Company are about to enlarge I therefore make this codicil to my annexed last will and testament hereby willing that the several sums of money left to My several daughters and to my Son in Law except my Son Cunningham Crabbs as before mentioned by my said Will shall be paid to them in bar Iron to take it at the forge rated at twenty seven pounds ten shillings circulating currency or sixteen pounds ten shillings sterling P. For Witness my hand and seal in presence of the subscribing Witnesses whom I have requested to bear Testimony hereof this Twenty third day of February Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and Seventy eight

David Ross (seal)

Adam Stephen
Denton Jacques.
Henry Gaither

David Meck. on the Back of the foregoing Will was thus written Prince Georges County To Wit December 12th 1778 came David Meck one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of Doctor David Ross late of said County deceased and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that he did see the Testator therein named sign and seal this Will and 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 his apprehension of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with Adam Stephen Jacques Denton and Henry Gaither the other three Witnesses respectively subscribed their names as Witnesses to this Will in the presence

and at the request of the Testator and in the presence of each other

Sworn before Sam.l Tyler R. Wills P.G. County

Prince Georges County S.t

(seal) In Testimony that the foregoing Will is a true Copy from the original duly Exhibited proved and recorded in my office I have hereto set my hand and affixed the Public seal of my office this Twenty eighth day of February in the Year of our Lord. Eighteen hundred and five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Twenty ninth

Trueman Tyler Reg. of Wills
for Prince Georges County

The Plaintiff also offered in Evidence that the said Anna Ross in the Will named is also dead and that David Horatio and Archibald Ross three of the Lessors of the Plaintiff are the Sons of the said David and Anna Ross deceased and that David Ross the Lessor of the Plaintiff is the eldest Son and also offered in Evidence a Deed from the said David Ross the Son to William Stewart one of the Lessors of the Plaintiff in the Words and figures following. This Indenture made this fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine between David Ross of Hadensburgh in Prince Georges County of the one part and William Stewart of the same Town and County of the other part Whereas the said David Ross is heir at Law of David Ross and one of the residuary devisees of the last Will and Testament of the said David Ross his father who therein devised and bequeathed sundry legacies which have never been paid or discharged and sundry debts of the said David Ross the Father yet remain due and unpaid and it is the intention of this Indenture to secure the payment of the said debts and legacies as also to discharge the proper debts due from David Ross herein named and the residue if any to be applied to and for the benefit of the said David This Indenture