In the name of God amen I Nachel Davis of Frederick County in the Province of Maryland being sick in body but of perfect mind and memory do make this my last Will and Testament in form & manner following Viz.

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my beloved mother Mary Davis one black horse to her and her heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my beloved sister Mary Dowden one black cow named Star the best I possess to her and her heirs for ever.

Item I leave my beloved brother Leonard Davis sole Executor to manage and contrive my affairs as he thinks most advantagous and if after all my just debts are paid any thing should remain it is my desire that shall be equally divided among all my brothers and sisters In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this third day of July Anno Domini 1773.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence off
John Tarmehile
George Harris

Nachel Davis (Seal)

On the back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.
On the 26th day of July 1773 Came George Harris one of the Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will and made oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God that he did see the Testator Nachel Davis sign and Seal the said Will and heard him publish pronounce and 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~~ his apprehension of a sound and disposing mind and memory and that also did see John Tarmehill the other Subscribing Witness to the said Will sign his name as a Witness thereto and that he Subscribed his name as a Witness to the said Will in the presence of the said Testator and in the presence of the other Subscribing Witness.

Sworn Before Thomas Bowles

Sir

July 17th 1773

Whereas John Glassford and Company and John Glassford are the most considerable Creditors of the Estate of my deceased brother Nachel Davis and tho' I am by the Will of my said deceased left his Executor yet doth not bind me to Administer on his said Estate therefore I do hereby relinquish all my right to the Administration aforesaid unto Robert Ferguson Agent for said John Glassford and Company & John Glassford and I desire that you grant him Letters of Administration on said Estate And you will oblige

Your very Hble Servt
Leonard Davis

To
Mr Thomas Bowles D. Comty
Frederick County
Witness Robert Peters
Examind

In the name of God amen the 25th of July 1773 Whereas I William Hallsey of Frederick County in the Province of Maryland Labourer knowing the uncertainty of life do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament making all former Wills void and of none effect and do commit my Soul to the Lord and my body to the earth and to be decently buried and all my just debts to be paid if any.

~~I give~~ and bequeath unto my Landlady Elizabeth Beall fifty pounds particularly to her own use if her husband should die before her to help to maintain her in her old age if the Lord spare her to live long.

I give and bequeath unto James Beall twenty pounds.

I give and bequeath unto Mathias Taylor five pounds.

~~I do~~ give and bequeath unto my respected friend John Padgit five pounds.

I also give and bequeath unto James Beall all the rest of my Estate with bed and furniture thereunto with all my wearing apparel bury me decently and leave my trusty friend John Padgit my whole and sole Executor and Administrator of this my last Will and Testament given under my hand and Seal this 18th day of November in the year of our Lord 1773.

Witness Joshua Martin
Jadock Conner
Robert Markland

William Hallsey (Seal)

On the back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.
On the 18th day of December 1773 Came Joshua Martin Jadock Conner and Robert Markland the three Subscribing Witnesses to the aforegoing Will and made oath on the holy Evangils of Almighty God that they did see the Testator William Hallsey sign and Seal the said Will & 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 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 in the presence of each other

A Copy
Examined

Sworn Before B. Bowles D. Comty

Talbot County ss On the 18th day of October Anno Domini 1769 James Dickenson came before me Edward Oldham Esqr. one of the right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of the Province of Maryland his Justices of the Peace for Talbot County and being Sworn on the holy Evangils of God deposeth and saith That Gabriel Sails late of Talbot County deceased being in his perfect senses as this Deponant believeth did a short time before his death make and in due form Execute and publish in presence of William Bennett ~~and~~ John Connolly and this Deponant his Will that it was drawn up by this Deponant and delivered to him by the said Gabriel Sail to preserve and was as followeth

"First I give to my son Gabriel a negro man called Jasper and my hand Mill.

"Also I give to my daughter Susannah a negro woman called Hannah

"Also