Set my hand and Seal the Day and Year first above written.

Sign'd Seal'd and Publish'd and pronounc'd by the Said Samuel Hall as his Last Will and Testament in Presence of Us, — Samuel his ✠ mark Hall (Seal)

John Williams
Daniel Melson Jun.
Daniel Ellett

On the back of the aforegoing Will was thus Written Viz.t April 12.th 1771 Then came John Williams Daniel Melson Jun.r and Daniel Ellett the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangelis of Almighty God that they Saw Samuel Hall the Testator Sign Seal 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 a Sound disposing mind and Memory and that they Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the Said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request.

Sworn before
Benton Harris Deptg Comry
of Wor.r County

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My Son is come to prove his Fathers Will and as my Husband has not left me any thing in his Will I expect I have my Choice to take my thirds of the Estate if I please by leting you know my Election of my Choice Therefore take this Opportunity to let you know my Intentions of taking my thirds of my Husbands Estate and this is all at present from your most Humble Sev.t

Margate Hall, Widow of
Samuel Hall

To Mr. Benton Harris
This

April 4.th 12.th 1771.

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In the Name of God Amen I Isaac Brittingham Sen.r of Worcester County in the Province of Maryland Planter being in perfect Health and of sound mind and Memory and Understanding, but considering the uncertainty of this Transitory Life Do make publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz.t Item, I give and Bequeath to my Grandson Isac Brittingham the Son of John Brittingham a part of my Tract of Land called Joneses Adventure Beginning at the Bay Side and Running up the North West line to the Corner of my Son Nathan Brittingham's Plantation thence a Cross my Said Land Running and binding with a marked Mulberry tree Standing at the end of the aff.d Plantation of my Sons aff.d to the Southeast Line of my Land called Joneses Adventure Running as aff.d by and with a marked White Oak to the aff.d Line and likewise my Grandson Isaac to have thirty feet on the Northwest Line to the End of my Land for an Outlet to him and his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Likewise I give to my Grandson Isaac Brittingham my Tract of Land called the Fishing Point to him his Heirs and his (Assigns)

Assigns for ever, after my Wifes Death or Widowhood which Shall happen first. Likewise I give to my Grandson Isaac Brittingham Five Negroes Viz.t Jemaica, Adam, Solah, Tito and Matthew to him his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Son Nathan Brittingham all the Remaining part of my Tract of Land called Jones Adventure, But Never to Sell it or Mortgage it to any person or persons whatsoever excepting my Grandson Isaac Brittingham and then upon Pervisons that he will give as much any person or persons whatsoever also my Negro Man called George to him his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Son Elisha Brittingham a Negro Man called Towerhill to him his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Great Granson Brittingham Beavens Son of Wm. Beavens a Negro Boy called Davy upon Pervisons that my Son Nathan Brittingham Will a Negro Girl called America to the aff.d Brittingham Beavens) to him his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Gran Daughter Mary Brittingham Daughter of Isa.c Brittingham the two first Children that Shall issue of a Negro Wench of mine called Selah upon Pervisons that she Marrys to my Granson Isaac Brittinghams liking, to her and her Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item, I give and bequeath unto my Gran Daughter Lovina Brittingham a Tract of Land that Joseph Schoolfield bought of Richard Hill Containing two hundred and forty Six Acres more or Less to her, Heirs and Assigns for ever. Item I leave to my well beloved Wife Mary Brittingham the use of a Negro Woman called Dal and likewise the use of all the aforementioned Legaces, Lands and Negroes with all other my Moveable Estate during her Natural Life or the Day of her Marriage which happen first then the remaining part of my Estate to Equally divided between my two Gran Children Isaac Brittingham and Mary Brittingham to them their Heirs and Assigns for ever. Lastly. Lastly I do hereby Constitute and appoint my well beloved Wife Mary Brittingham and Samuel Ennis to be my whole and Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament and I do hereby utterly Revoke Disannul and disallow and every other former Testament or Testaments by me before this Time made Will'd or bequeath'd Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 2.d Day of December Anno Domini One Thousand Seven hundred and Sixty Eight and further my Will is that Samuel Ennis and my Son Nathan Brittingham Shall have the Managing of my Grand Children's Estates and Affairs till they come to Age that is if my well beloved Wife Mary Brittingham Should decease before they come to Age that is as Trustees the year and Date above written and further they Shall not cut none of my Timber nor plant no more Ground than Twenty Thousand Corn Hills (Jones) in three Years.

Signed Sealed Delivered Declared by the above named Isaac Brittingham, as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of Us who have hereunto Subscribed our Names as Witnesses thereto in the presence of the Testator and in the prevence of each other — Isaac Brittingham (Seal)