much Land out of my Tract of Land called Sapling Range as will with the other two Tracts, before Devised make him up Four Hundred Acres of Land to be laid off on the South and West side of said Sapling Range to adjoin my Son Phillemon's part of said Tract, where it crosses the main Road and then with my said Son Phillemon's Land to Duvalls Range. As also a Twenty Acres of Meadow Ground out of my Tract of Land called Vanity Mount, which lays on the West side of the Plantation now settled on said Land. Item I give and bequeath, to my five Sons, sons in Law and their Wives and their Heirs forever to wit, John Dorsey son of Mich.l, and his Wife Ann William Ridgely son of William and his Wife Elizabeth, Benjamin Warfield and his Wife Catharine, Vachel Warfield and his Wife Sarah, Samuel Riggs and his Wife Amelia the five following Tracts of Land Viz.t Silence Containing four hundred and Thirty four Acres, Peace, Containing Sixty five Acres, Second thought Containing sixty Acres, Disapointment Containing One hundred Acres, and Defiance Resurveyed Containing Four hundred and Ninety Seven Acres, As also about Two hundred Acres of Land which I am to have from James Brooke adjoining to the said Lands, But my Will and desire is that my son in Law John Dorsey son of Michael, and Ann his Wife have their Equal part or Devidend of the said Lands out of the three Tracts called Silence, Defiance Resurveyed, and Peace, land at the North End of them to Include the Meadow on said Defiance Resurveyed, And that my Son Benjamin Warfield and his Wife Catharine have their Equal part or Devidend Laid off most Convenient to my said Son in Law Benjamin Warfield now Dwelling Plantation, and then the Remaining part of the said five Tracts of Land and two hundred Acres to be Equally devided between my other three sons in Law and their Wives Viz.t William Ridgely son of William and his Wife Elizabeth Vachel Warfield and his Wife Sarah, and Samuel Riggs and his Wife Amelia and their Heirs for ever. Item, I give and bequeath to my two Daughters Heneritta and Ariania all the remaining part of my Tract of Land called Sapling Range not before Devised (except) that part that lays on the North Side of the branch known by the name of Nellsons Branch to be equally divided between them and their Heirs for ever.

Item, I give and bequeath to my beloved Wife Rachel the Plantation called Brothers Partnership and Pillage Resurveyed (it being the Plantation whereon I now live) during her Life, in full for her thirds in all my Lands devised or which I may now have in Possession and after her Decease my Will is that which ever of my Children will give most for the said Two Tracts of Land do have it, and that the Money arising from the Sale of the said Lands be equally divided among my Nine Children Viz.t Phillemon, Ann, Catharine, Elizabeth, Sarah, Amelia, Joshua Heneritta and Ariania. Item I give and bequeath to my Son Joshua one Negro boy called Toby and one Negro Girl named Sall and also the Sum of Thirty pounds Current Money. Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Heneritta two Negro Girls, one named Mafs and the other Bett as also the Sum of Thirty pounds Current Money. Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Ariania One Negro Boy called Sem, and

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One Negro Girl called Lydia, as also the Sum of Thirty pounds Current Money. Lastly I do hereby Appoint and Constitute my beloved Wife Rachel, and my Son Phillemon my Sole Executrix and Executor of this my Last Will and Testament. In Witness that this is my Last Will and Testament I have hereunto Sett my hand and Affixed my Seal this first day of December One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy one.

Signed Sealed and Declared by the Testator to be his Last Will and Testament in the Presence of — Phi. Dorsey (Seal)

Wm. Coale
Jno. Dorsey
Caleb Dorsey Junr.

At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.t

Ann Arundel Co.ty to wit } Came John Dorsey and Caleb Dorsey Junr, two of
April 7th 1772 } the Subscribing Evidences to the within Will, and made Oath that they saw Phi. Dorsey the Testator herein named Sign and Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament, and that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehensions of a sound and disposing mind memory and Understanding and that they Severally Subscribed their names as Evidences to this Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn before. Elie Vallette Dep.ty Com. Ann Co.ty

Sir

I have given up the Administration of the Estate of my Deceased Husband to Philemon Dorsey who was left with me Jointly in it, and I am Content to abide by the Will of my Deceased Husband Philemon Dorsey on Agreement made between the Bearer and myself.

To Walter Dulany Esq.r
Examined Commissary } — Rachel Dorsey

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In the Name of God Amen I John Cromwell Son of Joshua of Ann Arundel County Planter, being Sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and Memory, thanks be to God for the same, Do make and declare this sole my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Oneal and his Heirs the one half part of a Tract of Land Burleys Park Scituated in Ann Arundel County and on the head of a Creek called Rock Creek, In case my Said Son Oneal Satisfies, and pays unto my Executrix hereafter named, One hundred pounds Current Money to be applyed towards the payment of a Bond payable from my Estate unto a certain John Davis, But in Case my Said Son Oneal Cromwell refuses to pay the above mentioned Sum of one hundred pounds as above expressed, then my Will and desire is that my Executrix hereafter named shall sell the above mentioned Land and apply the Money arising therefrom towards the payment of the Bond above mentioned. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Joshua Cromwell and his Heirs the other half part of the above mentioned Tract of Land called Burleys Park Scituated in Ann Arundel County and on the head of a Creek called Rock Creek on the Proviso, that my Said Son Joshua Cromwell Satisfies and pays unto my Executrix hereafter named One hundred pounds Current Money, to be applyed towards the payment of a Bond due from my Estate unto a certain John Davis, but in Case my Said Son Joshua Cromwell refuses to

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