Thirdly — I Bequeath unto my Wife Anna one Childs part, besides her Thirds out of my Estate, and liberty of the House as long as she shall remain a Widow, but if she marries again she is to forfeit her right to it — I do also appoint her my aforesaid dear Wife and Mr. Conrad Groth to be Guardians to My Children, which two I make no doubt will see that every thing be ordered in a Just and Regular Manner —

Fourthly — I will that after my decease all my Estate go between my Children to wit Joh: Peter Joh: George Joh: Adam and also Anna Maria Thomas Thomas be born from my Said Wife in equal portion with the Childs part of my Wife, let it be Land or Goods — But my Wifes Childs part to revert to my Children after her Death. This is my Last Will and Testament, which I will to be observed in all its parts. Therefore I have together with the Witnesses hereto especially called put my Seal to this and Signed my Name for a Testimony thereof — done in Fredrick Town the day & Year above written.

Abraham Bohrer (Seal)

Signed Sealed declared and published in the presence of us —
Thomas Shley
Valentine Stockle
Peter Baltzers.

November the 13th. 1759 Thomas Sligh one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly Sworn on the Holy Evangs. of Almighty God deposeth and sayeth that he saw the within named Abraham Borer Sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament and at the Time of so doing he was to the best of his Apprehension of sound disposing mind and memory and that he subscribed the foregoing Will as a Witness in the presence and at the Request of the Testator, And he also deposeth & sayeth that Peter Bulfel an other of the Subscribing Witnesses did at the same time subscribe his name as an Evidence to the within Will Valentine Stuckle another of the Subscribing Witnesses Solemnly Affirmed he being a Protestant Dissenter that he subscribed his name as a Witness to the foregoing Will that he saw the Testator Sign the within Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the Time of so doing he was to the best of his Apprehension of Sound disposing mind and memory and that he subscribed his name thereto in the presence and at the request of the Testator and that Peter Bulfell at the same time subscribed his name as a Witness to the said Will.

Translated & Exam.d. per Wallette — John Darnall Depty Commy

In the Name of God Amen the twentieth Day of July in the Year of our Lord God One Thousand Seven hundred fifty and Nine I Walter Diven of Cecil County Farmer being very Sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind & Memory Do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament.

I give and bequeath to Catherine Diven my dearly beloved Wife the Sum of Five Pounds a Year during her Life to be paid to her out of my Estate by my Executor (here after)



hereafter mentioned I likewise Constitute John Harper Farmer, and my Daughter Rosannah Diven to be my Execut. & Execu.a of this my Last Will and Testament And I do hereby disannul all other former Wills and Testaments and Legacies by me in any ways before this Time named Ratifying and Confirming this to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Day and Year above written —

Signed Sealed and published by the Said Walter Diven as last Will and Testament in the presence of Us the Subscribers —
Michael his mark O M'Gown
John his mark E Riggs
George his mark G Berwick

Walter Diven (Seal)

On the Back of the foregoing Will was thus Written Viz.t — Cecil County Ss. August the 6th. 1759 Michael M'Gowan, John Riggs and George Berwick, the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly and Solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, depose & Say that they saw the Testator Walter Diven Sign the within 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.

Sworn before. G. Milligan Dy Comry Co. County

3 Sides. Exam.d per Wallette —

July 23. 1759. In the Name of God Amen I Smallwood Loghill of Prince Georges County being very sick in Body but other wise in perfect Memory do bequeath my Soul to God who gave it me and my Body to my Mother the Earth to be buried in Decent and Christial Burial and the rest of my Worldly Goods as followeth Viz. —

Item I give and bequeath well beloved Cousin Isaac Smallwood Middleton one Negro Gal named Victoro and her Increase to be in my Wifes possession till he is of the Age of Twenty one to him and his heirs for ever. Item I give unto my Loving Wife Keziah Loghill all my Land known by the name of Garners Meadows Resurveighed to her during her Natural Life at her Decease to fall to my well beloved Cousin Isaac Smallwood Middleton and his Heirs Lawfully for ever, and all the Rest of my Personal Estate except what is above mentioned to her and her Heirs for ever — One word interlined before signed —

Witnes John Wynn
Hen: Acton
William his mark + Marlow

Smallwood Loghill (Seal)

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.t — Maryland Pr. Geo: County Ss. On the 27th. Day of Aug.t 1759 Came John Wynn Henry Acton and William Marlow all subscribing Evidences, to the within Last Will and Testament and they being all duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God do depose and Swear that they did See the Testator Smallwood Loghill Sign Seal and deliver 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 Judgment he was of Sound Memory and of a disposing mind, and that in his presence and at his Request they and each of them did Subscribe the same as Witnesses. Sworn before me day and year aforesaid —

G Scott D. Commy Pr Geo

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