Day of Jenuary in the Year of our Lord 1752.

Edw. Turner
Jacob Moreland
John his mark Hunt

Peter Montgomery (Seal)

On the Back of the foregoing Will was thus Written viz.

Charles County fs. 26th Decemb: 1754 Came Edward Turner Jacob Moreland and John Hunt the three subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will who being Duly & Solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Peter Montgomery sign & seale the aforesaid Will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time of his so Doing was to the best of their Apprehensions of found and Disposing Minde and Memory and that they severally Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in presence of the Testator and at his request Which Probat was taken after Francis Montgomery Heir at Law had signified he had no Objections - Before -

D. Jenifer Henry of Chal. County -

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Fredericks County Maryland

In the Name of God Amen I Grove Tomlison being Sick & Weak of Body but of perfect memory & of sound Minde do make this my Last Will & Testement & first of all I Commit my Body to the Earth to be buried in a Christian & Desent manner and my soul I Commit into the Hands of Almighty God who gave it me & my Worldly Estate both personall & Reall I Leave ..... Bequeath & Devise in Manner following: —

First of all I Leve and Begeath to my Beloved Wife Mary four Negro named James & Peter Sally & Sarah and also a third part of all the Rest of my parsonnable Estate During hur Natrull Life. —

Secondly I Leve & Begeath & Devise to Ninian Mockbee a track of Land Calle good Luck Containg 150 Eakers & also one Track of Land Jancrosty Contaning 75 Eakers & also a Track of Land Calle Groves hunting Outlet Contaning one 100 Eakers to him his Heirs or Assigns for Ever. I also Leave unto him sad Ninian Mockbee a Negro Boy Called Stafford. — I also Leave Begeath & Devise unto Mary Mockbee one 120 Eakers of Land called the Suport to Groves Hunting Outlet to hur hir Ears or Assigns for Ever Also one Negro Gall Called Dina I also leave Ann Mockbee One Negro Gall Call Pegg and one Negro Boy Called Batchler — I also Leave

unto Lusey Mockbee Two Negro Boys Called Ben & Sefer. — I also Leave unto Lesue Mockbee the Mother of the said Children One Negro Man Called Dick & all the rest of my Parsnall Estate Goods and Chattels to be Equely Divided among the aboversaid Children Ninian Mary Ann & Luica Mockbee ..... I also apoint Gordain Ninian Tannehill Senior & Hugh Tomlison the Executors of this my Last Will & Testiment & revoking all other Wills & Deeds by me made I do Confirm & Declare this to be my Last Will & Testament In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & fixt my Seal this twenty second Day of March One thousand seven hundred fifty & five. —

Signd seald & Declared in presents of

John Nichols
John Madda
Francis Woodwards

Grove his mark Tomlison (Seal)

Wm. Dulany

April ye 1st 1755

as I am Incapable of Coming up to Annapolis my self I Entirely Deny the Will of my Deceased Husband Grove Tomlinsons & will take my Chance agreable to act of Assembly which hope will be Complied with according to the Directions of the Commissary Office & You'll oblige Your Humble Servt.

Test. Alex. Beall
This by my Son James Goore

Mary her mark Tomlinson

On the Backe of the foregoing Will was thus Written viz.

Maryland fs. On the 7th Day of April 1755 Came John Maddac and Francis Woodwards two of the subscribing Witnesses to the Within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they saw Grove Tomlinson the Within named Testator sign and seal and heard him publish pronounce and Declare the within Will to be his Last Will and Testament that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of found and Disposing Mind and Memory, and that they together with John Nichols the other subscribing Witness to the Within Will severally subscribe their Respective Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his Request Sworn before

Dan. Dulany Commy Gen.

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