purpose now owned by me.

Item. To my Daughter in Law Alice Amanda and wife of William H. Andrews I give devise and bequeath for her own separate and proper use my two horse wagon and two mules together with all the harness or gears & fixtures appertaining thereto

Item. And I do hereby and herein most particularly devise and enjoin that if my son William H. Andrews should die previous to the death of his wife Alice Amanda Andrews that at and from the period of the death of my son William H. Andrews that all and every part and parcel of the real and personal property hereinbefore described given and devised shall be (except such as may be the lawful dower and portion of my daughter-in-law Alice Amanda Andrews) shall be divided equally among my son William H. Andrews children that are my grand children

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son William H. Andrews to be sole executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and commanding all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty ninth day of August One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy

Mary A. Andrews (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and delivered by Mary Ann Andrews the above named Testator as and for her last will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses hereof.

Joseph Guyton. John Pennington John Guyton

Harford County SS.

On the 14th day of October 1870 then came John Guyton and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Mary A. Andrews late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. N. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 14th day of October 1870 then came John Guyton and John Pennington two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary A. Andrews late of said County

deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of her apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Joseph Guyron subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Oliver H. Thomas

The last Will and Testament of Oliver H. Thomas of Bel air Maryland. I hereby awoke all other Wills heretofore made by me I make my wife my sole legatee, bequeathing to her all and every estate that may in anywise be belonging to me and appoint her my Executor. Dated this 8th day of July A.D. 1870

Oliver H. Thomas (Seal)

The above will was declared to be the last Will and Testament of Oliver H. Thomas by the said Testator to us, who in witness thereof hereby sign our names in the presence of the said Testator and in the presence of each other on the day and date above written.

N. B. Holland. Mary Archer. Henry W. Archer of R.

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of October 1870 then came Nancy H Thomas and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Oliver H. Thomas late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

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Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of October 1870 then came Mary Archer and N. B. Holland two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Oliver H Thomas late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they him publish pronounce and declare the same to be

his last Will and Testament; that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Henry W. Archer of R subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Margaret Stump

In the name of God Amen. I Margaret Stump of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say, after the payment of my debts and funeral charges and the necessary expences of settling my estate I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Rock Run Methodist Episcopal Church one hundred dollars, in trust, to be expended by said trustees in the repair of said Church, or in inclosing the same; and the receipt of said trustees or a Majority of them, for the payment of said bequest by my executor, shall be a full discharge to him of all liability on account of said bequest

I give devise and bequeath to my Sister Charlott for her natural life my ground rents in the City of Baltimore, and the interest from all funds of money I have invested in Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Bonds, Tide water Canal Bonds, deposites in the savings bank of Baltimore or invested at interest in any other mode; and I hereby authorise and direct my Executor hereinafter named during the lifetime of my said sister, to collect, and receipt for the said ground rents and the interest on said investments as it falls due whether annually semi-annually, or quarterly, and pay the same over to my said Sister as he collects the same; and after the death of my said Sister I authorise and direct my said Executor to sell and dispose of the said ground-Rents, bonds, or whatsoever the amount thereof may then be invested in, and to collect said deposites, debts, and investments thereof, and from the proceeds thereof to pay my legatees hereinafter named the money legacies, hereinafter given to them, as hereinafter provided.

I also give and bequeath to my said Sister the use of all my household and Kitchen furniture of every kind, during her natural life. I hereby authorise my Executor to sell said ground

Rents, and to change any or all of the investments I have made, when in his judgment they have become insecure, or not sufficiently productive and invest the proceeds, according to his judgment in some more safe and productive securities.

From and after the decease of my said Sister Charlott I give and bequeath to my nephew William C Wilson, One Thousand Dollars and all my Household and Kitchen Furniture the use of which is herein before bequeathed to my Sister Charlott during her natural life.

I give and bequeath to my niece Ruth Amanda Pentz, Five hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath to my nephew, Henry Walters of the State of Iowa Two hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to my nephew Thomas Wilson Two hundred Dollars.

I give and bequeath to Mary Ewan of Morristown in the State of Ohio One hundred dollars as an acknowledgment of her kindness to my niece Charlott I Walters, in her last illness If after the decease of my Sister Charlott, there should be a deficiency in my funds to pay all the money legacies in full. I will and direct that they shall all be reduced pro rata: but if there should be a surplus or excess after paying the aforesaid money legacies in full I will and bequeath such excess or surplus, to my nephew Wilson.

I do hereby constitute and appoint William P. Stephenson Executor of this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this fifth day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and sixty-five

Margaret Stump (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Margaret Stump the above named Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

John Adams. Amos H. Hughes W. O. Hughes

Codicil.

Whereas I Margaret Stump of Harford County Maryland have made and duly executed my last Will and testament in writing bearing date the fifth day of June Eighteen hundred and Sixty-five which said last Will and Testament, and every clause, bequest and devise, therein contained I do hereby ratify and confirm (excepting and saving such Clauses, bequests, and devises, therein mentioned as are by me herein after revoked and made void) and being desirous to alter some part thereof and making additions thereto, do therefore hereby make this my Codicil which I will and direct shall be taken, and held as part of my said Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

Whereas by my said last will, I did give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Rock Run Methodist Episcopal Church in trust to be expended in the repairs of the said Church, the sum of One Hundred dollars; Now I do hereby revoke the said legacy, and do give and bequeath the said One hundred dollars, to Mary A Hopkins, daughter of the late Ephraim Hopkins

And whereas by my said last. I did give and bequeath to my niece Ruth Amanda Pentz the sum of Five hundred dollars: Now I do hereby revoke the said legacy; and do give and bequeath the said five hundred dollars to my nephew William C Wilson in trust for the support of my nephew Thomas Wilson, to be given to him my said Nephew or his family, as he or they may need the same. I also revoke the legacy of Two hundred dollars devised to my nephew Thomas Wilson, in my said last Will; my intention being to give him the said Thomas, but five hundred dollars.

And whereas by my said last will I did give and bequeath to my Nephew Henry Walters of the State of Iowa the sum of Two hundred dollars: now I do hereby revoke the said legacy.

I request my nephew William C Wilson to take the care and over sight of my Sister Charlott, and see that she is provided for and made comfortable. I commit her to his care and protection.

All the rest and residue of my estate after paying the legacies and debts, and expenses of selling my Estate, I will and devise to my Nephew William C Wilson

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of December Eighteen hundred and Sixty-nine

Margaret Stump (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Margaret Stump the above named testator as and for a Codicil to her last Will and

Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William B Hopkins Hannah Stephenson Lizzie E. Stephenson

Harford County SS

On the 1st day of November 1870 then came William B Stephenson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Margaret Stump late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

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Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Clk H.C.

Harford County SS

On the 1st day of November 1870 then came Amos H Hughes and John Adams two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last Will and Testament of Margaret Stump late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with H. O. Hughes subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other
Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Clk H.C.

William Lee Amos

I William Lee Amos of Harford County make this my last Will and Testament

After the payment of my just debts and funeral expenses ~~all my lands in Harford and Baltimore~~ I dispose of all my Estate as follows

To my Son Garrett Amos I give and devise all my lands in Baltimore and Harford Counties to him and his heirs subject however to the provision hereinafter made for my wife

To my Daughter Sarah A Dixon I give for her sole and separate use the sum of five thousand Dollars.

To my wife I give absolutely and to be disposed of as she may think proper the Household furniture and goods which I may have in my present dwelling house

I give to my said wife Abigail J. Amos for her life the rent income, and interest of all the residue of any personal property whatsoever after payment of the debts and legacies aforesaid, and after her death I give to my said daughter, thereof the sum of Five thousand Dollars, the balance of the said personally in this clause mentioned to be disposed of as my said wife may by will or deed direct

I further give to my wife the right of residence in my present dwelling House during her life and to occupy exclusively for own use such rooms therein, not more than two, as she may choose, and to be supported and cared for there as she has been accustomed to, and to be furnished when she wishes with a horse and Carriage, the residence, support, care and privileges in this clause provided for to be furnished ~~by~~ and afforded by my Son Garrett and to be a charge on the lands devised to him

I make these provisions as a matter of duty to secure the comfort of my wife, beyond hazard, though of full confidence in the dutiful affection of my Children

I appoint my Son Garrett Amos sole Executor of this my Will

Witness my Hand and Seal this day of September 1870

Wm Lee Amos (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published by William Lee Amos, the testator in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Henry D Fernandis George K Amos James O Amos

Harford County SS

On the 2d day of November 1870 then came Garrett Amos and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of William Lee Amos late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from his mother who had received the same from the Hands of the testator for safe keeping

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Affirmed to in Open Court
Test J R Ely R W H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 2d day of November 1870 then came Henry D Farmandis, George K Amoss, and James O Amoss subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Lee Amoss late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
J R Ely R W H. Co

Elizabeth Proctor

In the name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Proctor of Harford County, in the State of Maryland, being sick, and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory, and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say.

I give and bequeathe unto my Son Thomas H Proctor all that lot of Ground known as Peacock containing forty Acres said Thomas H Proctor is also to have my Bay Mare and Car carriage, Wagon, Harness, Cultivator and Harrow.

I give Edward the Mortgage I hold against him by hundreding a certain sum of money to the following named persons that is, to A Pennington fifty Dollars, to my granddaughter Eliza Glasgow fifty dollars, to Thomas Edward Proctor fifty dollars

I give to Mary Jane Henry the Homestead on which she lives. I give to Susannah Pope the Note which she now hold on Archibald Heaps. Sarah A Pennington and Amelia McClemen each to have Three Hundred Dollars out of money which is now in Bank. the residue in Bank to be equally divided among my Grand Children of my own choosing ~~each to~~

The Note on Glasgow & Morgan and all other moneys remaining on hands to be equally divided between my Six daughters Sarah A Pennington to have Bed and Bedstead, Sheet, Blanket, Blue Coverlet and Quilt and two Chairs, Edward to have the Desk and Thomas to have the Clock. Susannah to have the Cupboard John H Proctor to Sofa and Table Amelia to distribute Household effects and all moneys not provided for as she thinks best among her Brothers & Sisters

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal This the Seventh day of October in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy

Elizabeth Proctor (Seal)

Signed, Sealed Published and declared by Elizabeth Proctor as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Robt. D. Orr Hugh C Ramsey Joseph E. Robinson

Harford County S.S.

On the 14th day of November 1870 then came Amelia McClemen and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth Proctor late of said County deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing, and that she received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

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Sworn to in Open Court
Test J R Ely R W H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 14th day of November 1870 then came Hugh C Ramsay and Robert D Orr two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Proctor late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will, that they heard her publish, pronounce, and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they

together with Joseph S Robinson subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely, R. W. H. Co

Elijah Bishop

I Elijah Bishop of Harford County, Maryland, do make publish and declare this as and for my last Will and Testament

All my property and effects, except the money I may have at the time of my death and that which may then be due me, I give and bequeath to Emmor Morrison and Benjamin Sawyer of Harford County in trust that they or the survivor of them shall sell the same at public or private sale in their or his discretion and after deducting the costs and expenses of said sale or sales and a reasonable charge for their trouble to pay over the proceeds to my executor, to be by him distributed and disposed of as hereinafter directed My just debts and funeral expenses having been paid. I give to my Aunt Sallie Rapstock to be paid into her own hands the sum of Fifty Dollars currency. A like sum of fifty dollars I give to her husband Frank Rapstock.

All the remainder of my Estate I give to William F. Brand in trust for the following uses. 1st to erect over my remains a head and foot stone in material, and general appearance like to those which mark the grave of Harry Hall in St Mary's Church yard.

Secondly, for the perpetual maintenance of my grave in decent order, I direct that he shall invest fifty dollars in such manner as may seem to him most likely to secure this object.

Thirdly I wish that the said Trustee William F. Brand expend whatever balance may remain in his hands towards the completion of, or adornment of St. Mary's Church in the First District of Harford County, in such manner as he may judge best

I hereby appoint David J. Wilson executor of this my last Will.

In testimony whereof I do hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal this Second day of November Eighteen hundred and Seventy

Elijah Bishop (Seal)

Signed, sealed & published as and for his last Will by Elijah Bishop in the presence of me who at his request and in his presence do hereunto affix my signature thereto

N. J. Morrison Sylvester Martin. Joseph H. Everett

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of November 1875 then came N. J. Morrison and Solemnly, sincerely, and truly declared and affirmed that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elijah Bishop late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

U.S. Stamp

Harford County SS

On the 25th day of November 1870 then came N. J. Morrison and Solemnly, sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that the she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Elijah Bishop late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Charles Hoopes

I Charles Hoopes of the County of Harford and State of Maryland being of sound mind, memory, and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament

I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Emma H. Hoopes all my real and personal estate so long as she remains my Widow, in case of her marriage or death the Estate to be divided equally between our three Children Howard W. Hoopes Charles W. Hoopes and Florence D. Hoopes

I also direct that in case of the sale of any of my real estate that the proceeds be invested in some permanent security to be held in trust by my Executors, the Interest to be paid to my Widow and the principal to be divided among our Children as hereto for stated

Lastly I appoint my Wife Emma H. Hoopes

and her brother William A. Hoopes the Executors of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I the said Charles Hoopes have hereunto set my hand and Seal this fifteenth day of June Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

Signed in presence of — Charles Hoopes (Seal)

Jas. A. Watson, Marion S. Smith, Caleb Hoopes

Harford County SS

On the 18th day of December 1870 then came Emma H. Hoopes and solemnly, sincerely, and truly declared and affirmed that she doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Charles Hoopes late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that she receives the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

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Affirmed to in open Court
Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 18th day of December 1870 then came James A. Watson Marion S. Smith and Caleb Hoopes subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Charles Hoopes late of said County deceased and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses thereto to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Affirmed to in open Court
J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Richard C. Hardesty

I Richard C. Hardesty of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this my last Will and Testament

1st Item I give to my friend Dr. E. Hall Richardson all my ~~Real~~ Estate, real and personal, in trust to hold the same for the use and benefit of my children Equally.

2d Item When my youngest child living at the time, shall reach the age of Eighteen years, the trust created in the 1st Item of this Will shall cease and expire, and my children living at that time shall take my real Estate as tenants in common equally, and my personal Estate share and share alike, free of said trust

3rd Item Until my youngest child living at the time shall reach the age of Eighteen years, I desire the Trustee herein named shall manage the farm on which I now reside, and keep the same as a home for my children, using its rents and profits, as far as they may be available for their education and support.

4th Item If any of my children should die before the trust created in the 1st Item of this Will shall expire according to its 2nd Item, leaving a child or children living at the time said trust expires, then such last mentioned child or children shall take "per stirpes" in the place of the father or mother deceased

5th Item By a marriage Contract made and concluded before the date of this Will, I have provided for the support of my Wife Julia Hardesty, formerly Julia Parker; I therefore make no provision for her in this Will: but I direct that my Executor shall retain in his hands until her death a sufficient portion of my Estate to secure to her the payment of the annuity of Six Hundred Dollars ($600) mentioned in said Marriage Contract

6th Item I appoint Dr. E. Hall Richardson to be the Sole Executor of this Will: and also to be the Sole Guardian of my children.

7th Item I intend to include in the words "my children" wherever used in this Will, my Stepson Richard C. Hardesty, for whom I feel the affection of a father

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my Seal on the Seventieth day of December in the year Eighteen Hundred and Seventy

Richard C. Hardesty (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Richard C. Hardesty as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witnesses thereto

David Lee Morris, Thomas Kemp, William H. Morris

Harford County SS

On the 6th day of January 1871 Then came Edwin A Webster and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Richard B Hardesty late of said County deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from E Hall Richardson who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

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Sworn to in Open Court - Test: J. R. Ely R. W. N. C.

Harford County SS

On the 6th day of January 1871 then came David Lee Norris Thomas Kemp and William H Norris subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Richard B Hardesty late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn & affirmed to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely
R. W. N. C.

Thomas S. Robinson

I Thomas S Robinson of Harford and State of Maryland do think proper to make this my last Will and Testament as follows. After my Debts and funeral expenses I will and bequeath to my two Daughters Catherine Burk & Maria each one feather bed and one ales to Anna Morgan.

I will and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth all my real and personal property during her life or widowhood and at her death or widowhood to my Daughters Catherine and Maria equally share and share alike Maria to have a home and support on my property as heretofore.

I will and bequeath after the death of my wife to Anna Morgan the sum of fifty Dollars provided she is living

And I hereby appoint Walter L. Burk Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament

As witness my hand and

Seal this 15th day of December 1870

Thomas S Robinson (Seal)

Witnesses
N. H. Nelson, N. D. Amos, William Calder

Harford County SS

On the 9th day of January 1871 then came Nicholas H Nelson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Thomas S Robinson late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

US Stamp

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely
R. W. N. C.

Harford County SS

On the 9th day of January 1871 then came Nicholas H Nelson & on the 10th N. D. Amos two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Thomas S. Robinson late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with William Calder subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
J. R. Ely R. W. N. C.

William Thompson

In the name of God Amen. I William Thompson of Harford County, in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound & disposing mind, memory and understanding considering the certainty of death, the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at

discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, after my debts and funeral charges are paid. I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give and bequeath to Mary E Myers wife of John K Myers for her sole and red benefit, the sum of Five hundred dollars

I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my property and estate to be equally divided between John Kendal Myers and Elizabeth Myers his mother in equal portions Share and Share alike and in the event of the death of either before distribution or division then the whole shall go to the survivor

And lastly I do constitute and appoint John Kendal Myers of the town of Havre De Grace, to be Sole executor of this my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and Seal this ninth day of November in the year Eighteen hundred & Seventy

William Thompson (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named William Thompson as and for his last will and Testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as Witnesses hereto

B. F. Heath H Courtney Jr. J. Thompson Frieze

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Harford County SS.

On the 17th day of January 1871 then came John K Myers and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William Thompson late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from among the private papers of the Testator Sworn to in open Court

Test J R. Ely R W H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of January 1871 then came B. F. Heath and H Courtney two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Thompson late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing

mind memory and understandings and that they together with J. Thompson Frieze signed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence, and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County Sct

The 17th day of January 1871 then came B. F. Heath one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and and Testament of William Thompson deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he wrote the aforegoing Instrument of writing now filed as the last Will and Testament of said deceased, And that the name of John K Myers named as one of the ~~Legatees~~ Devisees and as Executor should have been written John K Myers who is the person intended to have been named in said instrument

Sworn to in open Court

Test J R. Ely R W. H. Co

Mary Elvira McCourtney

I Mary Elvira McCourtney being in sound mind but weak in body and knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of live feel a desire to commit my wishes and desires to paper.

Item I wish my honest debts to be paid and funeral Expenses to be paid.

I bequeath to my beloved daughter Birdenia, all my beds and bedding, and all that is due me from my father's Estate, and all my personal property with a few exceptions which are as follows

1st I bequeath to my beloved mother, my black Circular and Crape Shawl provided she will wear it if not it goes to my daughter all other articles of clothing except dresses that she sees propper to take. Should my daughter not live to use this money I wish it to be divided in three equal Shares between my three brothers namely Jasper McCourtney Saml O. McCourtney and Franklin McCourtney. I appoint my brother Samuel O McCourtney as Guardian for my child also appoint him to be as a father to her I also wish him to put the money on Intrest for her so as to make as much as possible for her. I also authorize Saml O McCourtney if there be any chance for my child to get any benefit from her father or grand father to attend to it.

All articles of Clothing that my mother does not take are to fall to my daughter also all my dressed and finally appoint my Brother Saml. O. McCourtney as Executor of my Estate

I declare the above to be my true Will and Testament. In witness thereof I hereunto set my hand and Seal

Elvira J. McCourtney (Seal)

Witnesses present

Samuel O. McCourtney. Melissa A. McDermott

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Harford County Ss

On this 21st day of January 1871 then came Samuel O. McCourtney and made Oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Elvira McCourtney late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.S.C.

Harford County Ss.

On the 21st day of January 1871 then came Samuel O. McCourtney and Melissa A. McDermott subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Elvira McCourtney late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they hear her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.S.C.

Eleanor Hanway

I Eleanor Hanway, wife of Washington Hanway of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this as and for my last Will and Testament.

I give devise and bequeath all of my Estate real personal and mixed to my Husband Washington Hanway for and during his natural life and from and after his death I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue

of my Estate real personal and mixed to my two Daughters Mary Ellen Dryden and Sarah Baldwin as tenants in common for and during their natural lives and from and after their deaths then to such child or children or the descendants of such child or children as they may leave living at the time of their deaths who shall take per stirpes and not per capita.

Lastly I constitute and appoint my Husband Washington Hanway Executor of this my last will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal this Thirteenth day of December 1870

her
Eleanor X Hanway (Seal)
mark

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Testatrix as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence of each other And we certify that said testatrix was privately examined by us out of the presence and hearing of her said husband whether she did make the same freely and voluntarily and without being induced thereto by fear or threats of or ill usage by her said husband and she said she did it freely and voluntarily

Joseph Lomax John Stacks A. S. Baldwin

I assent to the aforegoing Will. Witness my hand seal the day and year above written

Washington Hanway (Seal)

Harford County Ss.

On the 1st day of February 1871 then came I Morris Baldwin and made Oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Eleanor Hanway late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of Sarah E. Baldwin who found the same among the private papers of Washington Hanway deceased

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.S.C.

Harford County Ss

On the First day of February 1871 then came Joseph Lomax and A. S. Baldwin two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Eleanor

Hanway late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with John Stacks subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Alice P. Hendon.

I Miss Alice P Hendon, of Harford County in the State of Maryland desiring to dispose of what property I may have at the time of my death do make publish and declare this my last Will and Testament.

I give, devise and bequeath to my Daughter Mary E Forwood, wife of Robert P Forwood all my household and kitchen furniture, Cows, horses, hogs, and all my personal property of whatever description and wherever being - also all money clothing &c that I may have on hand at my decease

My Son James P. Hendon having been provided for by his father I leave nothing to

I also appoint and constitute John H Grafton Executor of this my last Will and Testament

In witness whereof I hereto affix my hand and seal this thirteenth day of September 1870 A D Eighteen hundred and Seventy

Alice P Hendon (Seal)

John H. Grafton Ephraim McCann

Harford County SS.

On the Second day of February 1871 then came John H Grafton and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Alice P Hendon late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court
Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County SS

On the 2nd day of February 1871 then came John H Grafton and Ephraim McCann subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Alice P Hendon late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R W. H. Co

Daniel Carroll

In the name of God Amen, I Daniel Carroll of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound mind, memory and understanding and wishing to dispose of what property and estate real personal and mixed I may be seized and possessed of at the time of my death do make, publish and declare, this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. First. I give devise and bequeath unto St Ignatius Church Twenty Dollars and to James Carroll my Executor, Fifty Dollars to erect tomb Stones to my grave; my watch and gun, to my nephew Daniel Carroll Son of James Carroll my house and lot in the Town of Bel Air to be divided equally among the following heirs as Tenants in Common James Carroll John Carroll, Ellen Develine, Bridget Whalland, Mary Connaughton & Margaret Carroll, the above property not to be disposed of untill the mortgage held by the building Association is paid, the rent of said property to go to paying off the dues to said Association and my outstanding debts. I hereby constitute and appoint James Carroll Executor of this my last Will and Testament with full power and authority to execute and carry out the provisions of the same according to the true intent and meaning of the same Witness my hand and Seal this Twenty fourth day of September Eighteen hundred and Seventy

Witness J. S. Richardson Daniel his X mark Carroll (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Daniel Carroll the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who in his presence, and at his request, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witness thereto

J. S. Richardson John H. Jeffery John Quinn

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of January 1871 then came James Carroll and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Daniel Carroll late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of his Sister who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court.
Test J. R. Ely
R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 20th day of January 1871 then came John Quinn and on the 3rd February 1871 John H. Jeffery two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Daniel Carroll late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will and Testament; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Joshua S Richardson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Adeline Rutledge

I Adeline Rutledge of Harford County State of Maryland do think proper to make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows:

I will bequeath to my Daughter Alberta Virginia all my property both real and personal.

In witness my hand & Seal this fourteenth day of January 1871

her
Adeline X Rutledge (Seal)
mark

Nicholas H Nelson Joshua R. Nelson Horatio Nelson

Harford County SS

On the 15th day of February 1871 then came Nicholas H Nelson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Adeline Rutledge late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On this 15th day of February 1871 then came Nicholas H Nelson Joshua R Nelson and Horatio Nelson subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Adeline Rutledge late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John Coen

In the name of God Amen. I John Coen of Harford County and State of Maryland, being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament

First and principally I give my body to the earth and commend my Soul to God who gave it. And now I will and desire that as soon after my decease as my Administrator shall think proper. That he shall proceed to sell all my real Estate as well as all my personal property. And after my just debts shall have been satisfied out of the proceeds of the said Sale of property.

Then I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Gilbert the one Eighth part of said proceeds, and I give and bequeath to my Son Daniel S Coen in addition to that which I have already given him One Hundred and fifty Dollars out of said proceeds of property and I also give the said Daniel one Brown Mare which I now own if the said Mare shall be living in the Autumn of the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Seventy one (1871) and to my

Grand Daughter Alicene Ewing I give the sum of Three Hundred Dollars ($300) out of said Sale of property, and I give and bequeath all the Ballance of the proceeds of the Sale of said property to be equally divided and distributed to my Three other Daughters namely to Sarah A Coen To Mary J. Coen and To M. Rachel Ewing wife of Edward Ewing all of which sums I command my administrator & Executor promptly to pay over so soon as into his hands, and I hereby revoke all former Wills and instruments of writing purporting to be my Will, and I constitute and appoint Edwin Ewing to my Executor and Administrator to execute my will

In Testimony of the aforegoing Will I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this thirty first day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and Seventy one 1871

John Coen (Seal)

John F. Gilbert James S Ewing

Hanford County SS.

On the 16th day of February 1871 then came Edwin Ewing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Coen late of said County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of Mary Jane Coen who had the same for safe keeping. Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Hanford County SS.

On the 16th day of February 1871 then came John F. Gilbert and James S. Ewing subscribing Witnesses to the above last Will and Testament of John Coen late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test

J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Jacob Pradenbaugh Senr.

I Jacob Pradenbaugh, Sen of Hanford County and State of Ohio and being in the enjoyment of my usual health, and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in the following form to wit:

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor, hereinafter named, who out of my Estate shall pay all my just debts, funeral, and other necessary expenses; after which I devise and bequeath as follows, to wit:

A small part of what was formerly my Land, being a small part of "Black's Hope" lying Southerly of the Public Road in front of McKendree Chapel I have long since sold to the late Robert T. Henderson, his heirs and assigns forever I having been fully paid by the said R. T. Henderson for said land but never gave him a Deed for the same. I hereby confirm the said Sale of said Land.

Item Another small part of said Tract (Black's Hope) lying contiguous to McKendree Chapel Lot, and on the Easterly side thereof said parcel of Land being now partially inclosed by the Grave yard fence and for which parcel of Land I have been formerly paid I hereby devise and bequeath unto the Trustees of the said "McKendree Chapel" and their lawful successors in office forever, in trust nevertheless for the use and benefit of said "McKendree Chapel" according to the usages and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Said Lot Begins at a bounded Stone on the Northerly side of the above said Road, at the beginning also as I believe of of said "McKendree Chapel Lot" and bounds severally on said Lot one line to wit: North Seven degrees West fifteen perches and a third to a bounded stone of said "Lot" then North Sixty-six degrees and a quarter East, two perches, to a stone; thence running so as to leave room for a road to and from said public road from and to my Farm. South Seven degrees and a quarter. East fifteen perches to a stone on the northerly side of said Public Road, and thence bounding on said Public Road, two perches and eleven links to the place of beginning Containing about Sixty three Square perches of Land, more or less.

Item all the rest and residue of my land being part of a tract called "Black's Hope" as aforesaid, and perhaps a small part of a tract called "Black's Range" or by whatsoever name or names said Lands may be called, supposed to contain about Forty acres more or less with the improvements thereon, and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, I devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Margaret Pradenbaugh

Her heirs and assigns forever

Item. Having formerly given to my children, to to wit Jacob Bradenbaugh, Thomas Bradenbaugh Mary Susan Hutching, and Nancy Elliott, each, all the property to which I believe them respectively entitled, of my Estate. I shall add nothing more to what I have already given to my said Children.

Item All the rest and residue also of my personal ~~Estate~~ property of every description, including any money in my possession or owing to me in any manner, at the time of my decease. I therefore give and bequeath to my said wife Margaret Bradenbaugh Forever.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint James F. Beatty to be sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-eight

Jacob Bradenbaugh (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Jacob Bradenbaugh the above named Testator, as, and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who, at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Upton R. Maul Jno. G. Luckey Joshua McComas

Harford County Set

On the 4th day of March 1871 then came James F. Beatty and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Jacob Bradenbaugh late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 4th day of March 1871 then came Joshua G. Luckey and Joshua McComas two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will of Jacob Bradenbaugh late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely

of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Upton R. Maul subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Andrew Gordon

I Andrew Gordon do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, this 21st day of July A.D. 1870 Imprimis. I will and devise to my two Grand Children Anna Elizabeth and Ada Deadore daughters of my Son John W. Gordon all that part or parcel of land situate in Harford County called "Prestons Conquest" described as follows Beginning at a stone set in the ground on the East side of the County Road leading from Clarke's Bridge to Forest Hill and in and Old Road and running thence S 41¼° E 24 P. to the centre of the County, thence running in the centre of said road S 38¾° W. 11⅘ P to the outlines of said Andrew Gordons land, then bounding on the said outlines the two following courses and distances S. 19½° W. 18½ P. S 84° E 7½ P to the place of beginning containing one and twelve square perches of land more or less the land hereby devised being the same now in the occupancy of the said John W. Gordon.

Item. I will and devise to my dearly beloved wife Rachel Gordon all the rest and residue of my Estate real and personal for the term of her natural life and no longer in lieu of dower.

Item I will and direct after the death of my wife Rachel Gordon my Executor hereinafter appointed to sell all the property heretofore devised to my wife for life, and divide the net proceeds of sale as follows. First, pay to my Son George W. Gordon the sum of One Hundred Dollars, then divide the residue among my children, Mary Baldwin wife of Silas Baldwin, John W. Gordon James Alexander Gordon, Martha Dixon wife of William Dixon and George W. Gordon, share and share alike.

I constitute and appoint Joseph M Streett Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking all others by me made and ratifying this and declaring the same to be my Last Will and Testament in the presence of the subscribing Witnesses.

Her heirs and assigns forever

Item. Having formerly given to my children, to to wit Jacob Bradenbaugh, Thomas Bradenbaugh Mary Susan Hutchins, and Nancy Elliott, each, all the property to which I believe them respectively entitled, of my Estate. I shall add nothing more to what I have already given to my said Children.

Item All the rest and residue also of my personal ~~Estate~~ property of every description, including any money in my possession or owing to me in any manner, at the time of my decease. I therefore give and bequeath to my said wife Margaret Bradenbaugh Forever.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint James T. Beatty to be sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

Intestimony whereof I hereto set my hand and Seal this Twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-eight

Jacob Bradenbaugh (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Jacob Bradenbaugh Sen. the above named Testator, as, and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who, at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Upton R. Maul Jno. G. Luckey Joshua McComas

Harford County Set

On the 4th. day of March 1871 then came James T. Beatty and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Jacob Bradenbaugh late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Reg. Wills Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 4th. day of March 1871 then came Joshua G. Luckey and Joshua McComas two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will of Jacob Bradenbaugh late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely

of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Upton R. Maul Subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Reg. Wills Co

Andrew Gordon

I Andrew Gordon do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, this 21st day of July A.D. 1875 Imprimis. I will and devise to my two Grand Children Anna Elizabeth and Ada Deadore daughters of my Son John W. Gordon all that part or parcel of land situate in Harford County called "Precious Conquest" described as follows Beginning at a stone set in the ground on the East side of the County Road leading from Black Bridge to Forest Hill and in and Old Road and running thence S 41¼° E 24 P. to the centre of the County thence running in the centre of said road S 58¾° W. 11⅗ P to the outlines of said Andrew Gordons land thence bounding on the said outlines the two following courses and distances S. 19½° W. 18½ P. N 84° E 7½ P to the place of beginning containing one and twelve square perches of land more or less the land hereby devised being the same now in the occupancy of the said John W. Gordon.

Item. I will and devise to my dearly beloved wife Rachel Gordon all the rest and residue of my Estate real and personal for the term of her natural life and no longer in lieu of dower.

Item I will and direct after the death of my wife Rachel Gordon my Executor hereinafter appointed to sell all the property heretofore devised to my wife for life, and divide the net proceeds of sale as follows. First pay to my Son George W. Gordon the sum of One Hundred Dollars, then divide the residue among my Children, Mary Baldwin wife of Silas Baldwin, John W. Gordon James Alexander Gordon, Martha Dixon wife of William Dixon and George W. Gordon, share and share alike.

I constitute and appoint Joseph M. Street Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking all others by me made and ratifying this and declaring the same to be my Last Will and Testament in the presence of the subscribing Witnesses.

