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By virtue of a Commission from John Hall Esq. to Deputy Judge of Baltimore County to Me Directed to Call before me the Witnesses of the within Will and on the 5th day of March 1703/4 then Came the above named Witnesses (that is to say) Mrs Rebecca Berry Widdow and Arthur Turner and made Oath upon the Holy Evangelists and Each of them Viz: Martha Brown Signe Sarah Dowson as their act and Deed the above and within mentioned Will

Sworne before me Richd Colegate

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN this Fourth Day of March Anno Dni 1704 I James Guest of Baltimore County in the Province of Maryland being sick of body but of perfect Memory thanks be to Almighty God for it revoaking all other wills heretofore by me made Do make and Ordaine this my last will and Testament in manner and forme following

First I bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God my Maker hoping through the meritorious Death and Passion of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to have free pardon and forgiveness for all my sins and my body to be buried in Christian burrell at the Discretion of my Executor hereafter mentioned and as for such worldly Goods it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me after such Debts as I do justly owe to be paid or ordained to be paid I do give and bequeath as followeth

Item I give and bequeath unto Susanna wife the Tract of Land I now live on called Beaver Neck with the houses and Orchards that is now in possession to her and her heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto Mr Thomas Hastey of Patapsco River my Mare and foal to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto Thomas Greenfield three Cows and Calves to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto Thomas Jackson two heifers and that part of my stock of hogs that is in his house to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto James Drumond two Cows and Calves and a Steer of seven years old to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto Wm Lyston two heifers and three Ewes to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto Thomas Prebble son John two Sows

Item I give and bequeath unto Thomas Prebble son Thomas one heifer and a Sow

Item I give and bequeath unto Mrs Hannah a heifer and my will and desire is that my Servant Roy Richards shall be free at his own disposing after my Decease

Item I do give and bequeath unto Wm Sentins a two year old steer

Item I give and bequeath unto Thomas Hamden my black Gelding

Item I give and bequeath unto Mary Simmons two Children two Calves that is to each of them one

Item I do give and bequeath unto Mr John Kemble his heirs a Tract of Land called Winsloe provided to him his heirs and assigns for ever

Item all the rest of my Goods Chattles and Credits wherever they be I do will my will and testament shall stand that remain I do give and bequeath unto Richard Smith his heirs and assigns for ever and do make and Ordain him my whole and sole Executor of this my

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