of them, my said sons, Joseph, Edward, George and Henry, and to the heirs of such child and children of my blood forever. I also give and devise to her, the said Jane Wheeler, an annuity of one hundred and fifty dollars a year, for and during the term of her natural life, provided she shall survive me, or she may at her option receive from my executors the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, in money, in lieu of this annuity of one hundred and fifty dollars a year.

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3rd. I give and devise to my grandson Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte: 1st. My Mount Pleasant plantation near Reisterstown, containing about three hundred acres of land, more or less, together with all the live stock, implements of husbandry and everything else on the place, except the negroes, at my decease. 2nd. A lot of ground of about 120 feet front on Queen street, running back northwardly to Philpot street. 3rd. A triangular lot of ground at the intersection of Pitt and — streets, on which there are two frame houses, occupied by the widow Phillips and her son. 4th. A lot of ground of about 120 feet deep on Wolf street, bounded by George and Lancaster streets. 5th. A lot of ground behind the Causeway, of about 120 feet front on Spring street, running eastwardly and binding on — street to — street, on which there are new brick buildings belonging to — —. 6th. An entire square of ground on Dulaney street on Hamstead Hill, on which there is a frame building, occupied by the widow Cadd, on ground-rent; all of which property is subject to small ground rents, except the last square on Hamstead Hill, and all of which described lands, houses and lots and property as above described in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th clauses of this third paragraph of this

first codicil to my aforesaid will, I give and devise to my said grandson Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, for and during the term of his natural life, and from and after his decease, I give and devise all the said described property to all and every the child and children of him, the said J. N. Bonaparte, in equal proportions, and equally to be divided between them, and to the heirs of such child or children of my blood forever and for default of such child or children at the death of him, my said grandson J. N. Bonaparte, then I give and devise all the above described lands, lots, houses and property, as contained in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th clauses of this third paragraph of this codicil to my will to my four sons Joseph, Edward, George and Henry, for and during the term of their natural and respective lives, in equal proportions and equally to be divided between them; and from and after their decease, I give and devise all the said above described property to all and every the child and children of them, my said four sons Joseph, Edward, George and Henry, in equal proportions and equally to be divided between them, and to the heirs of such child or children of my blood forever.

In witness whereof, I, William Patterson, the testator, have hereunto set my hand and seal, at Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, this eighth day of Sept., in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty (1830.)

Wm. Patterson. (Seal.)

Signed, sealed and pronounced by the said William Patterson, the testator, as and for his first codicil to his last will and testament, in presence of us, who have hereto subscribed