Witness my hand and Seal this 21st day of July 1870

Andrew Gordon (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published in our presence of each of us and of each other this Twenty-first day of July 1870

J. M. Streett Leonard Ady Martin Mahan

Harford SS

On the 20th day of February 1871 Then came Joseph M Streett and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Andrew Gordon late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

$1.00 U.S. Stamp

Sworn to in open Court
J. R. Ely
R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS

On the 26th day of February 1871 then came Joseph M Streett and Leonard Ady two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Andrew Gordon late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Martin Mahan subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence, and at his request and in the presence of such other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Daniel H Parish

In the name of God Amen. I Daniel H Parish of Harford County, and State of Maryland, being weak and sick in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; mindful of the Certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs so that I may thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make this my

last Will, and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my Soul, into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give bequeath and devise unto my two children Lizzie Brown Parish and Howard Presbury Parish, all the property, real, personal, and mixed of which I may die possessed, or entitled to. Said property, so far as I can now enumerate it, consisting of an interest in the Estate of my father the late Rev. Daniel Parish of Newark New Jersey of which Estate Mrs Eliza G. Tompkins is Administratrix — Also a half interest in and to certain real estate situate in Monoma County Iowa which is described as "South half of Section Seven, and North half of North East quarter, and North half of Northwest quarter of Section (18) in Township Eighty three (83.) Range forty three being four hundred and Eighty acres Government Survey" Also one black horse now in the possession of Dr. Benson of Baltimore City; also all my household furniture now in the house of James Tolley Hall and belonging to me Also, all the balance of money yet due, and unpaid me, on a note of hand of J. S. Brown of Harford County in this State which note bears date Jany 1st 1866 Also the sum of Four Thousand and forty eight 30/100 Dollars now on Deposit to my order in the National Mechanics Bank of Baltimore also Five hundred and fifty dolls (and all Int due) on Deposit in the Savings Bank Baltimore And finally all other property of what kind soever or wherever situate, of which I may die possessed, or entitled, Said property or the proceeds thereof, should my executor in virtue of the power hereinafter given see fit to change the character of said investments to be divided between my said two children equally, share and share alike upon their attaining respectively their majority and if either of them should die before attaining their majority, then and in that case I devise the share of such deceased to the survivor — And until such time as their respective majorities shall have been attained as aforesaid by said children I desire that my Executor shall retain the annual profits arising from the property which I may leave at my death and the interest of my money bequeathed, and apply the same to the education and maintenance of my said children or the survivor of them

And I hereby empower my Executor hereinafter ~~named~~ mentioned, to sell the whole or any part of the property hereby devised and to reinvest the same (should he deem it most beneficial for my children) subject however to the provisions of this will, should the Interest accruing from the investments not be sufficient to support my children after the age of 13 Years their Guardian will have authority

to use so much of the Principal not to exceed Two thousand (2000) dollars.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend and kinsman James Tolley Hall of Harford County in this State, to be the Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I also appoint him Guardian of my said Children during their respective minorities, and I hereby revoke, and annull, all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying, and confirming this and none other to be my last Will, and Testament

In testimony whereof, I hereto set my hand and seal, this Sixteenth day of February in the year one Thousand eight hundred and seventy one

Daniel H Parish (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Daniel H Parish as and for his last Will and Testament, in our presence, who at his request and in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereto set our hands as witnesses hereto. All interlinings made in the aforegoing Will, were made prior to its execution, and at the request of the Testator

Jos F. Hinds Joshua H Scarff W B Jarrett

Harford County S.S.

On the 28th day of February 1871 then came James Tolley Hall and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Daniel H Parish late of said county, deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the private papers of the Testator

Fee E.S. Stamp

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely
R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 7th day of March 1871 then came Joshua H Scarff and William B Jarrett two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Daniel H Parish late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at

the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Joseph H Hinds subscribed their names as witnesses to this in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other and also that the interlineations was made before signing

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Ann Robinson

In the name of God Amen. I Ann Robinson of Harford County and State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding but considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof do make and ordain this to be my last Will and Testament

First I resign my soul to almighty God, who gave it and it is my Will, and I hereby give and bequeath to my two Sisters Mary and Martha, all my estate both real personal and mixed to them and their assigns forever, to be equally divided between them, share and share alike, provided however if either of my said Sisters should die before me, that the survivor is to have the whole of my real and personal estate forever, and I hereby constitute and appoint Martha Robinson to be executrix of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal this 26th day of April 1844
Ann Robinson (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the Testator Ann Robinson, as and for her last Will and Testament in presence of us, who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses hereunto

Otho Scott James Moores Saml Robinson

Harford County Sct

On the 11th day of December 1870 then came Henry D Farmandis and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Ann Robinson of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of her Sister Martha S Robinson who received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping. Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 19th day of December 1870 Then came Henry D Farnandis and Aluigan Jarrett and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God That they have seen Otho Scott James Moores, and Samuel Robinson who are now deceased write their names and that the signatures annexed as witnesses to the aforegoing Will of Ann Robinson deceased is in their hand writing and that to the best of their Knowledge the signatures thereto annexed are true and genuine and at the same time Came John Moores and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he has seen Otho Scott and James Moores write their names and that to the best of his knowledge the signatures annexed to the Will of Ann Robinson deceased is in their hand writing and that the signatures are ~~their~~ true and genuine

Sworn to in open Court
Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County Sct

On the 11th day of March 1871 Then came Samuel S. Robinson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that the signature annexed to this will of Ann Robinson, is true and genuine, and in the hand writing of the Testatrix

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Mary Smith

In the name of God Amen. I Mary Smith of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being in my usual health in body and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and considering the of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepaired to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I do commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my Funeral charges are paid Including Toomb Stones which it is my Will and desire should be put up at my Grave. I devise and bequeath as follows

2nd It is my will and I desire my Executor shall put up Toombstones to my brother Eli Smith's grave, after his death out of my Estate

3rd I give and bequeath unto Herman Pyle that I am living with now my Clock, one Bed stead that I sleepon 1 falling leaf Table, 6 chairs and one Red Coverlead.

4th I give and bequeath unto Ellen Smith Daughter of my brother John my Bureau and Brass Kettle

5th I give and bequeath unto Jane Pyle Daughter of the above Herman Pyle one Goose feather Bed with cords round the seam, one Blue and white Cover lead

6th I give and bequeath unto Sarah Jane Pyle wife of the above Herman Pyle one Blue Chest all my Cupboard Ware, one Goose feather Bed, one Narrow Bedstead.

7th as to all the rest and residue of my Estate Real personal and mixed I give devise and bequeath unto the above Sarah Jane Pyle wife of Herman Pyle as above stated to her and her heirs and assigns forever.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Herman Pyle to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 19th day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-Seven

Mary Smith (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Mary Smith the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Barnet J. Clark, Jas P. Monks Thomas L. Grier

Harford County SS

On the 25th day of February 1871 then came Herman Pyle and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Mary Smith late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from Barnett J Clark who received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely
R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 21st day of March 1871 then came James T. Monks one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of Mary Smith late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounced and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with Garrett S Clark, & Thomas D Grier subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J R Ely R.W.H.C.

William H. Pyle

In the name of God Amen. I William H Pyle of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say. First that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid.

Item. I give and bequeath to my wife Hester Pyle all of my real Estate and personal property during her natural life time and after death it shall be equally divided amongst the children.

And lastly I do hereby appoint my wife Pyle to be my sole executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this Sixteenth day of March in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-one

William H. Pyle (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and delivered by William H Pyle the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Corbin Grafton. Thomas J. Robinson. Amer Pyle

Harford County SS.

On the 31st day of March 1871 then came Isaac C Pyle and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William H Pyle late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Harford County SS.

On the 22d day of March 1871 then came Amer Pyle and on the 23d day of March 1871 then came Thomas J. Robinson two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William H Pyle late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounced and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Corbin Grafton subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J R. Ely R.W.H.C.

Temperance Amos

I Temperance Amos of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following

Item 1st. I give and bequeath to my Son Edward Amos, the one half of the land now in possession called Orrston containing One hundred and Sixteen acres, and the other half of said Land, I give and bequeath to Sarah Ann Garrett wife of Richard Garrett Edward's part to be laid off at that end of said Land where my Son Edward now lives, and my daughter Sarah Ann Garrett's part to be laid off about the old house where I now reside, in equal portions share and share alike, to them their heirs and assigns forever.

Item the 2nd Whereas I have now in my Chest three Halfeagles and one Silver dollar, which I have kept by me for my daughters and absent Son, and I now divide it amongst them as follows, To wit: To Sarah Ann Garrett my daughter I give one half Eagle, To Mary Ann Scott my daughter I give one Half Eagle, To my daughter Elizabeth Ann Hollingshead I give the other Half Eagle, and my Son

Luther Martin Amos I give the one dollar left or laid by in my Chest to them or their heirs.

Item the 3rd I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah Ann Garrett all the rest and residue of my property Stock, farming utensils, household and Kitchen furniture of every kind and description whatsoever.

And Lastly I do hereby appoint my son in law Richard Garrett my executor of this my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 14th day of September ~~xxx~~ in the year of Our Lord 1844

Witness present
Jno Smithson

Temperance her X mark Amos (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Temperance Amos the above named Testator as, and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Thomas Garrett Samuel Garrett Joshua Amos of Wm

Harford County Sct

The 13th day of May 1850 Then came Richard Garrett who produced this Instrument of writing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that same was found among the papers of the Testatrix and that it is the true and whole last Will and Testament of Temperance Amos late of Harford County deceased that hath come to his hands or possession and that he doth not know of any other

Certified by C W Billingslea R W H Co

Harford County Sct

On the 27th day of March 1871 then came Samuel Garrett one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Temperance Amos late of said County, deceased and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that he heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with Thomas Garrett and Joshua Amos of Wm subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

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Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.C

Harford County Sct

The 27th day of March 1871 then came Samuel Garrett and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he has seen Thomas Garrett and Joshua Amos of Wm write their names, and the signatures of Thomas Garrett and Joshua Amos of William annexed to the aforegoing Will is in their hand writing and that they are true and genuine.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Henry Bowman

In the name of God Amen. I Henry Bowman of Harford County in the State of Maryland being Sick and weak in body, but of sound disposing, mind, memory, and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby, be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix.

I will and devise, that my personal property or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be sold by my executrix to pay my debts and if the amount of realised from said Sale, shall not be sufficient to pay all my debts, I will, devise and direct, my executrix hereinafter named to sell such portion or parts of my real Estate as will in her judgment be most advantageous to my estate, and the interest of those concerned therein, and will pay all my debts; and my executrix is hereby authorised to convey in fee simple when she sells my real estate,

All the residue of my estate real personal and mixed, that shall be left, after paying my debts, and the incidental expenses of settling my my Estate, and the commissions of my executrix. I give and bequeath to my dear wife during her natural life and widowhood, and after her decease to all my children now living, and the issue or children now living of my deceased children, equally divided amongst them under this express proviso nevertheless; that the children of my deceased children respectively, shall only take the share that would fall to their respective deceased parent if living

My intention being to make all my children, those living and those deceased who left issue and now living, equal in the distribution of my estate after the decease of my wife.

I Hereby appoint my wife Priscilla Bowman Executrix, of this my last will and Testament with powers to do all I have directed to be done herein by my Executrix, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twenty fourth day of December in the year of Our Lord 1866.

Henry Bowman (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Henry Bowman the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm B Stephenson, A. G. Gibson, J. M. Firney.

Harford County, Ss.

On the 30th day of January 1871 then came William B Stephenson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Henry Bowman late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County S. S.

On the 30th day of January 1871 then came William B. Stephenson on the 4th day of April 1871 then came A. Clark Gibson and John M. Firney subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Henry Bowman late of said County deceased and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; That at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Barnett S. Clark.

In the name of God Amen. I Barnett S. Clark of Harford County, State of Maryland, being weak in body but of sound mind memory and understanding do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows. viz.

Item I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Clark all that Lot or parcel of Land on which I now reside, lying on the South side of Deer Creek, during her natural life or widowhood, containing One hundred and thirty Acres, more or less, including the Mill property and water power. I also give and bequeath to my beloved wife during her natural life or widowhood, all the Poultry, Household and Kitchen Furniture, all the implements or utensils about or in the Spring House necessary to carry on the Dairy, all barrells tubs and Sixty gallon tubs, two Copper Stills, heads and worms, all the cider works. One Carriage and one Buggy, all wagon. Plow, Carriage or Buggy harness there may be, also three Cows and two young Calves which she may select, One Coke of Oxen all the hogs, of every description Ox Carts, my Threshing Machine and apparatus, One Dutch Fan. two grain Cradles, two mowing Scythes, One Steel Horse Rake, One Copper and one Brass Kettle and Iron Pots, one hay Fork and fixtures, one pair of harrow. Cultivator and double Shovel Plow, all Books not hereinafter specially bequeathed to my Sons, all grain, hay, straw, fodder provender and provisions that may be necessary to supply her, my beloved wife until the next crop is harvested or garnered. I also give and bequeath to my beloved wife during her natural life or widowhood all the income or profits issuing out of ground rents owned by me in the city of Baltimore.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son, William Thomas in fee simple all that lot or parcel of land situated on the North side of Deer Creek bounding in the centre of said Creek and running with the same, composed of parts of tracts called Robert and Johns Lot and part of Isaac Enlargement and one tract called Stony Forest containing Ninety-five Acres more or less. At the marriage or death of my beloved wife I give and bequeath to my said Son William T. in fee simple, One half of the Mill property with the privilege of the water power with free ingress and egress to said property. On the marriage or death of my beloved Wife, I give and bequeath to my Son William T. in fee simple, those two several Lots of ground situated in Baltimore City which were purchased by Barnett McThomas, and recorded in Liber E. D. No 112 folio 249, one of the Land Records of Baltimore City I also give to my said Son William T. One of Compasses Chain and Pins one half my plotting instruments and one half my mathematical Books. his choice of Compasses.

Item On the marriage or death of my wife I give and bequeath to my Son Barnett Robert in fee simple, all that tract or parcel of Land bounding on the Centre of Deer Creek embracing the property on which I now reside, except the one half the Mills property hereinbefore bequeathed to my William T. in which my said Son Barnett R. has an equal right and interest with my Son William T. I give and bequeath to my Son Barnett R forever the two water rights purchased from Henry D. Farnandis Trustee and John H. Grafton and and Thomas Robinson. I give to my Son Barnett R. One Compass one half the plotting instruments one half my mathematical Books I give to my Son Barnett R. my Secretary, or Desk with its contents except the plotting instruments, Books, papers, or money.

On the marriage or death of my wife, I will and ~~bequeath~~ direct my Sons William T. and Barnett R to sell all my leasehold or fee simple property not before devised in City of Baltimore, to the best advantage and the proceeds arising therefrom to be equally divided between my Six children, Sarah Ann, Mary Lucinda, Hannah Elizabeth, Julia Ann, Josephine and Barnett R.

I give and bequeath, on the Marriage or death of my wife, to each of my daughters if living, or if deceased to their legal representatives the sum of Six Hundred Dollars.

Finally I give and bequeath the rest and residue of my personal property of which I shall die seized or possessed, and all the personal estate or effects which I have herein bequeathed to my wife, to my children living, if deceased, to their representatives, share and share alike.

In the event that in the distribution of my personal property among my children at my death, or at that of their mother the share each of my daughters should not be sufficient when valued, to pay the legacy of Six Hundred Dollars devised to each of my daughters then in that case, I will and direct my sons William T. and Barnett R. to pay to each the deficiency; William T. to pay one fifth and Barnett R to pay four fifths of the said deficiency to each of my daughters or their legal representatives if deceased. This Legacy of Six hundred Dollars to each of my daughters is exclusive of their share of the proceeds arising from the sale of my leasehold and fee simple property hereinbefore mentioned in the City of Baltimore.

I declare that all the property herein devised and bequeathed to my children is hereby given as a present and in lieu of their services.

Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint

my beloved wife, Elizabeth Clark, my Sole Executrix, to settle up my Estate as far as consistent with this Will and on the death or marriage of my wife I constitute and appoint my Sons William T. and Barnet R. Executors to finally settle up my Estate according to this my last Will and Testament.

And I hereby revoke and annul all former Wills by me made and confirm this to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Twelfth day of February One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-one

Barnet T. Clark (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by the above named testator Barnett T. Clark, to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Robert Henry. William Sanders. George W. T. Rigdon

I have made at the request of the Testator one interlineation on the first page, two on the second page, two on the third page and two on the fourth page as follows the first " and provisions" the second "and part of Isaac's Enlargement" the third "Centre" the fourth " or fee simple" fifth "not before devised" Sixth "devised to each of my" Seventh "he" Eight " or marriage"

Robert Henry Witness

Harford County Sct.

On the 10th day of April 1871 then came George W. T. Rigdon, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Barnett T. Clark late of said County deceased, Except a will amongst the private papers of a prior date to the aforegoing Instrument of writing; and by this Will revoked and annulled, than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely

R. W. T. C

Harford County SS.

On the 10th day of April 1871 then came William Sanders and George W. S. Rigdon two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Barnett J. Clark late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Robert Henry subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

James Kean

I James Kean of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in following to wit

First. I will and devise unto my beloved wife Cassandra Kean all my property real and personal during her life or widowhood subject to the following legacies.

Second I will and bequeath to my Grandson James Henry Cain One Hundred dollars. To my two Grand children Priscilla Ady and Samuel Ady children of Samuel M and Cassandra Ady One Hundred dollars each, to be invested for each of them without charging interest from my Estate for one year.

Third I will and bequeath to the pastor of St. Ignatius Church whoever he may be, at the time of my death fifty dollars.

To my grand daughter Clara Kean the Piano now in our house for her exclusive use and benefit.

To my daughter Cassandra Ady wife of Samuel M Ady those two Oil Paintings or Portraits now in our house of myself and wife for her exclusive use and benefit, and for no other purpose

Fourth It is my will and desire that in the final division of my property after the death of my wife Cassandra Kean that Samuel M Ady and Cassandra his wife shall receive four hundred Dollars more money than James M Cain and Elizabeth his wife

Fifth It is my will and desire that if my wife Cassandra Kean at any time during her life should become Embarrassed for want of money that she could not command from any other source I would hereby direct my Executors hereinafter named to make

sale of the land near the Rock Spring Church, and they would be hereby authorised to make a Deed for the same.

Sixth I hereby appoint James M. Cain and Samuel M. Ady Executors of this my last Will and Testament as Witness my hand and Seal this Eleventh day of February Eighteen hundred & Seventy one.

James Kean (Seal)

Signed Sealed acknowledged and proclaimed in the presence of us the subscribing Witnesses on the day above written

Rd Kenly Wilson Kean James Herron

Harford County SS.

On the 17th day of April 1871 then came James M Cain and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of James Kean late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W. H.Co

Harford County, SS.

On the 17th day of April 1871 then came Wilson Kean and on the 18th day of April 1871 James Herron and on the 25th day of April 1871 Richard Kenly subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of James Kean late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W. H.Co

John Taylor

In the (named) of God Amen. I John Taylor of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being in perfect health of body and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being disposed to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the

better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do hereby make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried, by my executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows

I give and bequeath unto my Wife Martha my best bed and bedstead and bedding for the same, one Clock one bureau, table stand and all my Cupboard Ware likewise my executor to pay her annually for her natural life one hundred and twenty dollars to be secured in my real Estate

My Grand daughter by my Son Robert L who went to the west sometime since I make no provision for her. The rest of my real and personal property I give and bequeath to my son Richard, and do hereby constitute and appoint my said son Richard to be the sole executor of this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twenty fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy

John Taylor (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by John Taylor the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Humphrey Wilson R. E. Morgan

Harford County Sct.

On the 28th day of April 1871 then came Richard Taylor and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Taylor late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County Sct.

On the 28th day of April 1871 then came Humphrey Wilson and R. E. Morgan subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will of John Taylor late of Harford County deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the

Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Samuel Whitaker

In the name of God Amen. I Samuel Whitaker of Harford County State of Maryland being in my usual health and sound disposing mind do set forth this as my last Will and Testament viz after all my debts and funeral expenses are paid. I give & bequeath as follows.

1st I give and bequeath to my Son Franklin Whitaker all my property, real personal and mixed wherever found to him his heirs & executors forever, on condition that he gives to my daughter Cassandra Rale's five children, five hundred dollars each.

2d I leave my Son Franklin Whitaker my executor to carry out the above in witness my hand and seal this 5th day of January 1871 in the year of our Lord 1871.

Samuel Whitaker (Seal)

Signed and Sealed in presence of him and each other as witness hereto.

Elijah J. Pond. Levi James Archer Thos. Lillig

Harford County Sct

On the 16th day of May 1871 then came Thomas Lillig and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Samuel Whitaker late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County Sct.

On the 16th day of May 1871 then came Thomas Lillig and Levi James Archer two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Samuel Whitaker late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they

heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Elijah S. Poole subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

John R Eclip

In the name of God. Amen. I. John R. Eclip of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the uncertainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this World when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form as following, that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

Item. 1st. I give and bequeath unto Thomas Kennedy all my money Personal property and every + all of my worldly effects to be sole heir of all I possess.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend Thomas Kennedy to be sole executor of this my last Will + Testament revoking + annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will + Testament.

In testimony I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this sixth day of May in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred + Seventy one

his
John R X Eclip (Seal)
mark

Signed Sealed Published and declared by John R Eclip, the within named testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Saml H. James George Garret. his mark made in the presence of the above Witnesses Test Jos. D. Alderson

Harford County Sc.

On the 29th day of May 1871 came John D Alderson and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John R Eclip late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS

On the 29th day of May 1871 came Samuel H. James & George Garrett two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John R Eclip late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Owen Michael

In the name of Almighty God Amen. I. Owen Michael of Harford County and State of Maryland, Knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being in tolerable good health, memory and understanding, do make, declare and publish this my last will as follows;

I give devise and bequeath unto my sons William H. Michael and Jacob L Michael all the lands and Houses, tenements and Singulars appertaining thereunto, where I now reside, which I bought of William Hoke and all personal property at the time of my death after all my debts and expenses are paid and legacys hereinafter named are paid by them, and maintenance for my widow, their mother so long as she lives in widowhood share and share alike, reserving to my daughters Emma and Edith C Michael a home with food schooling and clothing by their attending to the duties of House work. I give and bequeath a legacy of five hundred Dollars to each of my daughters Emma and Edith Cheyney Michael to be paid by my Sons to my hereinafter named executor for them, four years after

my death without interest to that time, they are to have a home with with their mother and Brothers of food schooling and clothing free of charge, only to work at house keeping work until they marry.

I give devise and bequeath a Legacy of one Hundred Dollars to each of my daughters Sarah E Harkins and Mary A Lytle to be paid by my hereinafter named executor by my sons for them four years after my death without interest to the time due.

I constitute my dearly beloved wife Mary Michael for my children by her untill they come to the age of twenty one, or marry, and to hold all the Household effects, untill said children come to years of maturity, and such as she may need untill her death. The executor is not to sell them. There shall beft unsold on the place two horses, three cows, three hogs two ploughs, one large harrow, two cultivators, four hoes, two Mattocks two dung shovels, three meat casks, one Corn Sheller, one wheat Fan six pitch forks, wheel barrow, two grain cradles, two mowing Scythes sneids + nails, wheat Screen, waggon and harness for waggon and ploughs one yoke of oxens, and one ox cart. carriage and harness and provision for one year.

My will is and I here constitute empower and direct my executor hereinafter named, to sell at either public or private Sale, all the land singulars and appurtenances thereto which I got from my father William Michael's will and give a deed to the purchaser, also all personal property not otherwise disposed of, and apply the monies arising therefrom as much as may be required to the payment of my debts

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Jacob F Johnson sole executor of this my last and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, Rattifying and confirming this and no other will, to the true intent meaning thereof as my last Will and testament

In testimony whereof, I upon this tenth day of March, in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Sixty-eight have affixed my hand and Seal thereto

Owen Michael (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered by Owen Michael the above named Testator, as and for his last will and Testiment, in the presence of us who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Stevenson Harkins J. Henry Crevenstein, James Johnson

Harford County SS.

On the 31st day of March 1871 then came Darlington Hoops and did Solemnly, sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Owen Michael late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

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Harford County SS.

On the 3rd day of April 1871 then came James Johnson and J Henry Crevenstein two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Owen Michael late of said County deceased an Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Stevenson Harkins subscribed their names a witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Codicil

Codicil made and concluded this 26th day of March 1871

My Daughter Editch C Michael having deceased, it is my Will that Two hundred dollars of the portion intended for her shall be paid to my daughter Emma, making her portion Seven hundred dollars, and One hundred and fifty dollars to each of my daughters Sarah E Harkins and Mary A Lytle making their portions each Two hundred and fifty dollars to be paid as before specified at the end of four Years after my death

I also (constitute and) appoint my Sons William H Michael and Jacob C Michael my executors instead of Jacob F. Johnson hereinbefore named In confirmation of which I hereunto set my hand and affix my Seal.

Witnesses present.

Owen Michael (Seal)

Darlington Hoopes James H Harkins James Johnson

Harford County SS

On the 31st day of March 1871 then came Darlington Hoops and on the 3rd day of April 1871 then came James H Harkins and James Johnson subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing

Codicil of Owen Michael late of Harford County deceased. The former made affirmation and the two latter made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Codicil to his last Will and Testament; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to his last Will and Testament, and that at the time of his so doing to the best of their apprehension he was of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil at the request and in the presence of the Testator and in the presence of each other. Affirmed and Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Samuel Dougherty

I Samuel Dougherty of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this my last Will and Testament as follows, to wit:

I give devise and bequeath to Amos H. Strasbaugh all my Estate real personal and mixed of every nature and Kind wheresoever found.

In trust nevertheless. for my dear wife Sallie to have and enjoy all the uses interest and profits thereof for and during her natural life and at and after her death to distribute the whole of said Estate among all my children then living and allowing the child or children of any of my children that may have deceased to represent their deceased parent as Tenants in Common either by making sale of said Estate which I hereby fully authorize and empower him to make and distribute the proceeds thereof or otherwise entirely at his discretion.

And I hereby appoint said Strasbaugh sole Executor of this my last Will, Witness my hand and Seal this 15th day of December 1870

Samuel his X mark Daugherty (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Samuel Daugherty the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto, the word Sale interlined before signing

Noah Webster. John McKee David McKee

Harford County SS.

On the 14th day of June 1871 then came Amos H. Strasbaugh and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Samuel Dougherty late

of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from W. Billingslea who had the same for safe keeping. Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 14th day of June 1871 then came John McKee and on the 20th day of June 1871 then came Noah Webster two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Samuel Dougherty late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with David McKee subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Thomas Russell

In the name of God Amen. I Thomas Russell of Cecil County in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefor make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executors hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give devise and bequeath unto my wife Easter Russell all my property, real personal and mixed to hold during the Term of her natural life.

Item and after her decease I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Mary Vandiver wife of Robt. R. Vandiver all that farm or tract of land on which I now reside situate lying and being in Cecil County and State of Maryland and more particularly described in a deed from Mary McKeown to Thomas Russell, to her the said Mary Vandiver and her heirs and assigns, in fee simple.

on condition that he pays to my Grand Children, James T. Russell, Easter A. Russell, John A. Russell Samuel L. Russell and Sallie Russell the sum of Four hundred Dollars to be divided equaly amongst them Share and Share alike

And lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my son in law Robert R. Vandiver to be sole executor of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other, to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty sixth day of August in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty five

Thomas Russell (Seal)

Signed Sealed published, and declared by Thomas Russell the testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Tobias R. Biddle, William R. Mearns Benjamin Ferguson

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of July 1871 then came Robert R. Vandiver and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Thomas Russell late of said County, deceased, other than the above the instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely. R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of July 1871 then came William R. Mearns one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Thomas Russell late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with Tobias R. Biddle & Benjamin Ferguson subscribed his name as witness to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other Sworn to in open Court Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of July 1871 then came William R. Mearns and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that the signatures of Tobias R. Biddle subscribed to the aforegoing Will of Thomas Russell deceased was made in the presence of this affiant and is the signature of said Biddle who is now deceased, and also that the signature of Benjamin Ferguson is in the hand writing of said Ferguson and this his whereabouts is unknown, and believes to be beyond the jurisdiction of this Court.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

William Murphy

In the name of God. Amen. I William Murphy of Harford County & State of Maryland being in feeble health (at this time) but in the enjoyment of a sound and disposing mind and memory, and desirous of settling my worldly affairs, that I may be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore publish and declare this to be my last will and Testament. And after my funeral expenses and just debts are paid. I give devise and bequeath as follows, with the exceptions and deductions hereinafter named

Item First I give and bequeath unto my wife Catharine all my Estate (Real personal & mixed) during her lifetime, with the rents issues and profits of the same, as a means for her support and the support of her unmarried children who are dependent upon her and at this time living with her (namely Benjamin, Fannie and Ella, and so long as they continue to reside with their mother, or it may be their mothers pleasure to provide for them, and no longer. Nevertheless I make the proviso that in the event of my wife's death before my youngest daughter Ella attains the age of Eighteen years, then the said rents, issues, and profits accruing from said Estate or so much of the same as may be needed and necessary shall be applied for the maintenance and education of my daughter Ella, and also for the support of my daughter Fannie during the same time or so much of the time, as remains unmarried.

Item Second. From and after the death of my wife, and after my daughter Ella attains the age above named if that shall happen last I give and bequeath unto Seven Children (namely William, George Mary, Benjamin, Keturah, Fannie and Ella, and to my Grand-Children, being the children of my sons William & George and the children of daughter, Mary, all my Estate of every description, kind, and quality to be apportioned as distributed as follows. First into seven parts

provided all my seven children as named above are then living at the time of the distribution as provided for. but if any one or more of said children shall die without issue leaving no living child or children, then my said estate shall be divided into a smaller number of parts, as the case may then be, And the said seven or less number of parts comprising my then whole Estate shall be distributed as follows.

To my Son William and his two children I give one part of my Estate and on the hypothesis that all my said children are then living the said part will be the one Seventh part of my Estate, the one half of which I give to him in his own right and the other half to him in trust for his two children.

I give to my Son George and his three children one part like unto that of my Son William and his children The one half of which I give to my Son George and the other half to him in trust for his children

I give unto my Daughter Mary and her children one part of my Estate like unto that bequeathed to my Son Wm. and his children, The one half to her in her own right and the other half to her in trust for her children

I give unto my daughter Keturah (married and now without issue) one part of my estate to hold the same in her own right and for her own use. Provided she is living and without child or children, but in the event of her having one child or more then the said one part to be subject to and divided as that of my sons and daughter named before

I give unto my three remaining children (namely) Benjamin, Fannie and Ella, three parts of my Estate, one part to each alike.

Item Third There can be no distribution of my Estate until my daughter Ella becomes of age, and not then until after the decease of my wife, And when these events both occur, Then there can only be a partial distribution if my sister Amanda M. Graham should survive these events as a sufficient amount of my estate must be held by my Executrix + Executors or their representatives to pay an annuity to my said Sister during her lifetime of Four Hundred dollars, Therefore there can be no final disposition of my estate during her mortality. but at her demise the annuity ceases, and is void, when if the other named events have occur a final distribution can be made.

Item Fourth I hereby appoint and ordain that my Executrix and Executors apply the monies that will be due to my Estate from a Policy of Life insurance in the Charter Oak Life Insurance Co. for $5000. Five Thousand Dollars No. 12,996 to the payment of my debts first, a list of which can - found in one of my ~~account~~ books of account. And whereas I did take a Life Insurance in the said Charter Oak Co. for a like sum of $5000. as will appear by policy No. 12699 in the name of my wife Catharine and

and my children, and whereas I have since purchased a tract of Land or farm called Hopewell whereon I now reside, and on which there is a Mortgage debt due John H. Middleton + his wife for Four Thousand Dollars by virtue of said Mortgage signed by myself and my wife Catharine I. Morphew and also a Mortgage claim due to the Gilmor Building Association in weekly dues of Four Dollars on Ten redeemed Shares that stand in my name and by virtue of the Mortg signed by myself and my wife makes her a party to said debt, And in view of these incumbrances I appoint and ordain, that the money accruing from said Policy of Insurance be applied to the payment of said debts on said Land and the same shall be considered as an investment of said Insurance money for the use of my said wife and children. As by this will my said wife and children and their children are to be the inheritors of my entire estate after the payment of my debts.

Item Fifth. And whereas I have left my entire estate to my wife during her lifetime with the rents issuing from the same, by this will I therefore appoint and ordain that she pay to my Sister A. M. Graham a certain annuity during her lifetime of Four Hundred Dollars out of the monies accruing from said rents issues and profits so long as she, my said wife remains sole recipient of the same, and also to pay the taxes, and Insurance charges on said estate.

Item Sixth I appoint and ordain that my wife as Executrix and my executors are hereby required by this my last will + Testament to pay or cause to be paid to the Gilmor and Union Square Building Association of Balto City my weekly dues of Four Dollars to such until such time or times that the said Association shall close and wind up by settlement with their Shareholders, And after the Mortgage monies shall have been paid and satisfied, then all the rest and remaining balance and balances accruing to me by reason of my membership and the payment of dues and the earnings of said Building Associations shall be considered and Counted or accounted for as assets belonging to my estate, And my Executrix and Executors are hereby authorized to pay all dues after my decease to said building associations from time to time out of the money assets accruing and coming to my estate from Life Insurances as herein before stated or other unappropriated monies belonging to my Estate.

Item Seventh I hereby provide for the following exceptions and deductions to be made from the Shares or parts of my estate as willed to my Son William, my Son Geo. and my daughter Keturah and their Children by reason of their having received monies and other benefits to the amount charged against them. To wit. I allow to be deducted from the share or part of my Son William and his children the sum

of five hundred Dollars, and from the share or part of my son George and his children the sum of Eighteen hundred dollars And from the share or part of my daughter Rebecah One hundred Dollars (making in the aggregate the sum of $2100.

The above embrace all charges against them named above and they, and the remaining children are released and discharged from any & all other debts liabilities or benefits due to me or to my estate

Item Eighth. I wish it to be understood, that it is my wish and desire that my executors or their Executors shall at the earliest time practicable and consistent with the provisions of this my last will to sell and convey any part or the whole of my real estate, when in the opinion and judgment of said executors (with any two of the Judges of the Orphans Court of Harford County agreeing in opinion and judgment with said Executors or Executors, that it would be for the mutual benefit of my Heirs and legatees to sell the property and make distribution of the proceeds in accordance with the provisions of this will or in such manner and way as will best to the interest of said heirs or legatees

Item Ninth I appoint my wife Catharine S Murphy my Brother Thomas S Murphy and my friend George Harris to be my Executrix and my executors of this my last will & Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty eighth day of September in the year of Our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Seventy (1870)

William Murphy (Seal)

Witness of. This to certify that William Murphy the Testator did in the presence of each of us subscribe his name to the above and foregoing instrument of writing and at the same time declared it to be his last Will and Testament, And each of us at his request sign our names hereto as attesting witnesses

Christopher C Rouse Joseph H. Banks, Robert E Brazier

$6.00 U.S. Stamps

Harford County SS

On the 26th June 1871 then came Thomas S Murphy and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of William Murphy late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of Catharine S Murphy

who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Reg. W. C.

Harford County SS

On the 26th day of June 1871 then came Joseph H Banks and Robert E Brazier two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Murphy late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Christopher C Rouse subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely Reg. W. C.

State of Maryland Harford County
Cofewell Farm March 27th 1871

This writing is made for explanation, Whereas I William Murphy Testator of the annexed and foregoing Will and Testament bearing date the twenty eighth day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and Seventy.

