Item I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Mary Swann all my Wearing Apparel and my Riding Mare and Saddle. Item I give and Bequeath unto my Grandson John Theobalds one feather Bed bolster and two pillows. Item I give and Bequeath to my Grandson John Swan one Mare Colt. Item I Give and Bequeath to my dear and well beloved Daughter Charity Theobalds all the Remainder part of my Estate not before bequeathed but in what kind or Quality soever to her the said Charity Theobalds her heirs and Assigns for Ever. Lastly I Constitute and Appoint my said Daughter Charity Theobalds to be my whole and Sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby Revoking and making Void all former Will or Wills Testament or Testaments by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this 18. day of October in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and fifty

Signed Sealed Published & Delivered
In presence of

Tos. M: Semmes
Rachel Semmes
Elinor Semmes

Mary Barnes her mark (Seal)

On the Back of the foregoing Will was thus Written Viz.
Charles County Viz. On the 20th day of July 1751 Came Joseph M Semmes and Elinor Semmes two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the Within Will who being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God do depose and Say that they Saw the Testatrix Mary Barnes Sign and Seal the aforegoing Will and heard her publish and declare the Same to be her last Will and Testament and that at the time of her So doing she Was to the best of their Apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind and memory

Sworn before
Walter Hanson D. Com.

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In the Name of God Amen this Twenty fifth of November one thousand Seven hundred and forty Eight I Peter Cartwright of Charles County being Sick and Weak in body but of Sound perfect and disposing memory and Calling to mind the Mortality of this Transitory Life and that it is Appointed for all Men once to dye do make this my last Will and Testament. That is to Say first and principally I Recommend my Soul to God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be decently buryd at the discretion of whom I leave to Execute this my Last Will & Testament Imprimis I give and Bequeath to my two Sons Robert and Thomas all that Tract of Land belonging to me which lyes in St. Marys County near the head of Chaptico Bay known by the Name of Western Addition to be Equally Devided between them which I give to them and the heirs of their Bodys Lawfully Begotten for Ever and in Case Either of them should die without Such heirs as aboves then it is my Will and pleasure that the Right shall Devolve on my Son Samuel and the heirs of his Body Lawfully begotten for Ever and in Case he dyes without Such heirs as afs. then to fall to my next Surviving Son and to the

heirs of his Body lawfully begotten for Ever and So from heir to heir so long as their shall be any of the Name to be found. Item I give and Bequeath to my Son Gustavus Twenty three Acres of Land Joyning to my dwelling plantation it being part of a Tract of Land called Lepworth (which I purchased of John Hye) to him and his heirs for Ever but it is my Will and pleasure that if any of my Sons on whom the aboveaid Land is Intailed should Se Cease to dispose of the Same from one to Another they may Confirm Title to one and Other and not otherway. Item I give and Bequeath to my Son Gustavus one Negro Girl called Lucy together with her future Increase to him and his heirs for Ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my beloved Wife Esther Cartwright one Negro Man called Roger one and above her thirds of my Estate for the better Support of her Self and Small Children. And for the Residue of my Estate after my beloved Wife has had one third part thereof it is my Will and pleasure it Should be Equally divided among my Children and Lastly I Constitute and Appoint my Son Thomas Cartwright and my beloved Wife Esther Cartwright Executor and Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby Revoking and disanulling all and Every Other Will or Wills by me heretofore made and do Acknowledge this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day and Year first above Written

Signed Sealed published pronounced and declared as the Last Will and Testament of Peter Cartwright in presence of us

Peter his mark P Cartwright (Seal)

Sam Chunn
Peter Dent
John T Suel his mark

At the foot of the foregoing Will was thus Written Viz.
Charles County Viz. On the 22 day of July 1751 Came Peter Dent and John Suel two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will who being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God do depose and Say that they Saw the Testator Peter Cartwright Sign and Seal the foregoing Will and heard him publish and declare ye Same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time of his So doing he was to the best of their Apprehensions of Sound and disposing mind and memory and that they with Saml Chunn the Other Subscribing Witness Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request Which Oath was taken by the said Witnesses the hair at Law having absconded four Years agoe

Sworn before
Walter Hanson D. Com.

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