Time of this so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective Names as witnesses to the said will in the presence of the Testator and at his request. Sworn before Ch. Ryllson D. Comy Kent County.

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In the name of God amen I Gideon Peace Junr. of Kent County in Maryland Being sick and weak of Body but of sound and perfect disposing mind and memory praise be to God therefore first and principally I recommend my soul to the hands of Almighty God who gave it me hoping through the Merits of Jesus Christ Our Saviour to receive Everlasting happiness and as Touching such worldly Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to Bestow on me I dispose of in Manner and Forme following

Imprimis First I will and Bequeath that all my just debts and funeral Charges be paid and Discharged

Item I will and Bequeath that my Body be Decently buried at the Discretion of my Executor hereafter mentioned

Item I will and Bequeath unto my loving wife Patrick Peace a young Black Mare and Side saddle and Bridle

Item. I will and Bequeath unto my son William Peace one young Sorrell Mare

Item. I will and Bequeath unto my said son William Peace and his heirs and assigns part of a Tract of land Called Worthmanor lying on Warton Creek

Item. I will and Bequeath to my son Gideon Peace and his heirs and assigns one Lott of land in George Number One

Item. I will and Bequeath to my son Thomas Peace and his heirs and assigns one Lott of land in George Town Numbd. two

Item. I will and Bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Peace one Negro Girl Called Rainey to be paid to her when she Comes to the age of Sixteen or at the day of Marriage

Item I will and Bequeath unto my Daughter Patrick Peace one Negro Boy Called Emanuel to be paid her when she Comes to the age of Sixteen or at the Day of Marriage

(Item)

Item I will and Bequeath that all the residue of my Estate after my just debts and funeral Charges being paid and my wifes thirds deducted be Equally Devided between my sons and daughters William, Gedion, Thomas, Mary and Patrick Lastly I Nominate Constitute appoint and Ordain my loving wife Patrick Peace whole and sole Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this first day of February One thousand seven hundred and forty four

Gideon Peace Junr (Seal)

Signed Sealed published and Declared in presence of — Further before the signing and sealing of these presents I will and Bequeath unto my son William Peace my Silver Shoe Buckles Stock Buckles and Clasps

Gll Forester
Lewis Williams
Wm Peace

At the foot of the aforegoing will was thus Written Vizt

May 25. 1745. Came William Peace and Lewis Williams two of the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing will Wm Peace being sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God and Lewis Williams on his Solemn Affirmation do depose and say that they saw Gideon Peace Junr. the Testator signe the foregoing will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his last will and Testament and that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of sound and disposing Mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective Names as Witnesses to the said will in the presence of the Testator and at his request and that at the same Time they saw the Revd. George William Forrester the other Witness signe the same.

Sworn Before Ch. Ryllson D. Comy Kent County.

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In the name of God amen the fourth Day of June Anno Domi 1745 I Robert Dew of Kent County in Maryland being Very sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God therefore Calling unto mind the

(Mortality)