lived at a small distance in the same opening and was there almost every day during his last illness and that on the day of his executing the Will aforesaid he does not believe the Deceased to have been in his proper Senses and being asked his reason for such his belief saith that the Deceased's Discourse in general was quite Talk occasioned as this Deponent apprehends by the fever lying in his head and being Questioned saith that he cannot recollect any particular aspersion or Subject of such incoherent Discourse and further saith that if he had Apprehended he was to have declared that at the time of the Deceased Executing the Will aforesaid he was of a sound and disposing mind and Memory he would not have Signed as a Witness to the the said Will and further saith not

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for Respondent

The Deposition of Edmond Dickinson one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the Codicil Annexed to the Last Will and Testament of Cornelius Dickinson Deceased being first Sworn saith that some time after the Deceased's making his Will he this Deponent went over to the House of the Deceased & he found there Mr. Webb Jacob Williams and Abraham Cooling and that he saw the said Will lying upon the Table and Jacob Williams a reading part of it and this Deponent asked him if it was any harm to look at it and the said Williams Answered no upon which this

deponent looked at the Letter part which this deponent says he believes was the Codicil to the Will and laid it down again and in small time after he saw the dead sign and seal the last part and heard him acknowledge it as his last Will and Testament and y same manner as he did the Will and after the deceased signing his name Jacob Williams took up the Will and said here's Letters wants mending in the Deceased's name as this deponent believes) the Deceased made answer said if there any wants mending do it which this depon. believes the said Williams did and further saith that at the time of his executing the Codicil aforesaid he this deponent does not believe he was in his proper Senses and being questioned saith that his reason for such his belief is that the Deceased appeared to him to lay in very poor Condition and would not answer any Questions asked him but looked very wild about his Eyes as if his fever continued on his head and this deponent further saith he together with Jacob Williams and Abraham Cooling Subscribed their names as Witnesses to the said Codicil in the presence of the Testator and also saith that he heard Jacob Williams ask the Deceased before he the said Williams Signed as a Witness whether he the Testator was in his Senses to which he answered yes he thought he was as well in his Senses as ever he was in his life only low and weak in flesh

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