Maryland Saint Marys County viz.

In the name of God Amen I Robert Mattingly of the County and province aforesaid being sick and weak of Body but of sound and perfect Memory and Understanding do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in Manner and form following that is to say. —

Imprimis Into the hands of God my Saviour I Recommend my soul and my Body to the Earth to be Decently Buried —

Item my will and Desire is that Mr. George Booth shall have it fully in his power to set up at publick sale on the day w.th. of the part of my Estate is sold my two negroes Jack and Tom in order to pay certain Debts w.ch he is bound to Cuninghame Finlay & Co and Mr. John Glassford and Company and likewise Debts due himself and the residue if any to be paid into the hands of my Executor. —

Item Whereas Robert Cole late of Saint Marys County Deceased did by his last will and Testament appoint Richard Mellton Junr. Bazill Haydon and my self Executors of the said Will by virtue of which I have been and still am in possession of a part of the personal Estate of the said Robert Cole now my will and Desire is that all the Estate of the said Robert Cole which may be in my hands at the time of my Death be taken into the possession of the said Richard Mellton Jr. and Bazill Haydon for the purposes Mentioned in the will of the said Rob.t Cole —

Item I will and Desire that within two months after the finishing the Crop now on the Ground my whole personal Estate, Except the Negroes above mentioned, be Disposed of at publick sale to the Highest Bidder in such manner as shall be Judged best by my Executor hereafter to be appointed and the money arising therefrom to be apply'd to the following purposes and no other first for Securing to the said Richard Mellton Junr. and Bazill Haydon any money that may be owing from me to the Estate of the said Robert Cole and my Executor is hereby fully Impowered to keep in his own hands as much money as will answer that purpose some of the Estate of the said Robert Cole in my hands being wasted, Secondly for the payments of all my Just Debts and the residue and the crop to be devided between my two Children Gabrial and Amarstatia Mattingly to them and their heirs for ever my Wife first having her third part. —

Item I will and Desire that all my Estate be Kept together untill the Crop be finished and my Wife Children and family Supported out of the provisions already made and to be made —

Item I leave my two Children Charles and Katharine Mattingly to my Good friends Richard Millton and Bazell Haydon they Boy to Rich.d Millton and the Girl to Bazell Haydon to be by them Brought up —

Lastly I nominate and appoint my friend Bazell Haydon Executor of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all other wills heretofore by me made, In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty Seventh day of June Seventeen Hundred and Seventy six.

Signed Sealed published & Declared by the said Rt. Mattingly as his last Will & Testament in the presence of us who at his request & in his presence have Subscribed our names a Witnesses

Robt. Mattingly (Seal)

Philip Ford
Leonard his mark Booth

On the Back of the aforegoing will was thus written Viz.t

Then Came Bazel Haydon and made oath &c. that the within Instrument of Writing is the true and whole Will and Testament of Robert Mattingly late of Saint Marys County Deceased that hath come to his hands or possession and that he doth not Know of any other

Certified ff Hugh Hopewell Jr
Dy Comy S. Marys County

Saint Marys County ss. 14th december 1776 Then Came Philip Ford and Leonard Booth the two Subscribing Witnesses to the within last Will and Testament Robert Mattingly late of Saint Marys County Deceased and Severally made oath on the holy Evengels 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 at the time of his so doing he was to the Best of their apprehentions of a Sound and 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

Certified ff Hugh Hopewell Dy Comy
of Saint Marys County.

In the name of God amen the last Will & Testament of Ignatius Fenwick being of sound mind and perfect memory blessed be God. Make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following. First my will and Desire is, that all my Just Debts be paid and Discharged by my Executrix and Executors hereafter Mentioned