And whereas the said William Murphy did make in writing a Codicil some time subsequent to the date above named with the purpose and intention of making said Codicil a part of his last will & Testament. But after much reflection and due consideration and for reasons satisfactory to myself and I believe not at variance with the interest of any family or parties concerned therein. I did therefore by my own act and with my own hands erase tear up and destroy the said Codicil with the wish, intention, and purpose of making the same null and void and do by this writing, confirm and declare the within and foregoing writing commencing on page one and ending and concluded on page six, to be my entire, only and last Will & Testament for all intents and purposes whatsoever

Given under my hand this 27th day of March 1871.

William Murphy

Harford County Set

On the 26th day of June 1871 came Robert E Brazier and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he has seen William Murphy sign his name and is familiar with his hand writing and that the above explanations is in the hand writing of William Murphy deceased and that the signature annexed is true and genuine

Certified by J R Ely R. W. H. Co.

Sarah A Johnson

In the name of God. Amen. I Sarah A. Johnson of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being weak and sick of body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do make and publish this my last will and Testament, in form following that is to say.

First, and principally. I Commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I give and devise as follows.

I give and bequeath unto my Sister Margaret S. Macatee wife of Ignatius J. Macatee the sum of One Thousand dollars.

I give and bequeath unto the Rev Mr Smith, Pastor of State Ridge Church and his successor as such, the sum of Five hundred dollars in trust for the purpose of completing the improvements of the graves of my father's family, by placing suitable head and foot stones to the graves, and enclosing the same by a chain, including my own, making seven graves, and the ballance of said sum to be placed at interest for the use of the Grave Yard at said Church.

I give and bequeath unto Sally Jenkins wife of Maurice Jenkins the sum of Three Hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto Mary Margaret Macatee wife of Henry Macatee the sum of Three hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto Martha Louisa Street wife of James P. Street the sum of Three Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto Barbara Johnson wife of my deceased brother Samuel M. Johnson the sum - Three hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto Josiah Macatee the note of hand which I hold of his of two hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto my Sister-in-law Sarah C. Johnson the sum of one hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto Robert E Macatee son of Ignatius J. Macatee the sum of one hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto Ann Macatee wife of Ignatius Macatee the sum of One Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto Samuel E Macatee son of I. G. Macatee the sum of two Hundred dollars

All the rest and residue of my Estate, I will and devise unto the several legatees herein and heretofore named share and share alike viz Ignatius J. Macatee & Francis E. Macatee

And lastly. I do hereby constitute and appoint David Pyle my sole executor to this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this ninth day of June in the year of Our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Seventy one

Sarah A Johnson (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Sarah A. Johnson the above named Testatrix as, and for her last will and Testament, in our presence, who in her presence, at her request and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witness thereto.

C. C. Kinsey Wm. H. Wilson Samuel J. Macatee

Harford County Sc.

On the 29th day of June 1871 then came David Pyle and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Sarah A Johnson late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court
J R Ely R. W. H. Co

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Harford County Sc.

On the 29th day of June 1871 then came William H. Wilson and C. C. Kinsey two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Sarah A Johnson late of said County, deceased, and ~~solemnly~~ Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Samuel J. Macatee subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn and Affirmed to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Ananias Divers

In the name of God, Amen I Ananias Divers of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will & testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my administrator herein after named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise as follows Viz.

Item 1st I give and devise unto my Sons William Corbin Amos Divers & John Divers all my farm on which I now live to be equally divided between the two Sons and share alike when they arrive at the age Twenty-one

Item 2nd I also give & devise to my Eldest Son Wm. A. Divers the gold watch which belonged to his mother.

Item 3rd I also give and devise to my youngest Son John Divers my Silver Watch.

Item 4th I give and devise to my eldest Daughter Lizzie Belle Divers four thousand Dollars to be paid to her when she comes of age.

Item 5th I give and devise to my second Daughter Eliza Rebecca Divers the sum of four thousand dollars to be paid to her when she comes of age.

Item 6th and it is my will & I hereby direct that my 4 children shall have a good Education and that their board clothing & Education shall be be paid equally out of the profit arising from my farm and personal property of every description

Item 7th and I devise all if any the rest and residue of my estate to be equally divided between my four children share & share alike

Item 8th and I hereby direct that my administrator shall have the farm so managed and to use such means as will keep the farm in its present state of improvement and repair

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Brother John H. Divers to be sole administrator of this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Seventeenth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & Seventy one

Ananias Divers (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Ananias Divers the above named testator for his last will and testament, in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Thos. Adams. Sam'l W. James. John D. Anderson

Harford County Sct.

On the 27th day of July 1871 then came John D. Anderson and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Ananias Divers late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the Hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court
Test. J. R. Ely Reg. W. W. Co.

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Harford County S.S.

On the 27th day of July 1871 then came Thomas Anderson, Samuel W. James and John D. Anderson subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ananias Divers late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court
Test. J. R. Ely Reg. W. W. Co

Hugh J. Whiteford.

Know all Men by these presents, I Hugh John Whiteford of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say—

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the

Ananias Divers

In the name of God, Amen I Ananias Divers of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shal please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will & testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my administrator herein after named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise as follows viz.

Item 1st. I give and devise unto my Sons, William Corbin Amos Diverse & John Diverse all my farm on which I now live to be equally divided between the two share and share alike when they arrive at the age Twenty-one

Item 2nd I also give & devise to my Eldest Son Wm. C. A. Diverse the gold watch which belonged to his mother.

Item 3rd. I also give and devise to my youngest Son John Diverse my Silver Watch.

Item 4. I give and devise to my eldest Daughter Lizzie Belle Diverse four thousand Dollars to be paid to her when she comes of age.

Item 5th. I give and devise to my second Daughter Eliza Rebecca Diverse the sum of four thousand dollars to be paid to her when she comes of age.

Item 6th. and its my will & I hereby direct that my 4 children shall have a good Education and that their board clothing & Education shall be be paid equally out of the profits arising from my farm and personal property of every discription

Item 7th. and I devise all if any the rest and residue of my estate to be equally divided between my four children share & share a like

Item 8th. and I hereby direct that my administrator shal have the farm so managed and to use such means as will keep the farm in its present State of improvement and repair

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Brother John H. Diverse to be sole administrator of this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto, set my hand and affixed my seal this Seventeenth day of June in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & Seventy one

Annanias Divers (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Ananias Diverse the above named testator for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Thos. Alderson. Saml. W. James. John D. Alderson

Harford County SS.

On the 27th day of July 1871 then came John D. Alderson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Ananias Divers late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co.

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Harford County SS.

On the 27th day of July 1871 then came Thomas Alderson, Samuel W. James and John D. Alderson subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ananias Divers late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Hugh J. Whiteford

Know all men by these presents, I Hugh John Whiteford of Harford County in the State of Maryland being week of body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say —

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and by body to be decently buried at the

direction of my friends and after my debts and funeral Charges are paid I will and devise as follows.

I give and bequeath unto my Sister Paulina R. Herbert wife of R. W. Herbert all my real Estate, subject to a comfortable home and living of my mother, to her the said Paulina R. Herbert her heirs and assigns forever. And also I give and bequeath unto my said sister Paulina R. Herbert after my debts and funeral charges are paid all my personal Estate.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint David Pyle to be my Executor to this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this Seventh day of July in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy One

Hugh S. Whiteford (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Hugh S. Whiteford the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in our presence who in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Hugh Whiteford Howard E. Kinsey David Pyle

Harford County, S.S.

On the 1st day of August 1871 then came David Pyle and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he does not know of any will or codicil of Hugh S. Whiteford late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court Test S. R. Ely Reg. of Wills

Harford County S.S.

On the 1st day of August 1871 then came Hugh Whiteford Howard E. Kinsey and David Pyle subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hugh S. Whiteford late of said County, deceased, and the two former made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God the latter solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testator

sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn and affirmed to in open Court

Test S. R. Ely Reg. of Wills

Elizabeth C. Smith

I Elizabeth C. Smith wife of Gideon S. Smith of Harford County and State of Maryland being weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the uncertainty of this transitory life, and having come into possession of about thirty acres of land by deed from Thomas P. Cope and wife, in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty Three and of two other parcels of land in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty five by deeds from Stephen S. Johns and wife, and from John M. Sharpless and wife, and of one other parcel of land containing about Eighteen acres, by deed from Stephen S. Johns and wife dated in Eighteen Hundred and Seventy and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs do make and publish this my last Will and Testament as follows

Item. - I give devise and bequeath to my Son N. Newlin Smith my three first above mentioned parcels of land with my personal property thereon in trust for the use benefit, and as a home, for my dear husband during his natural life - and for such and so many of my children Sarah J. - Ama. A. Newlin - Elizabeth C. - Martha C. - Mary N. Rebecca S. - Bernard S. - and Joshua C. Smith as shall be unmarried at the time of my decease and shall remain so during the lifetime of my husband, and until my youngest child living shall arrive at lawful age, and as much longer as they think best to hold it in that way But at any time after the decease of my husband, and after my youngest child then living shall have arrived at lawful age - that a majority of my said children shall unite in a belief that it would be to their advantage to have the said property or part thereof disposed of by sale, and shall so certify in writing to my said trustee or to my trustees under this will, it shall be lawful for him or them the said trustee or trustees sell the same or any part

thereof. and divide the proceeds equally amoungst all my children share and share alike. and a deed to the purchaser from my said trustee or trustee, including said written consent of a majority of my children shall be good and valid as if conveyed by me in my lifetime.

Item I give and devise unto my Son N. Newlin Smith the fourth herein mentioned parcel of land, containing Eighteen acres more or less in trust for the use and benefit of my said Children, with authority, at any time after my decease, at the written request of a majority of my said Children, to sell and convey the same or any part thereof and divide the proceeds amongst all my children of lawful age to receive and as they arrive at lawful age, share and share alike - and his deed embracing said written consent or request, shall be good for the same.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son N. Newlin Smith Executor of this my last will and testament, desiring that when my Son Bernard E. Smith shall arrive at lawful age to act as such, that he be complied with, my said Son N. Newlin Smith in the trusts confided to him in this will and as Executor hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this, and none other, as my last will and testament

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this Tenth day of 5 Month One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy One

Elizabeth C. Smith (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Elizabeth C. Smith the above named Testatrix as and for her last will and testament. in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence. and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto at Newlin Smith's name interlined before the signing -

Tacy M. Jewett. Joseph H. Jewett. Richard S. Iddings

Harford County, S.S.

On the 31st day of July 1871 then came N. Newlin Smith and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Elizabeth C. Smith late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of his sister who received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely, R.W.A.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 31st day of July 1871 then came Joseph H. Jewett and Richard S. Iddings two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of Elizabeth C. Smith late of said County, deceased, and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Tacy M. Jewett subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other

Affirmed to in open Court Test J. R. Ely, R.W.A.Co

William Ewing

In the name of God. Amen I William Ewing of Harford County and State of Maryland, do make this my last will and testament in manner and form. following, to wit

First I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, one third part of my personal Estate, after the payment of my debts out of the same; I also give and bequeath to my wife one third part of my land[illegible] and during her natural life and after her decease to my two sons John and Lawson to be equally divided between them.

The bequests herein made to my wife is in lieu of her dower in my Estate

I give and bequeath to my daughter Aleyson McKendless wife of Richard S. McKendless the use of One thousand Dollars, during her natural life in this way, I direct my Executor to invest the said One thousand dollars in some safe and productive manner and pay to my said daughter annually or semiannually as he may receive it the interest he may receive on the same, and after the decease of my said daughter, the said one thousand is to be equally divided between my two sons John and Lawson, I direct that my Executor shall not be compelled to pay into the hands of the said Richard S. McKendless, any thing herein bequeathed to my said daughter, but that the same shall remain and continue under the direction and controll of my Executors,

I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate real and personal to my two Sons John and Lawson to be equally divided between, share and share alike,

I hereby appoint my Son John Ewing Executor of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Fourteenth day of November in the Year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Seventy,

William Ewing (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by William Ewing the above named testator as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

J. G. Rouse W. A. Dorney Wm. R. Stephenson

Maryland S.S.

On the 21st day of September 1871 then came John Ewing and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he dosh not know of any will or codicil of William Ewing late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the widow of said deceased who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Reg. of W.

Harford County, S.S.

On the 22d day of September 1871 then came William R. Stephenson and J. G. Rouse two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and testament of William Ewing late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament; that at the time of his signing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with W. A. Dorney

subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Reg. of W.

Septimus Fletcher

In the name of God amen. I Septimus Fletcher of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound disposing mind, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor herein after mentioned and named, after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

Item 1st I give and devise unto Susannah Fletcher, my wife during her natural life, all the Real Estate of which I am now seized and whereon I now reside, known by the name of ---- containing about fourteen acres more or less to her the said Susannah for her natural life only

Item 2nd I devise and bequeath all the rest residue, and remainder of ~~of~~ all my Real Estate to my two Sons John Calvin Fletcher and Alonza R. Fletcher to be equally divided between them after the death of my wife Susannah and not sooner.

Item 3rd my personal property I wish divided according to law

Lastly, I do hereby constitute my Son John my sole Executor of this my last will and testament, revoking all others and ratifying and confirming this.

In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Seventh day of August in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Seventy One

Septimus Fletcher (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the above named Septimus Fletcher as and for his last will and testament in our presence, who at his request in his presence

I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate real and personal to my two Sons John and Lawson to be equally divided between, share and share alike,

I hereby appoint my Son John Ewing Executor of this my last Will and testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and testament

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Fourteenth day of November in the Year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Seventy,

William Ewing (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by William Ewing the above named testator as and for his last Will and testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

J. G. Rouse W. H. Dorney Wm. P. Stephenson

Maryland S.S.

On the 21st day of September 1871 then came John Ewing and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of William Ewing late of Said County, deceased, other than the above Instrument of Writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the widow of Said deceased who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Reg. of Wills

Harford County, S.S.

On the 22d day of September 1871 then came William P. Stephenson and J. G. Rouse two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Ewing late of Said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his Signing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with W. H. Dorney

Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Reg. of Wills

Septimus Fletcher

In the name of God amen. I Septimus Fletcher of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound disposing mind, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following that is to say First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor herein after mentioned and named, after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

Item 1st I give and devise unto Susannah Fletcher, my wife during her natural life, all the Real Estate of which I am now seized and whereon I now reside, known by the name of ——— containing about fourteen acres more or less to her the said Susannah for her natural life only

Item 2nd I devise and bequeath all the rest residue and remainder of ~~of~~ all my Real Estate to my two Sons John Calvin Fletcher and Alonza R. Fletcher to be equally divided between them after the death of my wife Susannah and not sooner.

Item 3rd My personal property I wish divided according to law

Lastly, I do hereby constitute my Son John my Sole Executor of this my last will and testament, revoking all others and ratifying and confirming this.

In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Seventh day of August in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Seventy One

Septimus Fletcher (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the above named Septimus Fletcher as and for his last will and testament in our presence, who at his request in his presence

and in presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witnesses thereto

J Calvin Michael . W. A. Courtney . Jacob Singleton . Geo W. Bryant

Harford County, S.S.

On the 19 day of October 1871 then came John Fletcher and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Septimus Fletcher late of said County, deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R.W.A.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 19 day of October 1871 then came W. A. Courtney Jacob Singleton & George W Bryant three of the subscribing Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Septimus Fletcher late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him Publish, Pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, Memory and understanding; and that they together with J Calvin Michael subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R.W.A.Co

Benjamin Lampkin Col

I Benjamin Lampkin Col of Harford County State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind, make and publish this my last Will and Testament.

After the Payment of my Funeral Expences and all just debts that I may owe at the time of my death.

I give and bequeath the balance of my money together with what ever goods and chattels I may possess to my acknowledged Son Charles, who is now living with me

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this Fourth day of August Eighteen Hundred and seventy One

Benjamin his mark Lampkin (Seal)

Test David S. Wilson

Signed Sealed and published by Benjamin Lampkin Col the testator as his Will in our presence

Henry C Wilson David S. Wilson

Harford County, S.S.

On the 9 day of October 1871 then came David S. Wilson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Benjamin Lampkin late of said County, deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R.W.A.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 9 day of October 1871 then came David S. Wilson and on the 24 day of October came Henry C Wilson two subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Benjamin Lampkin late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Tatator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test S. R. Ely R.W.A.Co

Mary Morrison

Be it remembered that I Mary Morrison of Harford County State of Maryland. being of sound disposing mind memory and

understanding, do make and publish this my last will, and testament in manner following that is to say

In the first place I direct all my just debts and funeral Expences to be paid. then

I bequeath to my Step daughter Margaret R. Morrison Ten Dollars

I bequeath to my niece Sarah Norris twenty five dollars

I bequeath to my niece Fanny Norris twenty five dollars

I bequeath the ballance of my property to be equally divided between my two nieces Martha Jones and Mary Jones Consisting of the ballance of my money bedstead bedding clothes and all my household effects

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint, Daniel P. Thomas Executor to this my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made certifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

I Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this fourth day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Sixty Eight

Mary her x mark Morrison (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by me Mary Morrison the above named Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Daniel P. Thomas. William Cox. Alfred Thomas

Harford County, S.S.

On the 3d day of November 1871 then came Daniel P. Thomas and did Solemnly Sincerely and truly declare and affirm, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Morrison late of Said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 3d day of November 1871 then came

Daniel P. Thomas and on the 7th day of November 1871 William Cox and Alfred Thomas subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Morrison late of Said County, deceased, and Solemnly, Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Jeremiah Low

Know all men by these presents I Jeremiah Low of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in usual health of body, and of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament, in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I will and devise as follows.

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Hariet Day wife of Amos Day the Sum of Four Hundred Dollars –

I give and bequeath unto my three grand Children and children of my deceased Son Kyin Low viz Ariel Read, Amon Low, and Oliver Low the Sum of Four Hundred dollars to be divided between them Share and Share alike –

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Grace Low my house and lot Scituated in the village of Fawn Grove to her the Said Grace Low her heirs and assigns forever, and also I give and devise unto my said daughter Grace Low, the Sum of One Hundred dollars One Feather Bed and bedding, One Cow, and my Sewing Machine –

I give and bequeath unto my Son Martin Low the Sum of Four Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Eunice Watters wife of John Watters the Sum of Four Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto my Son Rufus Low the Sum of Four Hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Abel Low the Sum of Four Hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Enoch Low the Sum of Four Hundred dollars

I give and bequeath unto my Son Laban Low all my Farm and Plantation on which I now reside, being Part of a tract called "Contestable Manor, lying in two Parcels and containing about One Hundred and Eighty acres of land more or less, to him the Said Laban Low his heirs and assigns forever, by him paying the Several legacies as herein bequeathed, And also I give and devise unto my Said Son Laban Low all the rest and residue of my Personal Estate of Every discribtion

And Lastly I do Hereby constitute and appoint my Son Laban Low to be my Executor to this my last Will and testament revoking all former Wills, by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In Testimony Whereof. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal on this twelfth day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight

Jeremiah Low (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Jeremiah Low the above named Testator as and for his last will and testament in our Presence, who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

John F. Smithson James O. Keech David Pyle

Harford County, S.S.

On the 18th day of November 1871 there came David Pyle and did Solemnly Sincerly and truly declare and affirm, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Jeremiah Low late of said County, deceased, other than the above Instrument of Writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court
Test S.R. Ely R.W.F.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 18th day of November 1871 there came David Pyle and John F. Smithson two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jeremiah Low late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him Publish, Pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with James O. Keech Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

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Affirmed & Sworn to in open Court
Test S.R. Ely R.W.F.Co

Christian Smith

In The name of God Amen

I Christian Smith of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this my and for my last Will and Testament and manner and form as follows To wit

First after my just debts and Funeral and other charges are Paid. I will and bequeath as follows.

Item 1st I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Smith all my Estate Real Personal and Mixed in fee

Lastly I hereby appoint my wife Elizabeth Smith my Executrix of this my last Will and Testament this 5th day of November 1871

Christian Smith

In Testimony Whereof I hereunto Subscribe my name and affix my Seal to this my last will and testament in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other signed our names as witnesses thereto

Edward Scott Michael Sargable B.F. Hanson

Harford County, S.S.

On the 24 day of November 1871 then came Michael Sargable and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Christian Smith late of Said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of P.H. Hanson who had the same for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test S.R. Ely R.McK.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 24 day of November 1871 then came Michael Sargable, Edward Pratt two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Christian Smith late of Said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing, he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with P.H. Hanson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other, and that the signature written in german language is that of Christian Smith

Sworn to in open Court
Test S.R. Ely R.McK.Co

Elizabeth Love

I Elizabeth Love of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and Testament.

First I give and bequeath unto my Son George A. Love his heirs and assigns forever, a piece of land lying on the East side of the public road which passes through my farm from Dublin to Peach Bottom, and beginning on the east side of said road twenty five yards south from where the Blacksmith Shop now stands, and running as follows; First line to run due East until it intersects the outside line on the east side of my farm, then with that line to the Pennsylvania and Maryland line then with the Pennsylvania and Maryland line to the aforesaid road, then with said road to the beginning.

I also give and bequeath unto the said George A. Love

one Cross cut saw, and one Curled maple bedstead.

Second I give and bequeath unto my Son James Love the Sum of Twenty five Dollars.

Third I give and bequeath unto Washington Love one Walnut Desk, one bed and bedding, one Red Bedstead, and one low posted yellow bedstead, and my nine plate Stove.

Fourth I give and bequeath unto my Son Jacob Love my set of large Silver table Spoons (six in number) also my red Stained Wardrobe.

Fifth The balance of my household and Kitchen furniture I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Love.

Sixth After the above items, and my just debts are taken out, I give and bequeath the balance of my Estate to be divided as follows.

I give and bequeath unto my Son Jacob Love his heirs and assigns forever one fourth unto my Son Washington Love his heirs and assignees forever one third, and unto my daughter Mary Love, her heirs and assignees forever the balance of the estate. And lastly I do constitute and appoint my Son Jacob Love the Sole Executor of my last will and testament; and that the said Jacob Love his heirs and assignees forever can have his choice to keep and hold the Estate at what may be a fair appraisement provided he pays the debts, and the legacies as set forth in the foregoing will, or he may have the Property sold as may best suit his convenience, if the said Jacob Love shall settle the Estate without making Sale, he shall have two years to pay off the heirs without Interest. And further if any of the heirs shall be dissatisfied with my will, or shall enter into any lawsuit on account of said will they shall thereby be cut out from all benefit of my Estate, and his her or their share or shares shall in that case fall into the hands of my Executor, to defend the estate against the said lawsuit or lawsuits.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighth day of march in the year one Thousand eight hundred and Eighty two

Elizabeth Love (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Elizabeth Love on the above date as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us the Subscribers who in her presence at

at her request and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John Sappington Isaac Scarborough Hugh Bay

Harford County, S.S.

On the 6" day of December 1871 then came Isaac Scarborough and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Elizabeth Love late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J.R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 6" day of December 1871 then came Isaac Scarborough and Hugh Bay two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Love late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with John Sappington subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J.R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Codicil

Whereas I Elizabeth Love of Harford County, have made and duly Executed my last will and testament, in writing, bearing date the Eighth day of March in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty two which last will and testament, and every clause bequest and devise therein contained. I do hereby ratify and confirm (saving and excepting such clauses, bequests and devises therein mentioned as are by me hereinafter revoked and made void) And being desirous to alter some parts thereof

and making additions thereto, which I will and direct shall be taken, and held as part of my said will and testament, do therefore make this my Codicil, in manner and form following, that is to say

Whereas by my said last will. I did give and bequeath unto my son George A. Love, a piece or parcel of land described in my first item, together with some personal property, I do hereby revoke said bequeath or Item and in lieu thereof give and bequeath unto my said son George A. Love, a part or parcel of my farm by beginning on the East side of the public road at the south west corner of his garden and running eastwardly by his fence as it now stands so as to make a straight line until it intersects the out lines of my farm then bounding thereon to the Pennsylvania line, then by said State line to the aforesaid road thereby said road to the place of beginning - to him the said George A. Love his heirs and assigns forever.

And whereas by the Second Item in my said will I did bequeath unto my son James Love the sum of twenty five dollars. I do now hereby revoke said legacy, and desire the same may be divided as directed in my said will - with the balance of my Estate.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this ninth day of March in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty Eight

Elizabeth her + mark Love (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Elizabeth Love the above named Testatrix as and for her Codicil to her last will and testament, in our presence who at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Isaac Scarborough Hugh Bay John Guyton

Harford County, S.S.

On the 6" day of December 1871 then came Isaac Scarborough Hugh Bay and John Guyton the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Elizabeth Love late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Codicil that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they

together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test S.R. Ely R.W.A. Co

Theodore Delmas

In the name of the Holy Trinity Amen I Theodore Delmas of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally. I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows.

I leave and bequeath unto my Sisters Harriet S and Victorine M. Delmas both of Harford County, all my property real and personal

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Francis A Murphy to be the sole Executor of this my last will and testament, revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other, to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty third day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Two

Th. Delmas (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Theodore Delmas the above named Testator, as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

S. S. Raphel Laura S. Murphy Henry M. Raphel

Harford County, S.S.

On the 4th day of December 1871 then came Francis A. Murphy and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Theodore Delmas late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of S.S. Raphel who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test S.R. Ely R.W.A. Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 8th day of December 1871 then came Laura S Murphy one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Theodore Delmas late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that she did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that she heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of her apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that she together with S.S. Raphel and Henry M. Raphel subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test S.R. Ely R.W.A. Co

Peter Pitt col.

In the name of God Amen, I Peter Pitt of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in health of body and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth, to be decently buried, at the discretion of my Executor, hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid,

I devise and bequeath as follows

I will and desire that after my death my real Estate shall all be sold, by my Executor hereinafter mentioned

and the money arising from the aforesaid Sale, after paying all expences, and paying for Tomb Stones at the head and foot of my Grave, which I desire to be placed there by my Executor two thirds of the balance of the monies my Executor shall place at Interest, and I will and bequeath one half of the Interest arising therefrom to be paid annually by my Executor to my wife Terry during her natural life time and at her death I will and bequeath the aforesaid principal to Peter H. Bordly or his heirs to be paid him, or them by my Executor

And one half of the interest arising from the aforementioned two thirds of the principal

I will and bequeath unto my Sister Maria Williams to be paid to her annually by my Executor during her natural life time and at her death, I will and bequeath the above principal to Peter H. Bordly and his heirs to be paid him by my Executor

And one third of the money arising from the Sale of my property, I will and bequeath unto my grand Son Peter H. Bordly or his heirs to be paid him by my Executor

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Jacob J. Michael to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In Testimony Whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my Seal this tenth day of April in the year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty nine

Peter his mark Pitt (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Peter Pitt the above name Testator to be his last will and testament in presence of us

John B. Foy John T. Pennington Rudolph Lay

Harford County, S.S.

On the 23rd day of October 1871 then came Jacob J. Michael and make Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Peter Pitt Col. late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of John B. Foy who had received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 8th day of December 1871 then came John B. Foy and Rudolph Lay two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Peter Pitt Col. late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with John T. Pennington subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Mary Chesney

In the name of God, Amen. I Mary Chesney Widow of the late William Chesney, of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak in body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being deurous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say,

First and principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows

I give and bequeath unto my four Grand Children sons and daughters of William A. Chesney my son, as follows; to William S. and George W. Chesney, each, one feather bed, one bolster, two pillows one sheet, one blanket, one counterpane, one quilt, and one hundred dollars in State Bonds

I give and bequeath unto my two grand daughters Eliza V. and Luthenia Chesney daughters of my aforesaid

Son William each of them one Hundred dollars in State Bonds interest on said Bonds to be paid to each of my aforesaid grandchildren from the time of my death until they shall arrive at lawful age, and then each one of them to have the aforesaid sum in State Bonds or its equivalent in lawful currency.

I give and bequeath unto my four grandchildren William B. Edward E. Benjamin C. and Frances E. Cheeney, children of Benjamin Cheeney my Son, as follows; to each of them one Hundred dollars in State Bonds, Interest on said Bonds to be paid to each of said Children from the time of my death until they shall arrive at lawful age, and then each one to receive the amount of his aforesaid State Bonds in cash or legal currency.

I give and bequeath unto James M. and Mary V. Gorrell my Grandchildren and children of Mary F. Gorrell my daughter One Hundred dollars each, with Interest accruing from my death until they shall arrive at lawful age, to be paid by James L. Gorrell husband of said Mary F. Gorrell.

I give and bequeath unto Mary F. Gorrell my said daughter the residue of money remaining in the hands of James L. Gorrell my said Son in law due me.

I give and bequeath unto my said daughter Mary F. Gorrell as follows; one family Bible, half dozen large Silver table Spoons, one walnut Bureau, one looking glass, and one Cherry bed stead, and also whatever may be forgotten of my personal Effects, as shall come to the knowledge of my Executor, I give and bequeath unto my aforesaid daughter Mary F. Gorrell.

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Benjamin Cheeney to be Sole Executor of this, my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy

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Mary Cheeney (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Mary Cheeney the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed

our names as witnesses thereto

Richard Loflin Christian K. Walter

Harford County, S.S.

On the 6th day of December 1871 then came Benjamin Cheeney and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Cheeney late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the Private papers of said deceased

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. Hopkins

Harford County, S.S.

On the 9th day of December 1871 then came Christian K. Walter and Richard Loflin Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Cheeney late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, and Solemnly, Sincerely and Truly Declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn & Affirmed to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. Hopkins

John W. Street

In the name of God, Amen. I John W. Street of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and Principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereinafter named, after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I devise and bequeath as follows

Item I give and bequeath unto my youngest son James E. Streett my farm on which I now reside described in two deeds one from Archer H. Jarrett, Trustee, called Cheerful Innocence Recorded April 2nd 1856 in Liber A.L.J. No 7 folio 150. One of the Land Record Books of the Circuit Court for Harford County, the other from Henry W. Archer, Trustee, composed of part of three tracts called "Davis Cheerful Innocence" "Purtons Beginning" and "Dunwoods Trouble" or by whosever names the same may be called Recorded November 25th 1857 in Liber A.L.J. No 9. folio 247 One of the land Records of the Circuit Court for Harford County, containing together as described in both deeds, One Hundred and twenty five acres more or less, together with all of the improvements thereon. Until my said son James E. Streett who is now over sixteen years of age, shall arrive at the age of twenty One years,

I give and bequeath unto my dear wife Mary A. Streett the entire controle of the above described farm, together with all of the improvements thereon and also of all the personal property that may be on said farm, or belonging to it, at the time of my death, except such parts of my personal property as I shall hereinafter mentioned, When my said son James E. Streett shall arrive at the age of twenty One years, whatever amount of personal property may be on, and belong to said farm shall be equally divided between my said son James E. Streett, and his Mother, the said Mary A. Streett

Item My said son James E. Streett shall, when he arrives at the age of Twenty One years, pay to his mother, the said Mary A. Streett, One Thousand dollars, in the following installments, to wit; One year after he is of age two Hundred dollars with Interest thereon for One year, and two Hundred dollars at the end of each and every year thereafter, with Interest thereon, until he shall have paid the One Thousand dollars with the Interest to the said Mary A. Streett his mother, and shall allow his mother a home on said farm during her natural life,

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Ann, one Cow, and One bed and bedding, and One Thousand dollars to be paid to her by my said son James E. Streett after he shall have arrived at the age of twenty One years, in

the following installments to wit; at the age of twenty one my said son James E. Streett shall pay to my said daughter Martha Ann, Five Hundred dollars and at the end of two years thereafter he shall pay to her Five Hundred dollars more, making the One Thousand; and allow her a home with him on said farm while she remains unmarried

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Charles H. Streett, one dollar, to be paid by my Executors.

Item I give and bequeath to my son John F. Streett, the black horse called Jeff, one Cow, and one bed and bedding, and all that tract or part of tract or parcel of land described in a deed from Shadrach Streett Jr, and wife to me, dated on or about the 12th of March 1866 together with all of the improvements thereon, in fee simple, Being the same property on which my son Shadrach Streett no resides,

Item I give and bequeath unto my said son Shadrach Streett one thousand dollars, to be paid to him by my said son John F. Streett, in the following installments to wit; at my death my said son John F. Streett, shall pay to my said son Shadrach Streett Five Hundred dollars and the balance in two equal payments, of one and two years, with interest thereon from the time of my death,

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear wife Mary A. Streett and my son John F. Streett, to be sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament,

In Testimony Whereof I hereto set my hand and seal, this Sixteenth day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy One.

John W. Streett (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named John W. Streett as and for his last Will and testament in our presence who at his request, in his presence and in presence of each other, have hereto set our hands as witnesses hereto, The word pay interlined before signing

Benjamin Mason John Deets Thos. M. Cathcart

Harford County, S.S.

On the 15th day of December 1871 then came Thomas M. Cathcart and Solemnly, Sincerely and truly Declared and Affirmed, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John W. Streett late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 15th day of December 1871 then came Thomas M. Cathcart and on the 16th day of December 1871 then came John Deets two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John W. Streett late of said County, deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, and Solemnly, Sincerely and truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him Publish, Pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Benjamin Mason Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of Each other,

US Stamp $1.00

Affirmed and Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Ann Archer Codicil

To my Daughters Mary and Nancy

By a Codicil to my will I am for certain reasons about to give to you two jointly and to the survivor and the heirs of the survivor the shares of my Property and Estate which by my will I have given to my Sons James and Robert having full confidence that you will carry out my wishes and intentions in regard to said shares which are, that you shall hold the same in trust for the use and benefit of my said Sons respectively the share given by the will to James to be held and disposed of by you for his use, and the share given by the will to Robert, to be held and disposed of for his use.

