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I Richard Talbott of the Province of Maryland and in the County of Ann Arundell Scituating in West River Hundred, being of good and perfect memory do Constitute ordain and appoint this my last Will and Testament in manner as followeth.

Imp: I do give and bequeath unto my Eldest Son Richard this Seat of Land I now live upon (called Pipher Neculs) with a piece of Land Lying on the South side of the South branch and on the South side of West River (called Talbots timber neck) but in case John Padning refuses it, then it to be as aforesaid —

I do also give and bequeath unto my other two Sonnes Edward and John all that parcell of Land being three hundred acres (called Talbotts Ridge) only Edward to have his first choice Provided that he begin at Either End, and if Either of them shall dye before they come to age then his or their part to be Equally divided to the other two.

I also give and bequeath unto my Son and Daughter Elizabeth three Cows to be for their use and benefitt. — Namely the Cow called Spott and Lyes Heifer, and young Gouty with their Increase Male and Female, to be tendred before Evidence for their use immediatly after my decease, but to remaine with their mother till they come to age, the Boy att Twenty one, and the Girl at Sixteene or d[illegible] marriage —

113 The [illegible] which were given to my Eldest Sonnes Richard and Edw[illegible] by their Grandfather, I do give them all the Male Cattle which shall hereafter be of the said Cattle. I do also give unto my Wife the use of my Plantation I now live on, so long as she liveth, but in case she marry then to have it till he Cometh to age. I do also Constitute ordain and Appoint my loving Wife my true and lawfull Executor as witness my hand and Seall this 21 day of the 2d Month Called April 1663.

Richard Talbott.

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Sealed and delivered in the presence of us

The Mark of
Richard R. Galloway
Jacob Dukatter
Thomas Tailor

The last Will and Testament of William Ayles being very sick and weake but in perfect memory made this 21 day 1663

Christ I bequeath my Soul to God my Creator and my body to my Mother Earth to be buryed in decent Christian buryall and the rest of my Worldly Goods as followeth.

115 I do bequeath my whole Estate to my dear and Loving wife Mary Ayles to be disposed off as she shall think fit after she has paid my Just Debts as Land Goods Chattels or anything that is or ought to be mine for the bringing up of my Children as Witness my hand the day and year above written

The Mark of
Wm Ayles.

Witnessed by us
Wm. Wood
Mordecai Hammond

William Wood aged 25 years or thereabouts Sworn saith that Wm. Ayles Lying very sick he this Deponent being then at his house the said Ayles Signed this Will in his presence desiring this Deponent to witness the same which he did & he verily believeth that there is no other will all which was done in last Easter Week.

Wm. Wood

Jurat coram me this 31th October 1663 — This will was m[illegible] at St Mary's — [illegible] Probate 1663 before me

Wm. B[illegible]ton. — Hon[illegible] Secrete.

Mary Ayles Demands Letters administracon according to the foregoing Will

Letters administracon issued accordingly Ino. Ford 10th Decem

117 I Woodman Hackley being in health and in perfect memory and intending to pass out of the Country not knowing how the Lord may or will dispose of me I have thought fitt to make my will as followeth

(First)