In the name of God amen I Matthew Carrawan of Dorcester County being weary Sick and weake of body but of a rit and parfet memori make and ordain this my larst Will and Testement furst I gue and Commend my Sole into the hands of God Allmighty and my body I bqathe unto the yearth to be desently buryed —
All my land I give and bequeath unto my Too Sones John & Matthew and the male ares of ther boddy layefully begottin and for want of such I gue to the garls Jane and mary and the ares of thear boddy Loyefully begottin for ever but that they shall not disand my wife but to have the full youse and manechment during hur widdohud and afterwords to have hur Furds and I likewise make my wife my hole exeecutary of this my last Will & Testement as witnes my hand and Seal this 4th day of Jeneway Anno Domi 1716 —

Matt Kirwan — (Seal)
mark

Testes William Cooke Edward Elliott —
his mark

And on the back side was Endorsed

June 17th 1717 — Then came Edward Elliott and William Cooke Subscribing Evidences to the within Will and made Oath upon the holy Evangelist of Allmighty God that they see the within named Mathew Kirwan Sign and Seale and heard him publish and Declare the within Instrument of writing as his last Will and Testament and at the time of his so Doing he was to the best of their apprehention of perfect Sence & memory —

Sworne before me —

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2d side.

Maryland In the name of God amen the 27th day of January 1716 I Robert Lake of Dorchester County in the Province afores.d Blacksmith being weak in Body but of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks thanks be to Allmighty God for the same and considering that all Flesh must yeild unto death when it shall please God to Call I do make and Declare this my last Will & Test.t in manner & form following

In primis I bequeath my Soule into the hands of Allmighty God hoping through the merits of Jesus Christ to Obtaine a Joyfull Resurrection & I commit body to the Earth to be buried in such Christian like manner as my

(wife)

well beloved wife Jane Lake shall think fitt and as for the worldly Goods that the Lord hath been pleased to bestow on me I will the same to be disposed of as this my last Will doth Express —

Item I give and bequeath unto my well beloved wife Jane Lake one halfe of all my Land and two thirds of all my moveable Estate —

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Lake the other halfe of my Land and one third of all my moveable Estate — That is to say if it should please God she should live to have Issue and if not to return unto my wife Jane Lake but if my wife should be now with Child then my will is tha that part of my Estate which I have Gave unto my daughter Mary Lake should be Equally devided between my said Children — I doe likewise ordain Constitue & appoint my well beloved wife Jane Lake Executrix of this my Will —

In Wittnes whear of I have set my hand and Seale the day & yeare above written

The mark of Robert R Lake (Seal)

Signed & Sealled In the presents of
Tobias Tollard John Deapell — the mark of John x Bramble Jun.r

And on the back side was Endorsed —

Aug.t 14th 1717 — Then came Tobias Tollard one of the Subscribing Evidences to the within Will and made Oath upon the holy Evangelist of Allmighty God that he see the within named Robert Lake Sign Seale & heard him publish and declare the within Instrument of Writing as his last Will and Testament and at the same time of his so doing he was to the best of his appearance of perfect Sence and memory and Likewise at the same time he saw John Deapell & John Bramble Jun.r Sign as Evidences to the same — Sworne before

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4th Side —