On the back of the aforegoing Will was thus Written Viz:t

Calv:t County March 22: 1748 Came Robt: Sollars, Edward Blackburn and Gabriel High the three Subscribing Evidences to the Within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Thos: Brickendon Signe, Seale, Publish & Declare the Within Instrument of Writing as his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time of his so doing, he Was of Sound & Perfect mind Memory and Understanding To the best of their Apprehension and Knowledge; and that they the afores: Robt: Sollars, Edward Blackburn, and Gabriel High Subscribed there Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the Presence and at the Request of said Testator

A/2 Sides

Sworne Before Gabriel Parker Dep. Com.y
Calv:t County

Maryland fs. In the Name of God Amen I John Peters of Calvert County in the Province Afores:aid being Sick & Weak In Body but of Perfect mind and Memory thanks be to God for the Same & Calling to mind the uncertainty of this Life Do make and Ordain this to be my Last Will and Testament In Manner and Form following. Imprimise I give and Commend my Soul into the Hands of God that Gave it and as for my Body I Recommend it to the Earth to be Buryed In a Christian Manner at y.e Discretion of my Executor hereafter Named

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son John Peters the Plantation Whereon I Now dwell Being Part of a Tract of Land Called upper Bermott to him and his heirs forever

Item Also I Give unto my said Son John all the Land Lying to the Westward of a Line Drawn South from a Spanish Oak Standing on a Point Near Fishing Creek being a Bounded Tree of a Parcel of Land formerly Belonging to Willm. Lilos being Part of Two Tracts one Called Dunwin and the Other Clares Hundred to him and his Heirs forever

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Robert Peters all the Remaining Part of Two Tracts or Parcels of Land Adjoining to Land Afores:aid that I Bought of Henry Chew Computed to be about Two Hundred acres Be the same more or Less to him and his Heirs forever

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Fanney Peters Sixty Acres of Land Being Part of a Tract of Land Called Kents Freehold that I Bought of James Bowon and his Wife Mary to her and her heirs forever

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son William Peters all the Remaining Part of the Land I Bought of James Bowon and Mary his Wife being Part of a Tract of Land called his Lordships Favour To him and his Heirs forever

Item My Will and Pleasure is that if any of my Afores:aid Children should Depart this Life before they Come to the full Age of Twenty One Years then his or their Part or Parts to be Equally Divided Among st the Surviving Children

Item My Will and Pleasure is that all my Personall Estate after my Just Debts and funeral Charges are Paid to be Equally Divide Amongst all my Children

Item I make and Ordain my Daughter Fanney Peters my Only and Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament But not to act or do any thing Touching or Concerning the Estate Afores:aid Without the Consent of my Two Trustees Viz:t Mr. Richard Chew & Mr. Thomas Reynolds and do give them the said Richard and Thomas full Power and Authority to make any Contract or Contracts for the Better Management of the afores:aid Estate and Children In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this Thirteenth day of March Anno Dom:i One Thousand Seven hundred