during the term of her natural life to and for her own sole and absolute use and benefit in peachment of waste and from and immediately after the decease of my said Wife I give devise and bequeath all such my said Real Estate or Estates unto between and amongst the three Children of her my said wife — Whom I hereby acknowledge to be mine but which were borne before my intermarriage with her) viz't Susanna, Catharine Amelia, Priscilla and Francis and to the survivors and survivor of them share and share alike. And as to all such personal Estate & effects — goods and chattels horses cattle live and dead stock as I may die possessed of I give and bequeath the same and every part thereof unto my said Wife Amelia to and for her own sole and absolute use and benifit and disposal And I do hereby nominate Constitute and appoint my said Wife Amelia Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this — Twenty Ninth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty, and of the Independence of the United States the fifth fourth.

L. I. Sanmey (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Louis Isaac Sanmey as and for his last Will and Testament in the presence of us James Martin, William Brooks, Wm. E. Bartlett } Witnesses

Baltimore County Ss. on the 5th day of March 1835 came James Martin, William Brooks & William E. Bartlett, the three subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing last Will and Testament of Louis I Sanmey late of said county deceased & James Martin made Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, and William Brooks and William E. Bartlett solemnly declared and affirmed that they did see the Testator sign and seal this Will that they heard him —





publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and — Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of — their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to this Will in his presence at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn & affirmed to in open Court.

Test D. M. Perine, Register of Wills for Baltimore County

In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true copy taken from — Wills Lber D. M. P. No 15 folio 291 &c. being one of the Records in the office of the Register of Wills for Baltimore City.

(Seal Place) I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of my — Office this Thirtieth day of November in the year of our — Lord eighteen hundred and fifty five.

Test N. Hickman Register of Wills for Baltimore City. And the plaintiff proved that the said Louis Isaac Sanmey died in the year 1835 and before the 5th day of March of that year leaving him surviving his said Wife Amelia Sanmey and their three Children, Susannah Catharine Amelia, Priscilla and Francis. that the said Susannah Catharine Amelia died in the year 1854 leaving only one child, an infant of tender years, who survived her but three months, that her husband who was named Weks, a few weeks after the death of his said Wife removed from Baltimore his previous place of evidence and although two letters were received from him by his Sister-in-law within the first month after his departure, has not since been heard from, that the said Amelia Sanmey died in the month of October in the year 1861, that the said Francis Sanmey after the death of his father assumed the name of Louis, and — has ever since been known by the name of Louis Francis Sanmey and that the said Francis or Louis Francis and the said Priscilla, are the heirs of the Plaintiff.

The Defendant, Greenbury B. Wilson then read in evidence the following mortgage of 22d July 1803 from Louis Isaac Sanmey to