Signed Sealed Published and Delivered by the said James Edge the Testator as and for his Last Will and Testament in the Presence of us who were present at the signing and sealing thereof

Henry Sitton
William Shermer
Vincent Paddison
Archibald Mackintill

James Edge (Seal)

on the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz

Talbot County ss Henry Sitton Vincent Paddison and Archibald Mackintill three of the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangels of almighty God deposes and say that they saw the Testator James Edge sign the foregoing 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 subscribed their respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his request and that they likewise saw William Shermer the other subscribing Witness subscribe his name as a Witness to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his request. Sworn before me this 29th Day of April 1759.

Dent Maynadier Dep. Comty Clerk

Talbot County ss John Gordon being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangels of almighty God deposeth and saith that early Early in the morning of the Day in which the within mentioned James Edge died he waited on him and after he had been with him some Time he called being perfectly sensible for his Will, and put it into the said John Gordon's hand to add a codicil in the Favour of the said James Edge's Wife But when upon the said John Gordon's reading it he the said John Gordon observed that she was sufficiently secured in all that belonged to him he was satisfied and said that it was true he had Relations but as none had deserved it well of him as she, and as she had been the faithfull and constant companion of his life he left all to her. Sworn before me this 29th day of April 1759

Dent Maynadier Dep. Comty Clerk

Sp. Lect. Examined

Talbot County ss Christopher Spry, John Stockton and Elizabeth Lowry being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangels of almighty God deposeth and saith that on the first day of this Instant May they heard Henry Robson now deceased say that he desired his Brother Robert Robson might have peaceable possession of his Land during the said Robert Robsons Life and that they were desired by the said Henry Robson to take notice of the same as his Will and desire and that the said Henry Robson departed this Life on the third of this Instant May between three and four of the clock in the afternoon. Sworn before me the fourth day of may between eight and nine of the clock in the afternoon 1759.

Dent Maynadier Dep. Comty Clerk

Wc Lieles Examined

In the Name of God Amen I Joshua Grason being sick and weak but in perfect memory thanks be to God for it do make this my last Will and Testament and first I give my Soul to God that gave it to me and my Body to be Buried in a Decent manner and as touching my Worldly affairs I dispose of them as follows and first my will is that all my just Debts be paid and fully satisfied. Item I give to my Brother William Elston my mare of a Track of Sound cattle Fishes Range and also a Track of Sound cattle Bentenshow and a Track of Sound cattle Stapleton and Fishes Hole and to him and his heirs forever and also give him my wearing Saddle to him and his heirs forever Item I give to my Sister Elizabeth Elston my Gray Horse called Copping under my Will and desire is that Rachel Elston Daughter of Walsh Elston may have fifteen Hundred pounds of Tobacco paid to him out of my Estate – Item my Will is that after my Debts is paid that the Remainder of my Estate be equally devided between my Sister Elizabeth Elston and Mary Laciah Daughter of Elizabeth Penalter to them and their heirs forever Item my Will and Desire is and do hereby appoint John Webb to be my hole and sole Executor In Witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this first day of April Anno Domini 1759.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged in the presence of us

W Porter
James Mirick
Isaac Ruby

Joshua Grason (Seal)

on the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz

Talbot County ss William Porter James Mirick and Isaac Ruby the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangels of almighty God deposes and say that they saw the Testator Joshua Grason sign the foregoing 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 disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and at his request. Sworn before me this 17th day of may 1759.

Dent Maynadier Dep. Comty Clerk

Sp. Lect. Examined

In the Name of God Amen the Twenty 4th day of october in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Nine of Maryland in Dorchester County being weak in Body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God for it Knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye 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 it to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner at the Discretion of my Executor 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 demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form