real & personal during her widowhood, or Life should she not marry again but in Case she Intermarries after my decease then & in that Case I only give her one third of my Estate as the Law directs, and the other two thirds I give & bequeath unto my son Philip Welchew his Heirs & Assigns but in Case my wife is now with Child that Child when born I give the one Half of the two Thirds above mentioned to the s.d Child and in Case it should die or the said Philip Welchew, above mentioned before they come of Age, the Survivor to have the said two thirds of all my Estate both real & personall, & whereas I do repose great Trust & Confidence in my loving wife it is my will ~~it is my will~~ that my Child or Children should Continue with their Mother, but in Case she Marrys then their Estates to be Secured to them, & it is my will that my Loving wife have my said Child or Children properly Educated & brought up in Christian Manner not in the least Doubting but she will do every thing in her power to improve their Estate & Comfortably with my Direction in every particular — and as I do repose great Trust & Confidence in Ferdinick Myers. It is my will and I do hereby Constitute & appoint the said Ferdinick Myers Joint Executor with my beloved wife Catharina and that he joyn my Loving wife in the Administration of my Estate and see that my will be fully complyd with in every Particular, & that my Executor & Executrix in Case of my Death pay all my just Debts and funeral Expences not in the least doubting but they will do the same. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand & affixed my Seal to this my last will & Testament the nineteenth day of December 1771

signed sealed Published & declared
by the said Philip Hitchens to be his last will & Testament before us the Subscribers who he desired to be witnesses thereto in the Presence of the Testator & each other

Philip Hitchens (Seal)

George Lindenberger
Jacob Shybert
Frederick Coale

Jany 28th 1772 came Jacob Shyspur & Frederick Coale two of the Subscribing witnesses to the within & foregoing will & made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Philip Headshoe sign seal publish pronounce & declare the within Instrument of writing as & for his last will & Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound & disposing mind & memory that they Subscribed their respective Names as Evidences to this will & that they saw George Lindenberger the other witness sign his Name as an Evidence also all in the Presence of the said Testator and at his Request

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Examined

sworn before W Young D Cl Cy Walt County

Queen Anns County December the 28th 1771. In the Name of God Amen. I George Phillips of aforesd County being very sick & weak in Body but of Perfect mind & memory thanks be given to god therefor & calling to mind the mortality of the Body knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye I do therefore recommend my

my Body to the Ground to be dissolved into Dust and my Soul into the Hands of Almighty God that gave it me nothing Doubting but I shall receive it again at the last Day in the general Resurrection and as for such worldly wealth as it has pleased God to bless me with I do dispose & bequeath of the same in form and manner following. — Imprimis it is my Request and I do Desire that all my just Debts be paid and Satisfied. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law Samuel Caradine the Gray Mare to have & to hold as his own forever. Item for Mary Trials indefatigueable Care & Industry in my present Situation I do give & bequeath her three Pounds Current Money to be levyed out of my Estate. Item I give unto my Brother Nathaniel Phillips my Every Days Coat, vest, and Shoes a good Shirt and my Pumps. Item I give unto my Brother Christopher Phillips my best Broad Cloth Coat vest new shoes and a good Shirt. Item it is my Desire that there may be twenty four Pounds levyed out of my Estate to be bestowed on my Daughter Mary Phillips Education. Item it is my Request and do desire that John & Samuel Caradine shall keep & retain the remainder Part of my Estate in their Possession they giving good & lawfull Security for the same untill my Daughter Mary Phillips be of the Age of Sixteen according to the Laws and Customs of this Province but if the said Mary Phillips should decease before she arrives at the age of Sixteen then the s.d Estate to be equally divided between Nathaniel and Christopher Phillips and John & Samuel Caradine, to have and to hold forever, but if John & Samuel Caradine should not be able to procure such Securities as shall be sufficient in Law then the administration to be in the Power of Mr Basil Waxfield so that whoever shall be Entitled to the administration shall officiate the same in three Months after my Decease That is to say if the above mentioned John & Samuel Caradine should not be able to procure the s.d Security then and not before the Expiration of the three Months the x x x administration to Devolve on Mr Basil Waxfield of the place: moreover it is my Desire if there should be a School continued near Mr Davages she shall have the Care of my Daughter Mary Phillips untill the above Legacy of twenty four Pounds be expended on her. Item I do also Constitute & ordain John & Samuel Caradine my whole & sole Executors of this my last will and Testament, & I do revoke & disannull all other former wills, Legacies & Testaments ratifying and confirming this and no other the Day and Day above written

signed sealed and delivered in the Presence of

John Hawkins
Elizah Bishop

George Phillips (Seal)

Queen ann's County ss
The 13th January 1772

John Hawkins & Elizah Bishop the Subscribing witnesses to the within will being duly & solemnly sworn on the holy Evangels of Almighty God do depose & say that they saw the Testator George Phillips sign the same and heard him publish & declare it to be his last will & Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind & Memory, and that they did subscribe their respective Names as Witnesses to the same with in the presence of the said Testator and at his Request — sworn before Th Wright Dep.y Clerk

Queen ann's County ss. Know all men by these presents that we John Caradine and Samuel Caradine being appointed Executors of the last will of George Phillips Late of this County

(deceased)