Memory and understanding, and that they the aforesaid Lewis Beard and John Beard Subscribed the within Instrument of Writing and further Declared that they saw the other Evidence Sarah Mezick Subscribe at the same time all in the presence and at the request of the Testatrix Jane Hopkins Sworn before

5th Sp. Nehemiah King Dom. of Som. County

In the Name of God Amen The Eighteenth day of February in the year of Our Lord God 1734/4 I George Betts Collier of Somerset County Joyner being very Sick and weak in Body but in perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given to God therefore Calling unto Mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men Once to Die do Make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament that is to say principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it and for my Body I commend it to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like and Decent manner at the discretion of my Exec. nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God, and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me with in this Life, I give Devise & dispose of the same in the following manner and form

Imprimis I give and Bequeath to my Brother John Nicholson my Plantation at Nanticoke point Called and known by the Name of Goos ~~Neck~~ Creek and a Negro Boy Named Glasgo and my Gun not to be used till he is capable of useing her himself. Item I give to my Sister Priscilla my Desk and one feather Bed and furniture that belongs to it Item I give one feather Bed to my Sister Bridgett Item I give to my Brother Levin my Horse Bridle and Sadle pistells and houlster & my Hatt. Item I give to my Brother John Crockett two Coats and fustian Vest & Breeches Item I give to my Brother Joseph Nicholson two Cows

Calves and one Yoke of Oxen and two young Sows and Piggs the best I have. Item I Constitute make and Ordain Thomas Benson my only and Sole Exec. of this my last Will and Testament And I do hereby Utterly Disallow Revoke Disanull all and every other former Testaments Wills and Legacies Requests and Exec. by me in any ways before this time Named Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the day & year first above written

Betts Collier (Seal)

Signed Sealed published pronounced and Declared to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us

Francis Parsons
Robert Dashiell
John Cooper

} at the foot of the foregoing Will was the following Probat thus Written

November the 15th 1735

Came Robert Dashiell and John Cooper two of the Subscribing Evidences to the above Will and made Oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, that they saw the Testator Betts Collier Sign and Seal and heard him publish pronounce and declare the above Instrument of Writing to be his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the Best of their understanding of Sound and Disposing Mind and Memory & understanding and they the aforesaid Robert Dashiell and John Cooper Subscribed the above Will and further Declared that they saw the other Evidence Francis Parsons Subscribe at the same time all in the presence and at the request of the Testator Betts Collier Sworn before

5th Sp. Nehemiah King Dom. Ty Somers. County

In the Name of God Amen the 8th Day of May anno Dominio one thousand Seven hundred thirty five I John Gibbens of Somerset County & Parish in the Province of Maryland being Sick and weak of Body but of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be to almighty God and Calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all Men