John Pitts
William Pitts
George Dean
Francis Wiley
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March 1st 1757 Came John Pitts Thomas Pitts and Francis Wiley three of the Subscribing Witnesses to this Will and made oath on the Holy Gospels of almight God that they saw the Testator Sign and Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare the Instrument of writing as his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound disposing mind memory and understanding and that they the said John Pitts Thomas Pitts and Francis Wiley subscribed as Witnesses to said Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator

Test John Conway
Register

Nehemiah King Deputy Comy of Somerset County

In the Name of God Amen the 30th day of October anno Dom 1755 I Michael Disharoon of Somerset County in the Province of Maryland Blacksmith being weak and weak in body but in mind and memory do give unto God thanks calling into mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament that is to say

Principally and first of all I give and recommend my Soul unto the hands of almighty God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian burial 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 has pleased God to bless me in this life I give dispose of the same in the following manner and form

First my will is that all my Just Debts be paid out of my Estate Secondly I give unto my well beloved wife Mary Disharoon my dwelling Plantation whereon I now live with Fifty Eight acres of Land thereunto belonging part of a tract called Cornbury and also all my stock of Cattle that I am now possessed with by stating such things as I shall hereafter mention and leave no legacies to some of my children during her natural life or Widdohood Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Constant Disharoon my Dwelling Plantation whereon I now live with Fifty eight acres of Land thereunto belonging it being part of a tract called Cornbury to be by him possessed after the Death or Widdowhood of his mother to him and his heirs forever and also my Smith tools and those that he may have them as his own right and property provided he doth not overturn those where they are during his Mother's life or Widdowhood to him and his heirs and also my best wearing Coat and Waistcoat and best grate and my Pine Chest and my reading brested saddle all to him and his heirs Item I give and bequeath unto my Son John Disharoon one young mare we call Punkin and one hunting saddle and bridle to him and his heirs Item I give and bequeath unto the rest of my children namely Constant John Mary Ann Sterling Josiphus Disharoon after Death and married and Purchase time be by them paid after the death for Widdowhood of their mother to them and their heirs Item I give and bequeath unto my eight children namely Burnester Elenor Constant Disharoon

Margett Disharoon and John Mary Ann Sterling Josiphus Disharoon the negroes I have named on yet the Disharoon Women Longest to be between Burster and Diana Disharoon and their heirs after the Death or Widdowhood of their mother one negro young man named Cut go to the between Constant Disharoon and Margett Disharoon after the Death or Widdowhood of their mother one negro Boy named Cato to be between John and Mary Disharoon after the Death or Widdowhood of their mother one negro Girl named Luce to be between Ann Sterling and Josiphus Disharoon after the Death or Widdowhood of their mother Item my Will is that all the remainder part of my moveable Estate be equal divided after the Death or Widdowhood of my wife Mary Disharoon between my eight children above named Burnester Elenor Constant Disharoon Margett Disharoon and John Mary Ann Sterling and Josiphus Disharoon and their heirs Lastly I do appoint constitute and ordain my wife Mary and my Son Constant Disharoon Lastly Executors of this my last Will and Testament and do hereby utterly revoke all former Wills by me made and allowing and confirming this and to be my last Will and Testament in witness whereunto I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year aforesaid

Signed Sealed published and
Declared in Presence of

Michael Disharoon (seal)

Test
William Disharoon
Thos Sedoine
Joshua Pooler

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz
November the 29th 1756 came William Disharoon and Joshua Pooler two of the Witnesses to the within Will and made oath on the Holy Evangells of almight God that they saw the Testator Michael Disharoon sign and Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare the within Instrument of writing as his last Will and Testament and 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 William Disharoon and Joshua Pooler subscribed as Witnesses to said Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator and further deposed they saw Sam the other Witness Thomas Sedoine subscribe at the Testators request at same time

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Sworn to before Nehemiah King Deputy Comy of Somerset County

Somerset County ss

I do hereby relinquish all my right and title of the Administration of my Deceased Husband Abijah White unto Solomon Long as being the greatest Creditor given under my hand this 14th day of January anno Dom 1757

Test
Elijah Conway
Sarah

Abigail her + mark White

In the Last Will and Testament of John Jones late of Somerset County deceased dated the 23d day of December 1756 among other things therein contained as follows Viz