Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Thomas Travers all my Land on Taylers Island that I lately Bought of John Edmondson which I think is called Robson Point, and one Negro called Rob and one Negro called Harry to him and his heirs for ever

Item I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Mathew Travers my Land Called Project lying near the Wheles Creek and one Negroe called Abraham and one Negroe called Charles to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give unto my Son John Traverse five Negroes as I have no Land to leave him which said Negroes is by Name Joe Dorse Beck and Jack with their Increase and one Negroe called Frank

Item I Give unto my Daughter Mary one Negroe called Hagar and Ten Ewe Sheep and Ten Cows and four Sows and one feather Bed and one Young Mair and the Increes of the said Negroe Hagar being in full for her pard of my Estate

Item I Give unto my Daughter Elizabeth one Negroe called Rachel with her Increase, and Ten Ewe Sheep and Ten Cows, and four Sows and one feather Bed and one Young mair being in full for her pard of my Estate

Item I Give unto my Daughter Nansey one Negroe called Rose with her Increase and Ten Ews and Ten Cows or Heifers and four Sows and one Young Mair and one feather Bed being in full for her pard of my Estate

Item I Give unto the Child my wife is now with Child of if it should be a Boy three Negroes by name, Sam Isaac and Ben and an equal pard of my Personal Estate with my other Sons but if it should be a Girl then give it one Negroe called Nell with her Increase and Ten Ews and Ten Cows or heifers and four Sows and one Young Mair and one feather Bed being in full for her pard of my Estate

Item I Give unto my Dear and Loving wife all the Rest of my Negroes which I have not before Given away to my Children being in full of her pard of Negroes but I also give unto my said wife one third pard of my Estate after the Legacies are taken out and my debts paid And I Likewise Constitute Ordain and Appoint my dear wife and my Son William with my Brother Henry Travers to be whole and Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby Revoking all formes

Wills by me made In Witness where of the said Mathew Travers have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 15th day of Novem in the year of our Lord God Anno Dom: 1754

Signed and Sealed and Published in the presence of

Wm Travers
Alex Tolley
Edward Ruark
Thos. X Ruark (his mark)

Mathew Travers (Seal)

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was the following Probate Viz

On the Seventh day of April Anno Dom: 1755 William Travers the Exor and John Ruark Two of the Subscribing Evidences to the aforegoing Will being Duly and Solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God Depose and say that they Saw the Testator Mathew Traverse Sign the aforegoing Will and heard him publish and 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 and that they together with Alex. Tolley and Edward Ruark Subscribing Witnesses to the same Will Subscribed their Respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his Request which Oath was Taken by the said Witnesses in the presence of William Traverse the heir at Law which same William Traverse did not Object to the Probate of the same Will Certified Jam. Dale Deputy Comr

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For: County

In the name of God Amen I Robert Wadell of Dorchester County in Maryland Taylor and being in Perfect Health praised be God do make this my Last Will and Testament as followeth: Imprimis I Give to my Daughters Mary and Likewise My Daughter Jane also my Daughter Sarah & Margrett I Give and Bequeath one Shilling each a piece to these four and to have no other Demands upon my Estate

Item I Give to my Son James my horse called Buck Likewise three young Bullocks and Two Ews and Lambs and to have no other pard of my Effects. Item I leave to my Daughter Elizabeth and Nancy and Prudence one Shilling each of them and to have no other pard of my Effects and I Constitute my Wife the whole Executor of this my Last and Testament with whom I Charge with the payment of these Legacies and after the payment of my Just Debts and my wifes Thirds all the Remainder of my Goods and