Each share is to be kept separate and distinct from the other, and out of Each you are first to pay to my Son Henry such sums of money as may be due to him by James and Robert or either of them and the residue of Each share you are to hold and dispose of under the advice and direction of my Son Henry in such manner as may be most beneficial to my said Sons James and Robert respectively and their heirs

Ann Archer

We agree to accept the trust, and faithfully carry out our mother's intentions, as above Expressed

Witness Henry W. Archer
18th Sept 1861

Mary Archer
Nancy H. Archer

Whereas by a Codicil to my last Will I gave to my daughters Mary and Nancy the share of my Estate which by my Will I had given to my Son James with instruction to them to apply the same as might be most beneficial for his use, and whereas my said Son is since deceased I hereby authorize my said daughters and the survivor of them to use and expend the income of said share for their joint use and support as long as they may live unmarried, and upon the marriage or death of either of them the whole of said income from said share to go to the use of the other as long as she may live unmarried, and after the death or marriage of both of my said daughters I hereby direct that the principal of said share shall then be divided among the personal representatives of my Son James in the same proportion and in such manner as they would by law be entitled to take as his heirs or representatives

Witness my hand and seal this sixteenth day of December 1865

Ann Archer (Seal)

The above paper was Executed by our mother with our knowledge and assented to by us

Mary Archer
Nancy H. Thomas

Harford County Set

On the 22d day of December 1871 then came Henry W. Archer Executor of Ann Archer late of Harford County deceased, and produced and filed in this office

of the Register of Wills the papers hereto annexed and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the same were signed and sealed by the said Ann Archer whose name is thereto subscribed and delivered by her to him for safe keeping at or about the time of their respective dates, that he did not consider them to be intended by her as Testamentary papers, but as instruction to her daughters therein named in regard to the Execution of the trust reposed in them by the Codicil attached to her Will, and for this reason has retained them But doubts being Entertained as to whether they may not properly be considered as testamentary papers affecting the distribution of her Estate he now submits them to the Court for such action as it may deem proper

Certified by J. R. Ely R. W. A. Co

Ordered by the Court this 4th day of January 1872 that the Register of Wills for Harford County place upon the Will Record of said County the aforegoing instruments of writing or article of agreement, for though we do not consider them Strictly Testamentary papers are of opinion that they are absolutely necessary to the proper understanding of the distribution of the Estate of Ann Archer deceased

C. W. Pillingslea Thomas Pay

William Coulson

In the name of God, Amen. I William Coulson of Peach Bottom Township, York County and State of Pennsylvania, being in usual health, and of sound mind, memory and understanding considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say;

First and principally. I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, I give and devise as follows

I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Rhoda Coulson all my personal Estate of Every discription for her own use

Except the Lease on the Quarry property known as James Parry & Co. property, which lease hold at the decease of my wife aforesaid I will as hereinafter bequeathed —

I give and bequeath unto my son William G. Coulson the mansion Place situated in Peach Bottom Township County of York and State of Pennsylvania, Together with that part of my land adjoining, lying in Harford County Maryland, also my undivided Share of the old saw mill property situated in York County Pennsylvania To him the said William G. Coulson his heirs and assigns forever, by him paying unto my daughter Sarah Jane Heaps, wife of Archa Heaps the sum of Two hundred dollars (say $200.00/100) and to my daughter Rebecca Coulson the sum of One hundred dollars (say $100.00/100), the said several sums to be paid to them within two years from my decease —

I give and bequeath, from and after the decease of my wife Rhoda Coulson aforesaid, all that Lease hold property known as the property of James Parry & Co Except the wood thereon, unto my son William G. Coulson, my son Christopher C. Coulson, my daughter Rebecca Coulson, and my son in Law Archa Heaps, share and share alike, to them the said William G. Christopher C. Rebecca Coulson and Archa Heaps and their heirs with the priveledge of transfering from and to each other but in no case to be sold out of the family —

I give and bequeath unto my son William G. Coulson and my son in law Archa Heaps all the wood groing on the before mentioned Lease hold, by them in no way interfering with the opening or working any place on said Lease hold — that should appear likly to make a quarry to them the said William G. Coulson and Archa Heaps, and their heirs by them paying the several Specific Legacies, hereinafter bequeathed, to wit; unto my daughter Henrietta Williamson the sum of twenty dollars, and unto my son Joseph C. Coulson the sum of Five dollars

I give and bequeath unto my daughter Henrietta Williamson the sum of twenty dollars in addition to what she has already received —

I give and bequeath unto my son Joseph C. Coulson the sum of five dollars in addition to which he has already received —

I give and bequeath unto my five children, to wit, my daughter Henrietta Williamson, my son William G. Coulson, my son Christopher C. Coulson, my daughter Sarah Jane Heaps, and my daughter Rebecca Coulson, all the Rest and residue of my Estate, both personal real and mixed, to them share and

Share alike, to them and their heirs –

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Sons William G. Coulson and Christopher C. Coulson my Executors to this my last will and testament. hereby revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and testament

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on this Twenty Eighth day of may in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

William Coulson (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by William Coulson the above name Testator, in our presence, as and for his last will and testament, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Jacob Love, Isaac Larue, James S. Powell, David Pyle

Harford County, S.S.

On the 22" day of January 1872 then came David Pyle and did Solemnly, Sincerely and truly declare and Affirm, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of William Coulson late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of Writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 22" day of January 1872 then came Jacob Love and David Pyle two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and Solemnly, Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Isaac Larue and James S. Powell subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and Affirmed to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

James Norris

I James Norris knowing the uncertainty of life and being at this time of sound and disposing mind do declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

I give and bequeath to my two Sisters Sarah Jane Norris and Ann Norris all my property both real and personal of which I am possessed consisting in part of a farm purchased from Frances Doran and Wife, adjoining lands of William Rigdon Ezekiel Richardson & Others containing fifty acres more or less also all my personal property consisting of notes of hand and Mortgage amounting in all to about Ten hundred and Twenty Eight dollars more or less also stock and farming utensils and household furniture of whatever description I am in possession of after paying all my debts and paying my funeral Expenses, my two Sisters to have Share and Share alike

I constitute my Brother David Norris my Executor

James Norris

Signed and Witnessed this Sixteenth day of the 1st month, January Eighteen Hundred and Seventy two in the presence of him and each other

G. A. Meister Benedict T. Bussey Darlington Hoopes

Harford County, S.S.

On the 23" day of January 1872 then came Darlington Hoopes and Solemnly, Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of James Norris late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of Writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Affirmed to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 23rd day of January 1872 then

came Darlington Hooper and on the 27" day of January 1872 then came Benedict T. Bussey two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Norris late of Said County deceased, and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did see the Testator Sign and Seal this will; that they heard him Publish, pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with George A Heusler Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request; and in the presence of Each other

Affirmed and Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Elizabeth Budd

In The name of God Amen. I Elizabeth Budd of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following That is to Say.

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth and after the payment of any just debts I may owe any my funeral Expences. I give and devise as follows,

Second It is my will that Nancy Lewis coloured woman and formerly a Slave, who has been my faithful attendant and nurse, Shall have and possess the piece or parcel of land on which I now reside; it being that piece or parcel of land, which was purchased by me from John Blumley, and particularly described in an Indenture or Deed of conveyance from William M. Mitchell and Mahala Mitchell to said John Blumley, the Same being recorded in Liber H. D. G. No 33. folio 6 one of the Land Record Books of Harford County Court; and I hereby give and devise unto the said Nancy Lewis her heirs or assigns the aforesaid piece or parcel of land with the appurtenances thereunto belonging

Third I hereby give and bequeath unto the aforesaid Nancy Lewis all the Rest and Residue of my

Estate which I may have or be possessed of at the time of my death hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the thirtieth day of October in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Sixty five

Elizabeth Budd (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Elizabeth Budd the above named Testatrix as and for the last Will and Testament of her the said Elizabeth Budd in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

John Jay S. Griffith Davis

M. G. E. Jay John G. Jay

Harford County, S.S.

On the 26" day of January 1872 then came Samuel S. Jay and made Oath on the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth Budd late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the Same from the hands of John Jay who received the Same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 6" day of February 1872 then came John Jay and on the 7" day of February 1872, then came S. Griffith Davis two of Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth Budd late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with M. E. G. Jay and John G. Jay Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Abraham Durham

In the name of God. I Abraham Durham of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak of Body but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding considering the certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world, when it shall please God to call me hence do make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following that is to say,

Item first I give devise and bequeath to my Son Nathaniel Durham the House and lot of land whereon he now lives, supposed to be about four acres of land more or less to have his heirs and assigns forever at my death

Item 2nd I give devise and bequeath to my Son Abraham Durham about four acres or less lying on the East Side of Winters Run and adjoining said Run to him his heirs and assigns forever

Item 3rd I give devise and bequeath to my wife Martha Durham the balance of my land lying on the west side of Winters Run and which I inherited from my Father David Durham during her natural life and after her death to go in equal proportions to my two Sons Nathaniel and Abraham Durham their heirs and assigns forever.

Item 4th I give devise and bequeath to my wife Martha Durham all the land on which I now reside and which I inherited from my Brother Elijah Durham supposed to contain Twenty five acres more or less together with all my personal property to her, her heirs and assigns forever

Item 5th Whatever of the above property in the foregoing devise which may remain after the death of my wife Martha Durham is to be divided equally between my four Daughters or their heirs namely Mehaly Arthur wife of Robert Arthur Elizabeth Huff wife of A. T. Huff Jane Middledich wife of John Middledich and Martha Ellen Smith wife of George Smith to them their heirs and assigns forever

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my two Sons Nathaniel Durham and Abraham Durham to be my Executors of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this thirteenth day of October Eighteen Hundred and Sixty five

Abraham his mark Durham (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Abraham Durham the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Abel Durham Nathaniel Hurst B. F. St Clair

Harford County, S.S.

On the 12th day of February 1872 then came Abraham Durham and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Abraham Durham late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of John Howard Walters who received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. A. Co

Harford County, S.S.

On the 12th day of February 1872 then came Abel Durham and Nathaniel Hurst two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Abraham Durham late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with B. F. St Clair subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. A. Co

Copy Joseph Rogers Will

The State of Ohio Columbiana County SS Office of the Probate Judge of Said County The following is a Certified Copy of the last Will and Testament of Joseph Rogers late of Said County deceased to wit

Know all men by these Presents that I Joseph Rogers of Middletown township in the County of Columbiana and State of Ohio being of sound disposing mind and memory do make and publish this my last Will and testament in manner and form following to wit

First I give and bequeath to my wife Mary C. Rogers in lieu of dower the mansion house in which I now live and garden during her natural life in connection with my daughter Almira and my Grand daughter Duckett C. Orr who are with my said wife to have a home in the mansion house and interest in a garden so long as they remain single. I also give and bequeath to my said wife my household and kitchen furniture of every kind except her Bed Bedstead and bedding and my chattel property of every kind and description, and the money on hand at the time of my death to be hers and at her disposal

Second I give and bequeath to my Son Theophilus G. Rogers subject to the incumbrances hereinafter made hereinafter mentioned the farm on which I now live being the N. W. Quarter of Section Seven and Fast Range and I order and direct my said Son Theophilus G to pay the following legacies, First to my wife Mary C. One Hundred dollars per year during her natural life which sum I give and bequeath unto her, Second to my Son Robert M. Five hundred dollars in two years from my death which sum I give and bequeath unto him my said Son Robert M, Third to my Son Milton Four hundred dollars to be paid within three years from my death which sum I will and bequeath to said Milton, Fourth to my Son Thomas C. Three Hundred dollars to be paid to him within four years from my death which sum I will and bequeath to my said Son Thomas C Fifth to my daughter Almira Eight Hundred dollars to be paid to her within five years from my death, which sum I bequeath unto her the said Almira Sixth to my grand daughter Duckett C. Orr three hundred dollars to be paid to her when she becomes twenty one years of age and also furnish provisions & board for my wife for Almira & for Duckett C. Orr

Third I give and bequeath to my daughter Almira two Beds Bedstead and bedding

Fourth I constitute and appoint my Son Theophilus G. and Milton Rogers Executors of this my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal and publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament in the presence of the witnesses named below this 17th day of March A.D. 1858

Joseph Rogers (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the Said Joseph Rogers as and for his last Will and Testament in presence of us who in his presence

and in the presence of Each other, and at his request have hereunto Subscribed our names as witnesses

John Christ Charles M. Foulks

Whereas on the 17th day of March A.D. 1858 I Joseph Rogers Executed my last Will and Testament unto which I now annex the following Codicil in the manner and form following

In Item Second in said will I direct and order my Son Theophilus to pay to my wife Mary C. Rogers one hundred dollars per year during her natural life in lieu thereof I now order and direct my said Son to pay my said wife fifty dollars per year while she enjoys reasonable health each and every year during her life and if by reason of ill health she should need more I order and direct my said Son to pay her such further sum in addition thereto as may make her comfortable which sum or sums I will and bequeath unto her. Also in said Item Second I direct my Son Theophilus to pay to my Son Robert M. five hundred dollars in lieu thereof I will to my said Son Robert M Four Hundred dollars as directed in said Will and I will and bequeath to my grand daughter Duckett Orr One Hundred dollars in addition to the three Hundred dollars bequeathed her in said Will the said one hundred dollars to be paid to her against she is seventeen years of age if I am not then living at said period. I then order said one hundred dollars to be paid to her within two years from my decease Further I give and bequeath to my daughter Almira any and all interest I may have in the estate of my Sister Mary Rogers of the State of Maryland whether the same descend to me by inheritance or bequest and whether real or personal

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal in presence of the witnesses named below this 10th day of December A.D. 1859

Joseph Rogers (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the said Joseph Rogers as and for a Codicil to his will in presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each other and at his request have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

James Eakin Charles M. Foulks

The State of Ohio
Columbiana County SS } Office of the Probate Judge of Said County

I, Cornelius Curry Judge and Ex officio Clerk of the Probate Court within and for said County hereby certify the aforegoing to be a true copy of the last will and Testament and Codicil of Joseph Rogers late of said County deceased as taken from and compared with the original Will and Codicil as the same was admitted to probate and recorded in said Court and now remains on file in my office as aforesaid

Witness my Signature and the Seal of said Court.

at New Lisbon this 26 day of May A.D. 1863

(Seal) Cornelius Leary Judge & Clerk

William J. Polk

I William J. Polk of the City of Baltimore being in delicate health but of sound mind do make this my Will and Testament

First I give to my beloved mother Rebecca Sandge the interest or profits of all Stocks of every description which I hold in my own name or jointly with others or which I have any right to for and during her life and after her death it is my Will that the Interests or Profits of said Stocks go to my Brother John C. Polk during his life and afterwards that the said Stocks themselves go absolutely to his Children

Secondly It would be my wish to free my negro man Philip to take effect immediately after my death on account of his faithful services to me during my long affliction, but as the law of Maryland prohibits the emancipation of Slaves except on such conditions as would not be agreable to my said Servant Philip I hereby leave him to my friend and Connection the Honorable E. Louis Lowe of Frederick City not doubting that he will in the best manner his Judgement shall suggest give practical effect to my wishes in the premises

Thirdly I give my Gold watch to my brother John C. Polk during his life and afterwards to my Cousin Jonah B. Polk

The residue of my Estate I give to my Brother John C. Polk

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my uncle James Polk Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me heretofore made

In Testimony whereof I do hereby set my hand and affix my Seal this 17th day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty one

William J. Polk his x mark (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the Testator to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Signed our names as witnesses thereto

Letitia Grace Douglass Lucius C. Polk George S. Williams

Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of September 1865 then came John C. Polk and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William J. Polk late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court Test S. H. Hanson Rs Rtr &c

Harford County S.S.

On the 17th day of August 1868 then came George A. Williams and on the 20th day of February 1872 then came Lucius C. Polk two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William J. Polk late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Letitia Grace Douglass subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely RRRc

John C. Saunders

I John C. Saunders of Havre de Grace Harford County Maryland do make and declare my last Will and Testament as follows Viz

1st I give and devise to my wife Mary A. Saunders for and during the term of her natural life the following Property Situated in the said town of Havre de Grace that is to Say one Lot of Ground with the Brick House erected thereon Situated in the Lower Park of said town two lots of Ground with a frame House on each adjoining the Property of John L. Williams and Charles B. Hitchcock and the Store House and Lot now occupied by me adjoining the United States Hotel, all which pieces of Property are more particularly described in the deeds conveying the same to me now of Record in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Harford County and from and after the decease of my said wife I give and devise all the property above mentioned to my said wife's niece Mrs Mary E. Meyers for and during the term of her natural life and from and after the decease of my said wife and of the said Mary E. Meyers and of the survivor of them, I give and devise all of said property to John S. McCullough and George E. McCullough of the City of Baltimore brothers of the said Mary E. Meyers to be equally divided between them Share and Share alike

2d I give and bequeath to my niece Mary E. Easton of Louisa County Virginia one Hundred dollars

3rd all the rest and residue of my estate property and effects of every kind and description of which I may be seized or possessed at the time of my death I give devise and bequeath to my said wife Mary A Saunders

4th I hereby authorize and empower my Executor hereinafter named if at any time they shall deem it advisable to sell and convey the Brick House and lot on which it is erected hereinbefore mentioned and to invest the proceeds of sale in such property or securities as they may think best and I do further will and direct that if such sale shall be made then the proceeds of sale shall go and pass under this my will, to the same persons and with the same limitations as is hereinbefore provided in reference to the said Brick house and lot of Ground

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint John G. McCullough and George S McCullough of the City of Baltimore Executors of this my last will and Testament

Witness my hand and seal this sixth day of August in the Year Eighteen Hundred and Sixty three

J. C. Saunders. (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by John C. Saunders the above named testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Witnesses

Thomas C. Hopkins Littleton Green J. Thompson Frieze

Harford County S S

On the 27th day of February 1872 then came George S McCullough and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codecil of John C. Saunders late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of Mary A. Saunders who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Harford County S S

On the 27th day of February 1872 then came Littleton Green and J Thompson Frieze two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of John C. Saunders late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will. that they heard him publish

pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament. that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Thomas C. Hopkins subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R W H Co

Sarah R. Guyton

In the name of God Amen I Sallie Guyton of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding do make this my last will and Testament In the following manner first and principally I commit my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named. and after my debts are paid and my funeral expenses are defrayed I give and devise as follows

Item 1st I give and devise to Alverdia Scarff fifty dollars to be paid to her out of my Estate by my Executor hereinafter named

Item 2nd I give and devise to Samuel W. James Daughter Sallie K. James and her heirs seven Hundred dollars to be paid to her out of my Estate by my Executor hereinafter named when she arrives at the age of Eighteen years old and also I give to her my silver teaspoons and my cupboard ware

Item 3rd I give and devise to Mary A. Divers one bed and beding one bureau and one Table and one Rocking Chair her lifetime and then to go to the above named Sallie K. James

Item 4th I give and devise to Samuel W. James and his heirs all the residue of my property both Real and personal except my watch I give to him during his lifetime and then to go to his son William R James; It is my wish and desire that the above named Mary A. Divers to have the privilege of making her home at the above named Samuel W James when she sees proper to come

And Lastly I do hereby appoint Samuel W. James Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testaments in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this twenty third day of January 1872

Sarah R. Guyton (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the Testator to be her last will and Testament. in the presence of us who in her presence and at her

request and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our Names as witnesses thereto

Samuel S. Scarff Thomas Johnson Joseph A. Naughton

Harford County S S

On the 22nd day of March 1872 then came Samuel S Scarff and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Sarah R Guyton late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Register

Harford County S S

On the 22nd day of March 1872 then came Samuel G. Scarff. Thomas Johnson and Joseph A. Naughton Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sarah R Guyton late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testatrix Sign and Seal this Will that they heard her publish Pronounce and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her So doing She was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind Memory and understanding and that they together Subscribed their Names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely Register

Christopher C. Rouse

In the name of God amen I Christopher Chapman Rouse of Harford County State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind do make this as and for my last Will and Testament

I give devise and bequeath to my wife and Children all my Estate both Real and Personal in equal portions. Share and Share alike except that my wife and my daughters Martha and Evelina are to have Such articles of Furniture as they may Select for their respective use and benefit free of charge and I also want the grain Potatoes and bacon that may be on hand at the time of my decease to be for the use of the family without charge, It is my wish and I therefore Will and direct

my hereinafter mentioned Executor to dispose of my Real Property as Soon as practicable and divide the proceeds between my wife and children Share and Share alike as above mentioned, I also Will and direct that in the event of any of my children dying without issue that the Share of my property to which they would have been entitled is to be divided between my wife and the Surviving children Share and Share alike

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son John G. Rouse to be Sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament,

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal this twenty fourth day of February in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seventy two

Christopher C. Rouse (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by Christopher Chapman Rouse the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have Subscribed our Names as witnesses thereto

Jno Carroll Walsh Thomas Bramble Robert Brazier

Harford County S S

On the 27th day of March 1872 then came John C Rouse and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Christopher C. Rouse late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely Register

United States
Stamp $9.

Harford County S S

On the 27th day of March 1872 then came John Carroll Walsh and Thomas Bramble two of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Christopher C. Rouse late of Said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did See the Testator Sign and Seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his So doing he was to the best of

apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Robert Brazer Subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Hannah G. Carter

I Hannah G. Carter of Harford County State of Mary and being weak in body and of feable health but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settel my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence Do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner form as following that is to say First and principaly I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discression of my friends

Secondly that my Executors hereafter named pay all my just debts and funeral charges as soon convenient after they may obtain the means to do so from my personal propperty.

Item 1st I give and bequeath to my Daughter Abigail Ann Harlan the the remainder of all my propperty of every discription to have hold and use for her own benefit with power to collect & invest the same as she may find nessary to do so Durain her natural life time, my propperty consists of Nineteen Hundred Dollars in Goverment Bonds, Seven Hundred Dollars in City Stock & 7 hundred in notes of hand or privet securaty A horse & Rockaway Pedo & beding and Household furniture of various kinds.

Item After the death of my Daughter Abigail Ann Harlan all of the above named property that is left & in her persation at her Death I will and bequeath to the serviving Children of my five Brothers namely Robert Ely Jessey Nathaniely & John Hollingsworth to shear & shear Alike

Lastly I do hearby Constitute and appoint John Hollingsworth my Brother my Executor of this my last Will and testament whereof I have hearunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 13th day of the 9th mo in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and sixty six

Hannah Carter (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Hannah Carter the above named testator as and for her last will and testament in the preasence and at her request and in her preasence and in the preasence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Nathaniel T. Hollingsworth, Silas W. Hollingsworth, Amos P. Hollingsworth

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Harford County S.S.

On the 22d day of April 1872 then came Abigail Ann Harlan and, Solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Hannah G. Carter late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that she recaied the same from the hands of the testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 22d day of April 1872 then came Nathaniel T. Hollingsworth, Silas W. Hollingsworth and Amos P. Hollingsworth subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannah G. Carter late of said County deceased and solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Edward Francis Kiethley

In the name of God Amen I Edward Francis Kiethly of Harford County & State of Maryland do make and publish this as and for my last Will and Testament as follows.

First after my Just debts and funeral & other expences are paid I give devise and bequeath all my Estate, Real, Personal & Mixed as follows.

Item 1st I give devise and bequeath to my five Daughters living with me, Margaret Jane, Laura Archer, Annie Izabelle, Emily Frances & Rachel Catharine Kiethley my farm on which I am living named Stoney Ridge or whatever name it may be called, containing about Seventy Acres and to each one of my Daughters named above 1 Bed & Bedding 1 Cow. 1 Hog & 1 Sheep.

Item 2d my farm in Elk Neck Cecil County Md. I empower my Executor hereinafter named to sell at such time as he may think best the proceeds to be applied to the payment of a Mortgage held

by Wm. Woolsey against the farm devised to my five Daughters named in first Item, and the balance if any to go towards paying my just debts. I also authorize my Executor to sell my personal Estate not devised by this Will and any balance that may be left, to be divided between my Six Daughters, Margaret, Laura, Annie, Emily Rachel Keithly and Sarah Elizabeth James share & share alike my Daughter Agnes Coale having received her share.

Lastly I hereby appoint Benedict H. Hanson Sole Executor of this my last will and testament

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal to this my last will & Testament this 13th day of April 1872

E. F. Keithley (Seal)

We hereby Certify that we did see the Testator herein named Edward Francis Keithley sign and seal this Will in our presence and who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other Signed our names as witnesses thereto.

Charles H. James. J. M. Finney. Garrett B. Moore

Harford County S.S.

On the 19th day of April 1872 then came B. H. Hanson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not Know of any Will or Codicil of Edward F. Keithley late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 29th day of April 1872 then came Garrett B. Moore, and on the 30 " " " 1872 " " Charles H. James two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforesaying last Will and Testament of Edward F. Keithley late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with J. M. Finney subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Hannah Stump

I Hannah Stump of Harford County Maryland being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding do now make and Publish this my last Will and Testament as follows.

1st I give and bequeath unto my Brother James Carter One Priority Pond of the Tide Water Canal Company No. 54 for the sum of Five hundred dollars.

2nd Priority Five I give and bequeath unto my Nephew Joel C. Hollingsworth One Pond No. 55 of the Tide Water Canal Company for the sum of Hundred Dollars

3rd I give and bequeath unto my Nephew Tathaiel T. Hollingsworth One Priority Pond No. 56 of the Tide Water Canal Company for the sum of Five hundred dollars.

4th I give and bequeath unto my four nieces Hannah England wife of John England, Hannah Carter daughter of my brother John Carter Hannah A. Carter daughter my brother Samuel Carter and Hannah Stephenson daughter of my Sister Isabel Stephenson the sum of One hundred dollars each.

5th I give and bequeath unto Margaret A. Moser the sum of One hundred dollars.

6th I give and bequeath unto my four Sisters Isabel Stephenson Sarah Tucker, Edeth Hollingsworth and Margaret Ann Benson the Contents of the Clothes press over the passage in my new house also the contents of my case of drawers and Bureau to be divided among equally

7th I give and bequeath unto Alva J. Tucker all the furniture in the room over the passage in my new house.

8th I give and bequeath unto Lizzie L. Tucker all the furniture in my sleeping room.

9th I give and bequeath unto my Nephew Ellis J. Tucker all that farm on which I now reside being the same and all the Lands described in a deed from Henry C. Stump to Samuel C. Stump dated on or about the Eighth day of January Eighteen hundred and Thirty five and recorded among the Land Records of Harford County in Liber H. D. No. 18 folio 220 to him the said Ellis J. Tucker his heirs and assigns in fee simple, upon the condition that he pay to my Executors the sum of Five hundred dollars the said sum to be applied to the payment of the five legacies of one hundred dollars each hereinbefore bequeathed. I also give and bequeath unto the said Ellis J. Tucker all the residue and remainder of my Estate

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Ellis J. Tucker and

Henry S Harlan Executors of this my last Will and Testament with full power and authority to do and perform all acts and deeds for the benefit of my Estate and the proper management thereof as fully as I myself could have done.

In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal declaring this to be my Last Will and Testament this Eighth day of February in the year Eighteen hundred and seventy two

Hannah Stump (Seal)

Signed sealed and declared by Hannah Stump the within named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses

Elizabeth E. Penson. Josephine Way Philip Carter

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Harford County S.S.

On the 9th day of May 1872 then came Henry S Harlan and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Hannah Stump late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 13th day of May 1872 then came Josephine Way and Philip Carter two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannah Stump late of said County deceased and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing She was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Elizabeth E Penson subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Valentine Spencer.

In name of God amen I Valentine Spencer of Harford County do make this as and for my last Will and Testament

I give devise and bequeath all of my estate real personal and mixed to George Spencer and his heirs charged however with the maintenance and support of my wife Milly Spencer so long as she may live and charged with payment of ten dollars to each of my other children

I revoke all other Wills and Testaments.

Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint said George Spencer Executor of this my last Will & Testament. Witness my hand and Seal this 9th day of August 1872

Valentine his X mark Spencer (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named testator as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto This instrument was read in our presence to the testator before signing

Stevenson Archer James Lytle
Stevenson A Williams P. Howard

Harford County S.S.

On the 23rd day of August 1872 then came Stevenson Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Valentine Spencer late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 23rd day of August 1872 then came Stevenson Archer and James Lytle two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Valentine Spencer late of said County, deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Stevenson A Williams and P Howard subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Sarah Johnson

Know all men by these presents, I. Sarah Johnson of Harford County & State of Maryland, do make deed and publish this my last Will & Testament First. It is my will & deed that all my funeral expenses be duly paid as early as practicable after my decease.

I Will to my son George's three children fifty dollars each. The residue of my property consisting of Stock in the Second National Bank of Baltimore & in a Mortgage at Rahway New Jersey I will to my three daughters viz. Harriet Andrews, Catharine Abbott, and Angeline Hoskins share & share alike

I desire my daughter Angeline Hoskins to have my Gold Watch, to pay Harriet Andrews & Catharine Abbott Each the third of fifty dollars the price I value the watch

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twelfth day of the Eleventh Month in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-eight

Sarah Johnson (Seal)

Signed Sealed published & declared by Sarah Johnson the above named testatrix as & for her last Will & Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence & in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Mordecai Price. Hannah A Price, Charles R. Hollingsworth

Harford County SS.

On the 21st day of May 1872 then came Edwin A. Abbott and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Sarah Johnson late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. N. C

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Harford County SS

On the 22d day of May 1872 then came Hannah J Price and Charles R. Hollingsworth two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sarah Johnson late of said County deceased and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at

the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Mordecai Price subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each Other.

Affirmed to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. N. C

George Washington Few

In the name of God Amen I George Washington Few of Harford County in the State of Maryland having passed the advanced age of Sixty and being sick and feeble of body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the Certain of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be better prepared to leave this world when it doth please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping for mercy only through the merits of Our Lord Jesus Christ and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executrix hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid I devise and bequeath my property as follows To wit:

To my loving whose industry and frugality hath assisted me much in acquiring what I now possess in addition to third part I demise and bequeath all my property consisting of a tract of land or part of a tract called Little Worth being the same and all the land on which I now reside and joining the lands of John Keith J. Eli Few and others and all my other property both personal and to my wife during her natural life and after her decease I demise and bequeath all the aforementioned property to be equally divided among my children George Thomas John Jacob, Elizabeth Jane Jarvis, Mary Levinia, and Sarah Ellen and this same property to be sold at public sale and the proceeds to be distributed as aforementioned.

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear wife Adeline Levinia Few to be sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Third day of April in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seventy-two

George Washington Few (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by George Washington Fur the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence & each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John A. Keith — Alexander Crowe
Jacob B. Kelly — Michael H. Webster

Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of May 1872 then came John H. Galbreath and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of George Washington Fur late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test — J. R. Ely — R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of May 1872 then came Alexander Crowe and Michael H. Webster two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of George Washington Fur late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with John A. Keith Jacob B. Kelly subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test — J. R. Ely — R. H. H. Co

Adaline P. Hall

I Adaline P. Hall of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding, do make and publish, this as and for my last Will and testament in manner following viz.

First. I commit my body to the Earth to be decently buried by my Executrix hereinafter named, and my soul into the hands of God who gave it. And after my just Debts and funeral and Court Charges are paid. I give and bequeath as follows.

Item 1st I give devise and bequeath to my Sister Sophia S. Hall all my Real & Personal Estate during her natural life and what (Ever) may be left after her decease shall be equally divided between the three Daughters of

Josia H. Lemmon Name Ida V. Lemmon Alice Lemmon & Mary Lemmon to equally divided between them should they be living at the decease of my said Sister Sophia, should either of them die before the said Sophia Children the Child or children to take the dec.d mothers part of no Children to you to the survivor or survivors.

I hereby appoint Sophia S. Hall my sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, Witness my Hand and Seal this 29th day of July 1871

Adaline P. Hall (Seal)

We whose names are hereunto subscribed did see the testator herein named sign and seal this Will & heard her publish and pronounce the same to be her last will and Testament in our presence who at her request and in her presence signed our names as Witnesses thereto

P. H. Hanson — Fred Hinkson — Mary A. Hinkson

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of May 1872 then came Sophia S. Hall and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Adaline P. Hall late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test — J. R. Ely — R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of May 1872 then came P. H. Hanson and Fred Hinkson two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Adaline P. Hall late of said County deceased and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Mary A. Hinkson subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test — J. R. Ely — R. H. H. Co.

Samuel P. Adams.

In the name of God Amen, I Samuel P. Adams of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give and devise unto Amamarher Walton Two Acres of Land bounding on the lands of Snow and Detrick and the remainer of my of my Lands to be sold by my Exicuoter and proceeds to equal divied between James Adams, Wesley Adams, Samuel Adams, Enoch Adams and Robert Adams my sons.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute my son James Adams to be my sole Exicutor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills be heretofore made and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed my Seal this Twenty-second day of May in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and seventy two

Samuel his X mark P. Adams (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Samuel Adams the within testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names witness thereto.

Test

P. Legoe, Jas H. Treadwell, Thomas Wheland

Harford County Ss.

On the 16th day of June 1872 then came Benjamin Legoe and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Samuel P. Adams late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. S. Co

Harford County Ss

On the 16th day of June 1872 then came Benjamin Legoe and on the 22d day of June 1872 James H. Treadwell and Thomas Wheland subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Samuel P. Adams late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. H. S. Co

Ann Hitchcock

I Ann Hitchcock of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named and after General Charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

Item I give and devise unto William L. Hitchcock (my step Son) my plantation whereon I now reside (devised to me by my Father William H. Barlow) known by the name of "Constable Manor" containing about Seventy two acres more or less to him the said William L. Hitchcock and his heirs and assigns in fee simple.

Item I give and devise unto the said William L. Hitchcock and his heirs all my personal property of every description of which I am possessed or entitled to by Law consisting of beds bedsteads and bedding chairs tables &c

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint the said William L. Hitchcock to be sole Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Twenty second day of April in the year of Our Lord

One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy two

Ann her X mark Hitchcock (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Ann Hitchcock as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witnesses thereto

Nathaniel B. Webb Lewis E Allen, John H Kirkwood

Harford County S.S.

On the 24th day of June 1872 then came John H. Kirkwood and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not of any will or codicil of Ann Hitchcock late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from William L. Hitchcock who received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping.

Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 24th of June 1872 then came Nathan B Webb, Lewis E Allen and John H Kirkwood subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ann Hitchcock late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seat this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other. Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Shadrach Streett Sr.

I Shadrach Streett Sr do make and publish this my last will and Testament. Imprimis. I will and devise unto my Nan dearly beloved wife Nancy all the personal property that may be on the farm where she now resides at the time of my death in lieu of dower

Item I will and devise unto my daughter Hannah all that tract or parcel of Land containing Fifty-five acres more or less situate on Deer Creek and adjoining the lands of Mrs Elizabeth Streett, William Watkins and John Watkins, I further devise to my daughter

Hannah the sum of Three Hundred Dollars one Cow and one bed and bedding.

Item I will and bequeath to my daughter Margaret the sum of Two hundred Dollars one Cow and one bed and bedding

Item I devise unto my son James Evans, One horse and one Cow

Item I bequeath unto my son Shadrach Streett Jr. Twenty five Dollars

Item I devise to my son John W. Streett Twenty five dollars.

Item I will and devise to my daughter Mary Ann Robinson Three hundred dollars.

