Maryland St Mary's County on the 8th day of Jan. an Dom 1759 came Francis Wheat & Mrs Wheat Exr & John Wheat Exr all three the subscribing witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of Lewis Rodes late of St Mary's County deceased and made oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they did see the Testator sign seal & publish the within Instrument & writing as his Last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing to the best of their apprehension he was of Perfect memory & of a sound and disposing mind and that at his request & in his presence they and each of them did subscribe the same as Witnesses

Attest Wm Hebb Clk

Sworn before me Ch Scott Dep Clk for St Mary's County

Maryland So In the Name of God Amen I Mary Blagitt of Prince George's County Widow do make this my Last Will and Testament and Firm Considering the Frail and Precarious State I commit my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it hoping through the merits death and Passion of my only Saviour and Redeemer Jesus Christ to have Free pardon of all my Sins and my body in hope of a happy Resurrection I commit to the Earth to be decently buried at the direction of Executor hereafter named And as touching such goods and chattels and estate it hath pleased God to bless me with all in this Life I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Martha Blagitt the 1/2 of what kind soever after my Just debts are all paid and funeral Charges and Duties made ordained and appointed my said Daughter Martha Blagitt my Full and Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and seal this 29th day of October 1759

Sealed & delivered by the Testator as her Last Will & Testament in presence of us John Blagitt, Thomas Blanen, Luke his mark Blank

Mary Blagitt (Seal)

Prince George's County Sct on the 30th day of March 1759 Came Thomas Blagitt and Luke Blank two of the subscribing witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of Mrs Mary Blagitt late of Prince George's County widow Dec'd and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they did see the Testatrix Mary Blagitt sign seal and deliver the within Instrument of writing as her Last Will and Testament and that at the time of her so doing to the best of their apprehension she was of perfect memory & of a sound and disposing mind & at her request they & in her presence they and each of them did subscribe the same as Witnesses John Blagitt did not

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Sworn before me Ch Scott Dep Clk Mr Geo County

In the Name of God Amen I John Beall of Prince George's County in the Province of Maryland being Testator being sick & body but of sound mind and memory thanks be to God for the same do make this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty hoping for the remission of sins through the merits of Jesus Christ my Saviour and my Body to be buried at the direction of my Executrix hereafter named

Imprimis It is my Will that all my Just debts be paid Item I give and

devise unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Beall during her widowhood all the Tract of Land I now live upon and after her marriage or Death I give and devise the same unto my Son Zephaniah Beall & his heirs forever Item I give and devise unto my said wife Elizabeth Beall all my Negroes Household Furniture & Stock Horses Cattle & Hogs &c And all my Personal Estate of what kind or sort whatsoever to be disposed or enjoyed by her during her widowhood & Natural Life & after her marriage or Death the same to be equally divided between all my children Lastly I hereby constitute & appoint my said Wife Elizabeth Beall Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament hereby publishing this as the same and revoking and making void all Wills by me heretofore made in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of Feby anno Dom 1759

Signed sealed & published by the Testator as his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us whose hands are annexed and in his presence subscribed the same

John his mark Beall (Seal)

Prince George's County Sct on the 28th day of Feby 1759 Came John Brown Brazier Richd Brown and Thos Gordon all three subscribing witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of John Beall late of Pr Geo's Coty dec'd and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they did see the Testator John Beall sign seal & publish the within Instrument of writing as his Last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing to the best of their apprehension he was of perfect memory & of a sound and disposing mind and that at his request & in his presence they and each of them did subscribe the same as Witnesses

John Brown his mark
Richd Brown
Thomas Gordon

Recd 3/ fees

Sworn before me Ch Scott Dep Clk Prince George's

In the Name of God Amen I John Mattingly of St Mary's County in the Province of Maryland being weak in body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be given to Almighty God for the same do make and ordain this to be my Last Will & Testament in manner & form following First of all I recommend my soul to God that gave it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian Burial According to the Discretion of my Executor Secondly that all my Just debts be paid Thirdly I will that when my Son John Baptist Mattingly shall arrive to the age of twenty one years that he shall have given him & laid off at the upper end of the land whereon I now live that before so mentioned the Plantation fifty acres adjoining to Tract of land belonging to Mr Bennett and after my Wife's decease to have the whole Tract. Fourthly I give to my Son John after my Wife's decease one negro woman named Sarah

Fifthly I give to my dear and loving wife all the remaining part of my moveable Estate with the remaining part of my land to continue hers so long as she lives and after her decease all the moveable Estate she is possessed of to be equally divided among the surviving children who have had no legacy left them