I Will and Bequeath unto my Eldest Son Andrew Meek two hundred Achers of Land known by the name of the Roal Exchange lying in the West Side of Susquhana River in Baltimore County only he shall be Obliged to pay unto the Rest of my Children the Sum of two hundred Pounds Current Money of Pensilvania to each of them their equal parts which will be twenty five Pounds to each of them when Divided likewise he is to pay to each of them their Proportion as they come of Age and I likewise Exclude him the above named Andrew Meek from having any Right or Title to any of the Rest or Remainder of my Estate but that to be his part and Portion Likewise I will and Bequeath unto the rest of my Children Rebecca Meek, Mary Meek, Jean Meek, Margaret Meek, Moses Meek, Nancey Meek, James Meek, Adam Meek, the Remainder and Reversions of all my Estate both in Land and Goods and Chattles and Sleves each of them to have equal proportion when divided Likewise I Constitute and Ordain my Loving Wife Jean Meek and my Son Andrew Meek Executors of this my last Will and Testament Willing and Requiring them to fulfill it in every point and likewise to bring up my Children upon the Benefits of the Land that I now live upon Revoking and Disallowing all former Wills by me made and this only to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this first day of Agust in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred Sixty and Seven —

Signed Sealed Published and declared to be my Last Will and Testament In the presence of Us — Adam his mark Meek (Seal)

James Carson
Jo: Rutherford
Robert Marques

On the Back of the foregoing Will was the following Probat Viz:t —
Cecil County Ss: On the 10th day of October 1767 Came James Carson Joseph Rutherford and Robert Marques the three Subscribing Witnesses to the within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangels that they saw the Testator Adam Meek Sign and Seal the within Will and heard him (Publish)

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 Apprehensions of a Sound and Disposing mind and Memory and that they Severally Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the Presence of the Said Testator and at his Request —

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Maryland Ss: } In the Name of God Amen —
Cecil County }

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on the Eighteen day of November One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty Seven I Mary Hyland of Said County being Sick and Week in Body but of perfect mind and Memory thanks be to God for the Same do make and Ordain this Instrument of Writing to be my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following —

Imprimis. It is my Will and Desire that after all my Just Debts and Funeral Charges be paid and Satisfied —

Secondly. It is my Will that my Executor hereafter mentioned shall pay unto my Daughter Rachel Hyland five Pounds Current Money also pay unto my Son Edward five Pounds Current Money, also pay unto my Son Jacob five Pounds Current Money also pay unto my Daughter Elizabeth five Pounds Current Money and pay unto my Son Sampson five Pounds Current Money —

Thirdly. It is my Will and Desire that my Daughter Mary have one Negro Girl named Jantto and the Remainder part of my Movable Estate that is not already Given as aforesaid —

Fourthly. It is my Will and Desire that my Brother in Law Abraham Lazear be appointed Guarden unto my Daughter Mary and the said Abraham Lazear to have the Use and the Increase of the Said Negro Girl Jantto untile my Daughter Mary Arrives at the Age of Sixteen and the use of the remainder part of my Estate as above mentioned till my Daughter Mary arrives to the Age of Sixteen and in Consideration of the Use and Increase of the said Jantto and the use of the Remainder part of my Estate the said Abraham (Lazear)