But if she should die then Ben Ward is to take them and to give them sufficient Schooling and after my just Debts are paid, then my Estate to be Equally Devied between my Wife and Children and if my Wife should die then my Estate to be Equally devied between my two Children, and I leave them gold to make them each a Ring and the Posey of them to be when this you See, Remember me J. S.

This I Acknowledge to be my last Will and Testament and all other Wills made by me to be void Excepting this and of no Effect

John Summers (Seale)

Signed Seald and Delivered in the presents of us the Words Enterlined made by me Excepting this

Henry Ennalls
Elizabeth Carr
Michael Collins

On the back of ye aforegoing Will was ye following Probat thus Written viz.

Jan.y 27th 1732 Came Henry Ennalls Elizabeth Carr and Michael Collins ye Three Subscribing Witnesses to ye Last Will and Testament of John Summers lately Deceased and made Oath on ye holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they Saw the Said John Summers Signe and Seale and heard him Publish and Declare ye within Instrument of Writing to be his last Will and Testament and att the time of his So doing he was to the best of their Knowledge in perfect Sense & memory

Jn.o Pitt Deptt Comty of Dorchester County

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Exam.d

In the Name of God Amen The Eleven Day of January one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Eight Nine, I Jonathan Clifton of Dorchester County in the Province of Maryland being very Sick and weake in body but of Perfect Mind

minde and memory Thanks be given to God Therefore Calling to Mind the Mortality of my body and Knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Dye I Doe 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 my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be Buried in Decent Christian Buriall att the Discretion of my Executors nothing Doubting but att the General Resurrection I Shall receive The Same againe 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 Demise and Dispose of the Same in the following Manner and form Viz.t Imprimis I Give and bequeath unto William Clifton my Eldest Son Fiftie Acres of Land Called Cliftons Chance to him and his Heirs for Ever And forty Acres of Land Called the White Marsh to him and his Heirs for Ever Excepting the Previledge that I bequeath unto my Son Jonathan Clifton in ye P. White Marsh for the Conveniency of his Stock Dureing the Spring of the Year Item I give and Bequeath unto my Son Thomas Clifton One Hundred Acres of Land Called Boyces Adventure To him and his Heirs for Ever, Item I give and bequath unto my Son Daniel Clifton Forty Acres of Land called Evinses Adventure to him and his Heirs for Ever - Item I Give and and bequeath unto my Young Son Jonathan Clifton one Hundred Acres of Land in two Tracks The one is Called Beckorleys and the other is Called Linkhorn to him and his Heirs for Ever. Furthermore I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Jonathan Clifton One Negro Gyrle Called Beck and my Great Byble and my Rideing horse with Saddle and Bridle. furthermore it is my Desire that my Son Jonathan Shall be Instructed to Read the Byble through Perfectly and the Charges to be Reducted out of my Principle Estate and my Son Jonathan Shall Be at his own Liberty at Sixteen Years of Age and till the Expiration of the P. Time to be under the Conduct of his mother in