according unto the meets & bounds expressed in the Original Deed of Grant All the aforesaid Land being in Somerset County in Maryland & on the Sea bore & in a Neck called Hills neck where now John Williams doth dwell & on the Southside of Wallops neck where now Mrs Catherine Purnell doth dwell & all the aforesaid Land & Marsh to be quietly & peaceably possessed & Injoyed by him the said Charles Rackliffe & his Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I also Give & Bequeath unto the aforesaid Captain Charles Rackliffe whom I Do appoint to be my whole & sole Executor of this last Will & Testament all my moveable Estate whatsoever & wheresoever or in what hand soever & renounce & revoke all Will & Testaments by me formerly made & Doe Declare this & no other to be my last Will & Testament And In Witnessing hereof I do sett my hand & seal the day & year abovewritten.

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced & Declared by the said Richard Hill as his last Will & Testament in the Presence of us.

Richa Hill (Seal)

Hugh Stevenson
Rich.d Holland
Solomon Cropper
William W his Hook
Mark

On the back of the aforegoing Will was the following Probat thus written Viz.t

March y 16th 1737 Came Hugh Stevenson & William Hook two of the Subscribing Evidences to the within Will & made oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Richard Hill Sign & Seal & heard him Publish Pronounce & Declare the within Instrument of Writing to be his last Will & Testament & that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of sound & disposing mind memory & Understanding, And that they the said Hugh Stevenson & William Hook Subscribed the within Will & further Deposed that they saw the other Evidences Richard Holland & Solomon Cropper Subscribe at the same time all in the Presence & at the request of the Testator Richard Hill

Sworn before Nehemiah King Deps.ty Com.ry of Somerset County.

5½ Fees.

Exam.d

The last Will & Testament of Joseph Wailes.

→ Imprs.is I give to my wellbeloved Wife Heallener Wailes one Negro Woman called Orris and my Riding Mare to her & her Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I give to my Sons Daniel Wailes & Hairst Wailes my now Dwelling Plantation & the Land joyning thereto to be equally divided betweeth them their Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I give to my Son Daniel Wailes one Negro woman called Ordary to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I give to my Son Hairst Wailes one Negro girl called Esther to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever

Item I give unto my two Sons John & George Wailes a parcell of Land called

Goodds Delight to be equally divided between them their Heirs & Assigns for ever I also give to my Son John Wailes one Negro boy called Peter to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever

Item I give to my Son George Wailes one Negro boy called Leander to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I give to the Child my Wife is now bearing one Negro Child called Judith to it & its Heirs & Assigns for ever — and I leave all my Sons to be at Age & to receive their Portions at the Age of Eighteen years. — I Give unto the Rev.d Mr.r Adams all my right of a parcell of Land called S.t Solbones to him his Heirs & Assigns for ever.

Item I give to my aforesaid four Sons & the Child my Wife is now bearing all the rest of my Estate to be equally divided amongst them after my Wifes Thirds is taken out to them their Heirs & Assigns for ever And I Doe appoint my beloved Wife to be my Executrix of this my last Will & Testament In Testimony whereof I have Set my hand & seal this Third day of September 1736.

Signd Seald Publishd & Declared by Joseph Wailes to be his last Will & Testament in Presents of.

Jos. Wailes (Seal)

John Handy
Ab. Cordry
Fra.s his Willson
mark

On the back of the aforegoing Will was the following Probat thus written Viz.t

On the 31st day of March 1737. Came Abraham Cordary & on the 6th day of April 1737. Came John Handy two of the Subscribing Evidences to this Will & made oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God, that they saw the Testator Joseph Wailes Sign & Seal & heard him Publish Pronounce & declare the within Instrument of Writing to be his last Will & Testament & that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of sound & disposing mind memory & understanding & that they the said Abraham Cordary & John Handy Subscribed this Will & further deposed that they saw the other Evidence Francis Wilson subscribe at the same time all in the Presence & at the request of the Testator Joseph Wailes

5 Fees

Sworn before Nehemiah King Deps.ty Com.ry of Som.rset County

In the Name of God Amen I James Dashiell of Somerset County & Province of Maryland being weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks to God calling to mind the Uncertainty of humane life & that it is appointed for all men once to die Doe think it proper to make this my last Will & Testament in manner following, First I Recommend my Soul to God who gave it & my body to the Earth from whence it was taken in hopes of a Glorious Resurrection to Everlasting life at the General Judgement at the last day through the Mercies of God & Merits of Jesus Christ my Saviour And as for what worldly Estate it hath pleased God of his Goodness to bestow upon me I give & Bequeath in manner following

→ Imprimis I give & Bequeath unto my Son James Dashiell to him & the Heirs of his body lawfully begotten for ever part of two Tracts of Land the one called Meeches right the other Meeches Desert beginning at the mouth of a Gutt that divides the Land of John Hopkins from mine thence running up the Creek North East to a marked white Oak being the first bounder of Meeches Desert thence up & with the