Baltimore County ss In the name of God Amen I Dorothy Groves wife of Wm Groves (w.th the Consent of my said husband) of the aforesaid County in the province of Maryland being sick & weak in body but of sound and perfect memory thanks be to God for the same do make Ordain Constitute and Appoint this Instrument writtenn to be my Last Will & Testament

Imprs: I Bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping for pardon for all my Sins and Joyfull Resurrection to Everlasting Life thro: the Merrits of my Blessed Saviour & Redeemer Jesus Christ

2dly I Give and bequeath unto John Rawlings my Loving Uncle & to his Assigns a Tract or parcell of Land Called Thompsons Choice lying on Gunpowder River & Adjoyning to a tract of Land Called Elk rock

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal the twelfth day of July Anno Dom: 1720.

Signed Sealed Published Declared and Delivered as her last Will & Testament in presence — Mary I Talbot, Mathew Hale, Joseph Presbury —

Dorothy her mark Groves (Seal)

To w.ch will was annexed as follows (viz) —

Baltimore County ss I Wm Groves of the County aforesaid Husband of the w.in Dorothy Groves Do hereby acknowledge my free Consent to the w.in Will & that I am Content & satisfyed w.th the Bequest of the Land w.in Mentioned Called Thompsons Choice as Witness my hand the Day and year above written —

Wm Groves —

Witness Mary I Talbot
Mathew Hale, Joseph Presbury

Aug.t 6: 1720 Came Joseph Presbury Mary Talbot & Mathew Hall and made Oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they Saw the above Wm Groves Sign the above writtenn and Declare his Consent to the w.in Will of Dorothy Groves his Late wife

Coram me — Fran: Holland Dep.ty Cl. Cond Bal County

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The 8: day of May Anno Dom: 1720

I Aquila Price of Baltimore County in the Province of Maryland being of Sound & perfect Disposing Mind and Memory doe for the better Sollement of my Temporall Estate of my Temporall affairs make Ordain Constitute this my Last Will and Testam.t in Manner and form following —

Imprs my Will is that My Dear wife Martha Price shall during her Widdow hood have the use of my Dwelling Plantation & half of the Land thereunto Adjoyning which I hold in Collet rock w.th Liberty to Clear or Cut down (as she may Occasion) that part of the said Land Only, which lyes to the Southward of the Road which Leads from my house to the Shooting house untill it Extends half way Cross the rock & so Down to the plantation & no further and in case she Marrys my will then is that she shall have the use of the two hundred Acres of Land Left her by her father During her natural Life, Both which are on this Condition that she

(Remains)