Edward Needles one of the subscribeing Wittnesses to the foregoing will and made oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he saw the Testator Benjamin Parrott signe and seale and heard him publish and Declare the same as his Last Will and Testament and at the time of his soe Doeing he was to the best of his knowledge and apprehension of sound & disposeing Mind and memory and that he the aft Edward Needles as a Witness subscribed the said Will in the presence of the said Testator further declares that William Goult as a wittness subscribed the said Will in the presence of the said Testator — sworn to before me — Th Bozman Dep. Comy Talb.

Talbott Cty ss. Decr 18th 1728 Then came John Slaughtor One of the subscribeing wittnesses to the foregoing Will (being one of the People called Quakers) and made his sollemn affir=mation) that he saw the Testator Benjamin Parrott signe and seale and heard him publish and Declare the same as his Last will and Testament and that at the time of his soe doeing he was to the best of knowledge and apprehension of sound and Disposeing mind and memory and that he the aft John Slaughtor as a wittness subscribed the said Will in the Presence of the aft Testator —

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Affirmed to before me Th Bozman Dep. Comy Talb.

X Talbott ss. In The name of God amen I Joseph Arey of Talbott County in the province of Maryland being sick and weak of body but of sound and perfect sence and memory doe make and declare this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following. First and principally I doe resigne my soul to almighty God my Creator in sure and certaine hope of forgiveness of my sins by the merits of Jesus Christ my blessed saviour and Redeemer and my body to the Earth or as it shall please God to Dispose thereof &c.

1ly I doe give and bequeath to my sons in Law Eliazor Parratt and William Parratt after my Deare and Loveing wife Jane Areys Decease all that track of Land lying in the County aft called Sallop to

them and their heirs for Ever to be Equally Divided between Them —

2ly I do give and bequeath to my son Jonathan Arey my young Mare which Commonly Rode named Phenea: and the Gun which is called his. In wittness whereof I have Hereunto set my hand and seale this sixth Day of Novem: in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and twenty and Eight —

Joseph Arey (his seal)

Signed sealed and declared In the presence of us —
Edward Needels
George Golt —
John his I mark Tomlinson Junr

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written viz. —

Talbott County ss. Decr 18th 1728 Then Came Edward Needles and John Tomlinson Junr two of the subscribeing wittnesses to the Foregoing will and made oath on the holy Evangelists of Al=mighty God: that they saw the Testator Joseph Arey signe and seale and heard him publish as his Last will & Testament and that at the time of his so doeing he was to the best of their knowledge of sound and disposeing mind & Memory and that they the aft Edward Needles & John Tomlinson Junr as wittnesses subscribed the said Will in the presence of the said Testator, and they further Declare that George Golt one of subscribeing wittnesses subscribed as a wittness to the said Will in the presence of the Testator —

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Sworn to before me Th Bozman Dep. Comy Talb.

X In The name of God amen I James Sanford of Talbot County in the province of Maryland Gent being aged and weak of body but of sound and perfect mind & memory (praised be God for the same) and well knowing the uncertainty of Human Life and that it is appointed for all men to Dye Doe make this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form —