Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Grandson William Mc Clester two Shillings Sterling and one two year old Mare called Sapo to be paid and Delivered him Out of my Personal Estate in full of all his part Portion or Claim and he is not to receive any Demand or Claim by any title or title Whatsoever Directly or Indirectly any more of my Estate but that two Shillings Sterling and the two year old Mare aforesaid in full Discharge of all Pretentions Claims and Demands Whatsoever against any part of my Estate aforesaid

Item. I Give and bequeath all the rest and Remainder of my Estate Land Tenements Hereditaments Together with all their Appurtenances and all my good and Chattles both real and Personal unto my well Beloved son Samuel Mc Clester and his heirs forever

And I Do hereby make Ordain Constitute and Appoint my aboveaid son Samuel Mc Clester to be Whole and sole Executor of this my Last will and Testament hereby Revoaking and making Null and Void all Other wills and Testaments by me heretofore made. And Ratifying and Confirming this Present Writing to be my last will and Testament

And Furthermore I do hereby freely and Absolutely give grant and Ordain Constitute & Appoint the aboveaid Samuel Mc Clester with all my Power to be my Only heir of in and to all my Land Tenements and Hereditiments Lying and being in any part of this Province of Maryland together with all Lease Writings and all and every of the Benefits and Appurtenances thereunto Belonging to be to the Only Proper use and behoof of him the said Samuel Mc Clester as an Estate of Inheritance in fee Simple to him the said Samuel Mc Clester and his heirs forever in full Confirmation of all and every of the bequests Legacies and Articles in this last will abovespecified I John Mc Clester have Willed it Written it with mine own hand this 15th Day of July Anno Domi 1742. I have signed Sealed and acknowledged this to be my Last will and Testament

Signed Sealed and acknowledged to be John Mc Clesters last will in the Presence of us the Witnesses under Written

Ruth Dickison (her mark)
Stephen Hopkins
Jonathan Richman
Isaque Dickenson
Daniel Waller (his mark)
David Hopkins

John Mc Clester. (Seal)

On the back of the aforegoing will was then Written Viz.

December 5th 1742 Came Stephen Hopkins Jonathan Richman Isaque Dickenson Daniel Waller and David Hopkins Subscribing Evidences to this Will and made Oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God that they saw the Testator John Mc Clester signand Seal and heard him publish Pronounce and Declare this 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 Apprehension of sound and Disposing mind memory and Understanding and that they the said Stephen Hopkins Jonathan Richman Isaque Dickenson Daniel Waller and David Hopkins Subscribed their Several names to this Instrument of Writing as Evidences in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator John Mc Clester Sworn before

Nehemiah King Deputy County of Somerset County

In the Name of God Amen. this Thirteenth Day of April in the year of Our Lord God one Thousand Seven hundred thirty nine I Grace Thompson, Widow, of Prince Georges County in the Province of Maryland being of Sound and Perfect Mind and Memory thanks be to God for the same and calling to mind the Uncertain State of this Human Life and that all flesh must yield unto Death when it shall please God to call them do make this my Last will and Testament in manner and form following Revoaking Annulling and making Void all Other Will or wills Testament or Testaments by me

Heretofore made Either by word or Writing and this to be Taken as my Last will and None Other And first being Sorry for all my past sins do most humbly Crave of God Pardon and forgiveness of the same hoping through the Merrits Mediation and Intercession of my Blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to be Eternally saved and into the hands of Almighty God I Commit my soul and my body to the Earth to be Decently Interred by my Executor and Executrix hereafter Named. And as for that Temporal Estate which it hath Pleased God through his goodness and and Mercy far above my Deserts to bestow upon me, who account myself Unworthy of the least of his Mercies I Give and Bequeath in manner and form following. And first I will that all such Debts which in my right and Concience I owe to any person or persons be paid and Discharged in some Convenient Time after my Decease by my Executor and Executrix hereafter Named

Item I Give and Bequeath unto John Thompson son of William Thompson one Shilling

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Margaret Shaw Daughter of William Thompson one Shilling

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Mary Berry Daughter of William Thompson One Shilling

Item I Give and bequeath unto Christopher Brown the sum of Ten pounds Sterling

Item. I Give and bequeath unto Pompey Young the One third part of all my Estate when he the said Pompey Young is Arrived or Come to the age of twenty One Years Old to him and his heirs forever and that the said Pompey Shall remain in the Possession of my Executrix hereafter Named Untill he the said Pompey Young Arrive or Come to the age of Twenty One Years Old and furthermore my will is that the abovementioned and third part of all my Estate Whatsoever and Wheresoever which I have freely given to the said Pompey Young shall remain In the Possession of my Executor hereafter Named untill the said Pompey Young Arrive or Come to the age of Twenty One Years of age and then the said Pompey Young Shall have it Delivered to him to keep in his own Possession but if in Case the said Pompey Young should Die before he should Arrive or Come to the age of Twenty One years Old my Executor and Executrix shall take care and bury him Decently and then the above mentioned One third part of all my Estate Whatsoever and Wheresoever which I have left to the said Pompey Young and his heirs shall be equally Divided between my Executor and Executrix hereafter Named to them and their heirs and my will is that my Executor and Executrix shall Purchase two hundred Acres of Land for the aboveaid Pompey Out of my whole Estate and to be Delivered to him at the age of Twenty One year Old for him and his heirs forever and that my Executor and Executrix shall find the said Pompey sufficient Clothing and Diet and Drink untill he the said Pompey Young Arrive to the age of Twenty One Years old then the said Pompey Young shall be a freeman and if in Case my Executrix Die before the said Pompey Young Arrive at age as above expressed my Executor hereafter named shall take the said Pompey Young into his Possession and him keep untill he the said Pompey Young arrive to the age of Twenty one years old

Item I Give and Bequeath to Mary Hall Daughter of Colonel Joseph Bolt and Negro Girl named Jenny and her and her Increase to her the said Mary Hall and her heirs forever

Item. I Give and bequeath to my two Negro Girls named Sallah and Jenny to each of them one Suit of my Common Wearing Apparel

Item I Give and bequeath to Mary Young the One half of all my Apparel whatsoever and Wheresoever

Item I Give and bequeath to Alice Ray the other half of my Wearing Apparel this to be to be equally Divided

Lastly After my Debts Legacies and Funeral Charges Shall be paid I Give and bequeath the remainder of my Estate Whatsoever and Wheresoever except as before bequeathed Unto Colonell Joseph Bolt and Mary Young to them and their heirs. And of this my Last will and Testament I make Colonell Joseph Bolt and Mary Young full Whole and Sole Executor and Executrix as Witness my hand and seal the Date above

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the said Grace Thompson to be her last will and Testament in the Presence of us

David Shaw Rofs. Charles H Hodge (his mark)
Christopher X Brown (his mark)

Grace G. T. Thompson (her mark) (Seal)