at the full Age of Twenty one Years, but that the same shall be the only proper Use of my Loving Wife Mary untill he the said Jeremiah shall arrive at age. And if my Wife should die before the said Jeremiah shall arrive at age then the Lott and Premises & Negro Woman and her increase to be the Only proper use and behoof of the said Elizabeth Tittle untill the said Jeremiah shall arrive at age. As to the remaining part of my Estate after my Just debts are paid I give it to be Equally divided betwixt my Wife Mary & my Son Jeremiah And I do by those presents Constitute and Appoint my Loving Wife Mary my sole Executrix to Execute this my Last Will and Testament, Revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made and I do Acknowledge this to be my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Seal this fifteenth day of March Anno Domi 1773.

James B his mark Barron (Seal)

Signed sealed published and declared in the presence of us

John Sturgis
Tobias Ashmore
Wm Hall

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

November 22d 1775 Then came Tobias Ashmore & Wm Hall two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of James Barron Late of Kent County deed, and severally made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator therein named sign and Seal this Will, and that they 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 Apprehensions, of sound & disposing mind, memory, and understanding, and that they the said Deponents together with John Sturgis the other Subscribing Witness within Named, subscribed their respective Names as Witnesses to this Will in the presence, and at the request of the Testator and in the Presence of each other.

Certifyed By. J. Nicholson Dy Comty of Kent County

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In the Name of God Amen this fifth day of August One thousand Seven Hundred and seventy five I George Holliday of Kent County in the Province of Maryland being very Sick and Low but of a sound and perfect Memory Calling to mind the Uncertainty of this Life, do make constitute ordain and ordain this to be my Last Will and Testament in manner following (Viz.) And as touching my Real Estate I do give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Sarah all them two tracts or parcells of Land Called Mapsys Venture,

(and)

and Little Forrest to her and her Lawfull Issue of her Body forever, but in case she dies before she arrives to ye years of Maturity, or any Issue lawfully Bornby her then both tracts as abovementioned to fall to my Brother William Holliday to his heirs and Assigns forever, with ye said William to pay unto my Brother Benjamin Holliday the Sum of one hundred & fifty pounds, and Also ye said William to pay unto my Brothr John Holliday the sum one hundred & fifty pounds — I do Bequeath unto my good Lawfull Wife Mary Holliday the thirds of my Estate Both Real and personal —

I do constitute and Appoint my friend Josias Selliway to be my Whole Whole Executor Guardian to have ye management of Bringing her up & the ordering of her Education with having her Estate to fall Immediately into his hands in order that her Lands may not be abused or Timber unnecessarly be distroyed the said Josias Selliway to pay my funeral Charges & all my Lawfull debts — In Testamony whereof of ye above being my Last Will and Testament I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my Seall ye day and year above written

George G his mark Holliday (Seal)

Signed sealed & declared this to be his Last Will in ye presents of us.

Thomas Jurey
Jacob his mark Meers
Stephen his mark Meers

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

October 2d 1775. Then came Thomas Jury Jacob Meers & Stephen Meers the three Subscribing Witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of George Holliday late of Kent County deceased, and severally made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator therein named Sign and Seal this Will, and that they 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 Apprehensions, of sound & disposing mind, memory, and Understanding, and that they respectively subscribed their Names as witnesses to this Will, in the presence and at the request of the Testator, and in the presence of each other.

Certifyed by. J. Nicholson Dy Comty of Kent County

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In the Name of God Amen. I Ruth Knock being sick of Body but of sound mind and perfect mind and perfect memory do make this my Last Will and Testament in the manner and form following.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Brother Henry Knock the sum of Fifty pounds Lawfull Money of maryland to be paid by my Executor

(when)