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Same to be proved by the Oaths of the Wittneses thereunto where-upon Thomas Potter and John Stevens being Called and Sworn upon the Holy Evangelists Say that they were present at the Signing Sealing and publishing of the Same by the Said deceased & that at the Signing Sealing and publishing thereof he was of a sound disposeing mind with an Intent to make it as his last Will and Testament the Writeing now Shewed unto them which followeth in these words Viz.t

In the Name of God amen.

461. The Last Will and Testament of Benjamin Hunton First I bequeath my Soul to God Almighty and my Body to the Earth from whence it Came I will and require Thomas Vaughan and James Lewis Jointly and Severally of the County of St Mary's to take all what the Lord hath Endued me with into their hands for to pay all my Debts as far foorth as they receive and this I ack-ledge as my Last Will and Testament as Wittness my hand this 21 day of aprill anno Dñi and they for to See me decently buried out my Estate 1675

Benjamin B Hunton his mark Seated—

Thomas Potter
John ℄ Stevens his mark.

Whereupon the Judge pronounced the Said Testament well made and Sufficiently proved and Ordered Letters Testamentary to the Said James Lewis to be granted Thomas Vaughan the other Exec.r in the Said Will named having renounced to his Executorship he the Said Lewis having taken the Oath of Executor in Comon form and the Said Executor took the Usuall Oath Immediatly as also Thomas Potter and John Stevens to make a Just and true Apprasment of the Goods and Chattells of the Said deceased So far forth as they Shall Come to their Sight or knowledge which Letters Testamentary with Warr.t to app.s Issued under the Seall of this Court Immediatly

Invent.d return in 3 Months—

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467. Die Mercurij 19.o maij—

470. Eodem Die
Came Nathaniell Heathcoate of Ann Arundell County Gent.n

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Gent.n and made Return of the Last Will and Testam.t of Robert Lusby late of the Said County deceased with the probate thereon, which ordered to be recorded and followeth in these words viz.t

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In the Name of God amen. in Maryland the Twenty first day of July and in the Forty Second year of the Dominion of Lord Cecilius anno Dñi 1678. I Robert Lusby of the County of Ann Arundell in the Province af.s being weak in body but in perfect and Sound Memory praised be God do make this my Last Will and Testam.t in Manner and form following Revoking and by these presents Do disannull all former Wills by me formerly made or pretended

471 to be made and do own and ackneowledge this to be my Last Will and Testament Inprimis I recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it hoping to be Saved by the Merrits of Jesus Christ and my Body to be buried where it Shall Seem good to my Executors hereafternamed and for what Temporall Estate it hath pleased God to Endue me with I give & bequeath as followeth.

Item after my Debts are paid and funerall Expences discharged I dispose of my Estate as followeth—

I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Jacob Lusby fifty acres of Land Lying and Scituate upon the North Side of Ann Arundell River and near a Creek Called the Berry Creek the Same to have and to hold possess and Enjoy when he Cometh to the full age of Twenty and one Years to him the Said Jacob and his heirs for Ever also I give unto my beloved Son af.s one feather bed with furniture and also one Gunn new Stocked and also one pair of Cullen Stones and it is my desire that all Such Cattell which have gone under the Denomination of my Son Jacobs Cattell there being two Cows one Calfe one Yearling heifer and two Steers being marked thus the right Ear Cropt and Slitt and the left Ear over Cutt and Slitt Shall from the date here of be for the Said Jacobs proper use and behoof both Male and Female.

Item I give and bequeath unto my two beloved Sons Zacharia and Robert after the Death of their Mother my Loving Wife Dorothy Lusby this plantation I now live upon Called George Town to be Equally divided betwixt them both when

472 they Come to the age of Twenty and one Years and after the Death of their Mother my Loving wife aforesaid the he Said Land and plantation with all appurtenances to possess

(and)