with their future Increase, to her and her Heirs Lawfully begotten for ever. Incase of the failure of Such, and without Marriage, my Will and desire is that the said Wench, Child, and their Increase shall return as aforesaid into my Family. I also give to the said Elianor a Bed and furniture, a small Trunk and a small looking Glass. Item My Will and desire is (the not Severally express'd in the preceeding respective Requests) that to which soever of my Several Children I have left a Negro woman or Girl, the said Woman or Girl shall expressly belong to the particular appointed, with her Respective increase to him and his Heirs for ever; except as is limited as aforesaid.

Lastly. I hereby Nominate and appoint ~~and Appoint~~ my Said Dear son James Cotterel as the Sole and only Executor of this my last Will and Testament revoking and Annulling all Will or Wills by me heretofore made and expressly declaring this to be my sole and only Authentick one In Testimony and confirmation of all which I have hereunto put my hand and Affixed my Seal (written on this and the two preceeding pages this Tenth day of February in the year of our Lord God Seventeen hundred and Seventy two.

Signd Seald and Acknowledged In presence of — John MacPherson, William Robertson, Letitia her mark Wakefield

Thomas Cotterell (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz^t. Charles County ss^t. On the 24th day of April 1772 Came William Robertson and Letitia Wakefield two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will and made Oath that they saw Thomas Cotterell the Testator sign and Seal the Same 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 of their Apprehension of sound and disposing mind and Memory and that they together with John MacPherson Signed their names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request.

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Sworn before Waller Hanson D Com^s

Maryland ss^t. In the Name of God Amen. I Henerietta Thompson of Charles County in the Province afs^d. being weak of Body but of Sound and perfect mind and Memory and and well Considering the Uncertainty of this preasent Life do make this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form as folows to Wit. I give and bequeath my Soul to God in whose Mercy and Goodness I hope for a happy Resurrection and my Body to the Earth to be decently Interd by my Executor hereafter mentioned and for what Worldly Goods Almighty God has been pleas to bestow upon me I give and bequeath in manner and form as follows. Item, I give and bequeath to my Loving Son John Baptist Thompson my Negro Man Dick Foster and my Melatto Woman Hester my Clock and Looking Glass with Gilt

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Lastly my Will and desire is that after my just Debts are paid the remainder of my Estate shall be Equally devided between my five Children herein mentioned and I Constitute and Appoint my Son in Law Raphael Brooke my hole and Sole Executor of this my Last will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 20th day of March Anno Dominy 1772

Signed Sealed and delivered In Presents of us — Joseph Thompson, Sophia Leigh, Henrietta Brook

Henerietta her mark Thompson (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz^t. Charles County ss^t. On the first day of May 1772 Came Joseph Thompson and Sophia Lee two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will and made Oath that they saw Henerietta Thompson the Testatrix Sign and Seal the Same and heard her publish and declare it to be her Last Will and Testament that at the Time of her so doing she was to the best of their Apprehensions of sound and disposing mind and Memory and that they together with Henerietta Brooke signed their names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testatrix and at her request. which probat was taken after having received a Certificate under the Hand of John Baptist Thompson Heir at Law that he did not Object to the taking the Same.

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Waller Hanson D Com^s

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By the Tenor of these Presents. I Benjamin Chew, Register General for the Probate of Wills and granting Letters of Administration, in and for the Province of Pennsylvania,

Do make Known unto all Men, that on the Day of the Date hereof at Philadelphia, in the Province aforesaid, before me was proved, approved and insinuated the Last Will and Testament of James Seiper deceased, (a true Copy whereof is to these presents annexed) having whilst he lived and at the Time of his Death, divers Goods, Chattles, Rights and Credits within the said Province, by Reason whereof the Approbation and Insinuation of the said Last Will and Testament, and the committing the Administration of all and Singular the Goods, Chattles, Rights and Credits which were of the said Deceased, and also the auditing the Acompts, Calculations and Reckonings of the said Administration, and a final Dismission of all and Singular the Goods, Chattels, Rights and Credits of the (said) from the same, to my aged manifestly known to belong and that Administration