First, I give and bequeath to my beloved Son Benjamin Wright the sum of Ten Shillings Sterling money of Great Britain in full of his part of my Estate

Secondly, I give and bequeath to my Grand Son Bazely Wright the sum of Ten Shillings Sterling money of Great Britain in full of his part of my Estate

Thirdly I Give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Ruth Dell Wife of James Dell, the tract of Land whereon she now dwelleth called Lemington) with all its Appurtenances unto her the said Ruth Dell and her Heirs for ever it being in full of her part of my Estate

Fourthly, I Give and bequeath unto my beloved Wife Hannah Wright the three following Tracts or parcels of Land Viz. Wrights Chance and Neighbours Good Will. Victory, and Moorhouses Generosity with their Appurtenances unto her the said Hannah Wright and her Heirs for ever Likwise I Give and bequeath unto my said Wife Hannah my Negro man Named Nicholas Mathews with the residue of my personal Estate of every kind whatsoever,

Lastly, I do hereby Constitute make, and ordain my beloved Wife Hannah Wright Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament and I do hereby Utterly disallow Revoke, and disannull all and every other Former, Testaments Wills Legacies, Bequests and Executors, by me in any Ways before Named, Willed and Bequeathed, ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of January in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy

Signed Sealed published Pronounced & declared by the s.d Robert Wright as his last Will & Testament in the presence of us who in his presence, and in the presence of each other have hereunto subscribed our Names. Robert Wright (seal)

Note the word moorhouses is interlined between the Fifteenth and Seventeenth Lines before this Will was Executed

H Ridgely
Bruce Warfield
Wm. Barker

Anne Arundel County Sct. Came Bruce Warfield and on the 29th October June 29th 1770 . . . 1770 Came Henry Ridgely two of the subscribing Witnesses to the within Will, and made Oath that they saw Robert Wright the Testator Sign and Seal this Will 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 of a sound and disposing mind memory and understanding to the best of their Apprehensions, and that they together with Wm. Barker Signed their names as Witnesses to this Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator, and in the presence of each other,

Sworn before me Elis Vallette Regr. Wills a a Coty

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In the name of God amen The Seventh day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and seventy six I Chesney Williams of Ann Arundel County and Province of maryland, Soldier, being very Sick and weak in Body, but of Perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God, therefore calling unto mind the Mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all man 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, decent manner at the discretion of my Captain, Nothing doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this Life. I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form Viz.

First, I Constitute and ordain my Brother John Williams, my Only and sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament.

Item, I Give and bequeath unto my Brother William Williams my Plantation Lying on Patuxen in afd County wherein, William Ryan lived as a Tenant,

Item, I Give and bequeath unto my Brother Richard Williams, all my Personal Estate, Rents and debts now due.

Item, I Give and bequeath to my Brother John Williams all the Remainder of my Lands &c ...? And I Ratify and confirm this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above Written ?—

Signed Sealed Published and declared, Chesny his + mark Williams (seal)