In the Name of God Amen. I Rachel Neil of Kent County being Sick and weak of Body but of Sound and Disposing Mind and Memory, do Make this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following — First I devise my Negroes Nann and Sam to Capt. John McGowan under Special trust and Confidence that he will in three Months after my Decease Manumitt and Set free the said Negroes, and if he should Neglect or Refuse so to do I Bequeath the said Negroes to the State of Maryland forever —

Also I Give and devise my three Negro Slaves Tan, Rachel and Ann to John McGowan Son of Capt. James McGowan and his Heirs forever — Also it is my Will that after all my Just Debts and funeral Expences are paid that the Residue of all my Estate, shall be the Property of Elizabeth McGowan Daughter of the said James McGowan to whom I devise, And I appoint Capt. John McGowan Executor of this my Last will and testament hereby Revoking all wills by me heretofore made, Witness my hand this thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord Seventeen Hundred and Eighty Seven — — — —

Rachel her X Mark Neil (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and Declared as her last will and testament by the testatrix, in the presence of the Subscribers, and at her Request — — —

Judith her X Mark McGowan, Rebecca Davis, —