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directed to be invested, and which fourth part or the Interest thereof hath been devised to the parents of the said children for their maintainance and Education:

Item. I do further will and direct that my said Executor or Executors shall hold the money so to be invested to the further use & Trust viz. to pay the Interest of one other fourth part thereof to the parents of the Children of my sister Mary Marriott untill the said Children shall respectively arrive to the age of twenty one years or marriage, for the maintainance and Education of the said children, and my said Executor or Executors are hereby directed to transfer unto the said children of the said Mary Marriott as he or she shall respectively the age of twenty one years or marriage his or her share of the one fourth part of the money so directed to be invested, and which fourth part or the Interest hath been devised to the children of the said Mary for their maintainance and Education

And. I do further will and direct that in case any of the children of the said Anne (now Anne McDonald) Henrietta Brown, Sarah & Mary Marriott, shall at the time of my death be of the age of twenty one, or be married, my Executor or Executors shall after the investment shall be made as herein before directed immediately transfer unto him or her the proportion herein bequeathed to him or her.

Item. do will and direct that my present Grave yard near Annapolis, which is now inclosed under paling be not sold, but remain for the use of such of my relations as may wish to be buried therein, and that my Executors have the said Grave yard inclosed by a brick wall, with a handsome and strong double gate, and the expence I do will and direct my Executors to pay out of the money due me on Bond

Item. In case my niece Anne the wife of Mr. McDonald shall die without any children, then I do hereby bequeath the share or portion left to her unto the children of my sisters Henrietta Brown Sarah Marriott and Mary Marriott in the same manner and to be paid at the same times and periods as I have before bequeathed to the children of the said Henrietta, Sarah and Mary.

Item. I do will and and bequeath all the residue of my Estate not heretofore or hereafter bequeathed by this my will to be sold by my Executors or one of them, on such credit as shall be by him or them thought proper, and the money arising from the sales to put out to Interest. And I do give and bequeath unto Anne Litchfield, John Litchfield, and William Litchfield children of Mary Litchfield before mentioned, an equal share or proportion of the said money and Interest, as they shall respectively arrive to the age of twenty one years.

Item. I do give and bequeath unto my nephews John Brown and William Marriott all my money on Bond, Note or Book account after finishing the Grave yard as before directed and paying all expences attending my funeral, which I will and direct shall be under the management of Mr. John Shaw of Annapolis & for which I bequeath to him twenty Guineas in satisfaction of his services & expences to be paid out of the monies due me on Bond.

Item. I do give and bequeath unto my nephew John Brown my wearing apparel, my watch, gun and pistols, also my riding creature

saddle and bridle,

Item. I do will and bequeath that my slaves by name Old Baze and little Baze, Jack, old Charles whom I bought at Rullands sale, Charles Brown son of Hagar, and Charles at Callings, and Moses be free on their finishing the different Crops on hand at my death. and I do also direct and will that my negroe women slaves by name Bett, my House Wench, Hagar Jenny Moll, and Poll, whom I had of Col. Hammond, with her children, Liddia & Harriott, with Phillis, Sue & Hess be also free at my death after assisting to secure my crop on hand. And I do will & direct that my Executors allow each of the negroes so devised to be free by me one large Hogg, with three Barrels of Corn each.

Item. I do further devise that all the remainder of my negroes shall be free twenty five years after my death together with their increase and issue, and untill that period, I do will and bequeath the said remainder of my negroes one fourth part thereof to my niece Anne McDonald, one fourth part to the children of Henrietta Brown, one fourth part to the children of Sarah Marriott & one fourth part to the children of Mary Marriott.

Item. I do give and bequeath unto the aforesaid Old Baze, his wife Jenny & Old Bett my House Wench for and during their natural lives and the life of the survivor of them, all that parcel of land commonly called Fields Point, which is now inclosed, and which said land lies to the southward of the main road leading from the Baltimore main road to Col. Dorsin Hammonds mill, I also devise to the said Old Baze, two plough Horses to be chosen by him from among my Horses to be chosen by him twenty Barrels of Corn, six head of sheep, two stacks of hay, five hundred weight of Bacon, two ploughs and gears, an Ox Cart and four Oxen.

Lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint Basil Brown and William Hammond Marriott the Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me made. And I do hereby give to my said Executors or any one of them the powers hereby before given to my Executors. And I do hereby give and bequeath unto my said Executors six hundred pounds Current money for their care and management of my Estate, in lieu & instead of all commissions or claim, which they would otherwise have by law for their Executorship. Given under my hand & seal this twenty fourth day of March Eighteen hundred and seven. (1807)

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by William Hammond the above named Testator as and for his last Will & Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence have subscribed as witnesses thereto & in the presence of each other.

Arthur Shaaff
Rachel Stevens
Thomas Simpson

William Hammond (Seal)

I William Hammond son of John Hammond of Anne Arundel County, do make this my Codicil to my Will bearing date even with this Codicil.

I do give and bequeath unto the children of my sister Mary