increase to her her heirs and Assigns forever. Item I give and Bequeath to my well beloved Son John Outten one negro man called Ben to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item I give and Bequeath to my well Beloved Son Thomas Outten one negro Girl called Rose and her increase to him his heirs and assigns forever. Item I give and Bequeath to my well Beloved Sons John Outten and Thomas Outten all my houses and lots in Snowhill Town to be equally divided among them to them their heirs and assigns forever. Item it is my Will that all the rest of my Personal Estate after my just debts is paid to be equally divided amongst my wife and children Viz. Matthew Outten & William Outten Sarah Outten John Outten Thomas and Abraham Outten and I do hereby constitute make and ordain my well beloved wife to be sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signed sealed Pronounced & declared by the said Abraham Outten to be his last Will and Testament in the Presence of

Wm. Ritchin
Wm. Nelson
allexander his mark Dennis

Abraham Outten (Seal)

To the foregoing Will was the following Probate thereunto annexed Viz.

June the 5th 1747 came before the Subscriber William Ritchin and Elioner Dennis two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing Will and made oath on the holy Evangels of almighty God that they saw Abraham Outten the Testator sign and seal and heard him Publish Pronounce and declare the (in their hearing) to be his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of a sound disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their names as witnesses to the said Will in the Presence of the Testator and at his Request and also that they saw William Nelson the other subscribing witness sign as an Evidence to the said Will in the Presence and at the request of the Testator sworn before

Benton Harris Deputy Commy. of Worcester County

And also the following Widows Election Jot.

Memorandum that this 6th of June 1747 came Rhoda Outten widow and Relict of the above Abraham Outten and Relinquished the gifts and Bequests made her by the deceased in his last Will & Testament and Elected & chuseth in Law thereof her her right of dower or third part of the deceased Estate real & Personal. — Test Benton Harris D. Commy. of Wor. County.

The Affirmation of Richard Johns of Baltimore County aged 42 years or thereabout who being one of those People called Quakers affirms as follows Viz. That John Barlisle late of Baltimore County deceased dies give (in his last sickness) to his Brother George Barlisle one mare with foal the foal the said mare goes with to his cousin Nancy Barlisle a yearling) both to his cousin Richard Deavor son of Daniel Deavor (Twenty shillings due from Robt. Scott to him the said deceased to Daniel Deavor one shirt to his Brother Robt. Barlisle one shirt to his Brother George Barlisle two shirts to his Brother Daniel Deavor his hogs bow and bow it was his desire should be sold to discharge his funeral Expenses and what other charges might appear against his Estate and that he the said John Barlisle did appoint his Brother Daniel Deavor to Execute the above will and Bury him the said deceased at his the said Daniel discretion and that he the said John Barlisle at the time of his Pronouncing) the above will was in sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of this affirmants knowledge and that it was in his last sickness. —

The deposition of Tom Barns of Baltimore County aged 45 years or thereabout who being sworn on the holy Evangelists Ds. declares as follows Viz. That John Barlisle late of Baltimore County deceased in his last sickness dies give to his Brother George Barlisle one mare with foal the foal the said mare goes with to his Cousen Nancy Barlisle a yearling) both to his Cousen Richard Deavor Son of Daniel Deavor twenty shillings due from Robert Scott to the said deceased to Daniel Deavor one shirt to his Brother George Barlisle one shirt to his Brother Robert Barlisle two shirts to his Brother Daniel Deavor his hogs bow and bow it was his desire should be sold to discharge his funeral Expenses and what other charges might appear against his Estate and that he the said John Barlisle dies appoint his Brother Daniel Deavor to Execute the above will and Bury him the said deceased at his the said Daniels Discretion and that he the said John Barlisle at the time of his Pronouncing) the above will was in sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of this deponants knowledge & that it was in his last sickness affirmed and sworn to this 28th day of July Anno Domini 1747

Before me Thos. White Deputy Commy of Baltimore County

47½ acres