and mine Broad Cloth to him and to the heirs of his Body lawfully begotten also I give unto my Grand Daughter Sarah Benston one negro Girl named Rose & her Increase to her my said Grand Daughter & the heirs of her Body lawfully begotten. Further I give to my Grand Daughter Magdalene Benston Son of William one negro Boy called Will to her & the heirs of his Body lawfully begotten & to my Son in Law William Benston the next best suit of Cloath & the one half of all my Wollen & Linnen in equally Division between him & my Son Stephen Langwade. Item I give & bequeath unto my Grand Son Obadiah Disharoon Son of John Disharoon one negro man called Bob, to him & to the heirs of his Body lawfully begotten & also I give unto my Grand Son Francis Disharoon Son of John Disharoon one negro Girl named Rose & her Increase to her & to the heirs of her Body lawfully begotten & also I give unto my Grand Son Francis Disharoon one Bed & furniture. Lastly I give & bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Judith Clarkson Daughter of James one negro Girl called Patience her & her Increase to her & the heirs of her Body lawfully begotten forever. Lastly I give & Bequeath unto my Grand Son Thomas Langwade one Bed & furniture thereunto belonging to him & the heirs of his Body lawfully begotten. Item I give my Riding Horse to William Langwade Son of Stephen. Item I give to my Daughter Isabella Benston one Black mare & her increase to her & her heirs forever. Item I give to my Son in Law Francis Son of George Langwade all the Remainder Wearing Apparel. Item I give unto my Son Stephen Langwade & my Son in Law William Benston all the Remainder of my wearing Apparel both Linnen & Wollen &c. to be equally divided between them. Item I give & bequeath unto Rachel Wordgate one Linnen wheel & to her Library & also my Church Pictures & what Cloth is in it to her & her assigns forever & also I give one Feather Bed & furniture that is on my Plantation in Worcester County & also the liberty to live in my House there so long as she thinks proper but when she the said Rachel shall think proper to leave it I bequeath the same to my Son in Law William Benston & to Isabella his Wife my Residuary or Remaining Legatees. Item I give unto my Daughter in Law Frances Clarkson Daughter of James one Bed that is on my Plantation in Worcester County to her & her heirs. Item I give unto my Grandson Francis Langwade or Bay Son &c. Lily & hairs one Feather Bed & furniture that is on my Plantation in Worcester County one Table one Spoke Oven one Plow one Harrow & one Cart. Item my will is that all my Cattle Hogs Sheep may be equally divided into five shares as shall be expressed as mentioneth. And further my Will is that if either or any one of my Children makes any Demur Dispute Contention to what is above expressed that they shall be utterly debarred from my Legacy as is abovementioned & shall cut off with one Shilling by such men as shall hereafter mention. Lastly my Will is that you & every one of you my Children to make choice of my two men to assist as above expressed & if the said men any one of them doth not give a Unanimous Control all them shall one more men as they think proper to control you all. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the Day & year above written.

his
Francis F L Langwade (Seal)
mark

Signed sealed & delivered in Presence of us
Joshua Humphreys, John Eley Jun, John Veach

Memorandum Before the sealing & Delivery of these presents I constitute make & appoint my Friends & Children for to let these men as they shall think proper to have in equity as aforementioned to receive my out Debts & pay all they my hand this second Day of March Anno Dom 1724

his
Francis F L Langwade (Seal)
mark

Joshua Humphreys, John Eley Jun, John Veach

The Mark of the aforegoing Will was duly written & signed January the 3rd 1759 Came Joshua Humphreys & John Eley Jun the only two Witnesses to the Will & made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Francis Langwade sign seal & heard him publish & pronounce & declare the Instrument writing to be his last Will & Testament & that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound & disposing mind memory & understanding & that they the said Joshua Humphreys & John Eley Jun subscribed as Witnesses in his presence & in the presence of each other & at the request of the Testator Francis Langwade

Sworn to before Nehemiah King Deputy Register of Worcester County

February the 8th 1759 Then hereby certify that Rachel Langwade Widow of the Testator Francis Langwade did by a Letter to me Signed & Sealed dated the 8th of May 1759 Sign & publish to me from under her hand that she desired to be entirely concluded by the order of her deceased Husband's Estate & relinquish her any claim by Law

Certified per
Nehemiah King Reg. Cur

Mr King she appointed of writing yesterday Prince Gum that day the Will was proven Sent down word by Joshua Humphreys & John Eley & Francis Langwade that said not stand to the Will but to my Lawfull Thirds as the Law gives & no other ways. Send me word if you please what I may come down to make out Letters of the Estate Will equally oblige your to command.

Rachel Langwade

16 Lines

February the 15th Day 1759

Maryland } In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Elliott of Pocomoke Town being weak of Body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be to God for the same calling to mind the Frailty & mortality of my Body well knowing it is appointed for all men once to die do make ordain constitute & appoint this to be my last Will & Testament in manner & form following viz.

First & Principally I do recommend my Soul to God who gave it me firmly relying on his abundant goodness he will receive the same my Body I commit to the Earth from whence it came to be buried in a christian like manner & as touching my worldly goods it hath pleased God to endow me with my just & lawfull Debts being first paid do give devise and bequeath in manner and form following viz.

Imprimis I do give & bequeath unto my well beloved Wife Susannah Elliott three Slaves namely James & Andrew known by the Name of James & Tilly & Cesar and Moll. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son William Elliott two Slaves namely Titus & Rachel & their two Hundred acres of Land Part of a Tract of Land called Slaughterton to him & his heirs lawfully of his Body begotten forever in Failer of such heirs to my Son Joseph and his heirs & assigns forever. Item I do give & bequeath unto my Son Benjamin one Slave called Sammy & the Lands I hold upon the Red Lyon Branch being one hundred forty seven acres & half acre to him & his heirs of his Body lawfully begotten forever & in Failer of such heirs to my Son Joseph & his heirs & assigns forever. Item I do give & bequeath unto my Son Joseph one negro Woman called Aleth & one hundred acres of Land Part of Mary Cotton being on Sattapahanah to him his heirs & assigns forever. Item I do give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth one negro Woman called Sarah & thirty acres