Item I will and direct my Executors hereinafter named to sell all the rest and residue of my property real, personal and mixed, except that which has been specifically named and devised heretofore in this instrument and after all my just debts and funeral expenses are paid and the legacies hereinbefore mentioned are deducted I order and direct that the residue of the proceeds of said sale be equally divided between the following named persons viz my son James Evans Streett and my daughter Martha E Rampley and Margaret Streett share and share alike. Lastly I constitute and appoint my son Shadrach Streett Jr and William Rampley my executors, hereby annulling all former Wills by me made and confirming and publishing this and this only for my last will and Testament

In testimony thereof I Shadrach Streett Sr. the above named Testator have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this 30th day of May in the year A. D. 1871.

Shadrach Streett Sr. (Seal)

Signed sealed &c in our presence, in the presence of each other and at the request of the above named Testator

George W. Carver Albert H. Pusa J. M. Streett

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Harford County S.S.

On the 26th day of June 1872 then came Shadrach Streett Jr. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Shadrach Streett Sr. late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the private papers of the Testator.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 26th day of June 1872 then came George W. Carver, Albert H. Pusa, and Joseph M. Streett subscribing witnesses to

to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Shadrach Streett Sr. late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will at his request and in his presence and in presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John W. Webster.

I John W. Webster of Harford County Maryland make this my Last Will

Item 1st I give to my wife Priscilla all my Estate real and personal during her life or widowhood, whichever shall first terminate; and after her death or marriage whichever shall first occur. I give the same to be equally divided among my children then living; and if any of my children shall be then dead, leaving issue then living, such issue shall take the share or shares to which such child or children would be entitled if living.

Item 2nd If my wife, shall marry again after my death she shall then take her legal dower in my estate.

Item 3rd I appoint my wife executrix of this will

Witness my hand and seal this third day of June 1872

Jno W. Webster (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and and declared in our presence, by the within named testator John W. Webster as and for his Last Will and as at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses thereto.

Lucy A. McAtee. James Smithson, Edwin H. Webster

Harford County S.S.

On the 2nd day of July 1872 then came Priscilla Webster and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that she doth not Know of any will or Codicil of John W. Webster late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

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Harford County S.S.

On the 2nd day of July then came Edwin H. Webster and James Smithson two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John W. Webster late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Lucy A. McAtee subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Samuel H. Reasin

I Samuel H Reasin of Havre de Grace Maryland being of sound and disposing mind and desiring to devise the Estate of which by the Kind providence of God I may die possessed, as my sense of duty to my maker requires, do make and publish this my last will and testament.

First I direct and require, my Executors hereinafter named to pay in full all my lawful debts.

Second I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Emily M. Reasin all the property of every kind real and personal of which I shall die possessed.

Third I do hereby constitute and appoint my Emily M Reasin and friend Chas B Hitchcock to be the Executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby revoke, and annul, all previous wills, and testaments by me made, In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, on this Sixth day of June in the year of Our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and seventy two.

Samuel H. Reasin (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Saml. H. Reasin the above named testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of of us who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto.

John L. Williams Jno A Russell W. W. Hopkins

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Harford County S.S.

On the 25th day of July 1872 then came John L. Williams and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God

that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Samuel H. Reasin late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 25th day of July 1872 then came John S. Williams, John A. Russell and W. H. Hopkins subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of Samuel H. Reasin that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Martin Ryan

Be it remembered that I Martin Ryan of Harford County State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say, in the first place I do will and direct that after all my just debts and funeral expenses shall have been paid. it is my will that all my family shall have a home in my house and off my farm untill my son Martin Ryan shall have arrived at the age of twenty-one years. provided my wife and two daughters remain unmarried, and when my said son Martin shall have arrived to the age of twenty-one years I will and direct that my farm be divided between my two sons as follows, to wit, Beginning at a stone set up on the division between Robert Hutchinson & myself, and running thence westwardly by a chestnut tree which is now marked untill it intersects the outside line of my farm and all the land to the North of this line I give and bequeath to my son Martin Ryan and and all the land lying to the South of this division line which also contains the buildings I give and bequeath to my son James T. Ryan after the division aforesaid my son James is to provide a home and a living for his mother Martha Ryan in my house during her life time provided she remains unmarried my said son Martin is to have the privilege of the spring of water between the dwelling and division line on my son James' part and my said son James is to have the privilege of a road through some part of Martin' portion where it may be agree

on by the parties, and my said son James is to pay to my daughter Mary Ann Ryan the sum of Three hundred dollars, and my said son Martin is to pay to my daughter Sarah Jane Ryan the sum of Three hundred dollars at the time my said son Martin arrives at the age of twenty one years or if it is inconvenient for James and Martin to pay the money at that time they may agree with their Sisters and fix another day more suitable for them but the money must be on interest from the time Martin is twenty-one years of age untill paid. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Martha Ryan all the household and kitchen furniture

It is my will that all the Stock and Farming utensils shall remain on the farm for the use of the family untill my said son Martin is of age and what is left of them is for my said son James

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Richard B. McCoy my Executor to this my last will and Testament, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty third day of July in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seventy-two

Martin his X mark Ryan (Seal)

Signed, sealed published and declared by Martin Ryan the above named Testator as and for his last will & Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Hiram Slair Miles Crow Patrick Clark

Harford County SS.

On the 5th day of August 1872 then came Richard B. McCoy and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare & affirm that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Martin Ryan late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 5th day of August 1872 Miles Crow, Patrick Clark, and Hiram Slair subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Martin Ryan late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at

the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and affirmed to in Open Court

Test S. R. Ely R. H. K. C.

Hannah M. Massey

Be it remembered that I Hannah M. Massey of Harford County State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

I do will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid. I will and bequeath to my Niece Hannah H. Estep daughter of my Brother Joseph Hamer Two hundred and fifty dollars, and also my best feather Bed bolster & pillows

I will and bequeath to my Sister Lucy Stamp wife of Joseph Stamp Twenty five dollars and my front room Carpet after the decease of my husband Isaac Massey

I give and bequeath to my niece Hannah H. Stamp Twenty five dollars, and Bureau, and white Cupboard ware which she bought for me. I will and bequeath to my niece Sarah Ann Pyle daughter of Joseph Stamp Five dollars, and also a dining Table and half dozen winsor Chairs.

I will and bequeath to my niece Lydia Pierce Twenty-five dollars Rocking Chair, Half dozen Rush Bottom Chairs and One Looking Glass.

I will and bequeath to Isabella Jane Scarborough the girl who now lives with me my second best bed, bedstead and Clothes for the bed to suit the winter season, and my Small Eight day clock. all of the aforegoing bequests are to be paid and handed over as soon as convenient by my Executor after my decease except the carpet left to my Sister Lucy Stamp which is to be retained by my husband during his natural life, and I hereby authorize my Executor hereinafter named to convert by Sale or otherwise all the rest and residue of my Estate into money and invest in sound safe security and pay the interest arising therefrom annually or oftener if need be to my husband Isaac Massey during his natural life and after his decease the principal to go to my aforesaid niece Hannah H. Estep

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint Joseph H. Jewett Executor to this my last will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and

affixed my Seal 8th day of fourth month in the year our Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-nine

Hannah M. Massey (Seal)

Signed, sealed published and delivered by Hannah M. Massey the above named Testatrix as and for her last will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William P. Lewin George Berard

Harford County S.S.

On the 19th day of August 1872 then came Joseph H. Jewett and did solemnly sincerely and truly declare and affirm that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Hannah M. Massey late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court.

Test S. R. Ely R. H. K. C.

Harford County SS

On 19th day of August 1872 then came George Berard and William P. Lewin subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Hannah M. Massey late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly sincerely and truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses thereto to this will at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and affirmed to in Open Court.

Test S. R. Ely R. H. K. C.

Thomas F. Scarborough

Be it remembered that I Thomas F. Scarborough of Harford County State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind, memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say. In the first place

I do will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid and satisfied, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Ruth Ann Scarborough after the debts and funeral expenses shall have been paid, all my estate both real and personal for and during her

natural life, at her death, I give and bequeath to my Daughter Susan Virginia Scarborough all my real and personal property.

And Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint Richard B. McCoy the Executor to this my last will and Testament, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this twenty-six day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-two

Thomas F. Scarborough (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Thomas F. Scarborough the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

David Riley Joseph R. Cushing John Michael

Harford County SS.

On the 9th day of September 1872 then came Richard B. McCoy and did Solemnly, Sincerely and Truly declare and affirm that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Thomas F. Scarborough's late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty [illegible] Sincerely and Truly Declared and Affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal and Will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. A. Co

Elizabeth Norris

I Elizabeth Norris of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last Will and Testament as follows.

Item 1st It is my will that after Funeral expenses are paid (including Tomb Stones) all my just debts shall be paid by my Executor hereinafter named.

Item 2nd I give and devise to my niece Rachel C. Miller (wife of Thomas Miller) and her heirs forever all my undivided interest in a dwelling House and One acre of Land situate in Norrestown Harford County together with Twenty-six acres of Land adjoining the same

known by the name of "Salisbury Plane" with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging devised to me by my Father Vincent Norris dec^d (subject to the following incumbrances viz the Legal interest of Three Hundred dollars shall be paid annually after my death to my Sister Charlotte Ebaugh wife of Benjamin Ebaugh of the State of Penn. and at her death the said sum of Three Hundred dollars shall be paid to her five Children viz Mariah S. Low, Elizabeth A. Strawbridge, Amanda Butler, Adam Ebaugh, and Catharine Smith also one Home made Carpet I devise my said niece Rachel C. Miller.

Item 3rd I give and devise to Ellen V. Miller daughter of Thomas Miller one good Bed, Bedstead and Bedding.

Item 4th I give and devise to my Sister Jane Norris one Eight day Clock.

Item 5th I give and devise to my brother John S. Norris all the rest and residue of my personal effects of whatever kind it may be in and about my Residence.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my brother John S. Norris to be sole Executor of this my last will and Testament, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Ninth day of February in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-two

Elizabeth her X mark Norris (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Testator as and for her last will and Testament in our presence who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witness hereto

David Riley D. A. Edie John H. Stillwell

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of September 1872 then came John S. Norris and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Elizabeth Norris late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. A. Co

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of September 1872 then came David Riley and D. A. Edie two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of Elizabeth Norris late of said County deceased.

and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with J. H. Kirkwood subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Joel Harry

Know all men by these presents That I, Joel Harry of Harford County in the State of Maryland being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous of setting my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends and after my debts and funeral expenses are paid I give and devise as follows.

I will and direct that after a reasonable time after my decease my Executor hereinafter named shall sell at Public Sale all my Real Estate by whatsoever name or names it may be called, also my personal Estate, the proceeds thereof I devise as follows.

I give and devise unto my dear mother Elizabeth Harry One Thousand Dollars.

I give and devise unto my Sister Mary E Harry Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

I give and bequeath unto my niece John Ann Richardson wife of Joshua Richardson the sum of fifty dollars.

All the residue of my Estate I will give and devise unto my Brothers and Sisters To wit, David Harry, Nathan P. Harry, Grace Ann King Mary E Harry, James Harry, and Margaret Jane Brooks and the Children of my deceased Sister Hannah To wit Harry and Annie Strickler which children to get their mothers part to be divided between them share and share alike

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my brother James Harry to be my Executor to this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and

affixed my seal on this Second day of the ninth month in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-two

Joel Harry (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Joel Harry the above named testator as and for his last will and Testament in our presence who in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Daniel Culp David L. Pyle David Pyle

Harford County S.S.

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On the 24th day of September 1872 then came David Pyle and Solemnly, Sincerely, and truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Joel Harry late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the 24th day of September 1872 then came Daniel Culp and David Pyle two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Joel Harry late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will, that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with David L. Pyle subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in the presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn and affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harriet B. Hays

I Harriet B. Hays of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this as and for my last Will and Testament revoking all other wills & Testaments.

I give and bequeath to Stevenson Archer of James One hundred Dollars as a token of affection

I give and bequeath to Roberta H. Archer One hundred fifty dollars and to her Sister Mary Archer one hundred and fifty dollars

I give and bequeath to George L. Van Bibber the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

I give and bequeath to Hannah C Van Bibber the sum of One Thousand Dollars

I give and bequeath to my nephew Stevenson Archer (son of Judge Archer) the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars

I give and bequeath to the American Board of Foreign Missions the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

I give and bequeath to Stevenson A. Williams the Sum of Eight hundred Dollars, to his Sister Mary Williams Two Hundred dollars and to his Brother Frederick Williams Two Hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Bel Air Two Hundred dollars.

I give and bequeath Two hundred Dollars, to Estelle Archer Two Hundred dollars to Fannie H Archer, and Two hundred Dollars to Stevenson Archer (of Stevenson) their brother also the sum of Four Hundred dollars to my niece Laura S. Turpin.

I give devise and bequeath to my nephew Stevenson Archer Son of Judge Archer all my real Estate on consideration that he pay $2500. into the hands of my Executor which sum is to be part of my personal property. If there be any residue I give and bequeath $100 to William P Archer and all the balance if any to Lucretia Doan. I appoint Stevenson Archer son of Judge Archer Executor.

Witness my hand and Seal this 24th day of July 1871

Harriet P. Hays (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by the above named testatrix as and for her last will and testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Edwin H. Webster Patrick Howard Maria Howard

Harford County S.S.

On the 26th day of September 1872 then came Stevenson Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of Harriet P Hays late of said County deceased except one of a prior date and that he received the same from hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 26th day of September 1872 then came Edwin H Webster and on the 3rd day of October came Patrick Howard two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament and Severally made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they heard the Testator request Edwin H Webster to sign her name to this Will and that he did so and that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Maria Howard subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Jane I. Jones

In the name of God, Amen. I Jane I Jones of Harford County Md being sick and weak in body, but of sound mind, memory and understanding (praised be God for it) considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and to end I may be better prepared to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me hence, therefore make and declare this my last will and Testament in manner following (that is to say) First and principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator, and as to my worldly affairs I order that all my funeral expenses and charges of proving this my will, be in the first place paid and satisfied, and after payment thereof and every part thereof, I give and bequeath to my Sister Ann Thomas of Tuhiniog Wales the sum of One hundred dollars $100. and I give and bequeath to my Sister Winifred H Williams of Harford County Md all the balance of my effects namely twelve hundred Dollars $1200. more or less as the case may be, and I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my Sister the said Winifred H Williams to be the Executrix of this my will, hereby revoking and making void all former and other Wills by me at any time heretofore made and declare this only to be my last will and Testament set my hand and seal the 12th day of July A. D. 1872

Jane I. Jones (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Testator Jane I. Jones, as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who in her presence and at her request have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John Humphrey Wm E. Williams E. Foulkes Jones

Harford County S.S.

On the 14th day of October 1872 then came John Humphreys and Solemnly Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Jane J. Jones late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping;

Affirmed to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 14th day of October 1872 then came John Humphreys and E. Foulkes Jones two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Jane J. Jone late of said County deceased and Solemly, Sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish, pronounce, and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with William E Williams subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Affirmed to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Henry Webster

In the name of God Amen, I Henry Webster of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my last Will and Testament

I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth her mothers Bureau.

I give and bequeath to my Grand Son Harry Webster my watch

I give and bequeath to my Servant Maria Harris fifty-dollars

I give devise and bequeath to my Son George S Webster the land I bought of my brother George S Webster lying near and adjoining the lands owned by Nicholas Baker on the Swan Creek Road.

I give devise and bequeath to my Son William Webster my Home farm containing Two hundred and sixty acres more or less (including about one acre of the land bought by me of Jas. Brooke & others which lies S.E. of a road leading from end of my lane to Big Ashbury Church) charged with the payment of three thousand dollars which sum is to be equally divided among my three daughters Maria E Webster, Sarah Frances Keating and Phebe Smith Webster, the interest thereon to be paid to them annually from my decease & the principal at the expiration of four years from my death, and I further charge this devise to my son William with the payment of the further sum of One thousand dollars which sum is to bear interest from my decease payable annually, the principal at the end of four years, the principal and interest of said Thousand dollars to be equally divided among my four children Edwin H Webster, Maria E Webster, Sarah Frances Keating, Phebe Smith Webster.

I give and bequeath to my Son William Webster my Eight day Clock and my Desk (but not its contents)

I give and bequeath to my friend Stevenson Archer the sum of Four Thousand Dollars in trust to apply the interest and income thereof for the use of my said Son George S Webster during his life and after the death of my said son George in further trust to divide the same equally among my children Edwin H. Webster, John W. Webster, Maria E Webster, Sarah Frances Keating and Phebe Smith Webster.

I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate and property real personal and mixed to the following of my children, to wit Edwin H. Webster Maria E Webster, Sarah Frances Keating and Phebe Smith Webster share and share alike.

I hereby revoke all former wills heretofore made by me.

Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my Sons John W. Webster and Edwin H Webster Executors of this my last Will and Testament and request that they shall make no charge against my Estate for their personal services in settling my Estate.

Witness my hand and Seal this Seventeenth day of April 1868

Henry Webster (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Jas. A. Fulton, Francis Mitchell, J. M. Anderson

Codicil to the aforegoing Will made this October Thirty-first Eighteen-hundred and Seventy-one.

I hereby change the aforegoing will so far only, as to substitute my son Edwin H. Webster as Trustee in the place of my friend Stevenson Archer in that item thereof in which I devise four thousand dollars to said Stevenson Archer in trust to hold the same for the use of my Son George S Webster for and during his natural life, and after his death in trust to pay over the same equally to my children John W. Webster Edwin H Webster Maria E Webster Phoebe S. Webster and Sarah F Keating; and I hereby reaffirm said item with the name of my Son Edwin H Webster

substituted therein for the name of my friend Stevenson Archer
Henry Webster

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of October 1872 then came Edwin H Webster and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Henry Webster late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the private papers of said Testator

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of October 1872 then came James A Fulton and Francis Mitchell two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of Henry Webster late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with J M Anderson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence at his request and on the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

The 28th day of October 1872 then came Francis Mitchell and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he is acquainted and knows the signature of Henry Webster deceased and that the signature to the aforegoing Codicil of Henry Webster is in the hand writing of said deceased and that the signature is true and genuine

Certified by J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Walter Billingslea

I Walter Billingslea of Harford County & State of Maryland do make and publish this my last Will and Testament.

First I do give to my Sister Frances C Crevenston Three hundred and fifty dollars subject to the following conditions, she is to pay Mary Peterson one hundred dollars as soon as she receives it, and to pay all my general expenses, including tomb Stones for my grave.

Second I give and bequeath to my Brother John Billingslea all the balance of my Estate real personal and mixed and of what nature soever to him his heirs Executors or administrators, after the payment of all my just debts

Third I do hereby appoint my said Brother and Sister John

Billingslea and Frances C Crevenston Executors of this my last Will and Testament, Signed with my seal and dated this first day of November Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-two

Walter Billingslea (Seal)

Signed and Sealed in our presence who at the Testators request, in his presence and in the presence of each other sign this as witnesses, the words "and fifty" interlined before signing

James M. Cain Wm S Richardson Benjamin Wilson

Harford County SS

On the 18th day of November 1872 then came William S. Richardson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Walter Billingslea late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and the received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 18th day of November 1872 then came William S Richardson and James M Cain two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Walter Billingslea late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Benjamin Wilson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Thomas E. Bond

In the name of God, Amen. I Thomas E Bond of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in perfect health of body, and of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding, being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, and thereby be better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, so therefore make and publish this, my last will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say.

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth, to be decently buried at

the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

I give and devise unto my wife Annie Morris Bond her heirs and assigns all of my Estate wherever situated Real, Personal, or mixed hereby Constituting and appointing my said wife to be sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other, to be my last Will and Testament. In testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Twenty-eighth day of April, in the year One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine

Thos. E. Bond (Seal)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Thomas E Bond as and for his last will and Testament in our presence, who at his request, in his presence and in presence of each other have set hereunto our hands as Witnesses hereto.

John P. Tidy Jr. Geo A Hammick D. R. Watson

Harford County S.S.

On the 30th day of November 1872 then came J. Morris Bond and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Thomas E Bond late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 30th day of November 1872 then came John P. Tidy Jr. one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Thomas E Bond late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that he together with George A Hammick and D. R. Watson subscribed his name as witness to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 30th day of November 1872 then came J. Morris Bond and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he knew the handwriting of George A Hammick and D. R. Watson and that the signature to the aforegoing Will is in their hand writing, and that the signatures are genuine.

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Nathan Dean Sr

In the name of God Amen I Nathan Dean Sr of Harford County and State of Maryland, do make and publish this instrument of writing as forming my last Will and Testament.

First It is my Will and desire that all my debts and funeral Expenses be first paid by my Executor hereinafter named.

Second I give devise and bequeath unto my loving wife the One Third of all my Estate real, personal and mixed for and during her natural life. Third I give and bequeath unto each of my five daughters viz- Sarah, Mary A. Eliza, Eleanor and Harriet Dean the sum of four hundred Dollars (making in all the sum of Two Thousand Dollars) and also to each of my said daughters a feather bed, and the necessary bedding belonging thereto, also to each of my said daughters a home in the old family dwelling so long as she remains single and may choose to occupy the same. These legacies and bequests I hereby charge on my real Estate with the payment thereof.

Fourth I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate and property real, personal and mixed to my son Morris M. Dean. Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my son Morris M. Dean Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and I do hereby annul all former wills and Testaments by me made or pretended to be made and executed, declaring this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Fourth day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty-seven.

Nathan Dean (Seal)

Signed, sealed published and declared by the above named Testator as and for this Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witness thereto

Wm. H. Dullam James H. Reed, Alex. M. Telford

Harford County S.S.

On this 8th day December 1872 then came William H. Dullam and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know any Will or Codicil of Nathan Dean late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 6th day of December 1872 then came William H. Dallam and Alexander M. Fulford two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Nathan Dean late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with James W Reed subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Mary A. Cairnes

I Mary A. Cairnes of Harford County in the State of Maryland being of sound disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish my will and Testament in the manner and form following that is to say First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named & after my funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

Item 1st I give and bequeath unto my Son James A Cairnes all my right of dower in the Land Estate which he is now in possession of and has been surveyed to him Together with a promissory note for Three Hundred and Twenty six dollars and fifty-four cents bearing interest from date, dated the first day of April Eighteen hundred and Sixty eight less the the one half of the funeral expenses including Tomb Stones & Dr. Bill

Item 2nd I give and bequeath unto my son George R. Cairnes all my right of dower in the Land Estate which is now in his possession and has been surveyed to him. Together with two promissory notes, one for Two hundred and five dollars bearing interest from date dated the first day of April 1868 the other for one hundred dollars bearing interest from date dated the first day of July 1869 subject to the payment of One hundred dollars (bearing interest from my death) to my daughter Martha J. Cairnes also the payment of one half of my funeral Expenses including Tomb Stones and Dr. Bill.

Item 3rd I give and devise unto my daughter Martha J. Cairnes all my personal property, including Household and Kitchen furniture Cow, Sheep, Hog, Carriage &c also One hundred dollars with interest from my death payable by my Son George R. Cairnes out of what he is indebted to me Together with two promissory notes

made by my Son William G. Cairnes One for Two hundred and nineteen dollars and fifty cents bearing interest from date dated the 12th day of October 1871 the other for ninety dollars bearing interest from date dated the 23rd day of November 1863 said notes subject to credits endorsed thereon, And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my daughter Martha J. Cairnes to be sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will & Testament

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and Seal this 15th day of July 1872

Mary A. X (her mark) Cairnes (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Mary A. Cairnes as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our hands as witnesses hereto.

John H. Kirkwood, Mathew B. Clark, Martin L. Jarrett

Harford County SS

On the 17th day of December 1872 then came John H. Kirkwood and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Mary A. Cairnes late of said County, deceased, other than than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 17th day of December 1872 then came John H. Kirkwood and Martin L. Jarrett two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary A. Cairnes late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Matthew B. Clark subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn To in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

William Amoss.

In the name of God, I William Amoss of Harford of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my just debts and general charges are paid I give and bequeath unto George W. Amoss (son of Oliver H. Amoss deceased) one share which I now hold in the Bel air Turnpike

I give and bequeath unto Mary, Rachel, and Judith Patty one One Bed and Bedstead; one pair of Blankets, and one Quilt to each of them

I give and bequeath unto Mary A. Cowley (wife of Thomas B. Cowley and daughter of Joshua and Rachel Wiley) Three hundred and fifty dollars

I give and devise unto James O. Amoss (son of Oliver H. Amoss deceased) all my plantation whereon I now reside lying in Harford County on the East side of the Bel air Road and on the South side of the road leading from the Friends Meeting House to Whitakers Mill, and adjoining the lands of John Archer, John Finney and others containing by meets Seventy three acres of land more or less to him the said James O. Amoss his heirs and assigns in fee simple. The said James O. Amoss paying out of said land the aforesaid sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars to the said Mary A. Cowley. And my will and desire is that my Executor hereinafter named shall sell at public Sale soon as convenient after my decease all the rest of my personal property and out of the proceeds of said Sale pay all my just debts and funeral charges.

And I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personal to George W. Amoss his heirs and assigns forever. And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint George W. Amoss to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and Seventy-two

William Amos (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by William Amoss the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the

presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Elias Beaumont John C. Monks, John Clark

Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of December 1872 then came Elias Beaumont and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of William Amoss late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping. Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 21st day of December 1872 then came Elias Beaumont, John C. Monks and John Clark subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of William Amoss late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Caroline Johnson

In the name of God Amen. I Caroline Johnson of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in tolerable health of body and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding conscious of, and considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to go when it may please the Lord to call me hence,

I do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following: That is to say

First and principally, I commit my soul into the righteous hands hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth, to be decently buried at the discretion of my hereinafter named Executor and after my debts and funeral expenses are all paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give and devise and bequeath unto my nieces Sarah Frances Hysong and Caroline J. Preston all my water Stock, share and share alike and to the said Sarah F. Hysong all my Bells Turnpike

Stock. I give and devise a legacy to my niece Caroline Johnson daughter of my Brother Charles Johnson Five Hundred Dollars.

I give and devise to my niece Evelina C Harfield Three Hundred dollars. I give and devise to my niece Elizabeth Reid Seventy-five Dollars.

I give and devise to my Nephew James R Keslow my watch and a legacy of Fifty Dollars, The aforegoing legacies to be paid out of a promissory note I hold given by Joshua A Harfield and Joshua Harfield

I give and bequeath to the Home Missionary Society, of the Baltimore Methodist Episcopal Conference One Hundred dollars to be paid out of the said Harfields note also.

The Balance of said Harfields note I give unto Evelina Johnson and Anna E Hysong share and share alike.

I give and bequeath unto Caroline O'Donnell Seventy-five Dollars, out of a promissory note I hold given by J. Enoch Johnson and the ballance of said note I will to his Sisters Mary E Johnson and Ella Johnson share and share alike.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my nephew John B. Hysong sole Executor of this my last will and Testament; revoking and annulling all former wills by me made heretofore ratifying and confirming this, and none other, to be my last will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal this 22d day of June 1872

Caroline Johnson (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and delivered by Caroline Johnson the above named Testatrix as and for her last will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

John Moores. James Moores. Jane Johnson

Harford County SS

On the 2d day of January 1873 then came John B Hysong and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Caroline Johnson late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the Hands of Sarah J Hysong who had the same for safe Keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 3rd day of January 1873 then came John Moores and James Moores two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Caroline Johnson late of said County deceased

and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with James Johnson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Mary A. Dorney

I Mary A. Dorney of the Town of Abingdon in Harford County do make this my last will and Testament viz.

I will and direct that Tomb Stones be put at my Grave and at the Grave of my late Husband, William H. Dorney and hereby make it a charge on my Estate not exceeding One Hundred dollars provided I do not make other arrangements for putting up said Tomb Stones in my life time.

Item. I give and bequeath to my two Sons William A and John A Dorney each a Bed and Bedding.

Item. I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate of every nature and kind or wheresoever found to be equally divided between my Six Children Sarah J. Miller, Mary E. Cochran, Amanda R. Donnell, Clara J. Knight, William A and John A. Dorney share and share alike as Tenants in Common.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son William A. Dorney sole Executor of this my last will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix my seal this 13th day of March 1869

Mary A. (her X mark) Dorney (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Mary A. Dorney the above named Testatrix as and for her last will and Testament in our presence who at her request and in her presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

C. F. Pillingslea William Pillingslea Walter Hanford

Harford County SS.

On the 16th day of January 1873 then came William A Dorney and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any wills or Codicil of

Mary A. Dorney late of said County deceased other then the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the private papers of the Testatrix.

Sworn to in Open Court Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the 16th day of January 1873 then came C. W. Billingslea, William Billingslea, and Walter Harward subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary A. Dorney late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Noncupative Will of William H. Warden

In the matter of the Noncupative Will of William H. Warden deceased — In the Orphans Court of Harford County, January Term 1873

Among other proceedings the following was had in the matter of the Noncupative Will of William H. Warden late of Harford County deceased in the Orphans Court this 20th day of January 1873 appeared Nathaniel Bishop, Ferdman Green, and Thomas Forester and being duly qualified by Oath deposeth and says. that they were present at the last sickness of William H. Warden late of Harford County deceased on the day of January 1873 at the Alms House of Harford County where he had been a resident for more than Ten days prior and before the making of this will that they heard him declare and desire that they should witness the following devise and bequest of his property to be his last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

I give devise and bequeath to Charles Worthington all my personal property absolutely, and at the time of the making of this will the said deceased to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding

In the matter of the Noncupative Will of William H. Warden deceased — In the Orphans Court for Harford County January Term 1873

After hearing the Testimony in

the above cause and being satisfied that the aforegoing should be set up as a Noncupative Will of the said William H. Warden deceased It is hereby Ordered by the Register of Wills for Harford County in the recess of the Orphans Court of said County this 23rd day of January 1873 that the above and aforegoing be and the same is hereby set up as the Noncupative Will of the said William H. Warden deceased

J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Evan Mitchell

In the name of God Amen, I. Evan Mitchell of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak of body and of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs before it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of of my Executor hereinafter named and after all my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows.

I give devise and bequeath to my Son Thomas Parker Mitchell the sum of one dollar and the sum of money whatever it may be due from my brother John Mitchell to me on his promissory note.

I give devise and bequeath to my Sons Evan Lewis Mitchell John S Mitchell and Morgan Mitchell, all my property, real personal and mixed share and share alike to them and their heirs in fee simple.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son Evan Lewis Mitchell to be sole Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me made heretofore ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Twenty second day of June in the year Eighteen hundred and Seventy two

Evan Mitchell (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Evan Mitchell as and for his last Will and Testament and in our presence who at his request in his presence and in presence of each other have hereunto set our hands as witnesses thereto.

John Mitchell Jr. George V. Mitchell. Henry Z. Silver

Harford County SS

On the 23rd day of January 1873 then came John Mitchell Jr. and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did not Know of any will or Codicil of Evan Mitchell late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of John Mitchell who received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 23rd day of January 1873 then came John Mitchell Jr. and George V. Mitchell two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Evan Mitchell late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Henry Z. Silver subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Mary Brown

In the name of God, Amen. I Mary Brown of Havre de Grace County of Harford and State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory & understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say

First and principally I commit my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named. I devise and bequeath as follows.

To my Children viz. Thomas, Anna, Patrick, Edward & Alice Brown a Certain double dwelling House in the Town of Havre de Grace Located on the S.W. Corner of Square No 278 on the lands of the Town of Havre de Grace which House was Conveyed to me by deed dated August 6th 1869 by Edward Brady said deed recorded in Liber W.H.T. No 4 folio 165 one of the Land Record Books of the Circuit Court for Harford County.

The said House to be the joint property of the said Children share and share alike, and the proceeds of the rents of the same after paying Ground rent Taxes & necessary repairs to be appropriated to the Education of said Children or placed annually at interest for their use at the discretion of my said executor. In case of the death of Either of said Children the distributive share of such deceased shall go equally to the surviving Share and Share alike on the coming of lawful age of the youngest of said surviving children the said property may be sold & the proceeds divided share and share alike equally among the surviving children

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved Husband Thomas Brown to be the Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, and Confirming the said Thomas Brown as the natural Guardian of said Children.

In witness whereof I hereto set my Hand and Seal this Seventeenth day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Seventy two

Witness P. F. Heath Mary her X mark Brown (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Mary Brown as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence and in the presence of each other We have hereto set our Hands and Seals as Witnesses hereto.

P. F. Heath Wm P. Martin M. Vandiver

Harford County SS.

On the 4th day of February 1873 then came Thomas Brown and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did not know of any Will or Codicil of Mary Brown late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 4th day of February 1873 then came William P. Martin and M. Vandiver two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary Brown late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with P. F. Heath subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Ann Kent

In the name of God Amen I Ann Kent of the County of Harford in the State of Maryland being in perfect health of body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named after my debt and funeral expenses are paid I devise and bequeath as follows

1st I give and bequeath to my Sister Elizabeth all the property which I now hold or that may come into my possession or due me after my death to use as she deems proper.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint James R. Kilgore to be my sole Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other be my last will and Testament

In witness whereof I hereto set my hand and seal this Tenth day of December in the A.D. 1872

Ann her X mark Kent (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by the above named Ann Kent as for her last Will and testament in our presents who at her request in her presence and in presence of each other hereto set our hands as witnesses hereto.

James R. Kilgore. Cyrus H. Posey. Grier B. Kents

Harford County S.S.

On the 24th day of January 1873 then came James R. Kilgore and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Ann Kent late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court, Test, J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co.

Harford County S.S.

On the 24th day of January 1873 then came James R. Kilgore Grier B. Kent and Cyrus H. Posey subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ann Kent late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound

and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court, Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co.

James Tate

In the name of God Amen I James Tate Sr of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being in good health and sound mind memory &c Considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and desirous of settling my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth, to be decently buried, and my Executor hereinafter named will pay my just debts, and funeral expenses of the which I devise and bequeath as follows Viz

First. I give and bequeath unto each of my daughters Nancy (or Ann) Margaret, Elizabeth, Ellen, and Mary the sum of Two Dollars ($2) each Current money

Secondly. I give and bequeath unto my Sons David and James each the sum of Two ($2) dollars current money

Thirdly I give and devise unto my daughter Martha, all my Real Estate with appurtenances to her the said Martha, and her heirs and assigns in fee simple

Fourthly I give and bequeath unto my daughter Martha all my personal property (after my debts and burial expenses are paid as before provided) And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friend Richard T. Bishop to be my sole Executor of this my last will and Testament. In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Twenty-first day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Sixty seven

James Tate (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by James Tate Sr the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

James P. Preston James England Richard T. Bishop

Harford County SS.

