I Nathaniel Dare of Ann Arundel County in the Province of Maryland being weak of Body but of sound and perfect Mind and Memory do make ordain and declare this to be my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following Imprimis I do Will and Order that my Executrix hereafter named to pay and discharge all my Just and Lawfull debts and demands against me Item I do give unto my dear and loving Wife Ann Dare the third Part of all my Estate be it of what Nature soever Item I do give and devise unto my Son in law Thomas Funge one Negroe Boy named Abraham to him and his Heirs forevery Item I give and devise unto my Beloved Son Nathaniel Dare one Negroe Women named Rose to him and his Heirs forever Item I give and devise unto my Beloved Son Gideon Dare one Negroe Girl named Sarah to him and his Heirs forever Item I give and devise unto my Beloved Daughter Ann Dare one Negroe Girl named Nan to her and her Heirs forever Item I give and devise unto my Beloved Son Richard Dare one Negroe Girl named Nell to him and his Heirs forever Item I do Will and Order my Executrix hereafter named to sell make over and convey all my Right & Title of two Tracts of Land being in Calvert County and the Money arising therefrom with the Residue of my Personal Estate to be equally divided between my four Children Nathaniel Gideon Ann and Richard Dare to them and their Heirs forever but if there should be an Intail on any of the said Land and my Eldest Son and Heir should Refuse to make over his Right my Will is that he should have no part of my personal Estate but that it should be divided between my other three Children or the Survivors of them and their Heirs forever I will and Order that one Acker of the said Land in which the Grave Yard is should not be Sold And Lastly I do nominate and Appoint my dear and loving Wife Ann Dare to be my whole and sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament hereby Revoking all others heretofore made by me In Testimony hereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixt my Seal this 13th day of November 1763

Signed Sealed and declared this to be my last Will and Testament in the Presence of
Jacob Frankling
Wm Deane
Thomas Grover

Nath.l Dare (Seal)

Ann Arundel ss On the 17th day of January 1764 came Jacob Frankling being one of the People Called Quakers and solemnly affirmed Testified and declared (As also Came Thomas Grover and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator Nathaniel Dare sign

and seal the Within Will and heard him Publish Pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and 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 did subscribe their Respective Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the Presence of the Testator & in the Presence of each other and the aforesd Jacob Frankling who wrote the said Will further Affirmeth that he left a Blank for the Date of said Will to be inserted when the Testator thought Proper to sign the said Will the Testator telling him the said Jacob Frankling that he would Peruse the said Will before he executed it. Whereupon the said Jacob Frankling went away and returned again in the Evening the same day to the Testator and the said Testator then telling the said Jacob Frankling that he grew worse and that he would Execute his Will which he accordingly did the 13th day of November 1763 as inserted in the above Will but the said Jacob Frankling forgetting to Date the said Will then, has since the Testators Death dated it as appears in the said Will and the said Jacob Frankling further Affirmeth that, that was the same Day the Will was Executed and the said Jacob Frankling further Affirmeth that the Testator made no Will Subsequent to this to the best of his knowledge and belief

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Calvert County ss // It is to be remembered that on the nineteenth Day of Sept.r in the Year of our Lord seventeen hundred & Sixty three came Jeremiah Leach another of the Subscribing Evidences to the foregoing Will and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that at the Request of the Testator he wrote the same Will and was Present & did see him William Hammond sign Publish Pronounce & declare the same to be his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of his Apprehension of a Sound and disposing Mind & Memory and that he was Present & did see Daniel Langer & James Innes sign their Names at the same time as Witnesses to the said Will & that he afterwards Signed the same as a Witness, but not in the Presence of the others

Juratus Coram me Die & anno Supra dict Ellis Slater Dep.ty Commry Commissary.

Memorand.m Sarah Innes Wife of the above named James Innes having a Legacy Bequeathed in a.fo.s Will is the Reason I did not take his Probate to the same

Ellis Slater Dep.ty Commry Commissary.

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