Item I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Mary Hynson one Negroe Woman called Phillis the wife of Cudgoe with a Bed and furniture two Cows six sheep and a Young Black Mare which is now called hers Likewise six year old hogs as her full share of all my Estate

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Grandson William Hynson the son of John one Negroe Girl called Violet

Item I will that my two sons Thomas and Charles have none other part of my Estate than they have already recieved which I hereby Ratify and Confirm to be theirs Sole Right and Property except six Sheep which I give to my aforesaid Son Charles

Item I Will and Confirm to my Son John Hynson all such things as he has already recieved barring his Claim or Demand for any other part of my Personal Estate

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son William Hynson his Choice of all my Negroe Boys except the one my Son Nathaniel shall Chuse Likewise thirty pounds Current money of Maryland or the value thereof in Tobacco at the Market price as his full share of all my Estate

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son Benjamin Hynson one Negroe Boy called Pompy another called James and a Girl called Anna with one third of my Personal Estate remaining after my Debts Legacys and Donations heretofore expressed be all taken out

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Loving wife Mary Hynson all the Remaining part of my personal Estate provided and it is my Will that she accept the same quitting all manner of Right or Claim to the third part thereof as also the Right of Dower to the Land Bequeathed to my Son Charles

Lastly I appoint and Constitute my Loving wife Mary Hynson and my Son John Hynson Executrix and Executor of this my Last Will and Testament to Execute the same according to the true Intent and meaning thereof Willing that my said Son John have Legall Commissions for his Trouble without any Right to the use or profits arising from the Service of the Servants or Slaves belonging to my Estate And I do hereby Revoke and Disannull all other Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made or Intended to be made In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & fixed my Seal this third day of August in the year of Lord Seven hundred and fifty five. Signed Sealed & Acknowledged in presence of us Alex Williamson Darby Hands Nathaniel Rogers — Nath Hynson (Seal)

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was wrote the following Probate Viz

Kent County ss On the 3 day of September 1755 Alexander Williamson Darby Hands and Nathaniel Rogers the Subscribing Witnesses to the within written Will of Nathan: Hynson the Testator within named being Sworn on the Holy Evangels Deposes and Declares that they saw the said Testator Nathaniel Hynson Sign and Seal the same Will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the same time he was to the Best of their Knowledge of Sound and Disposing mind and Memory that they the said Deponents Subscribed their Respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request. This done in the presence of the heir at Law of the Testator who made no Objection thereto

Sworn before Joseph Nicholson Dep: Comm:ry Kent County

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In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Coursey Brown of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being of Sound and perfect Disposing mind and Memory thanks be to God for the Blessing do make my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz

Imprimis I Give and Bequeath unto my Loving wife Cassandra as a Legacy the horse called Snip with her Saddle and Bridle and a Set of China Tea Cups

Item I Give unto my Daughter Martha a pair of Silver Shoe Buckles a Good Ring and a Colt from the mare called Joan and I Will that her aunt Willey Ann Coarse take and bring up my said Daughter

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Thomas all the Land that I have a Right to of the Parcell Lying in the Eastern Neck called Trumping Town to him and his heirs for ever and also give my said Son the Gold Ring now in possession of his Aunt Course as also my Guns

Item I Will that my Loving wife keep my Son Thomas and keep him at School untill he has Education Sufficient for Country Business and then to Bind him to Mr Charles Tilson of Living at that day in order to Learn the Trade of a Joiner

Item I will appoint and Authorize my Trusty Friends Mr Thomas Ringgold Attorney and William Hynson Senr or either of them to make over and Convey unto my Brother John Brown within Six Months after the Decease of my Dear Mother the Northermost half of that part of the Land called Trumpintown which my Mother