upon the holy Evangels of almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testator Andrew Owens sign and seal the said Will and hear 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 the said Deponents did subscribe their Respective Names as Witnesses to the same Will in the Presence of the same Testator and at his request. Before me January the 22d day anno Domini 1747

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Thos Bullen Commry Talbot County

In the Name of God Amen. I Isabell Taylor of Talbot County gentlewoman being very weak in Body but of Perfect mind and memory blessed be the Lord for the same calling to mind the uncertainty of this Life, I do this Fifteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred forty and Seven make and Publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, that is to say I recommend my soul into the hands of almighty God that gave it and my Body to the Earth from whence it came to be Buried in a decent manner and as for the worldly Estate which it hath Pleased God to give me I dispose of as followeth. Imprimis It is my Will and desire after my Just debts and funeral Charges is paid that my two young Negroes go to my Grand Children to wit Henry Taylor and James Taylor Negro Jem I give to Henry Taylor and Negro Hannah I give to James Taylor and all my other moveable Estate and Jane the Carpenter I all Item other my Rights and Profects I leave to be equall divided between my two Granddaughters to wit Rebecca Taylor and Catharine Taylor Excepting only a Remnant of Turkyworkt Sattin I give to William Stevens two daughters in Dorchester County and lastly I appoint my daughter Rebecca Taylor and John Walker Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby making null and void all other Will or Wills and this only to Remain In Witness whereof I have set my hand and seal the day and year above written Signed sealed and delivered in the Presence of us.

Isabell her L mark Taylor (Seal)

Mary Marchent
Mary her O mark Jones
Margaret her N mark Wal

} On the back of the foregoing Will was thus written Viz.t Talbot County ss. Mary Jones and Margaret Wal two of the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will

being Sworn upon the holy Evangels of almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testatrix Isabell Taylor sign and seal the said Will and hear her Publish and declare the same to be her last Will and Testament that at the time of her so doing she was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory Before me this first day of February anno Domini 1747.

Thos Bullen Commry

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Talbot County

Maryland ss. In the Name of God amen I William Mackey of Talbot County being very weak and sick of Body but of Perfect and sound memory blessed be Almighty God for the same do constitute and appoint this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz.t

1st I give and Bequeath my Soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it and hoping that through the merits of our Blessed Saviour Jesus Christ at the general Resurrection at the last day to Inherit eternal Life I likewise give my Body to the Ground to be Buried in a Christian manner at the Will of my Executors that shall be hereafter named. 2dly I will that all my debts and Funeral Charges be forthwith discharged and Paid. 3dly I give and Bequeath unto my Wife Rachel Mackey and my two Sons Hezekiah and Philip Mackey my two Negroes Viz.t George and Rose to be equally divided among them 4dly I give and Bequeath unto my Son Robert Mackey the first child that the said Rose bringeth to him and his heirs forever. 5dly I give and Bequeath unto my Son Philip Mackey my Gold Ring. 6dly I will that all the rest of all my Real Estate be equally divided between my three Sons Hezekiah Philip and Robert. 7dly I hereby declare constitute and appoint my wife Rachel Mackey to be my sole Executrix as Witness my hand this 28th day of January 1747/8

William Mackey

James his I mark Barnett
Samuel his mark Prichard
Richard his R mark Barnett
and Richard Barnett

} On the back of the foregoing Will was thus written Viz.t Talbot County ss. James Barnett Samuel Prichard and Richard Barnett the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being sworn upon the holy Evangels of almighty God depose and say that they saw the Testator Wm Mackey 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