At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.t

May 1, 1739. Came before me William Brewer & William Beall two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will & being duly Sworn on the holy Evangelists Depose & Swear that they Saw the Testator Edward Holmes Sign & Seal the same & heard him Publish & declare it to be his last Will & Testament That at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Judgement & Apprehension of sound & disposing mind & memory & that they & the other Witness Elizabeth Beall Subscribed their names to the said Will as Witnesses thereto in the Presence of the Testator. Sworn to before me. D Dulany Comry

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Maryland ss. In the Name of God Amen I John Gaither of Ann.l County Planter being sick & weak in body but of perfect sound mind & memory thanks be Given to God therefore Calling unto mind the mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die Do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament (that is to say) Principally & first of all I Recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it & for my Body I Recommend it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the discretion of my Exec.rs & as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I Give Devise & Dispose of the same in the following manner & form.

Item I Give & Bequeath unto my Seven Sons Alixander Benjamin Richard David Amos Joshua & Rezin Gaithers a Tract of Land being part of a Tract of Land called Abbington Containing three Hundred & Sixty four Acres lying in Ann.l County to them the said Alix.r Benj.m Rich.d David Amos Joshua & Rezin Gaithers their Heirs & Assigns for ever Which said Three Hundred Sixty four Acres of Land being as aforesaid part of Abbington I will be as equally divided among my aforesaid Sons Alix.r Benj.m Rich.d David Amos Joshua & Rezin Gaithers as Possible may be.

Item I Give & Bequeath unto my other three Sons John Edward & Samuel Gaithers a Tract of Land called left Out lying in Ann.l County & Containing two hundred fifty two & a half Acres of Land to be equally divided among my said three Sons John Edward & Samuel Gaithers & be & remain unto them the s.d John Edward & Samuel Gaithers their Heirs & Assigns for ever

Item I make Ordain Constitute & Appoint Elizabeth my beloved Wife & my Son Benjamin Gaither Executrix & Executor of this my last Will & Testament & I Do hereby utterly Disallow revoke & Disanull all & every other former Testaments Wills Bequests & Executors by me in any ways before this time Named Willed & Bequeathed Ratifying & Confirming this & no other to be my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & affixed my Seal this fourth day of May in the year of our Lord God Seventeen Hundred & Thirty nine.

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced & Declared by the within named John Gaither as his last Will & Testament in the Presence of us the Subscribers Viz:

John Gaither (Seal)

Thomas Davis
Abraham Woodward
Rich.d Davis

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

On the 20th day of June 1739. Thomas Davis Abraham Woodward & Richard Davis Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly & solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangells of Almighty God Do depose & Say that they Saw John Gaither the Testator Sign & Seal the within Will & heard him Publish & declare the same to be his last Will & Testament, and that at the time of his so doing, he was, to the best of their Apprehension of sound & disposing mind & memory & that they Subscribed their respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the Presence of the Testator & at his request. Sworn before D Dulany Comry

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In the Name of God Amen I John Tayler of Prince Georges County Planter being weak & sick in body but in sound & perfect memory Do make this my last Will & Testament in manner & form following Imprimis I Bequeath my Soul to Almighty God who gave it me in full Hope & Assurance of Everlasting Life of the Blessed Death & Passion of my only Saviour Jesus Christ my Body I Bequeath unto the Earth from whence it came to be decently buried at the Discretion of my Executor hereafter named as to my worldly Estate with which it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me with I Dispose of it as followeth.

Imprimis That all such debts as I Owe be justly paid.

61. Item I Give & Bequeath one part of my Land South from my Dwelling to my Son John Taylor it being from a bounded Red Oak to a White Oak bounded South & thence to a Path leading to Piscataway to a black Oak near the Branch Containing Thirty Acres of Land to him & his Heirs.

