In the Name of God, amen. I, Daniel Demetrie, of Savannah, in the Province of Georgia, being in perfect health and of sound mind and disposing memory, and understanding but considering the uncertainty of this transitory life, do make and declare this my Last Will and Testament, in manner and form following, to wit:

I give and bequeath unto my beloved son in law, William Thomas Harris and to his heirs forever, all the my plantation or tract of land containing seven hundred and fifty acres, lying and being on a neck of land commonly known and distinguished by Dickenson's Neck in the district of Sappals and Newkirk on the province of Georgia together with all and singular the improvements thereunto belonging with all the cattle, horses, hogs, poultry, and plantation tools appertaining or belonging to the same.

And also the following eight slaves named Nicholas Sager, Tony Smith, Delinda Dinah James and Sylvia, together with the property of their use and increase.

I give and bequeath unto my grandson, son of his love, John Atkinson Hugus Lee.

I give and bequeath unto James Habersham of Savannah, the sum of five hundred pounds sterling or Paun of this to be paid by him to the Master and Wardens of the Lodge of Free Masons in Savannah for the use of the said Lodge.

I give and bequeath unto James Habersham, the younger, Joseph Habersham, and John Habersham, sons of the above-mentioned James Habersham, and the survivor or survivor of them and the survivor of such survivor, all the rest and residue of my estate both real and personal of what nature and kind there or whatsoever the same may be to be equally divided between the said James, Joseph and John, or the survivor of them and the survivor of such survivor.

And lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint my beloved friends, James Habersham and Francis Harris of Savannah in the province aforesaid, Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and making void all former Wills by me at any time hereforesaid revoking and making this to be my last Will and Testament. I do hereby appoint and appoint my said friends to settle, account, and wind up at Savannah the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight, and to pay and assign the same in the manner and form of this my last Will and Testament.

Signed, sealed, published, and pronounced to be a Deed by the said Executors and for his said last Will and Testament in the presence of us who have subscribed our names to witness the same.

Daniel Demetrie

[Signed]

[Seal]

David Montague

[Seal]

Thomas Peck

[Seal]

James McElmurry
By His Honor Henry Ellis Esquire Lieutenant-Governor and Commandant in Chief of his Majesty's said Province and Ordinary of the Same

Personalities present: B. Montague and J. Thomas.

The County of Savannah, this day twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-six.

Daniel D'Arcy, of Savannah in the Province of Georgia aforesaid, Minister Accredited and being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists and Testifies that they have personally directed and bid all the persons sign the said will and testament, and declare the same to be and contain the last will and testament, and that he was of sound and disposing Mind and Memory in the best of their知情 and that they, John Secomy and James Kehoe, were present at the same time.

A. 1736

Daniel D'Arcy, of the said

John Secomy and James Kehoe.

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