Revoking, and Disannulling all Other Testators made in Testimony whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal this Twenty Second Day of Feby. One thousand Seven hundred and thirty Nine

Signed Sealed and Acknowledged to be his Last Will and Testament in the Presence of us

Richard Buckley
Geo: Beswicke

Wm Harper (Seal)

On the Back of the aforegoing is thus Written Viz.

Talbot County Sct. Richard Buckley and George Beswicke the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being Duly & Solemnly Sworn upon the Holy Evangels of Almighty God Depose and Say that they saw the Testator William Harper sign and Seal the said Will and heard him Publish & Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehension of sound and Disposing mind and Memory before me the Subscriber this Twenty Ninth Day of November Anno Domini 1741

6 1/2 Sides

Tho: Bullen Dep.ty Comty of Talbot County

In the Name of God Amen I William Hambleton of Talbot County in the Province of Maryland Gent.m being weak in Body but of sound and Perfect Memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same but calling to mind the Mortality of this Mortall Life doe think fit to make this my Last Will and Testament first I give and bequeath my Soul unto Almighty God who gave it and in hopes through the Merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have pardon for my Sins Committed here in this Sinfull Life and to Inherit the Kingdom of Heaven forever my Body I leave to be Buried at the discretion of my Executors and Executors hereafter Named I give and bequeath unto my Brother John Hambleton son William Hambleton one Negro called Young Bess and I give and bequeath unto my Brother John Hambleton Son John thirty pounds Currency or one Negro to the Value thereof I give and bequeath unto my Brother John Hambleton one Good Bed & Furniture I give and bequeath to my Cousin William Harper twenty pounds Currency to be paid when he is at Age I give and bequeath to my Sister Catherine Spencer one thousand pounds of Tobacco I give and bequeath to my Cousin William Dawson & Robert Dawson Junr. one Cow and Calf to Each my Will is that the Forementioned Legacyes shall not be taken off from the Plantation so Long as my Mother is Living after her Decease to be paid as before Mentioned I give and bequeath my Dear and Loveing Mother the half of my personal Estate During her Natural Life and I give and bequeath the Other part of my personal Estate or half of it to my Brother Philimon Hambleton and the whole after my Dear Mothers Decease I give and bequeath to my Brother Philimon Hambleton my Dwelling Plantation after the Decease of my dear beloved Mother and all my Lands Rights and Titles in in the World to him the said Philimon and his Heirs forever

I doe appoint my Brother Philimon Hambleton to be my Executor of this my Last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Twenty First Day of December Anno Dom 1733

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presents of us

Wm Sharp
John Auld
John Wrighton

William Hambleton (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Will is thus Written Viz.

Talbot County Sct. William Sharp one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being one of the People Called Quakers maketh this Solemn Affirmation and Declareth that he saw the Testator William Hambleton Sign and Seal the said Will and heard him Publish & Declare the same to be his Last Will & Testament that at the time of the said Testators his so doing he was to the best of the Apprehension of this Affirmant of Sound & Disposing mind and Memory and that he the said Affirmant Together with John Auld

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and John Wrighton the Other two Subscribing Witnesses did Subscribe their Respective Names as Witnesses to the same Will in the Presence of the same Testator and at his Request and John Auld above Named One of the Subscribing Witnesses to the said Will being Duly & Solemnly Sworn upon the Holy Evangels of Almighty God Deposeth and Saith that he saw the Testator William Hambleton sign Seal the said Will and heard him Publish & Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the time of his the said Testators so doing he was to the best of the Apprehension of this Deponant of sound and Disposing mind and Memory and that he the Deponant together with William Sharp and John Wrighton the other two Subscribing Witnesses did Subscribe their Respective Names as Witnesses to the same Will in the Presence of the same Testator and at his Request & in one the Subscriber this thirtieth Day of December

6 1/2 Sides anno: Dom 1741

Tho: Bullen Dep.ty Comty of Talbot County

In the Name of God Amen the 27th Day of December Anno Dom 1741 I George Laird of Talbot County in the Province of Maryland being sick and weak of Body but of Perfect mind and Memory thanks be given to Almighty God therefore calling to mind and Memory 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 Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian Manner at the Discretion of my Exor 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 in this Life I give and bequeath and Dispose of the same in the following Words

Imprimis I do Give and bequeath unto my Loving Wife Elizabeth Laird after all my Just Debts are paid and her Childrens portion paid all the Rest of my Estate to her and the Heirs of her Body Lawfully Begotten forever

Lastly I do Appoint and Constitute Mr. Robert Goldsborough Junr. and Robert Hall to be my whole & sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament and I do hereby disallow revoke and Disannull all and Every other Testament Will and Legacies Requests and Executors 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 above Said

Signed Sealed published and Declared
in y.e Presence
John [his mark] Bonny
John R. Pierce

George Laird. (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Will is thus Written Viz.

Talbot County Sct.

John Bogny and John Pierce the Subscribing Witnesses to the forgoing will being Duly and Solemnly Sworn upon the Holy Evangels of Almighty God Depose and say that they saw the Testator George Laird Sign and Seal the said will and heard him Publish and Declare the same to be his last will & Testament that at the time of his so Doing he was to the best of the Apprehension of these Deponents of sound and Disposing mind and Memory Before me the Subscriber this 4th Day of January Anno Dom. 1741

Tho: Bullen Deputy Commissary of Talbot County.

I Certify that I Renounce the Administration of the within Written Will Witness my hand this 4th Day of January 1741

Robert Hall

In the Name of God Amen the 24th of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred forty One I John Leonard of Talbot County in the Province of Maryland being very

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