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In the Name of God Amen, I Henry Trippe of Dorchester County in the Province aforesd being in Good health and perfect Memory (Blessed be God therefore) Do this fifth Day of May One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty three make and publish this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following (that is to Say) Imprimis I give and Bequeath to my Loving Mother Elizabeth Trippe three Negroes Viz. Stephen, Levin, and Phillis to be disposed of as She shall think proper at or before her Death. Item I give and Bequeath to my Loving Sister Mary Emerson Trippe One Negro Boy named Daniel to her and her Heirs for ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my Loving Neice Margaret Calliston a young Negro Woman named Belinda to her and her Heirs for ever. Item I give and Bequeath to to my Loving Nephew Philip Dickinson Son of John Dickinson three Negroes Viz. Rachel Rose and Doll also the Child that She is with Child of if it should live to the Said Philip and his Heirs for ever. Item I give and Bequeath to my Loving Nephew Henry Dickinson son of John Dickinson (after my Loving Mothers decease) all that Tract of Land that we now live on called and known by the name of Carthagena I give the Said Land to the Said Henry Dickinson and to his Heirs for ever. Lastly I do hereby appoint my Loving Mother and John Dickinson my Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby Revoking all other Will and Wills by me made, whereof I the Said Henry Trippe have to this my Last Will and Testament Sett my hand and Seal the Day and year above written.

Signed Sealed published & Declared by the Said Henry Trippe as & for his Last Will & Testament in the presence of Us whose names are here under Written who did each of Us Subscribe our Names as Witnesses at his Request & in his presence in the Room where he then was

H Trippe (Seal)

Cha Dickenson
Henry Dickinson
Thos. Campbell

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.

On the 28th Day of November Anno Domini 1770 John Dickinson made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that the aforegoing Instrument of Writing is the true and only Will and Testament of Henry Trippe late of Dorchester County deceased that hath come to his Hands or possession.

Certified pr Jno. Goldsborough D. Com.y Dor County

On the 28th Day of November Anno Domini 1770 Charles Dickinson and Henry Dickinson two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will being duly and Solemnly Sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God deposed and Said that they Saw the Testator Henry Trippe sign the aforegoing Will and heard him publish & 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 and that they together with Thomas Campbell the other Subscribing Witness subscribed their Respective Names as Witnesses to the Said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request

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In the Name of God Amen The 27th day of November One Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy I Thomas Wheeler of Dorchester County in the Province of Maryland Planter being in good Health and perfect Memory calling to mind that all Men once must die, therefore having taken this Opportunity to settle my worldly Affairs and now I recommend my Soul and Spirit into the Hands of God that gave it to me, And my Body to the Earth from whence it came to be buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my Executor and as touching Such Worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bestow on me I give devise and dispose of the Same in manner and form following, that is to Say. Item I give and bequeath to my Son Charles Wheeler the south part of my Lands and Dwelling plantation, from a marked Locust post standing on the South west side of the County Rhoad that Leads from Winsmores Bridge to the head of Fishing Creek, and from a Line runing from the Said post South Sixty eight Degrees West untill it intercepts the Division Line between me and Phillimon Lecompte or John Anderson, and from the aforesaid Locust post with the County Rhoade and Bounded therewith to the Mouth of the Rhoade, which leads down Town point Neck, to him during his Life and no Longer, and then to go to my Son Levin Wheeler and his Heirs Lawfully begotten of his Body forever and for want of Such heirs then to be Equally devided between my two Sons, Henry Wheeler; and Elikem Wheeler to them and their Heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son John Wheeler all the North part of the aforesaid Tract, of Land from the aforesaid Locust post and the lines leading from it, to the extent of my Lands, with my Dwelling House, and other Houses, and Orchard that Stands on the North part of the line, that devides him and his Brother Charles to him and his Heirs forever, And it is my desire that my Son Henry Wheeler, Shall have free Liberty of his brother Johns Dwelling House, to come and go, and to make it his home, as long as he remains unmarried and likewise to give him his Victuels and Cloaths, to keep him warme, if he should like to live with his Brother John Wheeler. Item I give and Bequeath to my Wifes Son Thomas Mills one black Mare Colt. Item I give and bequeath to my Son Levin Wheeler one Horse called Rumbo. I do hereby appoint Constitute and Ordain my Loving Son John Wheeler my whole and Sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament disannuling all other Wills heretofore made and do acknowledge this to be my Last Will and Testament.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presents of Us

N B. this is to Certify that the words of and my wheat Interlined before the Sealing and Delivering

Arthur Whiteley Junr.
William Thomas
James his G mark Moor

Thomas his mark Wheeler (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.

On the 22d Day of December 1770. John Wheeler made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that the aforegoing Instrument of writing is the true and only Will and Testament of Thomas Wheeler late of Dorchester County deceased that hath come to his Hands Possession or Knowledge and that he does not know nor ever heard of any other Will made since by the said Testator.

Certified pr Jno. Goldsborough D. Com.y D.C.