In the Name of God Amen I Rich: Hill of Somerset Co: & Province of Maryland Planter being sick of Body but of Good & perfect Memory praise be therefore given to Almighty God therefore given to Almighty God therefore & calling to Memory the uncertainty of this Mortall Life & that we must Yield unto death whenight shall please God to call doe make ordain Constitute declare & pronounce this my last Will & Testam: in Manner & forme follo: Revoking & Anulling by these pr: Sence all & Every Testam: & Testam: Will & Wills heretofore by me made or declared either by Word or Write & this to be taken only for my Last Will & Testam: And first being sorry from the bottome of my heart for all my Sins part most humbley desiring forgiveness for the same I give & Commit my Soul to Almighty God my Saviour & Redeemer in whome & by the Merritts of Jesus Christ I trust & believe Assuredly to be saved & to have full Remission & forgiveness of all my Sins & my Soul w: my Body at Gen: day of Resurrection shall rise again w: Joy through the Merits of Christ Death & passion possess the Kingdome of Heaven prepared for his Elect & Chosen & my Body to be buried in such place & where it shall please my Ex: hereafter named to appoint And now for settling my Temporall Estate & such Lands Goods Chattles & debts as it has pleased God part above my desert to bestow upon me I doe Ord: give & bestow the same & dispose of them in Manner & forme foll: (that is to say) first I Will that all those duties & Debts that I owe in Right or Conscience to any Manner of Pson or psons w: soever be well & truly Contented & paid or cused & ordered to be paid w: in Convenient time after my decease by my Ex: hereafter named. It: I will & bequeath unto my Son Rich: Hill my Plantacon I now live upon called Husborne Torrent according to its Lines & Bounders specified in its Pattent unto him & his heirs for Ever. It: I will give & bequeath unto my well beloved wife Elce the one third of the ass: Plantacon called Husborne Torrent during her Life & at her decease to returne unto my Son Rich: & his heirs for Ever. It: I give Will & bequeath unto my Son Rich: all & whole the Lands belonging unto me not formerly & already by me Sold unto him his heirs & Assignes for Ever. It: I Will, give & bequeath unto my well beloved Wife the one third of all my Moveables & the remaining part I give & bequeath unto my Son Rich: & to his heirs & Assignes for Ever. It: I will that my well beloved wife shall when my Son Rich: attaineth to the age of ten Years keep him at & give him Scholing untill he be taught to read the Bible It: I will that my Son Rich: shall

be Estemed & Accounted at age when he shall attain unto the age of Eighteen Years. It: I will that my Welbeloved Wife Elce shall be Sole & only Ex: of this my Last Will & Testam: only that Henry Rich shall be her Assistant & Adviser therein unto her. It: I Will give & bequeath unto Joseph Schoolfield all & whole my Tract of Land & Marsh belonging unto me lying Situate & being in Wallops Neck according to its Lines & Bounders as it was Surveyd I Will & bequeath it unto him & s: Joseph Schoolfield & unto his heirs & Assignes for Ever he s: Joseph Scholefield paying unto my heirs Ex: or Adm: twelve hund: pounds of Tob: It: I Will give & bequeath unto Jos: Schoolfield One hund: Acres of Land part of a Tract of Land belong unto me lying Situate & being at the head of my Tract of Land called Husborne Torrent to Run from my head Lyne upward in that Tract untill he has his full Complement of One hund: Acres I Will give & bequeath it unto him his heirs & Assignes for Ever unto the s: Joseph Schoolfield Jun: It: Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & fixed my Seal this 18 day of March Anno Dmi: 1716

Rich: his RH mark Hill Seale

Signed, Sealed, acknowledged, declared ordained & pronounced in pr: Sence of us

Benj: Scholfield. Rob: Perrie. Tho: Nath: his I mark Williams

And on the back of the aforegoing Will was thus Endorsed (viz:) Memod: that this day viz the 11 of June 1716 came before me Benj: Scholfield, Rob: Perrie & Tho: Nath: Williams in their pr: pers: & made Oath upon the holy Evangelist that they saw the w: in Testat: Signe & declare the w: in Instrum: to be his last Will & Testam: & that he published pronounced & declared the same so to be & that at the time of his so doing he was of Sound & perfect mind & Memory to the best of their knowledge Test: Sam: Hopkins D: Com:

N: B:

In the Name of God Amen this 31 day of March in the Year of Our Lord God 1715 I Wm: Ryan of Somerset Co: in Maryland Planter being sick & weak of Body but thanks be to God of Sound & perfect Mind & Memory calling to mind the uncertainty of this Transitory Life & knowing that all flesh must Yeild unto death when please God to Call them doe therefore make & appoint this present writing to be my Last Will & Testam: in Manner & forme fol: that is to say first & principally I doe bequeath my Soul into the hands of God who gave it hoping thro: his Mercy & the Merritts of my blessed Saviour Jesus Christ to Obtain pardon & forgiveness of all my Sins & to Inherit