I Micajah Greenfield of Baltimore County in

Maryland being weak of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory knowing it is appointed for all men to die for the settling and disposing of what temporal affairs it hath pleased Providence to bless me with I do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form Following to wit First it is my Will and desire that all my just debts be by my Executors hereafter named paid and Satisfied out of my Estate as soon as conveniently can be after my decease

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Jacob Greenfield my dwelling plantation and Lands thereto belonging called Greenfields Dble Purchase to him and the heirs of his body lawfully begotton forever

I also give and bequeath unto my said son Jacob one copper still and worm and a pair of Hard Mill Stones in lieu of all claim he my said son might make on a negro boy I sold unto a certain Baltshr Michael but in case my said son when at age of twenty one years should not be satisfied therewith but makes claim of the said negroe then my Will and desire is that the value of the said negro as he may then be valued at be taken out of the Distributive part of my Estate that may appertain to him my said son which said sum I give and devise to be paid out of my said Estate that may appertain to my said son to satisfie and reimburse the said Baltshr Michael or his assigns for the said ~~Michael~~ negroe I also give and Devise to my said son one negro boy called Sam to him his heirs and assigns forever

I give and devise unto my beloved daughter Mary Greenfield one negro girl named Hannah and all her future increase which girl named Hannah I give and devise unto my said daughter Mary her heirs and assigns forever

I give and devise unto my infant daughter Martha Greenfield one negro girl called Sall with all her future increase which girl named Sall I give and devise unto my said daughter Martha her heirs and assigns for ever

It is my Will and desire that if either of my three children aforenamed should die before they severally attain the age of twenty one and sixteen years that as well the Legacies before Bequeathed them as also what may appertain to them respectively as their proportions of my Estate be equally divided between my other two surviving children

I give my beloved wife Mary Greenfield one full third part of my personal Estate also her life in one third part of my Lands and Plantation and it is my Will that my wife have the care of my children as to their maintenance and Education till they severally arrive at the age by Law to receive their dividends of my Estate and for her care and charge of maintaining and Educating my said children its my Will that she hath the use of the several parts and portions to them respectively appertaining without being liable for the rents of Lands Interest of moneys or hire of negroes that they my said children or other of them might challange in Law confiding in my said wife

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to bring up and Educate my said children in a christian like manner till they severally arrive at age to receive their respective Estates Lastly I appoint my beloved wife Mary Greenfield and my father in law James Osborn Executors of this my last and onely Will In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 11th day of December Anno Domini 1772

Micajah Greenfield (Seal)

Signed Sealed Published and declared by the Testator as his last Will and Testament at whose request and in whose presence we have Subscribed our names as Evidences thereto

Robert Briney Lendrum
Jas Taylor
John Wood

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

Baltimore County Ss. On the 1st day of May 1773 came Robert Briney Lendrum James Taylor and John Wood the Subscribing Evidences to the above last Will and Testament of Micajah Greenfield late of Baltimore County deceased and severally made oath on the holy Evangils of Almighty God that they saw the Testator 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 several apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they severally subscribed their names as Witnesses thereto in the presence of the said Testator and at his request and in the presence of each other

Sworn to before and Certified by me the Subscriber Deputy Commissary of Baltimore County

8 Sols

Examined

Thos Jones

In the name of God amen

the 21st day of April in the year of our Lord 1773 I Abel Rockhold in Baltimore County Province of Maryland being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be Given unto God for it therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all 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 into the hands of God that gave it and for my body I recommend it to the earth to be Buried in a christian like manner at the discretion of my Executor nothing doubting but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as touching such wordly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form Imprimis it is my Will and I do order that in the first place all my just debts and funeral charges be paid and satisfied

I live Daniel Peacock and my son Right Rockhold whome I likewise Constitute make ordain my only and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament