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to begin at the head of the Creek and so down the whole breadth untill his Compleatment be up of two hundred acres with a west Line Drawn from the Creek untill he Come to the Land of Wm Frisbey wch Two hundred acres I give unto him the sd Richd John my Grand-Son and the heires of his body forever but if he should happen to die before he Come of age then the said Land to return to my Son Henry Hosier to whome I Leave all the Rest of my Land and as to my Personall Estate my will is that my wellbeloved wife Rebecca Hosier shall have Jack ~~negro Will~~ and Hester her wife in her third part of my Estate and that my wellbeloved Son Henry Hosier shall have Negro Will and Hester in his third part and that my daughter Rebecka Hosier have the Negro Girle Frankee in her third part of my personall Estate my will is that Negro Robin shall be free ~~[illegible]~~ Imediately after my Decease I not forgetting my Daughter Joanna Thomas and my Daugh-ter Mary Johns but Loves them very well I haveing Given them their portions already according to my ability and for the farther explaining my will and meaning after my debts and Legacyes be paid and negro Robin Prince be Set free that each part of my personall Estate be Equally Divided between my youngest Daughter Rebecca Hosier my Son Henry Hosier and my wellbeloved wife Rebecca Hosier and where as my Daughter has not her part com[illegible] of the Negros she Rebecca must have it in other things next best to the Negroes to make her part Equall to the other two parts and for the performance of this my Last will and Testamt I do ordaine and appoint my wellbeloved wife Rebecca Hosier and my wellbeloved Son Henry Hosier to be my Extr and Executor of this my Last will and Testament as Witness my hand and Seale this Day of the 5th Month 1710

Henry Hosier (Seal)

Signed sealed and acknowledged
in the presence of us

William Lewis John his Casslick Giles porter

On ye back of sd will was thus written viz

Novr 9th 1710 John Cassley makes oath and Wm Lewis and Giles Porter took the Test that they saw the within Henry Hosier Signe Seale acknowledge publish and Declare the within Instrument of wrighting to be his Last will and Testamt and that he was of perfect Sence and memory at ye time of his so Doeing to ye best of their knowledge

before me Thos Smyth
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In the name of God Amen I Eliza Whitehead being very Sick and weak but of perfect memory do I make this my Last will and Testament in Manner and forme following

Item first I give and bequeath my Soul into the hands of almighty God who Gave it me hoping through the merits of his blessed Son Jesus Christ I Shall have full pardon for all my Sins

Item after my Death I desire that my body shall be decently buried

Item I give and bequeath unto my two Children name Thomas and Sarah Whitehead all my personall Estate belong-ing to me after my Just Debts are paid

Item after my Decease my will is that Doctor Richd Simmons shall have my Son Thomas Whitehead at his Care & Charge while he Comes to twenty years of age he being Seven months old the third day of this Instant March - Item after my Decease my will is that Danll Sherwill shall have my Daughter Sarah Whitehead at his Care & Charge while the age of Sixteen or day of Marriage she is three years of age about the Last of Novr Last past if Doctor Simmons refuses my Son Thomas Danll Sherwill to have him as afsd Item after my Decease I leave my Loving brother James Smith whole & Sole Extr of this my Last will & Testamt Nulling of all others formerly made or done as witness my hand & Seal this 13th day of March 1710

Eliza her + mark Whitehead (Seal)

Signed Sealed & delivered
in the presence of us

Wm Haynes John Willis Mary her + mark Haynes

On the back of the sd will was thus Endorsed viz

March 27th 1711 Wm Haynes and Mary Haynes two of the Evidences to the within will make oath that they saw the within Testator Eliza Whitehead Signe Seale publish and Declare the within Instrument of wrighting to be her Last will and Testamt and that she was of perfect Sence and memory at ye time of her so Doeing to the best of their Knowledge

before me Thos Smyth D: Comy Commr

Pd In the name of God Amen the Seventh day of November in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred & nine - I Dorothy Rovens of Great Choptank in Dorchester and province of Maryland Widow being weak in body of perfect health mind and memory thanks be Given unto God therefore Calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordaine this my Last will and Testament that is to Say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my

(Soul)