Mr Williamson's intention with regard to little Henry Bradford, and I take the liberty again, to pray you to Communicate to that honorable Court my resignation — Accept the renewed assurances of the respect and respect of — Your Humble Servt W Matthews —

Lewis Neth Jr Esqr — Annapolis — Md

Dear Sir — City of Washington Nov. 24th 1845 —

I have reflected on the subject communicated in your letter of the 10th Inst. and find that my prospect of attending to the Charge intrusted to me in the Will of Mrs Pollock is in a manner which it would no doubt require, at the same time my early calling for my undivided attention to business here — that I have felt it a duty to decline entering upon the trust with which that Lady in her partiality intended to confide in me. You will therefore Sir, consider me as having declined serving either as Trustee of her two Grand Children or as Executor of her last Will. This letter may be communicated to, or left with the Court, whose duty it may be to grant Letters Testamentary as Evidence of my declining the Service — With sentiments of sincere respect I am Sir, Your Obt Servt

David Williamson Esqr Balto

Robert Brent Esq

The Honorable, The Orphans Court, of Ann Arundel County —

Baltimore 24th Novr 1845 —

Having subsequent to the death of the late Mrs Pollock at Annapolis, seen that by her last Will and Testament, she has appointed — Robt Brent Esq, the Reverend Mr Matthews and myself, her Executors, the two first named, resident in the City of Washington, to both of whom I wrote on the 10th Inst informing them of their appointment Mr Brent's answer accompanies this to be laid before your Honours I have not heard from Mr Matthews — as for myself under all the circumstances of the case I cannot accept of the appointment and therefore renounce the trust and decline accepting the same, of which I beg the Honorable Court to consider this as due notice — and am with

Respectfully Yr Obt Hble Servt D Williamson

Mr Pollock's Will was left in the hands of Lewis Neth Jun. Esq

30th Nov 1845 Ordered

The Honorable, The Orphans Court of Ann Arundell County —

In the Name of God. Amen.

I John Armiger of Anne Arundel County, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament, in manner and form that is to say:

First and Principally, I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God, and my body to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executrix hereinafter named and after my

debts,

debts and funeral Charges are paid, I devise and bequeath, as follows —

Item. I give, devise and bequeath all my Estate — my Estate, both real and Personal to my beloved Wife — during her single life or Widowhood and upon her death or intermarriage my Will and desire is that all my aforesaid Estate be equally divided between my ten Children Samuel, Benjamin, Thomas, William, Richard, Mary, Sarah, Ann, Susannah, John, Francis and Rachel Armiger and their Heirs, and I hereby appoint and Constitute my beloved Wife Mary Executrix of this my last Will and Testament, hereby ratifying and Confirming the same In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and fifteen

Signed, Sealed and declared by the above named Testator as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us

Anne Arundel County Sct } Then Came Mary Armiger and made Oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that within Instrument of Writing is the true and whole and last Will and Testament of John Armiger late of Anne Arundel County deceased, that hath come to her hands and Possession, and that she doth not know of any other

Sworn before Jno Gassaway Regr Wills A A Co

Anne Arundel County Sct } Then Came Mary Armiger Widow of John Armiger late of the 10th day of January 1846 } Anne Arundel County deceased, and renounced and quit all claim to any bequest or devise made to her by the first Will of her husband, exhibited and proved according to law and elected to take in lieu thereof her dower or distributive share of the Estate of her said Husband.

Before Jno Gassaway Regr Wills A A Co

In the Name of God. Amen.

I Jane Robinson of Ann Arundel County in the State of Maryland, being in perfect health of Body and of sound and disposing Mind, Memory and Understanding, Considering the Certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my Worldly affairs, and thereby be the better prepared to leave this World, when it shall please God to call me hence, do therefore make and publish this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following; that is to say. —

First and Principally I Commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, and body to the Earth to be decently buried, and after my debts and funeral Charges are paid I devise and bequeath

as,