the Girl is to be sold and the money to be the property of my Brother Samel Watson.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this tenth day of April Anno Domini 1777.

Signed, Sealed, published and declared by Martha Pindle the above Testator as and for her last Will and Testament in the presence of us who at her request and in her presence have Subscribed our names as Witnesses thereto

Martha Pindel (seal)

Catharine her mark Bowney

B Harwood Junr

Prerogative Office to wit June 3. 1777. Came Benjamin Harwood Junr one of the wit:nesses to the within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he did see the Testatrix therein named sign and seal the said Will and heard her publish pronounce and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament, that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of his apprehension of a sound & disposing mind memory & understanding and that he together with Catharine Bowney the other subscribing Witness to this Will respectively signed their names as Witnl thereto in the presence & at the request of the Testatrix & in the presence of each other,

Sworn before me, Elie Vallette Regr

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maryland ss In the Name of God amen, I Michael Dowsey of Ann Arundell County and Province aforesaid being infirm in health but of soundness of mind and memory blessed be God therefore, and knowing it appointed for man once to die, do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz.t

Imprimis First and Principally I give my Soul to God that gave it me and my body to the Earth to be buried in a decent manner and as to my worldly Goods I dispose of them in the manner following,

Item, I give and bequeath to my Son John Dowsey and his Heirs for Ever one Tract of Land Called Toddy containing twenty seven Acres.

Item, I give and bequeath to my Son Michael Dowsey and his Heirs for Ever the Land whereon he now lives called Pushpin containing two hundred acres, part of first Discovery two hundred acres to be laid off across the said Land adjoyning of Pushpin & part of a Tract of Land Called First division containing Twenty five Acres, also one hundred Pounds Sterling money (to be paid Him by my Executor here:after mentioned) out of my Estate in full for his Part thereof,

Item, I give and bequeath to my son Lancelott Dowsey and his Heirs for Ever, Part of a Tract of Land called Good Range Containing three Hundred and thirty three acres, and part of a Tract of Land called Brothers Partnership containing three hundred and sixteen acres it be:ing in full for his part of my Estate,

Item, I give and bequeath to my Daughter Lydia Talbert and her Heirs for Ever one Negro Girl named Nan,

Item, I give and bequeath to my five Daughters, namely Elizabeth Burgess Sarah Berry, Ruth Dowsey, ann Elder & Lydia Talbert, and their Heirs for Ever the following negro Children namely, Nell, Caleb Dem:nis, Sam, Dinah & Basil to be equally divided amongst them my above said Daughters,

Item, I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Ruth Dowsey my dwelling Plantation being part of a Tract of Land Called first discovery con:taining three hundred acres, pat of first division Containing Forty eight acres during her natural Life or widow hood and at the expira:tion of either, to my son John Dowsey and his Heirs for ever, Like:wise give to my beloved Wife Ruth Dowsey after all my just debts