The following probate Taken at the Instance & request of William Digges of Prince georges County before His Honour the Commissary General was ordered to be Recorded in the book of Wills for this present year 1736

Exam.

Mr Clem Brook one of the Subscribing witnesses to the within Will and one of the persons who proved the Same in the manner it is proved before Benj Berryth Depty Comy Mr Mathias Degroot on the Holy Evangelists that he Saw and heard the Testator Seal Declare and deliver the Same as his Last Will and Testament & that he his Deponant and the Other Witness to the Said Will Subscribe as Witnesses thereto in the presence of the Testator & at his Request to the best of this Deponants Knowledge

Sworn to before me August 25th 1736

Mr Rogers Regr

D Dulany Comy

The above probate was Indorsed on the Sheet of Paper which contains the last Will and Testament of Mr Edward Stoppelhearst of Prince georges County decd which Will is Recorded in Lib. L No 3: No 5 from fol: 673 to 677

In The Name of God Amen The Twenty first Day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred Thirty & Four George Drew of Dorchester County in the province of Maryland being very Sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God therefore, calling unto mind of Mortality of my Body & knowing that 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 Soule into ye hands of God that gave it and for my Body I Recommend it to ye Earth to be Buried in Christian like and Decent manner at the Discretion of my Ex & nothing Doubting but at the Gen 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 in this life I give Devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form —

Item I do Constitute and ordain my Friend Wm Guy my whole and Sole Ex of this my Last will and Testament — hereby Utterly Disallowing Disannulling and Revoking all & every wills or Willes heretofore by me made and Confirming this to be my Last will and Testament — Given under my hand and Seal ye Day and year above written —

George Drew (Seal)

Signed Sealed published pronounced & Declared to be his Last will & Testament in the presence of us

Dan Lore
Phillip Langfill

August the 3d 1736 Came Philip Langfill one of the Witnesses to ye foregoing will being Duly and Solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Do Depose and Say that he Saw the Testator George Drew Sign the foregoing will and heard him publish and Declare the Same to be his Last will and Testament that at the time of his so Doing he was to the best of his apprehension of Sound and Disposing mind and memory and that there was likewise present the Other Witness Viz Dan Lore and Signed with him as a Witness to the Same

Jo Gill Depty Comy for Dorch County

In The Name of God Amen I Edward Davis Senr of Charles County in the province of Maryland planter being in a weak & languishing Condition but of Sound and perfect Memory do make & ordain this my Last will and Testament — in manner and form following that is to Say First and principally I recommend my Soule to Almighty God and heavenly Father & my Body to the Earth to be Decently buried at the Discretion of my Ex hereafter named nothing Doubting But to Receive the Same again at the Gen Resurrection through the mighty power of God and to Inherit Eternall Life & Salvation through the merits & Satisfaction of my Blessed Saviour & Redeemer Jesus Christ our Lord & as for such worldly goods as God in his Mercy hath bestowed on me I give & Dispose of the Same in manner and form following Viz —

Imprimis I give and Bequeath to my Beloved Son Henry Davis Ten acres of Land part of a Tract Called Davises Hazard adjoyning to a Well of Said I have already Confirmed to him by a Deed of Gift beginning at a marked white Oak standing at the head of a Branch that Divides the Land of Said Henry Davis and Richard Davis & Binding to the Road to include Ten acres on the north side of the Road the Said Said I give to him and his heirs for Ever —

Item I give & Bequeath to my Beloved Son Edward Davis ye Elder ye Well of Land whereon his house lives being part of the Tract Called Davises Hazard and bind head beginning at a marked Spanish oak the Second bound tree of Davises Hazard to Contain with the plantation fifty Acres the Said Land I give to him & his Heirs for Ever —