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deceased and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that the foregoing Instrument of Writing is the only true and last Will and Testament of the said deceased which came To his hands or possession and that he doth not know of any other

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Examined

In the Name of God Amen I John Carr of Ann Arundel County and State of Maryland being sick and weak in Body but of a 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 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 and after my debts and funeral charges are paid then I give and bequeath as follows — — — — — — —

Item I give and bequeath the whole of my Personal Estate unto my Wife Rachel Carr during her Widowhood and no longer and on the day of her marriage or death which may happen first then my Will is that the whole of my personal Estate should be equally divided between my four Children except my Negro Man Tom which I leave as a Legacy unto my son William —

And lastly I do hereby constitute and Appoint my Wife Rachel Carr to be whole and sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament revoking and annulling all former Wills by me heretofore made or said to be 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 August one thousand seven hundred and ninety five — — — — — — — —

Signed Sealed published and declared by the aforesaid Testator John Carr to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at his request and in his presence hath subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto —

John Carr (seal)

Cunningham Drury
Samuel Busey

At the foot and on the back of the aforegoing Will are the following Probates Viz.t —

Anne Arundel County to wit } Then came Rachel Carr the Executrix Appointed in the within Will and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that this Instrument of Writing is the true whole and last Will and Testament of John Carr late of Anne Arundel County deceased that hath come to her hands and possession and that she doth not know of any other —

the 6th day of October 1795.

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Anne Arundel County to wit } Then came Samuel Busey one of the subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of John Carr late of Anne Arundel 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 that he heard him publish 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 a sound disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together with Cunningham Drury the other subscribing Witness respectively subscribed their Names as Witnesses to this Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator and all in the presence of each other — — — — — — —

the 6th Day of October 1795