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of us who at his request, in his presence & in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto the words "to them & their heirs forever as tenants in common" being interlined between the 13th & 14th line of page 1st of said Codicil.

Witnesses – Chs. W. Hanson
Henry Grewe
William Davis

Anne Arundel County ss. } Then came Cassandra Gassaway and made Oath on the 25th day of March 1815 } the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the within Instrument of writing is the true, whole and last Will and Testament of Nicholas Gassaway late of Anne Arundel County deceased, that hath come to her hands or possession and that she doth not know of any other.

Sworn before — Jn. Gassaway Reg. Wills AA Cty.

Anne Arundel County ss. } Then came Jonathan Bliedh and Samuel Hooton the 25th day of March 1815 } two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of Nicholas Gassaway late of Anne Arundel County deceased, and being of the people called Quakers, did solemnly, sincerely and truly affirm and declare that they did see the Testator therein named sign and seal this will and 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 Samuel Godfrey 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. Affirmed to before – Jn. Gassaway Reg. Wills AA Cty.

Anne Arundel County ss. } Then came Henry Grewe and William Davis two of the the 25th day of March 1815 } subscribing Witnesses to the Codicil annexed to the last Will and Testament of Nicholas Gassaway late of Anne Arundel County deceased, and made oath on the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator therein named sign and seal this Codicil and 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 apprehensions of sound disposing mind, memory and understanding and that they together with Charles Wallace Hanson the other subscribing Witness respectively subscribed their names as witnesses to this Codicil in the presence and at the request of the Testator and all in the presence of each other. Sworn before — Jn. Gassaway Reg. Wills AA Cty.

I Cassandra Gassaway Widow of Nicholas Gassaway late of Anne Arundel County deceased, hereby renounce and quit all claim to any bequest or devise made to me by the last Will of my husband, exhibited and proved according to law; and I elect to take, in lieu thereof, my dower or legal share of the Estate of my said Husband.

March 25th 1815. — Cassandra her mark Gassaway

In the Name of God Amen. I, James Griffee of Anne Arundel County in the State of Maryland being sick and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and ~~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 herein after named and after my debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows:

Item. I give and devise unto my dear wife Catherine Griffee my plantation whereon I now dwell for and during her natural life, and at her death, to descend to my two much esteemed friends Robert Warfield Jun. and Greenbury Warfield sons of Levin Warfield deceased to be equally devided between them, to them the said Robert and Greenbury and their heirs and assigns forever, provided the said Robert Warfield and Greenbury Warfield provide and furnish my dear Wife aforesaid with a decent and comfortable maintainance for and during the remainder of her natural life and at her decease to bury her decently and provided the said Robert and Greenbury Warfield shall fail in the providing for my dear Wife as aforesaid, then and in such case, all the right and title, claim and interest given them by this my last Will & Testament in and to my said dwelling plantation to be null and void to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my dear Wife Catherine all my personal property of every description whatsoever. And lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint my much esteemed friend Robert Warfield Jun. 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 fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifteen.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by James Griffee 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 his mark Griffee (Seal)

Philemon D. Ridgely
Robert Warfield Senr
William his mark Hilton

Anne Arundel County ss. } Then came Robert Warfield Junr. and made oath the 29th day of March 1815. } on the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that the within Instrument of writing is the true and whole Will and Testament of James Griffee late of Anne Arundel County deceased, that hath come to his hands or possession and that he doth not know of any other.

Sworn before — Jn. Gassaway Reg. Wills AA Cty.

Anne Arundel County ss. } Then came Philemon D. Ridgely and William Hilton the 29th day of March 1815 } two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of James Griffee late of Anne Arundel County deceased and made oath on the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator therein named make his mark & 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 disposing mind