On the 22nd day of February 1873 then came Richard F. Bishop and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of James Tate late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 22nd day of February then came Richard F. Bishop one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of James Tate late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testator sign and seal this will, that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will, and Testament; that at the time of his sodoing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with James S. Preston & James England subscribed his name as witness to this will, in his presence, at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court, Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

John Judd Sen.r

I, John Judd of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding do make this my last ___ and Testament as follows.

I give and devise to my daughter Maria Louisa & to her heirs & assigns forever all that tract or parcel of land being part of "Wheelers & Clarkes Contrivance" lying on the west side of the road leading from Bell Air to Conowingo Containing forty seven acres more or less being all the Land I own on that side.

I also give and bequeath to my above named daughter Maria Louisa all of my property personal and mixed of every description after the payment of my debts & funeral charges.

I hereby constitute & appoint John T. Richardson executor of this my last ___ & Testament with power and authority to sell and convey all that part of my land lying on the East side of the above named Road for the purpose of paying the mortgage on the Land devised above to my said daughter Maria Louisa and and should thus not be enough to satisfy that lien then & that case it must be paid out of the personal property

In witnesses whereof I have this hereto set my hand and seal this Twenty-eighth day of September Eighteen hundred and Seventy.

John Judd (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and published by the Testator John Judd as his last will & Testament in the presence of subscribers who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names hereto the day & date above named.

Leonard M. Wheeler John Ellett John T. Duff N. S. Greene

Harford County SS.

On the 14th day of February 1873 then came John S. Richardson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Judd late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of Leonard M. Wheeler, who had received the same from the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 22d day of February 1873 then came John Ellett and John T. Duff subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Judd late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Leonard M. Wheeler & N. S. Greene subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Thomas Miller

In the name of God, Amen I Thomas Miller of Harford County in State of Maryland being of sound mind memory and understanding do now make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following viz.

I will and bequeath unto my wife Hannah Miller all my Estate Real personal and mixed during the period of her natural life, and after the death of my said wife Hannah my said entire Estate to be equally divided between the following

named parties Vizt my four Daughters Jain Dorsey, Harriet Collins Margarit Mariah Miller, Rachel Louisa Miller, my two Sons Charles Wesley Miller, Jacob Henry Miller, and my Grandson Jeremiah Miller to them their heirs and assigns forever.

Intestimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this tenth day of June in the year Eighteen hundred and Seventy-two

Thomas Miller (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Thomas Miller the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses

R. S. McKendless, C. H. Walker, D. C. Duffel

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of August 1872 then came Henry J. Harlan and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or codicil of Thomas Miller late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of who conveyed the will from the Testator to him for safe keeping.

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 3rd day of March 1873 then came C. H. Walker and D. C. Duffel two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of Thomas Miller late of Harford County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with R. S. McKendless subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

William F. Bayless

In the name of God. Amen. I William F. Bayless of Harford County and State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, but feeble in health do make and declare this my last will and Testament, To wit.

First: I give and bequeath to my Son Saml. Martin Bayless in fee simple all my lots of ground in the Town of Havre De Grace deeded to me & wife by James Brooks & wife, and recorded among the Land Records of Harford County, also One, one Thousand dollar Bond of Harford County one five hundred dollar bond of the United States and five shares of Stock in the National Bank of Baltimore, and my gold watch [illegible]

I do further will to my Son Saml. Martin his heirs and assigns all the land I purchased from the Trego's and Rose together with as much of my home farm as would be South of and cut off, by a line commencing on the public Road from Harmony Church to Prospect school House, at a corner of a division fence, at the north east corner of the field opposite to and across the road from Joshua Stephens house, thence with said division fence or thereabout as would be most advantageous to both parts of my home farm, untill it intersects the first cross fence, thence from there a straight line to the lower or north bars of the field called (the new ground) being the least of the two fields in corn in 1872, thence to a point on my private road (leading from my residence to the outside gate in the woods) about midway between the edge of the woods and said outside Gate thence by and with said private road to a black oak tree standing near said gate and one of the boundaries of my land, subject to upon the following conditions Viz

1st It is my desire and wish that my Saml. Martin Bayless remain with my wife and family to superintend and farm all my lands as it has been done for the last year or more without any division until my Son John D. Bayless is twenty one years old, or whilst it is satisfactory to my wife, and my said Saml. Martin but it is my will that whenever my said Son Saml. Martin shall desire to take and occupy the aforementioned bequest of land Then my Wife Sarah E Bayless and to my Son Saml. Martin shall select three or five disinterested farmers, residents and landholders in this County, who shall establish the division line as heretofore directed and put a reasonable valuation on each portion of my lands and after ascertaining the whole value of all my land or real estate excepting the lots heretofore mentioned in the Town of Havre De Grace shall deduct one Sixth of the whole value as his the said Saml. Martin's Share (over and above the said lots in Havre De Grace) of my real estate, From the estimated value

of that part and parcels of Land, heretofore mentioned as bequeathed to my Son Saml. Martin his heirs and assigns and ascertain the difference or balance which difference or balance shall be accounted for and paid by him the said Saml. Martin as follows.
He shall pay annually commencing from the time of the valuation and division to my wife Sarah E Bayless the legal interest on said difference for the maintenance of the family during her natural life and at her death pay the principle and whatever interest is due thereon to my other children as hereinafter directed to go into the general distribution after the death of my wife.

2 only I will and direct that my Son William H. Bayless be furnished with necessary funds out of the revenue of my estate to complete his Collegiate education and obtain a profession and be charged with three hundred and fifty dollars a year, from the time he entered the College he is attending untill the present Collegiate year expires and from that time to be charged with whatever he is furnished with for the purposes above mentioned to be taken out of his Share of the Estate at the death of my wife.

3rd I will and direct that when my Son John [illegible] Bayless is Twenty one years old he shall have furnished him out of the revenue of my Estate one Hundred and fifty dollars to be invested in a gold Watch

4th I give and bequeath to my wife Sarah E Bayless all the residue of my Estate of whatsoever kind real personal and mixed during her natural life and at her death together with what may be due as specified heretofore from my Son Saml. Martin to be equally divided between my children William H Bayless, John Q Bayless Mary E Bayless, Dettie M Bayless, and Jo Jane Bayless share and share alike excepting my son William H Bayless who is to be charged at the general distribution after the death of my wife Sarah E Bayless with the amounts heretofore directed in this my Will

5th It is my wish and desire that my son John Q Bayless should should take that portion of my land situated on the north side of the aforementioned division line and on which is my dwelling and other buildings at the death of my wife Sarah at a reasonable valuation and pay or account to the other children interested in said part their proportion

6th I do make and appoint my Son Saml. Martin Bayless Executor of this my last will and Testament. In testimony thereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this fourteenth day of February 1872

Wm. F. Bayless (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and published by William F. Bayless the testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm. Silver Jacob Briney Jno A Silver

Harford County SS.

On the 12th day of March 1873 then came John A Silver and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of William F Bayless late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court, Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 12th day of March 1873 then came William Silver Jacob Briney and John A. Silver subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of William F. Bayless late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court. Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

James Foley

In the name of God Amen I James Foley of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my Last Will and Testament.

I give devise and bequeath all of my Estate real personal and mixed to my Sister margaret Foley in fee simple

I do hereby constitute and appoint said Margaret Foley Executrix of this my last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and seal this ninth day of November 1872

James Foley (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Stevenson Archer, James F. Haviland, James T. Sullivan

Harford County SS.

On the 29th day of 1873 then came Margaret Foley and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of James Foley late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test. S. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 29th day of January 1873 then came James T. Sullivan and on the 18th day of March 1873 then came Stevenson Archer two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Will and Testament of James Foley late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with James F. Haviland subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test S. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Cassandra Gilbert

In name of God Amen I Cassandra Gilbert of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this instrument of writing as and for my Last Will and Testament

I give and bequeath to Cassandra Pree one hundred dollars

I give and bequeath to Juliana Gilbert one Hundred Dollars,

I give and bequeath to Eliza Gilbert and Fanny Gilbert daughters of Henry Gilbert the sum of fifty dollars each

I give and bequeath to Hester Ann Thompson One Hundred Dollars

I give devise and bequeath to Henrietta Russell fifty dollars

I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate and property Real personal and mixed to Eliza Stuart who now lives with me

I hereby constitute and appoint Stevenson Archer Executor of this my last will and Testament and hereby authorise and empower him to sell and dispose of all my Estate and property and execute such assignments and deeds as may be necessary to convey to the purchaser a good title to such as my said Executor shall sell and after the sale and receipt of the purchase money pay over the proceeds in accordance with the provisions set out in the aforegoing instrument.

I hereby revoke all former Wills heretofore made by me and declare this and none other to be my Last Will and Testament. Witness my hand and seal this Seventh day of January 1867. Cassander Gilbert (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named testatrix as and for her last Will and testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto set our names as witnesses thereto

Geo. S. VanWibber, R. Burns Duvall, Alex. M. Fulford,

Harford County SS.

On the 15th day of March 1873 then came Stevenson Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Cassandra Gilbert late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test. S. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 10th day of March 1873 then came George S. VanWibber and on the 15th then came Alexander M. Fulford two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Cassandra Gilbert late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the testatrix sign and seal this Will, that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with R. Burns Duvall subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test S. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Israel Allen

In the name of God Amen I Israel Allen of the Town of Havre De Grace in Harford County and State of Maryland being feeble in body but perfectly sound in mind and memory do hereby make publish and declare this to be my last will and testament

Item first I give my soul to God and my body to the grave

Item Second After my funeral expenses and the debts I owe are paid I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Allen the balance of all my Estate, both real and personal wherever and whatever except one fifth (1/5) which shall be equally divided between Thomas Allen Charles H Allen, Mary Carroll and the heirs of Joseph K Allen & Israel Allen deceased

Item, Third, I devise that my wife Mary Allen shall sell and dispose of, any property now in my possession, and which is hereby bequeathed that she may deem necessary, in order to pay the debts that I may owe, and the bequests as aforesaid to my children, Thomas Allen, Charles H Allen, Mary Carroll, and the heirs of Joseph K Allen & Israel Allen junior deceased.

Item Fourth (4th) I devise that at the death of my wife Mary Allen that of the property hereby bequeathed she shall give to my son Charles H. Allen One Thousand ($1000) Dollars and that the balance she may have thereafter shall be equally divided between the said Thomas Allen Charles H Allen, Mary Carroll and the heirs of Joseph K Allen and Israel Allen Junr. deceased.

Item Fifth I hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Mary Allen to be sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament

Witness my hand and seal this Twenty third (23rd) day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and sixty eight in presence of Thomas M Pacon, John H. Hedden & Joseph M. Rogers who have subscribed their names as witnesses of the same, and in the presence of each other.

Israel Allen (Seal)

Witnesses

Thomas M. Pacon, John H. Hedden, Joseph M. Rogers

Harford County, SS.

On the 26th day of September 1870 then came Charles Allen and made oath On the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Israel Allen, deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from among the private papers of the deceased

(Clerk of Harford County)

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. McCo

Harford County SS.

On the 19th day of March 1873 then came John H. Hedden one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Israel Allen late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will; that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with Thomas M. Pacon and Joseph M Rogers subscribed his name as witness to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. McCo

Samuel M. Bayless

I, Samuel M Bayless of Harford County Maryland being of sound mind & memory, but weak of body, considering the uncertainty of life and being desirous of having all my worldly affairs arranged, do make publish & declare this my last will and Testament.

1 I direct all my personal debts & funeral expenses to be paid out of my Estate

2 I give, devise, and bequeath to my wife Bettie Milton Bayless all my lands personal property of every kind, including United States Bonds and Bank Stocks, to be at her entire disposal during her life and at her death to be equally divided among children of my Brother William, in the event of any of his children dying before my wife & leaving children then their children shall inherit the part which would have been their parents.

3 I appoint my wife Bettie Milton Bayless the executrix of this my last will & testament

In witness hereunto I have this sixteenth day of March Eighteen hundred and seventy three set my hand and seal

S. M. Bayless (Seal)

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of Henry R Waters John Sappington, & George Bevard, who in the presence of each other and at the request of S. M. Bayless have hereunto set our names as witnesses on the above date

Henry R. Waters, John Sappington, George Bevard

Harford County SS

On the 24th day of March 1873 then came Bettie M Bayless and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that the

doth not know of any will or codicil of Samuel M Bayless late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that she received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County Sc.

On the 24th day of March 1872 then came Henry R Hatton John Taffington and George Leo and subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Samuel M Bayless late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court
Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

John H. Rutledge

I, John H. Rutledge of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this my last will and Testament

Whereas being desirous of disposing of my property equitably among my children at my decease, in the year 1866 I caused a survey to be made by John B Henderson Esq of the outlines of my farm as then in my possession and a division of the Tract into Seven Lots or parcels according to a certain plat and a certain description of the same by metes and bounds courses and distances, which said Henderson made for me and which are now in my possession which said Plat and said description of the same I have endorsed with my signature and make a part of this my will so far as the same is referred to in describing the several lots herein devised to my children respectively.

I Now therefore convey to my Son Patrick Henry a part of my Farm, being the same and all that lot of land mentioned and described on the said Henderson plat and description as Lot No 5 except a part thereof which I sold to Zachariah Amos, on which said Tract I hold a mortge from my said Son of Two thousand dollars but but having had the use of said Land I release my said Son from all interest on said Mortgage.

Item I give and devise to my Son John Randolph in fee simple all that tract of land containing one hundred and fourteen and three fourth acres more or less being a part of the Land on which I now reside, and including my Dwelling House, and being the same Tract of Land which is described on the said Henderson Plat and description as "Lot No 1" being the Mansion House Lot" with a right of way from said last mentioned Lot over the lane as now used leading to the Public Road running from the Upper Rock to Slade's Tavern and with a right of way over the Lane as now used leading to the Limekiln The said Lot to be subject to a charge thereon of Five hundred dollars to be paid by my Son John Randolph to my executors for the uses hereinafter mentioned, I also give to my said Son John Randolph all my farming Implements and Stock together with the growing crops.

Item I give and devise to my Son Charles Abram in fee simple all that tract of Land containing Eighty seven acres more or less and being part of the Farm whereon I now reside, and which together with the Tract I heretofore conveyed to him contains One Hundred and thirty-three acres more or less and being the same Tract of land which is described on the said Henderson Plat and description as "Lot No 3" except the part which I have heretofore conveyed to him of said "Lot No 3" said last mentioned Tract of Eighty seven acres to be subject to a charge thereon of One Thousand Dollars to be paid to my Executors for the uses hereinafter mentioned.

I also give and devise to my said Son Charles Abram in fee simple all that Tract of land containing Twelve and a half acres more or less part of my present farm, which is laid down and described on said Henderson Plat and description as "Hood Lot" with a right of way from said last mentioned Lot to the Baltimore Road as laid down and described in said Plat and description.

Item I give and devise to my Daughters Martha Jane, and Mary Cornelia, to hold as Tenants in common, in fee simple, all that tract of land containing One hundred and Sixty five and a half acres more or less and being part of the Farm and Land whereon I now reside and which is laid down and described in said Henderson's Plat & description as "Lot No 4". I also give and devise to my said daughter Mary Cornelia one Colt (out of my Sallie mare)

Item I give and devise to my Daughter Monica Ann in fee simple all that Tract of Land containing one hundred and Twenty two and a half acres more or less being a part of the Farm whereon I now reside, and being the same Tract of Land laid down and described in the said Henderson Plat and description as "Lot No 2".

I also devise and bequeath to my said Daughter Monica Ann all the Stands of Bees on the Farm.

Item. I give and devise to my Daughter Henrietta Matilda in fee simple, all that Tract of Land containing One Hundred and Twenty five and three and three fourth acres more or less being a part of the Farm whereon I now reside, and being the same Tract or parcel of Land laid down and described in said Henderson Plat and description as "Lot No 6" with a right of way from last mentioned lot across "Lot No 1" (devised to my son John) thence over the same as now used to the Baltimore Road said right of way being laid down down and described in said Plat and description.

Item I give and devise to my beloved wife Julia Ann all my Household and Kitchen furniture also two Cows to be in lieu of her dower in my personality but not to affect her dower in my Realty.

Item I authorize and Empower my Executors to sell and Convey all that Lot of Land containing one and three quarter acres more or less and known as the School House lot lying in the forks of the road near John Hilt's and bounded by the Lands of my Son Charles Abram "Lot No 3" and the Lands of Jno Hilt & aforesaid said School House Lot being a part of my present farm and Tract of Land but not included in the Henderson Plat and Survey

I direct my Executors that they shall with the fund arising from the sale of the School House Lot The Two Thousand dollars due on a Mortgage from my Son Patrick Henry, The five hundred dollars charged on the Lot devised to my Son John Randolph and the One Thousand dollars charged on the Land devised to my Son Charles Abram pay all my just debts, and should any ballance remain of said fund after the payment of the said debts, I devise and bequeath the said ballance so remaining to my Daughters Martha Jane and Mary Cornelia, to equally divided between them, Should the ballance of said fund remaining after the payment of my debts exceed the sum of One thousand Dollars, then my will is that the excess over and above the one thousand dollars be equally divided between my wife and my daughters Henrietta and Monica.

I give and devise to my Son John Randolph all the rest and residue of my Property Real personal and mixed.

I hereby Constitute and appoint my Sons John Randolph and Charles Abram, joint Executors of this my last will and Testament

In witness whereof I have hereunto signed my hand and affixed my seal on the Eighth day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-three

John H. Rutledge (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published, and declared by the said Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence each Each other have signed our names as witnesses thereto

James H. Tolley Joshua F. Scruff Dennis F. Standiford

Harford County Sc.

On the 17th day of March 1873 then came Patrick H. Rutledge and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of John H. Rutledge late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County Sc.

On the 17th day of March 1873 then came James H. Tolley Joshua H. Scruff and Dennis Standiford subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John H. Rutledge late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

The Courses and distances of the outlines of the Farm of Col John H. Rutledge according to the boundaries as shown to me, lying in Harford County, containing the following Tracts or parts of tracts or Parcels of Land Contiguous to each other To wit

"Good Will Purchased again" "A Better Luck" "Rutledge's Outlet" "Chance's Neglect" "Amos Chance" "Salisbury" "Fox Hills" "Amos's Outlet" "Brown's Lot" "James Care" "Wood Lot" "Og King of Bashan" and "Hatters Hope" all in one survey with the divisions of the same into seven Lots as well surveyed and divided April 1856. The outlines Beginning at a stone on the South side of the Public Road leading from the Crop Roads passing through said "Farm" to "Slades" Old Tavern stand said stone said to have been set up by Commission the original Beginning also of said "Good will Purchased again" and of "Wood Lot"

and runs thence as follows to wit: N. 49° E. 28¾ perches to a corner of said farm laid off for a School House lot, but now excluded; then with said Lot four courses, to wit: N. 75° E 9 4/10 pers. N. 86° E 18 pers to the Baltimore Road & with it N. 41¼° W. 14 pers. S 52° W. 2 7/10 pers to the Beginning of Jno Riddle's lot then up said Road N. 64° W. 6 pers to the Road passing James Barnard's dwelling and with this Road, two courses to wit N. 74° E 20 pers N. 84° E 44 4 pers, then with said Barnard's Land three courses to wit: S 47¼° E 20 8/10 pers N 88° E 46 4 pers (crossing a stream) N 45¼ W. 20 pers to the last named Road aforesaid & with it two courses, to wit: N. 55° E 10 pers N. 57½° E 62 1/10 pers then with the Land of the late C. W. Hitchcock the twelve following courses to wit: S 71° E 52 pers, N 55° E 9 pers, S. 68° E 50 6/10 pers to a stone N. 56° E 36 pers. N. 40½° E 41½ pers to a stone N 46° E 19 7/10 pers to a stone S. 69¼° E 10¾ pers to a stone in a bottom, N. 83° E 7⅓ pers to a poplar N. 46° E 15 pers to a place within about one perch of the Western prong of "Winters Run" S 86° E 9 pers. S 16½° E 13 pers. S 63½° E 28½ pers to a stone a boundary of James Amos's land, and then with said land S. 21½° E 50 6/10 pers to a stone S 38½° (reversely it is 40°) W. 63 4/10 pers to a stone S 61½° E 88 6/10 pers to a stone of P. Riddle's Land; then with his two courses to wit: South 1 4/10 pers S. 35° E 16 8/10 pers to a poplar a boundary of Robt Amos's land and with said land S. 46° E 67 1/10 pers S 20½° E 8 pers to a stone, S 15° W. 9 pers; S 59¼° E 8 3/10 pers N. 39° E 10 pers, N 62¾° E 14 pers to a stone S 48½° E 65 pers S 72° E 4 pers, S 56½° E 27 7/10 pers to a stone S 44½° E 44 7/10 pers to a stone on the side of the Road leading from Damesville to the "Upper Cross Roads" not far from R. Amos's dwelling: then with said Road (from Damesville) five courses, to wit: S 27½° W. 10 pers, S 69½° W. 7 pers, S 76½° W. 14 pers S 67½° W. 26 pers, S 19¼° W. 55 pers then land S 71½ W. 182 1/10 pers to a stone marked I. C. No. 5 then N 32½° E 49½ pers to a stone, then with P. Quillin's land N. 62° W. 72 pers to a stone S 28° W. 29½ pers to a stone S 17° W. 8 pers to a stone, S 38½° W. 76 pers to the centre of the Public Road leading from the "Upper Cross Roads" to "Slade's Tavern" as aforesaid near a Chestnut tree then with said Road, one course, to wit: N. 60 W. 31 pers; then S 46½° W. 47 pers to an apple tree: then with what is said to be the original giving line of said "Good Will Purchased again" N. 52 W. 14¼ pers then N. 32° W. 174 pers to the beginning aforesaid Containing Eight hundred and twenty two more or less.

Divisions of the aforegoing into Lots

Lot No. 1. or the Mansion House Lot. Begins in the center of the stream which crosses the lane leading to and from the Mansion House & in the centre also of said lane & bounding thereon and partly on "Lot No 3" one course to wit S 55¼° W. 9 pers to a fence; then with "Lot No 4" two courses to wit; S 46° E 91 pers to a place bearing N 57 E distant 4/10 of a

perch from a Chestnut; then N 35° E 31 pers to a boundary of "Lot No 6" beyond the stream aforesaid called "Rutledge's Branch" said corner bearing S 69° E 1 6/10 pers from a large poplar: then with No 6 aforesaid three courses, to wit: N 28° E 59 pers, to a grafted cherry tree; N. 25° E 48 pers to two pines N. 27° E 82 pers to the large stone at the beginning of the S. 61½° E 88 6/10 pers line of the original; then crossing the original the courses, to wit N. 39° E 52 4/10 pers to a stone; N 21½ W. 30 6/10 pers to a stone N. 63½ W. 28½ pers to the beginning of "Wood Lot" then with said Lot two courses; to wit; S 27 W 90 pers to a stone; N 63° W 21 to a place on a line of "Lot No 2" then with said No 2 seven courses to wit S 27 W 39 pers. N 89° W. 7 pers to a stone, S 31° W. 34 pers to a cedar bounded S 37¼° W 19 pers to a place near the lime Kiln, thence down the center of the lane S. 21¼° W. 54 pers S 73° W 6 pers then S 52° W 20 pers to the beginning for one hundred and fourteen acres and three quarters more or less

The Wood Lot aforesaid is to have for a Road the use of a strip of land two perches in width, on said "Lot No 1" beginning at the end of the N. 63° W. 21 pers line aforesaid, thereof, & running with the aforesaid outlines of "Lot No 1" until it strikes the lane near the Lime Kiln as aforesaid & thence with said lane down to to the lane which leads from the Mansion House at the Public Road from the Upper Cross Roads to Slade's Old Tavern Stand And Lot No 6 is to have the benefit of a Road, on or near where it now is across said Lot No 1, among the pines, out to the lane near the Lime Kiln thence down the lane, and out to the Public Road as aforesaid

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Lot No. 2. Begins at No 1. at the center of the stream in the center of the lane and runs with No 3 reversely, two courses, to wit N. 46½ W. 19 pers to a small cherry tree: west of said stream; N. 4½ W. 2½ pers to the East side of do N. 50½ W. 30 pers to the west bank of another stream; N. 7° E 9½ pers to the East side of the first named stream then up do. as follows to wit N. 42° W. 26 pers N. 53¼° W. 8 pers, N. 70° W 9 4/10 pers N. 89° W 8½ pers N 80° W 19 pers N. 18½° W. 76 pers to a small Chestnut tree on the N 53° E 40¼ pers of the whole & of S Barnard's Land & at two perches & a half from the beg. of said line then with said line N 63° E 27¾ pers to the end thereof, thence with and bounding on the original, to the end of the N. 83° E 7⅙ pers line thereof, to a bounded poplar thence with the "Wood Lot" reversely one course to wit S 27 W. 83 1/10 pers to "Lot No 1" therewith seven courses to wit S 27° W. 39 pers N. 89° W 7 pers to a stone S 31° W. 34 pers to a cedar, bounded S 37¼° W 19 pers. S 21½ W. 54 pers (down the lane) S 73° W. 6 pers & then S 52° W 20 pers to the beginning for one hundred and twenty two acres & a half more or less.

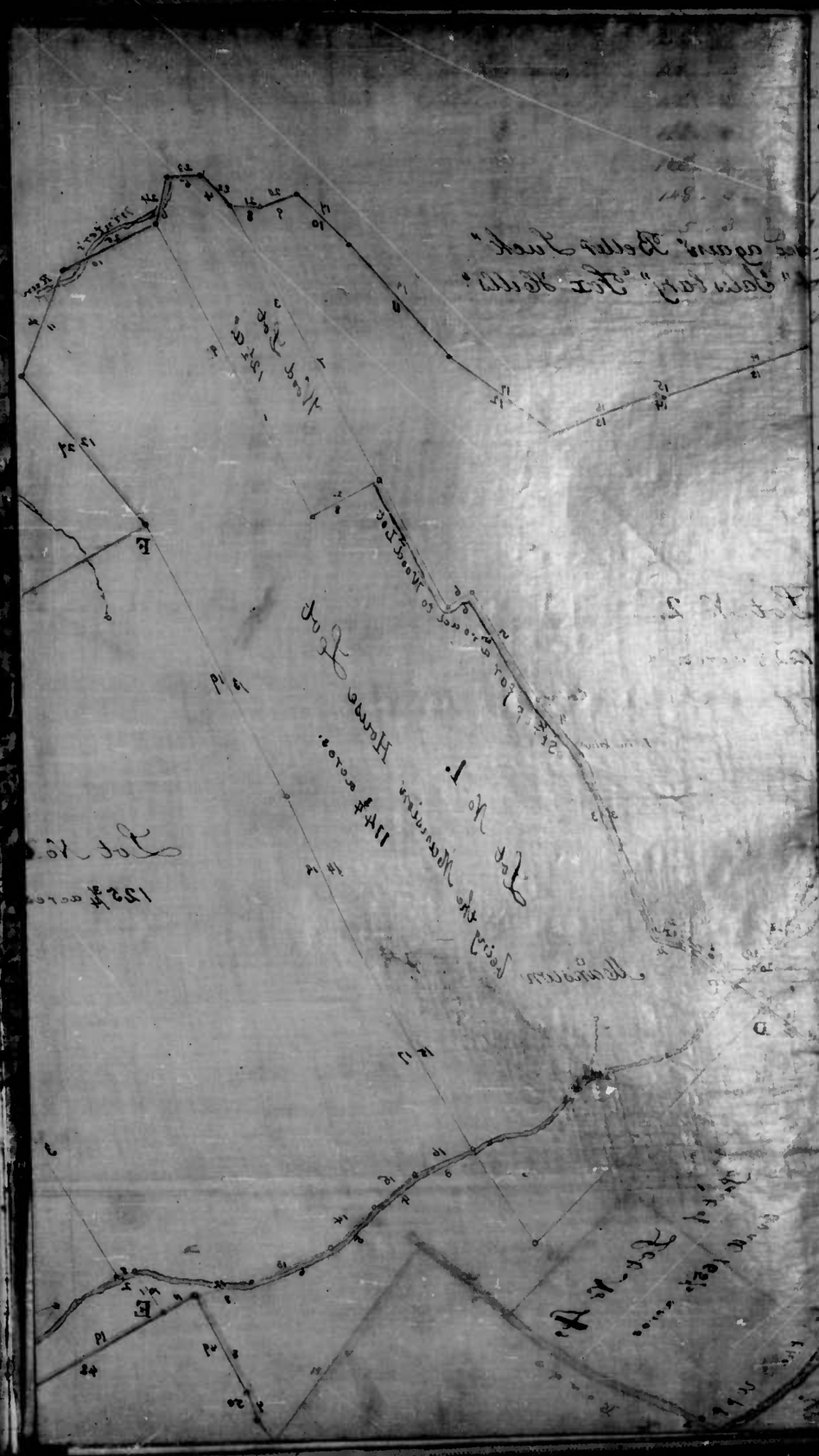
Lot No 3. Begins at the Stone, at the beginning of

the whole, on which it bounds until the end of two perches and also on the N. 58° E 44½ pes line thereof, at a chestnut tree (bounded) a boundary also of "Lot No. 2" then reversing said Lot and running down the stream, or nearly so, ten courses to wit S 18½° E 7½ pes S 80° E 19 pes S 69° E 8½ pes, S 70° E 9½ pes S 58¼° E 8 pes S 42° E 26 pes then crossing the branch S 47° W 9½ pes to the west side of another Stream S. 50½° E 30 pes to the East side of the first (Rutledge's) stream S 4½° E 2½ pes to near a marked Cherry tree S 16½° E 19 pes to the centre of said Stream in the center of the lane leading from the mansion House to the Public Road aforesaid the Beginning also of "Lots No. 1 & 2" then S. 52¼ W 9 pes to a corner of "Lot No. 4" & with it reversely three courses to wit S 52¼ W 65 pes to the Public Road aforesaid then with it N. 60° W 17 pes then S 45° W. 90 pes to intersect the N 54° W 174 pes line of the whole & with said line N. 54° W. 18 pes to the beginning for One Hundred & thirty three acres more or less.

Lot No. 4 Begins in the lane from the mansion House to the Public Road aforesaid at a place bearing S 52¼ W 9 pes from where the center of the stream crosses the center of said lane, round with "Lot No. 1" two courses, to wit S 46° E 91 pes N. 53° E 81 pes to near (1½ pes from) a large poplar, a boundary of "Lot No. 6" on which it bounds reversely along the North Side of the said Stream S 69½ E 18 pes; S 57° E 14 pes; S 46½° E 15 7/10 pes to a double (white) Oak S 68° E 22 pes crossing said stream; S. 78½° E 17½ pes to a stone at the end of the N. 62 W. 72 pes line of the whole; then bounding on the outlines to the stone at the beg.ng of the N. 54° W 174 pes line thereof; then with said line N. 54° W 56 pes to "Lot No. 3" & it reversely N. 45° E 90 pes to the Public Road aforesaid; and down it S 60° E 17 pes to a place opposite the mouth of the lane leading to the "Mansion House" & with said lane N. 52¼° E 65 pes to the beginning for one hundred and Sixty five acres and a half, more or less.

Lot No. 5 Begins near a hickory eight perches & three quarters from the end of the N. 62 W. 72 pes line of the whole farm being being on said line a boundary also of "Lot No. 6" on which it bounds reversely, four courses to wit N. 57½° E 14 7/10 pes to a gum, on the north side of "Rutledge's" Branch S 76° E 8 pes to an apple tree N. 51° E 70 pes N. 55° E 70 6/10 pes to the end of the S 15° W. 9 pes line of the whole farm thence with the outlines, round to the place of beginning for one hundred and forty eight acres more or less.

