Subscribing Witnesses to this Will & Made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that she Saw the Testator Signe Seal & Deliver this to be his Last Will & Testament & at the Time of his so doing he was Sound in Mind & of Perfect Memory to the best of her Knowledge before me

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In the Name of God Amen, the Twenty Third Day of February & the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred & Twenty Six I George Barkus of Kent in the Province of Maryland being Sick in Body but of Good Perfect Memory thanks be to Almighty God, & Calling to remembrance the Uncertain Estate of this Transitory Life & that all Flesh must yield unto Death, when it please God to call do make constitute ordain & declare this my Last Will & Testament in Manner & Form following revoking & admulling by these presents all & every Testament & Testaments Will & Wills heretofore by me made & declared either by Word or by Writing & this to be taken only for my last Will & Testament & none other, and first being penitent & Sorry from the Bottom of my Heart for my Sins past most humbly desiring Pardoness for the Same, I give & commit my Soul unto almighty my Savour & redeemer in whom & by the Merits of Jesus Christ I trust & believe assuredly to be Saved & have full Remission & Forgiveness of all my Sins & that my Soul with my Body at the generall Days of Resurrection shall rise again with Joy and through the Merits of Christs Death & Passion possess & inherit the Kingdom of Heaven prepared for

for his Elect & Chosen & my Body to be buried in Such place where it shall please my Executors hereafter named to appoint & now for the Satling of my Temporall Estate & such Goods Chattles & Debts as it hath pleased God far above my Desert to bestow upon me, I do order give & dispose of in Manner & form following, that is to Say First I will that all those Debts & Dutties as I owe in Right or Conscience to any Manner of Person or persons whatsoever shall be well & truly Contented & paid or ordained to be paid within Convenient Time after my decease by my Executors hereafter named

Item I give & bequeath unto my loving Wife Elizth my bed and Bedding whereon I lye & my Horse named Jinker & my Brendell Cow & her Calfe & three Ewes with there increase the Choose of my Sheep Two putter Dishes & Two plates the Two wheels & looking Glass & my largest Iron Pott that I have at home & four Spotted Burrows & one lested one & her Own Sow & Piggs & my best Chest & the Wooll of all my Sheep this Year and my Box Iron & heaters with all my Meat & Corn to Maintain her & her Young Child

Item I give & bequeath to my Son William Barkus one Steer amedetly after my Decease

Item I give & bequeath to my Dauther Elizabeth wife of Daniel Boulton the Iron Pot I lent her when I cam over the River

Item I give to my Dauther Hannah Barkus my other Bead and what belongs to it and one Ewe & lam to be paid within a Month after my Decease & the Red Box lock & Key at the same time

Item I give & bequeath to my Dauther Mary Barkus one Ewe with ye increase & to my Dauther Rebecca Barkus one Ewe with ye increase.

Item I give & bequeath to my Son James Barkus my Middle Pot & to my Son George Barkus ye little Iron Pott

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