Maryland ss.

I Edward Dorsey Junr. of Ann Arundell in the province aforesaid being sick and weak of body but of perfect disposing Mind and Memory thanks be to almighty God for that and all other his Mercies on me bestowed Revoking Disannulling and utterly making void all and every Will or Wills Testament or Testaments by me heretofore made and do make Ordain and appoint this present Writing to be for Ever hereafter held taken and deemed as my last Will and Testament in manner and form as followeth Viz.

Imprimis. I give and bequeath unto my Dear and Loving Wife Sarah during her Natural Life my dwelling plantation together with two hundred and a half acres of Land belonging to it being part of a Tract of Land called Thomas's Lott alias Dorsey Addition to Thomas's Lott. I also give and bequeath unto my said Wife after my just debts are paid One Negro Man Named Phebian One Negro Man Named Harry, One Negro Man named Harry, One Negro Man named Sam, One Negro Woman Named Abigail.

2dly I give and bequeath unto my Son Loton Dorsey unto him and his Heirs for Ever One Hundred Two and a half acres of Land out of the Land above mentioned to be laid out on West side thereof, as also One Negro Girl named Isabell and her Increase

3dly I give and bequeath unto my Son Edward Dorsey unto him and his Heirs for Ever One Hundred Acres of Land out of the Land above mentioned as also one Negro Girl named Nan and her Increase.

4thly I give and bequeath unto my Son Joshua Dorsey unto him and his Heirs for Ever One Hundred Acres of Land being part of a Tract of Land called Dorsey Addition to Thomas's Lott as also One Negro Girl named Joan and her Increase.

5thly I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Rachel Dorsey unto her and her Heirs for Ever One Negro Girl named Lucy and her Increase.

6thly I give and bequeath unto Benjamin Walker Son of John unto him and his Heirs for Ever forty five and a half Acres of Land being part of a Tract of Land called Dorsey Addition to Thomas's Lott to be laid out agreeable to a Bond bearing Date the Twenty fifth Day of July One Thousand Seven Hundred and fifty.

And it is my Will and desire that if any of my three Sons Loton, Edward or Joshua shall dye before they arrive to the age of Twenty one years that then their Estates both Real and personall to be divided between the Surviving Brethren

6thly I Constitute and appoint my aforesaid Wife and Michael Dorsey to be my Executrix and Executors of this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand and Seal this Thirteenth Day of January One Thousand Seven Hundred and fifty three.

Edward Dorsey Junr. {Seal}

Signed Sealed and Declared in the presence of

Phi. Dorsey
Benjn. Lawrence
Samuel Sci Norwood
James Macgill

} On the Back of the aforegoin Will was these Written. Viz.

On the 19th of March 1753. Phil. Dorsey and Benjamin Lawrence two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will made Oath on the Holy Evangels of almighty God that they saw the Testator Edward Dorsey Junr. sign the said Will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, 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 and saw James Margill and Samuel Norwood subscribe as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his Request. Sworn to before me the Day and year aforesaid

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Walter Dulany Dulany
Ann. Cty.

In the Name of God Amen the 5th Day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and fifty Two I Vincent Dorsey of Ann Arundell County in the province of Maryland being very sick and very weak in body but of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given unto God therefore Calling into Mind the Mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die do make and Ordain this my last

Will and Testament that is to say, principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the Hands of God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the direction of my Executrix nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form.

Imprimis, It is my Will and I do Order that in first place all my just debts and funeral Charges be paid and Satisfied.

Item, I give and bequeath unto my Beloved Wife Sarah Dorsey my Gold Stone Buttons marked V.D. on the Side to her and her Heirs for Ever.

Item, I give and bequeath unto John Dorsey Son of Greenberry all my wearing apparel and Gun to him and his Heirs for Ever.

Item, I give and bequeath unto Greenberry Dorsey Son of John Dorsey and Elizth. Dorsey one Negro Girl Nam'd Moll about five years old now, which said Negro Moll to be paid to the said Greenberry Dorsey at the years of Twenty One or Day of Marridge and for him to hold the said Negro him and his Heirs for Ever, But it's my Will that if the aforesaid Negro Moll should die before paid away by my Executors or any Security of theirs that the said Negro Moll is not to be made good but the said Greenberry to be the Loser.

Item, I give and bequeath unto Vincent Cromwell Son of Woolgist and Veronica Cromwell the first Child that my Negro Wench Silvia has that Living, and the said Child to be paid to the said Vincent Cromwell at the years of Twenty One or Day of Marridge and the said Vincent to hold the said Child him and his Heirs for Ever. But in case my Negro Wench should not have any Child to live before the said Vincent Cromwell come to age or Marriage then it is my Will that the said Vincent have Twenty pounds Current Money paid him by my Execr. or their Servitiors at the Day of Twenty One or Day Marridge.

Item, I give and bequeath the Rest Residue of my Estate which I have not all Ready given away by Legacey to my Beloved Wife Sarah Dorsey to her and her Heirs for Ever., Whom I likewise Constitute make and Ordain my only and Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament all and singular the Land Messuages Tenements to her and her Heirs and Assigns for Ever. And I do thereby utterly disallow Revoke and Disannul all and every other former Testaments Wills Legacies and Executors by me in any ways before this time Nam'd Will'd and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my Hand and Seal the Day and year above Written.

Vincent Dorsey {Seal}

Signed Sealed published pronounced and Declared by the said Vincent Dorsey as his last Will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers.

Ja. Walker
John Cromwell Son of Joshua
John Gardner.

} On the Foot of the aforegoin Will was these Written, Viz.

On the 5th of February 1753. John Cromwell and John Gardner two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will made Oath on the Holy Evangels of almighty God that they saw the Testator Vincent Dorsey Sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, 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 and saw James Walker subscribe his name as Witness to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his Request. Sworn before me the Day and year aforesaid

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Walter Dulany Dulany
Ann. Cty.

In the Name of God Amen, I Thomas Todd Lord of Queen Ann's County in the province of Maryland planter being weak publish and acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form following and first I commend my Soul into the Hands of almighty God who gave it and my Body to the Earth from whence it came in certain hope of a Resurrection thro' the Merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ.

Item, I give to my Beloved Wife Mary Todd all my Household Stuff furniture also all the Meat and Corn, Likewise I give my Beloved Wife Mary Todd two plow Horses Tall'd Bolt and Spirit and my Riding Horse Lige also I give my Beloved Wife Mary Todd the Choice of Six of the best of the Old Cattle and three of the best of the Young Cattle and all the Living Hogs also I give my Beloved Wife Mary Todd my Servant Man named Matthew and all my Working Tools, I give my Beloved Wife