Lot No. 6 Begins at a bounded Stone at the end of the S 28½° W. 52 4/10 pes line of the whole, and bounds on the outlines thereof S. 61½° E 88 6/10 pes & then therewith until the end of the S 15° W 9 pes line then with "Lot No. 5" reversely Four Courses to wit; S 55° W. 75 6/10 pes



A Plot
Of the Lands of Col. J. W. Rutledge;
being parts of the following tracts, to wit; "Good Will purchased again" "Rutledge's Outlet" "Chocke's Neglect" "Amos's Outlet" "Salisbury" "Amos's Chance"; "Brown's Lot" or "James's Care;" "Og King of Bashan" & "Walter's Hope;"
With the improvements & Divisions.
Surveyed April 1856 & Plotted
July 1857
By J. B. Henderson.
Road leading to the Baptist Church
Mr. Bernard's Land
Lot No 2.
122½ acres.
Lot No 3.
133 acres, in all.
Great Public Road leading to the Upper
Lane leading to the Mansion
Part of Lot No 3
Part of Lot No 4
Original giving line of "Good Will purchased again"
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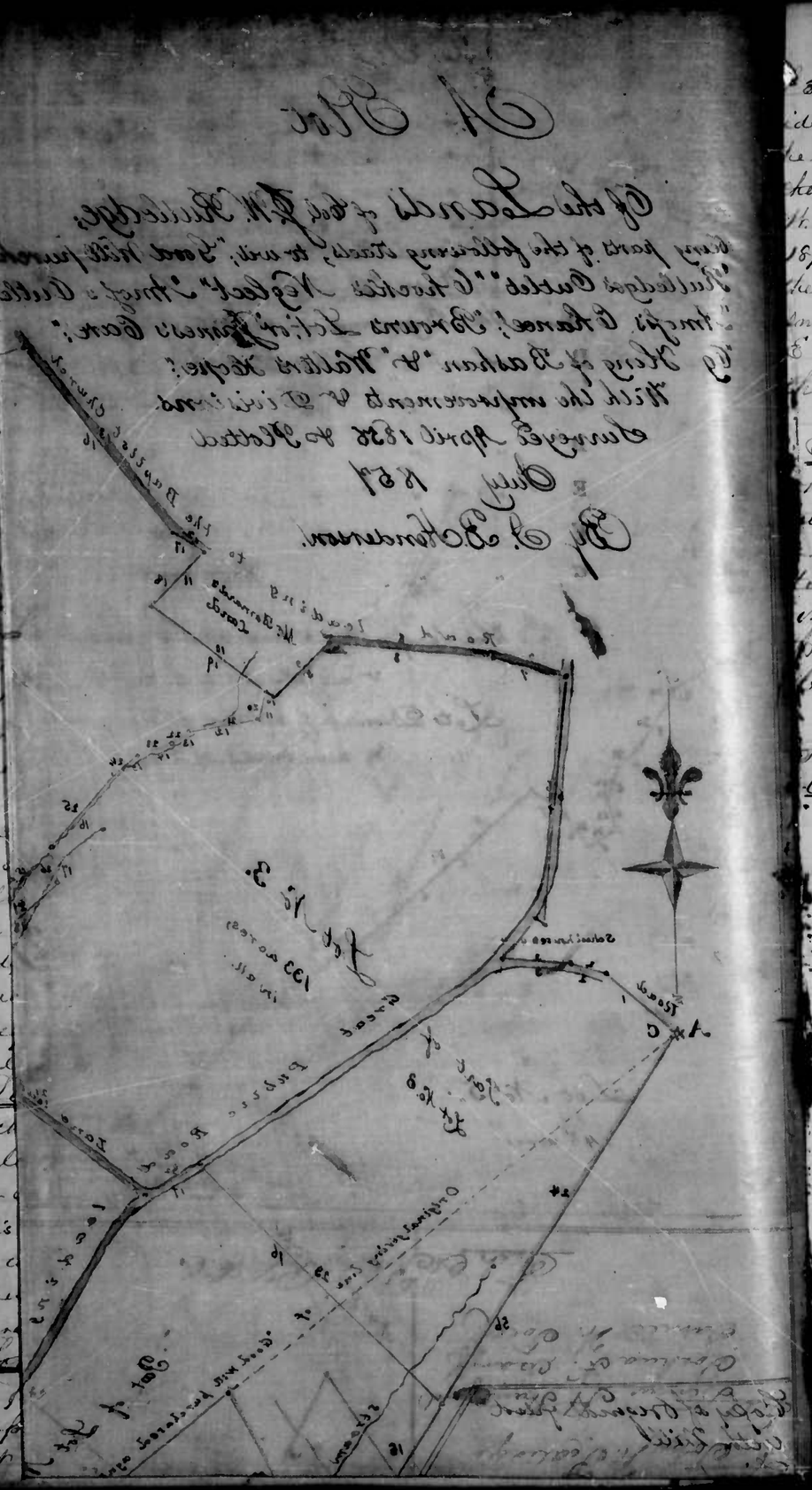

31° W 72 prs to an apple Tree; N. 76° W. 5 prs to a gum on the North side of the Stream, S 37½° W 14 2/10 prs to intersect an outline near a hickory the beg.ⁿ of "Lot No 5" then with said line N 62° W 8 3/4 prs to a stone then with "Lot No 4" reversely, six courses to wit N 78½ W 17½ prs N. 68 W. 22 prs to a double white Oak N. 46½° W. 15 2/10 prs N. 51° W. 14 prs N. 69½° W 18 prs to a place bearing 69¼° E 1 8/10 prs from a large Pepper, north of the stream then with "Lot No 1" three courses to wit N 28° E 59 prs to a small grafted Cherry tree N. 25° E 48 prs to two pines and then N 27° E 82 prs to the beginning for One hundred and twenty five acres and three quarters, more or less.

The Wood Lot Begins at the end of the 16½° E 1 3/4 prs line of the whole farm, a boundary of the "mansion House Lot" on which it bounds two courses, to wit: S 27 W. 90 prs to a Stone N. 63° W. 21 prs to a place on a line of "Lot No 2" with it reversely, one course to wit N. 27° E 83 3/4 prs to a poplar at the end of the N. 83° E 7½ prs line of the whole, on which it bounds as follows to wit N. 46° E 12 prs to a place near the Western Prong of Winters Run S 86° E 9 prs and then S 16½° E 13 prs to the beginning for twelve acres and a half, more or less

Harford County December 12th Eighteen hundred and fifty

J. B. Henderson

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Endorsed. John W. Rutledge. Witnesses James W. Tolley
Joshua K. Scarff
Dennis K. Standiford

Fanny Farnandis

I Fanny Farnandis of Harford County do make this my last Will.

I give and bequeath to my dear brother James Farnandis all bonds stocks and securities in his possession representing representing money by him for me Of the five thousand dollars due me by my brother Richard C Tilghman for purchase money of Land sold to him I give to my brother William C Tilghman Henry C Tilghman James C. Tilghman and John C Tilghman and to my niece Martha E. Purnell each one Thousand Dollars to be paid by my brother Richard C. Tilghman when convenient to him and until the principal shall be so paid he is to pay to each of said legatees the interest on his or her legacy as above annually from the time of my death

I give and devise to my Brother Richard C Tilghman the Land in Queen Anns County now rented by him and which is charged by the will of my Mother with an annuity of one hundred dollars in favor of my niece Fanny A Tilghman subject to said annuity

I give and bequeath to my niece Sally C Tilghman my Camden and Amboy Rail Road Stock.

To my niece Fanny Tilghman daughter of my brother Henry I give and bequeath Five hundred Dollars and to my niece Mary Tilghman I give and bequeath Five hundred Dollars.

All the rest and residue of my Estate I give bequeath and devise to my niece Martha E Purnell in regard to which she will find a letter of instruction addressed to her with my will

I appoint my Brother H. D. Farnandis executor of this my will

In testimony thereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed my seal third day of August Eighteen hundred and Sixty-nine

Fanny Farnandis (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published as her last will by Fanny Farnandis in presence of us who in the presence of each other and of the said testatrix and at her request have signed our names hereto as subscribing

Thos. H. Hall, Edward H. Hall, T. J. Tydings

Harford County S.S.

On the 31st day of March 1873 then came Henry D. Farnandis and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Fanny Farnandis late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of James Farnandis who received the same from the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 1st day of April 1873 then came T. J. Tydings and Edward H. Hall and on the 2d day of April came Thomas H. Hall subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament, Fanny Farnandis late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Madera Graves

I Madera Graves of Harford County County State of Maryland being of sound and disposing mind make and publish this my last Will and Testament. I give unto Sim Paca the Store that I have in my room at present. I give unto Emeline Graves my daughter Twenty dollars. I give unto Hannah King a like sum of Twenty dollars I give unto Charlotte Bishop whatever amount may be due me from Wesley Bishop her husband, After the payment of the above named legacies and the payment of my funeral expenses I direct that all the balance of my money goods and chattels be equally divided among my daughters Mary Jane Biddle my Sister Francis Hoffe, and my acknowledged son Alex Holliday. I name as Executor David J. Wilson

In testimony whereof I have hereunto made my mark and set my seal this thirtieth (30th) day of March 1873

Madera his X mark Graves (Seal)

Signed sealed and published by Madera Graves the testator in our presence who at his request and in his presence have written our names as witnesses the day and year above mentioned

William A. McConnel. Thomas H Hall.

Harford County S.S.

On the 8th day of April 1873 then came Thomas H Hall and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Madera Graves late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 8th day of April 1873 then came Thomas W. Hall one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Madera Graves late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will that he heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with William H. McComas subscribed his name as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test S. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Sophia S. Hall

I Sophia S. Hall of Harford County in the State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last will and Testament, this tenth day of February, in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seventy-three, That is to say.

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth and after the payment of my funeral expenses and any just debts I may owe, I give and bequeath as follows.

1st To Mrs Sally S. Patterson, widow of the late William S. Patterson of Harford County, State of Maryland I give and bequeath the sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars.

2nd To Mrs Priscilla Hall Widow of the late John Sidney Hall of County and State aforesaid, I give and bequeath the sum of Three hundred and fifty Dollars

3rd To Mrs Fanny Pelsey wife of George Pelsey of County and State aforesaid, I give and bequeath the sum of Two hundred dollars and my Carpet, Stove, Wardrobe, and bed and bedstead which I am now using in my Chamber.

4th I give and bequeath and devise to Ida V. Lemmon, Alice Lemmon and Mary Lemmon, daughters of Josias Lemmon of Baltimore City, their heirs executors, and assigns forever all the rest and residue of my Estate which I may be possessed of or entitled to at the time of my death.

6th I hereby constitute and appoint the aforesaid Josias H. Lemmon the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, and hereby revoke any and all former Wills by me heretofore at any time made declaring this and none other to be my testament and last Will.

In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my Seal this tenth day of February in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Seventy three.

Sophia S. Hall (Seal).

Signed Sealed, published and declared by the above named testatrix as and for her Testament and last Will, in the presence of us, who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto this 10th day of February in the year Eighteen hundred and Seventy three

John Jay Mary Jane Hopkins Mary E. E. Jay

Harford County S.S.

On the 30th day of April 1873 then came Otho S. Lee and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he does not know of any will or Codicil of Sophia S. Hall late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of Sally Patterson who said the same for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court Test S. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 30th day of April 1873 then came John Jay and Mary E. E. Jay two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sophia S. Hall late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will, that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Mary Jane Hopkins subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test S. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Elizabeth S. Martin's Last Will and Testament. (Copy)

In the name of God Amen I Elizabeth S. Martin of Baltimore City in the State of Maryland, being of sound, mind memory and understanding do make and publish this my last will and Testament.

I give and devise unto my dearly beloved Husband Lewis Martin all that farm situated in Harford County in the State of Maryland which was conveyed to me by deed from Alexander Smith dated the Twenty-sixth day of January in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty-five Containing One hundred and Twenty acres and one Half acres more or less to him the said Lewis Martin his heirs and assigns in fee simple

I devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personal to my dearly beloved Husband Lewis Martin.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my dear Husband Lewis Martin sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament, revoking all former wills and confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal this Thirty first day of January in the year of Lord Eighteen hundred and sixty-five

Elizabeth S. Martin (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Elizabeth S. Martin the above named Testatrix, as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who at her request and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto

John Gootee John Myers Wm Myers

Baltimore City SS.

On the 8th day of April 1873 came Lewis Martin and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Elizabeth S. Martin late of said City, deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing and that he received the same from the Testatrix at the time of its execution and has since retained possession of it That the Testatrix departed this life on the 14th day of March 1873

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. Harman Brown R. W. Balto City

Baltimore City SS.

On the 8th day of April 1873 came John Myers one of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth S. Martin late of said City deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that he heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension, of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with George S. Gootee and William Myers, the other two subscribing witnesses thereto subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence, at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. Harman Brown
R. W. Balto City

Baltimore City SS.

On the 8th day of April 1873 came John Myers, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he was acquainted with George S. Gootee (now deceased) one of the subscribing Witnesses

to the last Will and Testament of Elizabeth S. Martin, late of said City deceased, and with his hand writing and signature and that the signature of "George S. Gootee" as a Witness to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of the said Elizabeth S. Martin, is the true and genuine signature of the said George A Gootee

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J Harman Brown R. W. Baltimore City

Baltimore City SS.

On the 11th day of April 1873 came William Myers one of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Elizabeth S. Martin late of said City deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that he heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was, to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he together with John Myers and George S. Gootee, the other two subscribing Witnesses thereto subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence, at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to before the subscriber J. Harman Brown
Register of Wills of Baltimore City

In Baltimore City Orphans' Court

The Court, after having carefully examined the above last Will and Testament of Elizabeth S. Martin late of Baltimore City deceased and also the evidence adduced as to its validity, Orders and Decrees this Eleventh day of April 1873 that the same be admitted in this Court as the true and genuine last Will and Testament of the said Elizabeth S. Martin deceased.

Geo Wm Bishop
Polivar D. Daniels
G. W. Lindsay

In testimony that the aforegoing is a true Copy taken from the Original filed and remaining in the Office of the Register of wills for Baltimore City

I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of my Office this 30th day of April Eighteen hundred and Seventy three

Seal

Test J. Harman Brown
Register of Wills for
Baltimore City

Joseph Miller

I Joseph Miller of Harford County in the State of Maryland being in health of body, and sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. that is to say.

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid, and my wife's portion taken out I devise & bequeath as follows

It is my will that my wife Ailey E Miller shall have one Third of the products of my farm and be at her disposal – One thousand ($1000) dollars is to be applied to the building of a house on Lot No 2 (I having divided my land into two tracts called No. 1 and No 2) said $1000. is to be raised out of the personal effects, or any money owing my Estate, The rest and residue of the personal Effects shall be here during life and at her disposal at death

Item I give and devise to David A. Miller (my Grandson) a part of my plantation whereon I now dwell known by the name of "Little Worth" "More Trouble than worth" "Wiley's Cove" "Millers Addition" said Plat and survey Containing Courses and distances, and can be found among my papers Containing One hundred and Forty acres and Forty one perch of land more or less to him the said David A. Miller and his heirs and assigns in fee simple

Item I give and bequeath unto Elizabeth J. Welch (wife of George Welch) my Grand daughter a part of the home tract of land, on the Northwestern boundary known by the name of "Sullons Neighbour Enlarged" "Little Worth" "Millers Addition" and "Wiley's Cove" said Plat and survey containing Courses and distances and can be found among my papers containing ninety-six acres and Sixty-nine perch more or less to her the said Elizabeth J. Welch and her heirs & assigns in fee simple

And lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint George Welch to be sole Executor of this my last will and Testament revoking annulling all for wills by me heretofore made ratifying and Confirming this and none other to be my last Will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this first day of February 1878

Joseph Miller (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named Joseph Miller as and for his last Will and Testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereto set our hands as witnesses hereto

John H. Kirkwood, William Robinson, George N. Wiley, James H. Kirkwood

Harford County SS

On the 27th day of May 1878 then came John H. Kirkwood and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Joseph Miller late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. P. Ely R. H. E. Co

Harford County SS

On the 27th day of May 1878 then came John H. Kirkwood George N. Wiley and James H. Kirkwood subscribing Witnesses to the ofregoing last Will and Testament of Joseph Miller late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and that they together with William Robinson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. P. Ely R. H. E. Co.

Rosanna Slade

I Rosanna Slade of Harford County State of Maryland do think proper to make this my last will and Testament in manner and form as follows.

Item I will & bequeath to my Nephew Thadeus F. Gilbert Twenty five dollars, one Large Looking Glass and set of Bed Curtains.

Item. I will and bequeath to John H Gilbert the sum of Ten Dollars

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Camilla A. Mitchell the sum of One Hundred dollars and my wearing apparel and that she shall give what of it she thinks Suitable to Negro Sarah

Item I will and bequeath to my Niece Laura C Mitchell the sum of Ten Dollars and my Bridle Saddle, Cover and Carpet Bag.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Amanda S. Mitchell the sum of Ten Dollars my wash Stand Bowl & Pitcher.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Sarah A. Mitchell Ten Dollars one Gilt Rocking Chair.

I will and bequeath to my nephew Alfred S. Tipton my Bed Bedding & Stead and one half dozen Silver Tea Spoons

I will I will and bequeath to my nephew John S. Tipton one Cow.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Amanda E Tipton, Two large flowered dishes one Dozen Knives and forks, set of China and Bureau.

Item I will and bequeath to my nephew Charles B Tipton the sum of Twenty dollars.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Rosanna Tipton the sum of Fifty Dollars.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Laura M Gilbert one Calico Quilt.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Anna Gilbert one Calico quilt. Item I will and bequeath to my niece Bettie Gilbert the sum of Ten Dollars.

Item I will and bequeath to my niece Elizabeth E Anderson the sum of Ten Dollars and my Red Blue + white Coverlid.

Item I will + bequeath to my niece Catharine Mathews the sum of Ten dollars and one half dozen Silver desert Spoons.

Item I will and bequeath to my Nephew William B. Tipton the sum of Fifty dollars

Item I will and bequeath to negro Sarah the sum of Twenty dollars, a wheel, Reel, 3 Chairs, one double and Single Coverlid one pair home made Cotton Sheets, flat Irons, and lantern.

Item I will and bequeath the rest and residue of money and bonds on hand after the aforegoing Legacies, funeral and other expences and debts are paid to John F. Tipton and Alfred B Tipton share and share alike Item I will and bequeath all the rest and residue of my property Real + personal to my Nephew William B. Tipton his heirs and assigns forever.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint William B. Tipton Executor of this my last Will and Testament as roking and all former wills made by me heretofore ratifying this and none other to be my last Will and Testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this thirtieth day of September in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty-Seven

Rosanna Slade (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Rosanna Slade the above named Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

N. H. Nelson Thomas H. Miller John Miller

Harford County SS

On the 13th day of May 1873 then came Nicholas H Nelson and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Rosanna Slade late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co.

Harford County SS.

On the 13th day of May 1873 then came Nicholas H Nelson and John Miller Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Rosanna Slade late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing, she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Thomas H. Miller subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Alexander Norris

I Alexander Norris, of Harford County and State of Maryland do make and publish this as and for my Last Will and Testament.

I give devise and bequeath to my Son G. Smith Norris my Home Farm Containing 200 acres more or less charged with the payment of three thousand Dollars, which sum the said G. Smith Norris is to pay over to my grand children the children of my deceased son Charles Norris.

Item I give devise and bequeath my four fifths interest in and to the Wyley farm to my Son Alexander Norris said farm contains 200 Acres more or less the remaining fifth interest belongs to my Grand Children, the children of my said son Charles Norris deceased It is further my will and desire that if the said Wyley Farm should be sold previous to my death that my Executor shall pay over to my said son Alexander an amount equal to the amount of Sales Coming to me from the sale of said farm

I charge my whole Estate with the payment of an annuity of fifty dollars to Elizabeth J. Norris I charge the

payment of my debts first upon my personal estate and property and if that is not sufficient then said debts are to be paid by my two farms in proportion to their values

I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my estate real personal and mixed to my son J. Smith Norris 1/3, to my son Alexander 1/3 and to my grandchildren 1/3.

Lastly I revoke all wills and Testaments heretofore made and hereby appoint J. Smith Norris my Executor.

Witness my hand and Seal this 11th day of June 1867

Alexander Norris (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named testator as and for his last will and Testament in presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Stevenson Archer R. W. Whaland Alex. M. Fulford

Harford County S.S.

On the 10th day of June 1873 then came J. Smith Norris and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not Know of any will Codicil of Alexander Norris late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe keeping.

Sworn to in open Court. Test. J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 10th day of June 1873 then came Stevenson Archer and Alexander M. Fulford subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last will and Testament of Alexander Norris late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with R. W. Whaland subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. C.

Sarah Gamball (of Cecil County Copy of Will)

Know all men by the Presents that I Sarah Gamball of Cecil County and State of Maryland considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and being of Sound mind memory and understanding do make and declare and publish this to be my last will and Testament

First I commit my soul to God who gave it, and my body to the dust to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor herein after mentioned.

Second after all my Funeral Expenses and my just debts are fully paid and satisfied, I give and bequeath to my Friend William F. Brickley all the residue of my Estate, Real personal and mixed That I shall possess at the time of my decease and lastly I do constitute and appoint my Friend William F. Brickley to be the Executor of this my last Will and Testament

In Testimony whereof I have to this my last Will and Testament, subscribed my name and affix my seal, in the presence of the witnesses named below on this Fourteenth day of December Eighteen hundred and Seventy one

Sarah Gamball (Seal)

Signed Sealed declared and published by the said Sarah Gamball as and for her last will and testament in presence of us who at her request and in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

J. Rittenhouse, Jehoiakim Brickley William F. Thompson

Cecil County S.S. June 18th 1873 } Then came William F. Brickley Executor named in the aforegoing instrument of writing and made Oath in due form of Law that the same is the true and whole last Will and Testament of Sarah Gamball late of Cecil County, deceased, that hath come to his Knowledge and possession, that due publication of the contents thereof hath been made and that he Knows of none other or any reason why the probate thereof should not be taken.

Test R. D. Jamar Register

Cecil County S.S. June 18th 1873 } Then came J. Rittenhouse Jehoiakim Brickley and William F. Thompson the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument of writing and severally made Oath in due form of Law, that they did see Sarah Gamball the testatrix therein named sign and Seal

the same; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be last will and Testament, and at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension and belief of a sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, that they severally subscribed their names as witnesses thereto, in the presence, at the request, of said testatrix and in the presence of each other

Test R. W. Jamar

Register

State of Maryland
Cecil County Sct. } I Reuben J D Jamar Register of Wills for Cecil County do hereby certify that the aforegoing instrument of writing is a true copy of the whole last Will and Testament of Sarah Gamball late of Cecil County decd. now on file and of record in Liber E Vol 12 folio 250 one of the Will Record books for Cecil County

Seal

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Office affixed on the Nineteenth day of June 1873

R. W. Jamar Register of Wills
for Cecil County

Juliana J. Perryman

In the name of The Father, Son and Holy Ghost Amen, I Juliana J. Perryman, of the State of Maryland, being of sound and disposing mind, memory, and understanding, do make and publish this my last will and testament To wit: after my debts and funeral charges are paid I give & bequeath to my husband, Edward G. Perryman all of my property, Real and personal; and I hereby constitute and appoint him to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other, to be my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and Seal this thirteth day of September in the year One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy two.

Juliana J. Perryman (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Juliana J. Perryman as her last will and Testament in our presence who at her request in her presence and in presence of each other have hereto set our hands, as Witnesses hereto.

J. Rose Isabella A Perryman M Josephine Wise

Harford County SS.

On the 24th day of June 1873 then came Edward G Perryman and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Juliana J. Perryman late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. N. Co

Harford County SS

On the 24th day of June 1873 then came J. Rose and M. Josephine Wise two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Juliana J Perryman and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Isabella A Perryman subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. N. Co

Mary Amelia Preston

I Mary Amelia Preston, wife of James S. Preston of Harford County Maryland, do make and publish this my last will, intending hereby to dispose of all my estate however derived, and to execute the power of devise and bequest confirmed by the will of my late father James Wilks Jr. which bearing date on the fifteenth day of April Eighteen hundred and fifty-eight is now of record in the Office of the Register of Wills for Baltimore City

I give, devise and bequeath all my Estate real personal and mixed, at Law or in Equity, and all the revenues therefrom, to my husband James S. Preston for and during his natural life after his death to my two sons James Henry Preston and Walter Wilks Preston to be equally divided between them

If my husband shall deem it judicious to sell the farm in Harford County on which we now reside, he is hereby authorized and empowered to sell and convey the same without liability on the part of the purchaser to see to the application of the proceeds

of sale, which proceeds shall be at once reinvested in good real estate by my said husband, to be held and enjoyed, and for the same uses as the other property hereby devised.

I hereby appoint my husband James B. Preston sole executor of this my last will.

In testimony whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this Twenty second day of February Eighteen hundred and Seventy-three

Mary A. Preston (Seal)

Signed Sealed & published as her last will by Mary Amelia Preston the testatrix in the presence of us, who at her request and in her presence & in the presence of each other subscribe our names as witnesses hereto

Thomas B. Littig Philip W. Littig. Joseph H. Everett

Harford County SS

On the 9th day of July 1873 then came James B. Preston and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Mary A. Preston late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 9th day of July 1873 then came Joseph H. Everett and on the 15th day of July Philip W. Littig two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mary A. Preston late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Thomas B. Littig subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Mina Herbst (wife of Lewis K. Herbst) Last Will and Testament

Be it Known that I Mina Herbst wife of Lewis K. Herbst of Havre De Grace Harford County State of Maryland being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof do make and publish this as my last Will and Testament, pursuant to and in accordance with authority to me given under the laws of the State of Maryland, in the following manner that is to say

I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Louisa Margaret Herbst the sum of Twelve hundred dollars to be paid to her by my Executor hereinafter named, the Twelve Hundred dollars to be paid to her by said Executor at the end of three years after and from the date of my death, the interest thereon to be paid annually by my said Executor, to her my said daughter, until the said sum of Twelve hundred dollars shall have been paid to her out of my Estate, and I do hereby order and direct that the said sum of Twelve hundred dollars ($1200) and the interest thereon as above stated shall be a charge and lien upon all my real Estate until same shall have been paid to my said daughter Louisa Margaret Herbst.

All the rest, residue and remainder of my Estate Effects and property of every kind and description whatsoever real and personal and mixed, I give devise and bequeath to my beloved Husband Lewis K. Herbst his heirs Executors administrators and assigns absolutely And I do hereby nominate and appoint my said beloved husband Lewis K. Herbst to be the Executor of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made and declaring this to be my only one

In Testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my seal on this sixth day of November in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred Seventy one

Mina Herbst (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Mina Herbst the Testatrix to be her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who in her presence of us who in her presence at her request and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses.

Rev Joseph L. Parry John M. Hegenrother, Chas. Zeitler

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of April 1872 then came Joseph L Barry and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Mina Herbert late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.R.C.

Harford County SS

On the 12th day of April 1872 then came Joseph L Barry and on the 15th day of May 1872 then came John M. Hegemother and Charles Geitler subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Mina Herbert late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in her presence, and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.R.C.

The last Will and Testament of Rebecca Davidge of Harford County in the State of Maryland

I give devise and bequeath unto my Sons, William J. Polk and John C Polk, and my daughter, Mary E Carr, their heirs executors and administrators, share and share alike, all and singular the Lands Grounds property and effects of every kind or description now being in the State of New York and State of Pennsylvania of which I am the owner, or to which I have or can claim any manner of right title or interest in anywise; and all moneys that may arise or be payable from Sales of the same, or any part thereof or which may be due to me in any manner on account of said Lands and property Also, all and singular the Lots of ground and premises in the City of Baltimore, Maryland, and in the Town of Easton Talbot County Maryland, out of which annuities or ground rents may be payable to me.

I give devise and bequeath to my other children Sarah S. Dunkle Rebecca T. Dunkle and Helen Davidge their heirs executors and Administrators, share and share alike the Farm Plantation or Parcel of Land whereon I now reside, called and generally known by the name of the Dairy Farm, supposed to contain about Nine hundred (900) acres of Land with the appurtenances; Also the negroes Stock, farming utensils and implements of husbandry, goods Chattels and effects on the "Dairy Farm" or used or connected therewith in any-wise; and also, all the Turnpike Road Stocks standing in my name, or otherwise belonging to me

And I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my friend Son W. J. Polk and daughter S. N. Dunkle to be the Executors of this my last Will and Testament

And I do hereby authorize and empower my said Executors to sell the whole or any part or parts of the property hereby devised and bequeathed, with the assent of the parties interested, for the purpose of division among the devisees respectively entitled thereto under this my Will.

In witness Whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my Seal, on the Tenth day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

Rebecca Davidge (Seal)

Signed, Sealed Published and declared by Rebecca Davidge the within named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William Slee, David Norris Mary E. A. Norris

Harford County SS

On the 4th day of March 1872 then came Howard Munnikhuysen and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Rebecca Davidge late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of George L. Harrison of Baltimore City Md.

Sworn to in Open Court
Test J. R. Ely R.W.R.C.

Harford County SS.

On the 4th day of March 1872 then came David Norris and Mary E.A. Norris two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Rebecca Davidge late of said County, deceased and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her sodoing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding, and that they together with William Slee subscribed their names as Witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Codicil

I hereby charge my three daughters Sarah, Rebecca & Helen with the payment of all debts, I may owe at the time of my death and with my funeral Expenses and the expenses of the administration on my Estate.

In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my Seal on the tenth day of May in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred and forty eight.

Rebecca Davidge (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by Rebecca Davidge the within named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

William Slee David Norris Mary E.A. Norris

Harford County SS.

On the 4th day of March 1872 then came David Norris and Mary E.A. Norris two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Rebecca Davidge late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Codicil that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be a Codicil to her last Will and Testament that at the time of her sodoing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together

with William Slee subscribed their names as Witnesses to the Codicil in in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Codicil

I hereby charge my three daughters Sarah, Rebecca & Helen to pay over to William J. Polk, John C. Polk and Mary E Carr the sum of four hundred and Eighteen dollars a debt due by me to them for money used from the sale of Lands in New York and Pennsylvania which I had bequeathed to them. In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my name, and affix my Seal on the Eleventh day of April One Thousand Eight hundred and fifty

Rebecca Davidge (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by Rebecca Davidge the within named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Jeremiah Woodrow Francis Johns Thomas Griffin Jr.

Harford County SS.

On the 30th day of March 1872 then came William Griffin and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he is familiar with the hand writing and signature of his Brother Thomas Griffin Jr. now deceased and that the Signature to the aforegoing Codicil of Rebecca Davidge deceased is in the hand writing of said Thomas Griffin Jr. and to the best of his knowledge believes the Signature to have been written by the said Thomas Griffin Jr. deceased and the Signature to be genuine

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Codicil

I hereby give and devise to my two daughters Sarah N. Dunkel and Rebecca T. Dunkel and their heirs the farm in Harford County upon which I now reside, commonly known as the Dairy Farm and Containing Nine Hundred acres more or less the said Sarah and Rebecca paying to my daughter Helen Davidge the sum of Eight thousand Dollars which sum of money. I hereby

bequeath to my said daughter Helen and her heirs, and hereby charge upon the lands devised to the said Sarah and Rebecca, as tenants in common, for the benefit of the said Helen and her heirs

My Will and intention in this behalf being that the said charge for the benefit of my daughter, shall be borne equally by the said Sarah and Rebecca but shall be a charge, and lien upon the whole land devised by this Codicil, and it is furthermore my will that the sum so devised to my daughter Helen, and charged upon said Lands shall bear interest from the time of my death which interest shall be paid by the said Sarah and Rebecca, and be equally a charge upon the lands devised to them

Witness my hand and Seal this Twenty Eighth day of July Eighteen Hundred and Fifty-two

Rebecca Davidge (Seal)

Signed Sealed and published as a Codicil to her last will by Rebecca Davidge in our presence who at her request in her presence and in the presence of each other have hereto subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Saml. Farmandis Jr. Robt. H. Smith, H. D. Farmandis

Harford County SS.

On the 11th day of March 1872 then came Henry D. Farmandis and Robert H. Smith two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Rebecca Davidge late of said County, deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix herein named sign and Seal this Codicil, that they heard publish pronounce and declare the same to be (a codicil to) her last will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they together with Samuel Farmandis Jr. subscribed their name to the Codicil in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. P. Ely Reg. of Wills

Thomas J. Murphy

The Testament and Last Will of Thomas J. Murphy of Harford County and State of Maryland made this fourth day of July Eighteen hundred and Seventy-two

1st I nominate, constitute and appoint Jacob J. Michael and Dr. Thomas P. Temple Executors of this my Last Will and Testament.

2nd I do hereby authorize and Empower my Executors to sell all my Real Estate, at such times, upon such terms, and in such manner as they may deem best

3rd I give and devise to my Daughter Susan A. Murphy, her Heirs and assigns, one Third of all my Property and Estate

4th I give and devise to my Daughter Mary Temple wife of Dr. Thomas P. Temple, her heirs and assigns one third of all my property and Estate

5th I give and devise to Jacob J. Michael and Charles H. Michael & Wm. Rush Michael in trust for the purposes hereinafter in this clause mentioned, One third of all my Property and Estate, to be invested by them in such ways as they may think best, and the income thence arising to pay over to my daughter Martha J. Cooper, wife of James Cooper Esq. during the joint lives of my said daughter and her said Husband for her sole and separate use, and the income of which I direct shall be paid to her personally or on her written order and not otherwise.

In case my said Daughter shall survive her said Husband I authorize and direct the said Trustees to pay over to my said Daughter the said Trust fund, or if invested, to transfer and deliver to her the investments thereof, with all accumulations in their hands, as her absolute property free and discharged from the trust hereby created.

In case of the death of my said Daughter during the lifetime of her said Husband, leaving a child or children or descendants of a child or children living at the time of her death, then in trust for such child or children and descendants of a child or children, to be equally divided between them, as the said Child or Children shall respectively attain their majority and lawful age the share shall go to them in fee, and discharge of said Trust the descendants of a child to represent and stand in the place of the deceased child, and in case of the death of a child entitled to a share of said fund without issue living then said share of said child so dying shall go to the Brothers and Sisters if any and if none, then to my Daughters, their Heirs and assigns first mentioned in the will

In case of the death of my said daughter during the life time of said Husband without leaving issue living at the time of her death, then I will and direct said Trustees to pay over said Trust

fund to my said Daughters, their Heirs and assigns, first mentioned in this my Will to be equally divided between them.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal on this fourth day of July in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy

Thos J Murphy (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the above named Thomas J. Murphy as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have set our names as witnesses thereto

Thos. M Quinn Richard M. Taylor James F. Michael

Harford County SS.

On the 21st day of July 1870 then came Jacob J. Michael and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Thomas J. Murphy late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing and that he found the same among the private papers of said deceased

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 21st day of July 1870 then came James F. Michael and Richard M Taylor two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Thomas J. Murphy late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Thomas M Quinn subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Rachel Wilson

I Rachel Wilson of Harford County do make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say

First I devise and bequeath to my daughter Ruth three thousand dollars and all my beds and bedding Furniture, dressing Table Clock & other personal property in the House where I now reside

Secondly I give and bequeath to my daughter Sallie whatever money may be due me at the time of my death from my Son David E. Wilson and five hundred dollars.

Thirdly All the rest and residue of my property and Estate I give and bequeath to my three daughters Rachel Margaret, and Mary and with my son John to be equally divided between them.

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my Son John H. Price Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all other Wills by me made, ratifying and confirming the & none other as and for my last Will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereto set my Hand and Seal, this 27th day of November in the year 1871

Rachel Wilson (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Rachel Wilson the above named Testatrix, and for her last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at her request and in her presence, and in the of each other, have subscribed our names, as witnesses thereto

John H. Price Isaac O Wilson David E. Price

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of July 1873 then came John H. Price and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Rachel Wilson late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the Hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of July 1873 then came John H. Price and David E. Price two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Rachel Wilson late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they

heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; That at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Isaac C Wilson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

John Barton

In name of God, Amen, I John Barton of Harford County do make and publish this as and for my Last Will and Testament.

I give devise and bequeath one Hundred dollars to my Son Washington Barton, One hundred Dollars to my Son Joshua Barton one hundred dollars to my Son James Barton, four hundred dollars to my Son John W. Barton and one hundred and fifty dollars to my daughter Amanda Barton, these bequests I make a charge upon the land hereinafter, devised to be paid by my devisees as hereinafter set forth.

I give and bequeath Sophronia Hughes my daughter one Colt, and to my daughter Amanda Barton one Colt.

I give devise and bequeath to my Wife Mary Ann Barton one Room in my House to be selected by her also her selection of one bed and bedding for her own use and a maintenance for herself therein during her widowhood this home and maintenance I make a charge upon that part of my Real Estate which I hereinafter devise to my Son William M. Barton

I give devise and bequeath to my son William M Barton my Home or Mansion House together with one half of my Farm, which farm contains one hundred and fifty acres said half to be laid off in one tract around said Home House by a line dividing it from the rest of the land, said line to begin on the Pennsylvania Line and run as nearly straight as can be done and so as to leave all said William's portion of land situate in Harford County and I charge this devise with the Room left to his mother and also charged with the payment of one half of the Legacies above named and also charged with the payment of One half of my just debts.

