In the Name of God Amen the Eleventh Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred & Forty One Timothy Macomb of Stepney Parish in the County Somerset Planter being Very Sick & weak in Body but of Perfect mind and Memory thanks be to given unto God therefore calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make & Ordain this my Last Will & Testament that is to say Principally & first of all I give & Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it & for my Body I Recommend it to the earth to be buried in a Christian like & decent Manner at the Discretion of my Executors 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 & I do Order that in the first place all my just Debts and General Charges be Paid & Satisfied by my Executor and afterwards I give to his Son Julial Mozeck —

Item I give unto William Woodland and Alson Lad now Living with me one Feather Bed and Rugg and Bolster Blanket & Sheet Likewise I give to him one Small Mare Colt Likewise my best Wearing Coat to him & his Heirs forever —

Item I give to my Wife Grand Daughter Rebecca Chapland one feather Bed Bolster Rugg Blanket and Sheet that I now lye on to her and her Heirs forever —

and Last of all I Constitute make and Ordain my Son in Law Benjamin Mozeck my Only Sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly disallow Revoke disannull all and every Other former Testaments Wills Legacies and Executors by me in any Ways before this time named Confirming this and no Other to be my Last Will & Testament in Witness whereof I have set my hand & Seal the Day Year above Written —

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the Said Timothy Macom as his Last Will & Testament in the Presence of us the Subscribers — George Dashiell, Jo. O Hurst, Richard R Dun (his mark)

Timothy (his mark) Macom (Seal)

After my Legacies and Debts are paid I do give the rest of my Goods and Chattels to be Equally divided amongst my Last Wife & Children and the aforesaid William Woodland to Enjoy the same forever —

At the foot of the aforegoing Will is thus Written Viz —

October the 31st 1741 Came George Dashiell and Richard Dun two of the Subscribing Evidences to this Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they Saw the Testator Timothy Macom Sign & Seal and heard him Publish Pronounce and Declare the within Instrument of Writing to be his Last Will & Testament & that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of Sound & Disposing mind & Memory and Understanding and that they the said George Dashiell and Richard Dun Subscribed this Will in his Presence and at his Request and Declare they Saw the Other Evidence Joseph Hurst Subscribe the said Will with them at the same time at the Request of the Testator as also these Deponents further Declare on their Oaths that they heard the Testator Acknowledge what is Written on the Top of this side of Paper to be part of his Last Will & Testament The Written after the Will was Signed —

Sworn before Nehemiah King Deputy Comty of Somt County —

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In the Name of God Amen The Twenty Seven Day of May Anno Domi One thousand Seven hundred & Forty One I John Starling of Somerset County in the Province of Maryland Planter being of Perfect mind & memory thanks being unto Almighty God and calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye do make & Ordain this my Last Will & Testament in manner and form following Viz —

Imprimis I give and Devise unto my Son John Starling the Land that did belong unto my Father it being whereon I now live Begining at the Mouth of a Ditch called Barns Ditch and from thence runing to a Cedar post Standing

Standing in the Marsh near to a small Pond and from thence to a Marked Maple Standing on the head of a Slash Called Crabtree Slash & Excepting the Orchards thereon half the Benefit of which I have to my two Sons Henry & Aaron to be Divided between them untill such time as they shall raise an Orchard for themselves, as also not to debar my Wife Mary Starling the use of my Dwelling house & one Barn during her Natural Life or Widowhood & afterward the said Land and appurtenances thereof I give to my said Son John & his Heirs forever —

Item I give and Devise unto my Son Henry Starling all that Tract of Land called Apes hole Excepting the Little Piece that lyeth on the South side of the Old Road it was called Apes hole Road that the two Lines Split which said Piece I have Sold to James Hurd & for which he has paid me to him the said Henry & his Heirs forever —

Item I give unto my Son Henry Starling my Bell mettle Spice Mortar One Cow Calf and one Great Corridge Trott. —

Item I give and Devise unto my Son Aaron Starling all the Land Marsh formerly belonging to Richard Barns Begining at the Mouth of the Ditch that Richard Barns Digged from thence running to a Cedar Post standing by the Edge of the Marsh from thence to a Marked Gum from thence to a Maple Standing on the head of a Slash called of Crabtree Slash, as also one Other Tract of Land called Haphazzard to him the said Aaron & his Heirs forever But my Will is that in Case my Son Aaron Starling should die without Lawfull Issue that then my Son Joseph Starling shall have the aforesaid Land I have here given to my son Aaron —

Item I give unto my Sch Aaron Starling that Bed he lieth on with the furniture thereof One Cow Calf two Large Pewter Dishes & half a Dozen Pewter plates, as also one Small Fowling Piece —

Item I give unto my Son Joseph Starling two Tracts of Land the One called Cherry Hinton Containing One hundred Fifty Acres the Other called Frustration containing Forty Acres to him the said Joseph & his Heirs forever —

Item I give unto my Son Joseph Starling One Feather Bed & furniture, as also one Horse he to have the Choice of all and one Cow & Calf & one Small Fowling Piece all to be Delivered him at the age of Twenty one Years —

Item My Will is that my Marsh not already Sold away shall remain for the use of my Wife Mary Starling and my Sons John, Henry, Aaron & Joseph Starling to them my said Sons & to their Heirs forever. —

Item I Leave unto my Well Beloved Wife Mary Starling my Mill During her Life but not to debar my Sons John Aaron and Joseph of use of it & after my said Wifes Decease I give the said Mill to my Son Aaron —

Item I give unto my Daughter Martha one Cow & Calf, one Feather Bed & furniture to be Delivered her at the age of Sixteen Years —

Item I give unto my Daughter Hannah Ward one Shilling Sterling it being the full Part of her Portion —

Item I give unto my Daughter Rachel Ward one Shilling Sterling it being the full Part of her Portion —

lastly I Constitute make & Ordain my Well Beloved Wife Mary Starling & also my Son Aaron Starling my whole & Sole Executrix & Executor of this my Last Will & Testament Ratifying & Confirming this no Other to be my Last Will & Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal the Day & Year First above Written —

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and Declared by the said John Starling as his Last Will & Testament in Presence of us — William Fordred, David Bird, Isaac Moore

The John (his mark) I Starling (Seal)

On the Back of the aforegoing Will is thus Written Viz —

October the 31st 1741 Came David Bird and Isaac Moore two of the Subscribing Evidences to the within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they Saw the Testator John Starling sign & Seal and heard him Publish Pronounce & Declare the within Instrument of Writing 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 memory and Understanding and that they the said David Bird and Isaac Moore, Subscribed the within Will at the request of the Testator and further Deposed they Saw the Other Evidence William Fordred, Subscribed at the same time all in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator John Starling —

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Sworn to before. Nehemiah King Dep. Comty of Somt County —

On the 31st Day of October 1741 Came Mary Starling relict of the said John Starling Deceased and made her Election to his Will & Devises to be Concluded by the thirds of the Estate and quit any pretentions by the Will

Attested p Nehemiah King D.C. —