Item I Give & Bequeath unto my Son James Taylor Thirty Acres of Land from a black Oak thence the Corn field to a white Oak bounded on the Southside to him & his Heirs

Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Unice Taylor Thirty Acres of Land with the Dwelling Houses & Appurtenances thereunto belonging and after her Decease I Will & Bequeath it unto my youngest Son Thomas Taylor unto him & his Heirs.

Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Son James Taylor one young Heifer called Britty — Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Son Tho.s Taylor a young Sorrell Horse called Silver & one young Heifer of 3 years old & Eight Hundred & ninety six Pounds of Tobacco to be paid him out of the Crop for a debt which he Obliges himself to pay for me the said John Taylor.

Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Taylor a young Bay Horse called Sterling — Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Taylor a young Horse called Pompe.

Item I Will & Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Unice Taylor all the rest of my Personal Estate & Constitute & Appoint her whole & sole Executr of this my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seall this Seventeenth day of Janeuer 1736

Signed Sealed & Delivered in Presence of

Tho.s Blanford
John Blanford
Richard R Parker (Test mark)

John T Taylor (Seal)

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

Prince Geo: Geo: ss.
Nov.r 29.o 1738 } Then Came Thomas Blanford Sen.r & John Blanford & Richard Parker three Subscribing Evidences to the foregoing Will & made oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God That they Saw John Taylor the Deceased Testator Sign the foregoing Will & afterwards Publish & declare the same to be his last Will & Testament & at the time of his so doing he was of sound & disposing memory to the best of their Apprehension & in his presence & at his request they Subscribed the same as Evidences Sworn before. Per Dent D.ty Comry of Pr. Geo: County

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In the Name of God Amen I Martha Greenfield of Prince Georges County in the Province of Maryland Widow being of sound & disposing mind & memory & calling to mind the uncertainty of life Do make my last Will & Testament in manner & form following (Viz.t)

Imprim.s I Recommend my Soul to Almighty God hoping for pardon of my Sins & Desire my Body may be buried in a decent (not Pompous) manner at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named & my Estate I dispose of as follows Viz.t

Item I give to my dear Daughter Anne Wight one Negro boy named Ned Provided she the said Ann Wight immediately after my Decease give the said Negro boy Ned unto my Grandson Tho.s Truman Greenfield.

Item I give to my Grandson Walter Truman Greenfield one Mallatto boy named Meshack.

Item I give to my Grand Daughter Sabina Truman Greenfield one Silver Spoon.

Item I give to my Grand Daughter Sarah Greenfield one Feather bed Bolster & Pillows with Curtains & Vallens Rugg & Blankets Standing in my Chamber & two Ews & Lambs.

Item I give to my dear Daughter Ann Wight one Mallatto boy named Sam Provided she the said Ann Wight immediately after my Decease give the said Mallatto boy Sam unto my Grandson Thomas Greenfield Son of Truman Greenfield.

Item I give to my Grand Daughter Elizabeth Greenfield one Silver Spoon.

Item I give to my Grandson George Parker one Mallatto boy named Abednego.

Item I give to my dear Daughter Martha Warring one Negro boy named Leander & a Mallatto Girl named Iyana one Turkey Leather Trunk marked M. G: & a Silk Quilt Provided my said Daughter Waring give her Daughter Martha Burgis the aboves.d Mallatto Girl called Iyana.

Item I give to my dear Daughter Ann Wight one Negro Woman named Juno & her Child named Kate & one Mallatto girl named Nell & one Negro boy named Robin Provided always & it is my Will that my Grand Daughter Innocence Wight have the first child that is born of the said Juno after my Decease & my Grandson Jole of Wight have the Second & my Grand Daughter Ann Wight have the third Child that is born of the s.d Juno after my Decease.

Item I give to my Grand Daughter Innocence Wight my Feather bed & furniture with Curtains & Vallens altogether as it stands in my Lower Room as also two Ews & Lambs.

Item I give to my dear Daughter Jone Hawkins one Negro Woman named Pegg & one Negro boy named Charles one