I give devise and bequeath to my Son Andrew J. Barton the remaining half of my said farm of One hundred and fifty acres charged with the payment of one half of the above named legacies and charged with the payment of one half of my debts.

I give and bequeath all the rest and residue of my personal Estate to my said Sons William M. Barton and Andrew J. Barton share and share alike.

If satisfactory to Amanda I wish her legacy to be paid her from my Goods & chattels at appraisement.

Lastly I hereby constitute and appoint my said Sons William M. Barton and Andrew J Barton Executors of this my Last Will and Testament

Witness my hand and Seal this Seventh day of May 1873.

John Barton (Seal)

Signed, Sealed published and declared by the above named Testator as and for his last will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Geo L. Van Pibber, S Archer of Ino Stevenson Archer

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of July 1878 then came Stevenson Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of John Barton late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 29th day of July 1878 then came Stevenson Archer and George L Van Pibber two of the subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of John Barton late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with S. Archer of Ino subscribed their names at Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each Other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Rebecca Spencer

In the name of God Amen, I. Rebecca Spencer of the County of Harford, and State of Maryland, being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make ordain, publish, and declare, this, to be be my Last Will and Testament, That is to say.

First First after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged the residue of my Estate, I give, bequeath and dispose of as follows to wit (To Mary E Spencer wife of my Son Silas S Spencer all the right title claim and interest, as named in a Bill of Sale to me recorded in Bel Air.

To Rosena McCommons fifty dollars. I give bequeath, and devise, all the rest residue and remainder of my Personal Estate, to my Children now living, or their heirs, who may be living at the time of my decease to be divided equally between them.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the Twelfth day of may One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy three

Rebecca Spencer (Seal)

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Rebecca Spencer in our presence, acknowledged by her to each of us, and that the same time published and declared the above instrument so subscribed to be her last Will and Testament, and we, at the testators request and in her presence, have signed our names as witnesses hereto, and written opposite our names our respective place of Residence

Charles H. Standiford Harford Co Md
David T. Bowman Harford Co Md
Edward E Hopkins Harford Co Md

Harford County SS.

On the 11th day of August 1873 then came Robert J. Wacker and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Rebecca Spencer late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

Harford County SS.

On the 11th day of August 1873 then came David T. Bowman and Edward E Hopkins two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Rebecca Spencer late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God

that they did see the Testatrix sign and seal this Will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Charles H Standiford subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R.W.H.Co

George P. Cook

I George P. Cook of Harford County, State of Maryland, do make this my last Will and Testament, in full assurance of blessed immortality: First that my funeral Expenses and Just debts be paid.

2nd I give to my dear wife Susan M. during the term of her natural life one half of the dwelling House in which I now reside, said half to be chosen by herself and I also give to my said Wife all the furniture contained in my said dwelling, except such part of said furniture as shall be hereinafter given to my daughter Margaret L Cook.

3rd I give to my said wife, two Milch Cows to be chosen by herself & I direct that my Executors hereinafter named shall pay to my said wife at the end of one year after my death the sum of Five hundred dollars ($500.) and I also direct that my said wife shall have full and entire control absolutely of all money which she has received of may hereafter receive, from the Estates of her father and Mother, intending by this paragraph to mean such money as is now invested which came from said Estates & not any part of said money which may have been expended by me

4th I give to my Son William A Cook, in fee simple, the Land, and improvements thereon described as follows. Beginning at a stone on the North side of the Public Road leading from Glenville to Priestford, said Stone being the South corner of the Lot conveyed to me by Elisha Cook and wife and running thence Eastwardly towards a Stone Land mark at the West Corner of the Park Mill, but stopping said line one perch before reaching said Stone & running thence South Eastwardly parallel with the Wall of the Park Mill and one perch further than the length of the Wall of the Park Mill, thence paralel with the South Wall of the Park Mill and one perch distant therefrom, one perch beyond the Corner of said Bark Mill, being the South East Corner, thence by a straight line in the direction of the South West Corner of the dwelling House of said W. A. Cook, to the middle of the Public Road, thence

in the middle of said Road, to a point within four feet of being opposite the South West Corner of the dwelling House now in the occupancy of Wm Hiptins thence Northwardly parallel with the west wall of said occupied by Hiptins to the Land now owned by Frederick Stump, thence westwardly with the outlines of said Stump's Land to a corner of Stump's Land near the branch said Corner being also a Corner of the Lot conveyed to me by Elisha Cook wife, thence by a Straight line to the beginning.

5th I give my Son Wm A. Cook any and all sums of money that may be due to me from him at this time, no settlement being required of him by my Executors for anything prior to this date; believing the amt. due me from him to be near fifteen hundred dollars.

6th I give to my Son Wm A. Cook One Clock now in his possession, and any other furniture that he may now have belonging to me, and also all the Tools used in the tanning business.

7th If the Real Estate herein devised shall remain in possession of my family, it is my will and direction that my Son J. Tudor Cook shall have the joint use of the Dam and Corn House on said Land, as heretofore for the term of five years from this date

8th I give to my Son J. Tudor Cook all the Land and improvements situated on the South side of the Public Road leading from Glenville to Priestford, excepting the part around the Bark Mill, and said Mill devised as before mentioned to my Son William A. Cook and reserving the Life Estate of my Wife Susan M. Cook, as aforesaid, and also reserving the right to use the water on said Land to my Son Wm A. Cook & to do all things necessary to be done to continue the use of said Water by my Son William, and also reserving the use of the Water on said Land to the Tenants of the dwellings on the North side of the said Public Road - the water referred to, the use of which is reserved issues from a Spring on the North Side of said Public Road near a House now occupied by Elijah Singleton & I also reserve for my Son J. Tudor Cook the use of said Water and the Spring Box at said Spring.

9th It is my direction that my said Son J. Tudor Cook shall pay to my Executors for the use of my Estate Two hundred dollars ($200) two years after my death & no interest shall be charged thereon before the End of said two years.

10th I give to my daughter Margaret L. Cook all the Land on the North side of the Public Road before mentioned, not hereinbefore devised, together with the two Stone dwelling Houses situated therein & now occupied by William Hiptins and Elijah Singleton said devise being to my said daughter in fee simple, excepting the reservation as to the use of the Water.

11th I hereby appoint my Sons William A. and J. Tudor Cook the executors of this my last Will and Testament, authorising and directing my said Executors to act as I am myself empowered to act by the Will of Sarah Northland, late of Baltimore City deceased, in regard to certain property located in Perry County State of Pennsylvania

12th I give to my Daughter, Margaret L. Cook the bed bedding & furniture contained in one Room in my Dwelling House, and also the sum of fifteen hundred dollars ($1500)

13th I give to my two grand Children, Clarence and Susan Kenly the sum of Fifteen hundred dollars each to be paid to them when they shall respectively arrive at the age of Twenty one Years and it is my direction that a note due me from my brother Elisha Cook wife, for one Thousand dollars, which Note is Secured by a Mortgage for Six hundred dollars on property in Iowa, with the interest that may be due thereon at the time of my death shall constitute a part of said bequest to my said grandchildren and it is my direction that the interest on said bequest to my Grandchildren shall be used for their maintenance and Support until they shall be entitled to the principal as aforesaid

George T. Cook (Seal)

14th I direct that in case of the death of Either of my said Grand Children before he or she shall have arrived at the age of Twenty-one years that the whole sum devised to both shall be paid to the survivor and if both shall die before attaining the age of Twenty-one Years then I direct that the said sum of Three Thousand dollars shall return to my Estate and also in case of the death of both of my said Grand Children before reaching the age of Twenty-one years, the Legacies hereinafter bequeathed to them shall likewise return to and become a part of my Estate.

15th I authorize my Executors to have the Volumes of "The Friends Review" bound and distributed amongst my Children.

16th I give all the rest and residue of my Estate to be equally divided between my Wife Susan M. Cook my Sons Wm A. and J. Tudor Cook, my daughter Margaret L. Cook and my Two grand children, Clarence and Susan Kenly; my said two grand-children to take between them but one child's share; that is they are each to have one half of the full share that their mother would have taken if she had lived, and there had been an Equal division of the residue of my Estate as above stated, between my living children, their mother, and my wife.

17th upon reflection I hereby direct that the sum of money directed to be paid by my Son J. Tudor Cook, to my Estate, shall be four hundred dollars instead of two hundred dollars as stated in the Ninth Item of this paper — the time of payment and the condition as to the payment of interest to remain as stated in said Ninth item of this paper.

Witness my hand and Seal this Eighth month, Eleventh in the year of our Lord 1875

George P. Cook (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and declared by the said Testator as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who have at his request in his presence and in the presence of each subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto, the said Testator having signed the same on two Sheets of paper.

F. A. Ridout, Joel Cook, E. H. Allen

Harford County S.S.

On the 8th day of September 1875 then came Joel Cook and solemnly, sincerely and truly declared & affirmed that he does not know of any Will or Codicil of George P. Cook late of said County, deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the Hands of the Testator for safe keeping

Affirmed to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County S.S.

On the 8th day of September 1875 then came F. A. Ridout and Joel Cook and on the 9th day of Sept. 1875 came E. H. Allen subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Last Will and Testament of George P. Cook late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God and Solemnly, Sincerely and truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding. and that they together subscribed their names as Witnesses to this will in his presence and at his request, and in the presence of each other, Affirmed and Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. H. H. Co

Sam. G. Hall

I Sam G. Hall of Harford Co State of Maryland being of sound mind, memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made. After the payment of my just debts and funeral expences I give and devise my property as follows.

I appoint and nominate my Son Andrew Hall and my Son in Law Robert K. Smith Executors of this my last Will and Testament free of all responsibility.

The Farm in Harford Co known as Medford farm with the adjoining Farm of one hundred and twenty acres purchased at the sale of Mr. Ed. Griffith's property, my Lake Crome Stock, and all other property or Stocks, that may accrue to me hereafter except that specially devised herein. I devise to my Executors Andrew Hall and Robert K. Smith, in their discretion, to sell in fee simple, or lease, and to convey at any time or times the whole or any part or parts thereof, and from time to time to invest the proceeds arising from any such Sale or Sales in trust and confidence, they paying annually, the net proceeds of interest from investment, or other profits arising from said property to my three Children Andrew, Ann, and Mary.

The one Third of my Estate as invested by said Executors I devise to my Son Andrew Hall during his natural life and at his death, to his Children then living, their heirs and assigns forever.

To my daughter Ann wife of Ed Leeds Ker one third of my Estate as invested, during her natural life, and at her death if leaving no issue to go to my Grand Children, the Children of my Son Andrew and Mary.

To my daughter Mary wife of Robert K. Smith one Third of my Estate as invested during her natural life, and then to her children. To my Son Andrew I leave my Blue India China Dinner Set. His Grandfathers picture, dining Room Sofa and Dinner Table,

To my Daughter Ann I give my best set of Teas China, Parlor Carpet, and all the glass, not belonging to the set of Cut Glass given to Sister Mary, also the likeness of her Father and Mother. To my daughter Mary I give my Side Board the entire set of cut glass and Marble Top Hat Stand.

I give and devise, all the rest and residue of my Estate and property, whether real personal or mixed, to my three Children, Andrew, Ann, and Mary, to be equally divided between them

It is my wish that nothing, belonging to the House, Plate, House Linen Furniture or Clothing be sold or go into the hands of Strangers, all that my children do not want can be given away.

Signed, Sealed published and declared by the said Ann G. Hall her last Will and Testament in the presence of us, who in her presence, at her request and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Joseph J. Beeman (Seal)
Mary C. Beeman (Seal)
Emily Beeman (Seal)

Ann G. Hall
Harford County August 22d 1873

Harford County SS.

On the 20th day of September 1873 then came Joseph J Beeman and Made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Ann G Hall late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safekeeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS.

On the 20th day of September 1873 then came Joseph J. Beeman and Mary C. Beeman two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Ann G. Hall late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign (as) seal this will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Emily Beeman subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Rebecca Cockey

This the last Will and Testament of me Rebecca Cockey, Widow now residing at Rural Valley Farm, near Churchville, in Harford County in the State of Maryland.

First I appoint my Son Edward C Cockey Sole Executor of this my Will and Trustee of the Trusts hereby created, and

it is my express wish, and I direct, that my said Executor shall not be required to give any security for the due and faithful per-execution of the trusts reposed in him.

Second. I direct my said Executor to set apart such portion of my real and personal Estate or both, in his discretion, as will produce a net yearly income of Seven hundred dollars, and I give and bequeath to my said Executor the said sum of Seven hundred Dollars per annum in trust for the support and maintenance of my Daughter Emily L Cockey during the term of her natural life, or during such time as she shall remain incompetant and unable to manage her own affairs

Third. All the rest and residue and remainder of my Estate real and personal I give devise and bequeath to my daughter Caroline R. Cockey and my Sons Edward C. Thomas P., William H. and Charles H Cockey, in equal shares and proportions, as tenants in common, and not as joint tenants, and in case my said daughter Emily L. shall remain incapable of managing her affairs up to the time of her death, then, upon her death I give, devise and bequeath the principal of the sum hereinbefore set apart for her benefit unto among my Other Children hereinbefore named in the same Shares and proportions as the property hereby given and bequeathed to them respectively. If however, at any time hereafter the said Emily L. should become fit and capable of administering her affairs in a business like manner then I give and bequeath to each of my children such part of the amount hereby set apart for her benefit as will make them each receive, as nearly as may be the same amount under this my Will, it being my intention that my property and estate should be divided equally among my children and without any preference the one over the other.

Fourth. I direct my real estate situated in New York City and in Harford County & Baltimore City Maryland, respectively, to held by my Trustee herein named until, in his discretion, a favorable opportunity offers for the sale thereof, the rents and profits accruing therefrom to be divided among my children above named (except my daughter Emily L) in equal shares and proportions until the same shall be sold — it being my will that the same shall not be sacrificed by peremptory sale but made to realise the largest sum possible for my Estate

Fifth. I give to my Executor herein named power at his discretion to sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise deal with any Real property which may come to his hands, and to make all such conveyances and instruments as may be thereto necessary, and also to invest and to change the investments of and and to reinvest, any part

of my estate in his hands; and in case any investment of the fund hereinbefore set apart for the benefit of my said daughter Emily J. shall yield a greater revenue than the said sum of $70. per annum then I. and bequeath such increase unto and among my remaining children in equal shares and proportions

Sixth I ordain any of my children herein named shall die in my lifetime, or after my decease but before the distribution of my Estate, leaving issue him or her surviving, then I give, devise and bequeath the share of such deceased child unto & among the issue of said deceased child in equal shares, such issue to take by representation and not per capita, — and to be paid to him or her upon coming to the age of 21 years

Lastly Revoke all former wills by me at any time made.

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Tenth day of September in the year 1873

Rebecca Cockey (Seal)

In presence of David Harlan, Henry F. Willis
Ford B. Hanson, B. H. Hanson

On the Tenth day of September in the year 1873 the above named Rebecca Cockey subscribed the foregoing instrument in the presence of each of us: and at the time of making such subscription declared to each of us that the instrument so subscribed by her was her last Will and Testament: and at the same time she requested each of us to sign our names to such instrument as witnesses and in attestation of such subscription and declaration aforesaid, and thereupon each of us, in compliance with such request, and in the presence of said Rebecca Cockey, did sign our names at the end of said instrument as witnesses accordingly, and in the presence of each other

David Harlan	Churchville	Harford County	Maryland	
Ford B. Hanson	do	do	do	do
B. H. Hanson	"	"	"	"
Henry F. Willis	"	"	"	"

Harford County Ss.

On the 27th day September 1873 then came Caroline F. Cockey and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that she doth not know of any will or Codicil of Rebecca Cockey late of said County deceased, other than the above Instrument of writing, and that she received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe keeping

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Harford County Ss.

On the 27th day of September 1873 then came Henry F. Willis and Ford B. Hanson, two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing

last Will and Testament of Rebecca Cockey late of said County, deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix sign Seal this Will; that they heard her publish, pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with David Harlan and B. H. Hanson subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. P. Ely R. H. H. Co

Sophia E. Norris

In the name of God. Amen, I Sophia E. Norris of Harford County in the State of Maryland make this as my last Will & Testament in manner following, To wit.

Item 1st I give and bequeath to John J. Norris my Son, a Corner of a lot of Land adjoining his land, to square his line to the public Road

Item 2d I give and bequeath to Mrs E. Norris my Son Twenty five Dollars, to be paid out of my Estate by my Executor hereafter named.

Item 3rd I give and bequeath Augustus C. Norris my Son One hundred Dollars to be paid by my Executor out of my Estate.

Item 4th I give and bequeath to my Daughter Sophia A. Norris the residue of my Estate Real Personal and mixed including Mortgage & Interest given by my Husband, John Norris.

I hereby appoint Augustus C. Norris Executor of this my last will and Testament, hereby avoiding and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made ratifying and confirming this as my last Will and Testament.

Witness my hand and Seal this Seventh day of November 1867

Sophia E. Norris (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and acknowledged by Sophia E. Norris the above named Testatrix as and for her last Will and Testament in our presence who at her request and in her presence signed our names as Witnesses thereto

Nathan Dean Jr
Samuel F. Whistler
B. H. Hanson

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of October 1873 then came David Lee and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any will or Codicil of Sophia E Norris late of said County, deceased other than the above instrument of writing and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for safe Keeping.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. C.

Harford County SS.

On the 28th day of October 1873 then came Nathan Dean Jr and Samuel F. Whistler two of the subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Sophia E Norris late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and Solemnly, sincerely and Truly declared and affirmed, that they did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this will; that they heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with P. H. Hanson subscribed their names as witnesses to this will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court.

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. C.

Eleanor A. Owings

In the name of God Amen, I Eleanor A. Owings of Baltimore County State of Maryland being of Sound and disposing mind do hereby make and constitute this my last Will and Testament as follows.

1st I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first money that shall come into the hands of my Executor from any portion of my Estate

2d That my property in Carroll County Known by the name of Woodbine shall be disposed of and Two Hundred Dollars of the proceeds thereof be retained by my Executor in trust for my Husband Basil Owings to be paid to my said Husband by my Executor, as my Executor may think necessary, and if the said Two hundred dollars or any portion of it shall remain in the hands of the said Executor after the decease of the said Basil Owings, then said sum of Two hundred dollars or any portion thereof shall be divided as herein provided for my other property.

3rd I direct that the ballance of the proceeds of the "Woodbine" be equally divided between my Nine Children, namely, Edwin V. Owings, Laura E. Jessop, Amelia A Owings, James Owings, Basil A. Owings, Sarah A. Owings, Ulysses G Owings, Albin Owings, & William W. Owings, Share and Share alike except as to my daughter Sarah A. Owings who I desire the sum of Two hundred dollars of the proceeds of said above named property before the division of said proceeds, so that said Sarah A. Owings shall receive Two Hundred Dollars and the One Ninth of said proceeds, after deducting the said Two hundred dollars to my said Husband Basil Owings and the Two hundred dollars to my said daughter Sarah A. Owings.

4th I give and bequeath to my daughter Laura E. Jessop One pair Silver Sugar Tongs

5th I give and bequeath to my daughter Amelia A. Owings One half doz Silver Tea Spoons

6th I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah A. Owings One half doz. Silver Table Spoons, One Feather bed, One Bolster and Two Pillows and one Bedstead.

7th I give and bequeath to my husband Basil Owings One Feather Bed one Bolster one Pillow and one Bedstead and Bedding

8th All the rest and residue of my Property real personal and mixed of which I may die possessed I will to be equally divided between my before mentioned Nine Children and should any one or more die without Lawful issue then the whole of my Estate (except the before named reserved amounts) to be equally divided among the survivors and I hereby appoint and constitute my Son Edwin V. Owings Executor of this my last will and Testament.

In Testimony whereof I hereto Set my hand and affix my Seal this Twenty-ninth of September Eighteen Hundred & Sixty-eight

Eleanor A. Owings (Seal)

We the undersigned at the request of Eleanor A Owings and in the presence of each other do subscribe our names as Witnesses to the foregoing Instrument of writing which she declareth to be her free will and act

Martin Conn Daniel Z. Craumer Wm. T. Conn

I hereby acknowledge that the foregoing Instrument of writing was signed and Executed with my Knowledge and Consent.

Witness my hand and Seal Basil Owings (Seal)

Martin Conn Daniel Z. Craumer Wm. T. Conn

Harford County S.S.

On the 3rd day of November 1873 then Came Edwin H. Owings and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he dett not Know of any Will or Codicil of Eleanor A. Owings late of Harford County deceased other than the above Instrument of writing and that the same was found among the private papers of the Testatrix

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. P. Ely Reg. of Wills

Harford County S.S.

On the 3rd day of November 1873 then came William T. Coms one of the Subscribing witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Eleanor A. Owings late of said County deceased and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this Will; that he heard her publish pronounce and declard, the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her codicil she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that they together with Martin Coms and Daniel G. Crawmer subscribed his name as witnesses to this will, in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court Test J. P. Ely Reg. of Wills

Benjamin Weeks

In the name of God, Amen. I Benjamin Weeks of Harford County, in the State of Maryland, being sick and weak in body but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following that is to say.

First and principally I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends, and after my debts and funeral charges are paid.

Item I give and devise unto my daughter Emily Jane one good feather bed and one hundred dollars to be paid to her by my Executor hereafter named within Twelve months after my death.

Item. I give and devise unto my dear Wife Susan all the ballence of personal property except what may be necessary for my Executor to sell to pay the above named hundred dollars to my daughter Emily Jane and all my just debts, excepting what I owe to the heirs of James McConkey which be provided for hereafter, also the use of my real Estate for nine years except the Saw Mill and forty acres of Land which I shall hereafter direct to be sold by my Executor hereafter named, by his paying the Taxes and what interest may arise on the debt which I owe the heirs of James McConkey aforesaid, after my Executor pays whatever he may get for the Saw Mill and forty acres of Land hereto for named deducting the necessary expenses.

And Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint Isaac Scarborough to be sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament to dispose of all my real estate as herein after discribed first to sell the Saw Mill and forty acres of Land, within Twelve months from the time of my death, and apply the proceeds thereof to the payment of the debt due the heirs of James McConkey aforesaid, then nine years after my death to sell all the residue of my Real Estate and then pay what ever ballence that may be due the aforesaid McConkey's, then the residue to be divided as follows. Viz. first one third to my Wife Susan aforesaid, and the other two-thirds to equally divided between all my Children George W. Weeks, Mary Ann Enfield, Emily Jane Weeks Benjamin M. Weeks, James McConkey Weeks, Benjamin F. Weeks, Susan H. Weeks, John Weeks and Helen Marian Weeks

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal, this Tenth day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty-five

Benjamin Weeks (Seal)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Benjamin Weeks the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, in his presence and in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

Nathan Bradey Henry Selar Sarah A. Cusp

Harford County S.S.

On the 3rd day of November 1873 then Came Isaac Scarborough and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty

God that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Benjamin Weeks late of said County deceased other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testator for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 3rd day of November 1873 then came Nathan Bradey and Henry Selar two of subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Benjamin Weeks late of said County, deceased, and Made Oath of the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign and Seal this Will; that they heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament; that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding; and that they together with Sarah L. Culp subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will, in his presence and at his request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Martha Harrod

I Martha Harrod of Harford County and State of Maryland do make this as and for my Last Will and Testament.

First I direct all my just debts debts including funeral expences to to be paid.

Second I give and bequeath to my nephew Jesse Huff one hundred dollars on Condition he brings no Bill against my Estate,

Third I give and bequeath to my niece Sarah Huff all my wearing apparel and the sum of fifty dollars,

Fourth I give and bequeath unto the Baltimore Orphan Asylum the sum of One hundred and Thirty dollars to be paid to the Treasurer for the time being for the use of said Society

Fifth I give and bequeath to my nephew Joseph Huff all of my Silver

Sixth I give devise and bequeath all the rest and residue of my Estate and property to Stevenson Archer with the request if he shall see fit so to do to apply the to the Blind Asylum of Baltimore The rest and residue I know will be small

Lastly I constitute and appoint Stevenson Archer my Executor.

Witness my hand and Seal this 14th day of December 1865.

Witness

Frank C Norris Martha Harrod (Seal)

Harford County SS

On the 28th day of November 1873 then came Stevenson Archer and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he doth not know of any Will or Codicil of Martha Harrod late of said County deceased, other than the above instrument of writing, and that he received the same from the hands of the Testatrix for Safe Keeping

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Harford County SS

On the 20th day of November 1873 then came Frank C Norris subscribing Witness to the aforegoing Last Will and Testament of Martha Harrod late of said County deceased, and made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he did see the Testatrix sign and Seal this Will; that he heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament; that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding; and that he subscribed his name as witness to this Will in her presence and at her request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Codicil

I make this as a Codicil to my Last Will and Testament Thereby revoke the bequest to Jesse Huff and declare the Second Item of my Last Will and Testament as null and void.

Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of May 1867

Test R. Burns Duvall Martha Harrod Seal

Harford County Sct

The 20th day of November 1873 then came George L Van Tibber and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that he is familiar with the hand Writing of R. Burns Duvall and that the signature of R. Burns Duvall attached to the aforegoing Codicil is genuine and in the hand writing of the said R. Burns Duvall

Sworn to in Open Court

Test J. R. Ely R. W. H. Co

Mary Pounder (Copy of Will)

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Lanark.
In the Goods of Mary Pounder deceased.

I Carr Thompson of the Township of North Elmsley in the County of Lanark and Province of Ontario, Shoemaker, formerly of the Town of Perth in the said County of Lanark make oath and say.

1. That the annexed paper writing contains a true Copy of the Probate of the Will of the said Mary Pounder deceased as granted to the Executors therein named, and that the said Probate contains a true copy of the will of the said Mary Pounder, deceased.

2. That I am one of the Executors therein named and that the other Executor therein named Stephen Mullen is dead and I am now sole surviving Executor of the said last Will and Testament of the said Mary Pounder deceased

3. The Parties Entitled to the money in the States are as follows Sally Allan Devlin, Hannah Perry, Eliza Pounder, Preserva Jane Patterson, Deminder Pounder, and the children of a deceased daughter Mary Ellen Fletcher

4. That I will faithfully distribute the said money as mentioned in said Will

Sworn before me at Perth in the County of Lanark this 30th day of December A.D. 1870 — Carr Thompson

Wolbert Mowat in B.R.

Ontario Law Stamp 50¢

Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada Her Magesty's Surrogate Court of the County of Lanark.

Be it Remembered that upon Search being made in Her Magesty's Surrogate Court in the County of Lanark it plainly appears that on the Seventh day of August A.D. 1861 the last Will and Testament of Mary Pounder late of the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark, Widow, deceased, who died at the said Town of Perth on or about the nineteenth day of February A.D. 1861 and had at the time of her death a fixed place of abode at the Town of Perth in the said County of Lanark was proved by Carr Thompson of the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark Shoemaker and Stephen Mullen of the Township of North Elmsley in the County of Lanark Yeoman two of the Executors therein named, and which said probate remains of Record in the said Surrogate Court.

The True Tenor of the said Probate

is in the words following, Viz:

In Her Magesty's Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Lanark and Renfrew.

Be it Known that on the Seventh day of August A.D. 1861 the last Will and Testament of Mary Pounder late of the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark, Widow, who died on or about the Nineteenth day of February A.D. 1861 at Perth and who at the time of her death had a fixed place of abode at Perth in the said County of Lanark was proved and Registered in the said Surrogate Court a true Copy of which said last Will and Testament is hereunder Written in the words and figures following.

"In the name of God Amen. I Mary Pounder of the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark in the Province of Canada West Widow of the late George Pounder deceased being of sound mind and memory do make ordain and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as follows Hereby revoking all other.

I bequeath to my two daughters Eliza Pounder and Dorinda Pounder that certain parcel or tract of land being composed of a part of Lot Number four joining lot Number Three South side of Cockburn Street in the Town of Perth aforesaid with all my worldly goods on these premises and also the Twelve hundred pounds that is now at interest to be conveyed equal while they remain unmarried and whichever survives the other is to have the whole of the above until her decease but in case of marriage if Eliza Pounder Marries first I wish her to have twenty five Pounds as Dowr Her Son Pounds and if Dorinda Pounder Marries first I wish her to have fifteen pounds and then at the marriage or the death of the last I wish the following division to be made.

I leave to my Son John Pounder one Shilling and no more as mentioned in his Father's Will, I leave to my Son Robert Allan Pounder five pounds, I leave to my Son Thomas Pounder twelve Pounds and all the remainder of the property to be fairly valued and divided among my Seven daughters or their female heirs Hannah Hor Perry, Sally Allen, Devlin, Ruth Meredith deceased, Mary Allan Fletcher, Eliza Pounder, Preserva Jane Patterson and Dorinda Pounder

Or there is five Hundred dollars due to me in the States in case it comes safe to hand I wish Sally Allen Devlin to get forty pounds of that money, the remainder to be equally divided between all my other daughters.

I hereby nominate and appoint Mr.

Carr Thompson Shoemaker and Mr Stephen Mutton as my Executors of this my last Will and Testament.

Signed, Sealed and declared in presence of the undersigned

(Signed) Duncan McDonald } Signed Mary Pounder (L.S.)
(Signed) John Wright }

Witness this 28th of January 1854 and that the Administration of all and singular the personal Estate and Effects rights and Credits of the said deceased and any way concerning her will was granted by the aforesaid Court to Carr Thompson of the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark Shoemaker, and Stephen Mutton of the Township of North Elmsley in the County of Lanark Yeoman two of the Executors named in the said Will they having been Sworn well and faithfully to administer the same by paying the Just debts of the deceased and the legacies contained in her Will so far as they are thereunto bound by law and to Exhibit a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the said Estate and effects rights and Credits and to render a just and true account of their Executorship whenever required by Law so to do

(L.S.)

C. H. Sache
Register of the Surrogate Court of the United Counties of Lanark and Renfrew

In faith and Testimony whereof these Letters Testimonial are issued

Given at the Town of Perth in the County of Lanark and Province of Ontario, as to the time of the aforesaid Search and the sealing of these presents, this Twenty first day of November One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy three

Seal

C. Rice
Registrar of the Surrogate Court of the County of Lanark

Henry Bowman

In the name of God Amen I Henry Bowman of Harford County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body but of sound disposing mind memory and understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be the better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence, do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

First and principally I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix.

I will and devise that my personal property or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be sold by my Executrix to pay my debts and if the amount received from said Sale shall not be sufficient to pay all my debts, I will devise and direct my Executrix herein after named to sell such portion or parts of my Real Estate as will in her judgement be most advantageous to my Estate and the interest of those concerned therein and will pay all my debts, and my Executrix is hereby authorise to convey in fee simple when she sells my Real Estate

All the residue of my Estate real personal and mixed that shall be left after paying my debts, and the incidental expences of settling my Estate and the commission of my Executrix, I give and bequeath to my dear wife during her natural life and widowhood and after her deceased to all my children now living and the issue or children now living of my deceased children equally devised among them under this express price nevertheless that the children of my deceased children respectively shall only take the share that would fall to their respective deceased parent of living

My intention being to make all my children, those living and those deceased who left issue and now living equal in the distribution of my Estate after the decease of my wife

I hereby appoint my wife Priscilla Bowman Executrix of this my last will and testament with powers to do all I have directed to be done herein by my Executrix revoking and annulling all former wills by me heretofore made, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my last will and Testament

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twenty fourth day of December in the year of our Lord 1866.

Henry Bowman (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Henry Bowman the above named testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm B Stephenson, A. C. Gibson, J. M. Finney.

Harford County Set

on the 30th day of January 1871 then came William B Stephenson and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he doth not know of any Will or codicil of Henry Bowman Late of Said County deceased other than the above instrument of Writing, and that he received the Same from the hands of the Testator for Safe keeping

Sworn to in open Court

Test J R Ely RWHC

Harford County Set

on the 30th day of January 1871 then came Wm B Stephenson and on the 4th April 1871 Came A Clark Gibson and John M Conway Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Henry Bowman late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the Same to be his last Will and Testament, that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they Subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in Open Court Test J R Ely RWHC

Codicil

Whereas I Henry Bowman of Harford County having made and duly executed this Will my last Will and testament in writing being date the twenty fourth day of December Eighteen hundred and Sixty Six and being desirous of making some additions thereto do therefore hereby make this my Codicil which I will and direct shall be taken and held as part of my said Will and testament in manner and form following that is to say

I give and devise to my Son William E Bowman his heirs and assigns in fee simple all the parcel of Land upon which the said William now resides and has in possession Situate and lying in Harford County Maryland about one Mile West of Hopewell Cross Roads and on the South side of the road leading from Churchville to Hopewell Cross Roads being a part of the tract of Land called Aquilla Inherited and bounded on the West and South West by the lands of Henry C. Bowman containing about fifty acres of land, by the lands of William Hawkins and Shadrac Bailey under the East and North East, And I Will that my said Son William shall not have any part or portion of the rest or residue of my estate real or personal but the devise of the said fifty acres of Land is to be all that he is to receive out of Estate

I hereby will and direct that in the distribution of my Estate after the death of my Wife my Son James Harry Bowman shall be charged with the Sum of four hundred dollars as money advanced to him in my lifetime

In testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affix my seal this Sixth day of April in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Sixty Seven

Henry Bowman (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named testator as and for a codicil to his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request in his presence and in the presence of Each other have Subscribed our names as witnesses thereto

Wm B. Stephenson, James Whitlock, A. C. Gibson

Harford County Set

on the 4th day of April 1871 then came William B. Stephenson, James Whitlock and A. Clark Gibson Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Codicil of Henry Bowman Late of said County deceased, and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Codicil, that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his Codicil that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they subscribed their names as Witnesses to the Codicil in his presence and at his request and in the presence of Each other

Sworn to in open Court Test J R Ely RWHC

CERTIFICATE OF CAMERA OPERATOR

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE DOCUMENTS REPRESENTED BY THE MICROPHOTOGRAPHS APPEARING ON THIS ROLL OF FILM DESIGNATED AS REEL No. 6.1 WERE PHOTOGRAPHED BY THE UNDERSIGNED ON THIS DATE.

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BY Pete F. Castiglioni
(SIGNATURE OF OPERATOR)

DATE January 30, 1951

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