Thirdly after my Just Debts be paid and Satisfied I do hereby give and bequeath all the remaining part of my said Estate both Real and Personal to my Dear and Loving Wife Jerutiah Barrate and her Heirs and Assigns for ever more

Fourthly I do hereby constitute Order and Appoint my Loving Wife Jerutiah whole and Sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament Ratifieing and Confirming all that my said Executrix shall Lawfully do or Cause to be done in the Execution of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness I have hereunto Sett my hand and Seal this 13th day of January One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty five

Signed Sealed Delivered and published and pronounced to be his Last Will and Testament in Presence of Us

John Humphrey
Nathaniel his ∨ mark Hinds
George I his mark Burrus

Jonathan Barrate (Seal)

On the Back of the foregoing Will was thus Written Viz.

Queen Anns County Ss. The 11th Day of June 1767 Nathaniel Hinds and George Burrus two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God do depose and Say that they saw the Testator Jonathan Barrate sign the same Will and heard him publish and Declare it to be his last Will and Testament that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehensions of sound and disposing mind and Memory and that they did Subscribe their Respective Marks /or names/ as Witnesses to the same Will in the Presence of the said Testator and at his Request. And further that they saw John Humphreys writing /and as they apprehended Subscribing/ his name as a Witness to the same Will in the Presence of said Testator, and at his Request.

Sworn to before Th Wright Dep.y Com.y of Queen Anns County

Examined

In the Name of God Amen the twenty Seven Day of February in the year of our Lord Christ One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty Seven I William Barkhust of Queen Anns County in the Province of Maryland being very Sick and Weak in Body but of perfect Mind and Memory thanks be given unto Almighty God and therefore calling to mind the Mortality of my Body and knowing that it is Appointed for all Men once to Die so make this and appoint it as 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 to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian like and Decent Manner nothing Doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Almighty Power of God and as Touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me with in this Life I give and Dispose of in the following manner and form Imprimis. I give and bequeath unto my well Beloved Wife Susannah my home Plantation and after her Decease to my Son Joseph and his Lawful Begotten heirs of his Body for ever but if he dies without Heir then for his Brother Nathaniel to heir his part of the said Land

Item I give and bequeath to my Beloved Son George my Plantation called the Golden Ridge to him and his Lawful begotten Heirs of his Body for ever but if he should die without Heir then for his Brother Nathaniel to Heir his part of the said Land also Item I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth my Loom and every thing thereunto pertaining

Item I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Anner one Cow

Item I give unto my Eldest Son John one Shilling Sterling and that for to be his Sole part — Item I give unto my Son William one Shilling Sterling and that to be his Sole part

Item I give unto my Son James one Shilling Sterling and that to be his Sole part and Furthermore I leave the Remainder part of my Estate to be Equally Divided between my Beloved Wife and my Sons Thomas and George and Solomon Joseph and Nathaniel and my five Daughters I likewise Constitute make and Ordain my well Beloved Wife and my Son George Executors of this my