June, annoq: domi 1675 &c

Judith her I : B mark Booth

Signed and Sealed before me
Henry Hyde

Whereupon the Said Francis Hopewell Praies that administr: of all and Singular the goods Chattells and debts of the Said deceased may to him be Committed the Said John Boots being Indebted unto him the Said Hopewell in a Certain Sume of Tobacco, as by bill bnd: hand and Seale appears, Whereupon the Judge ordered that the Said Francis Hopewell have administr: of the goods Chattells and debts of the Said deceased, he having first taken the oath of adm: in Comon forme and Given bond in £10000: tob: for his due administr: therein, w:th the Said adm: Immediately tooke, and gave bond w:th John Wiseman of Calvert County and Will:m Hamlin of St: Maries County for his Sureties in £10000: tob: the S:d Letters of administr: w:th warrants to Peter Carwardine and Herbert Howman of St: maries County aforesaid to appraise the goods & Chattells of the Said deceased and to Henry Hyde of the Said County gentl: to Swoare them, Issued under the Seale of this Court Immediately &c

Inventr: Ret: in 3 months

Die mercurij 7: Julij

Came Abraham Wilde of Cecill County gentl: and made Returne of the last will and testament of Richard Leake late of Ballemore County deceased w:th the probate thereon, w:ch ordered to be Recorded, and followeth in these words

&c. Viz:t &c.

In the name of God amen &c

I Richard Leake of Ballemore County in the Province of Maryland, doe make this my last will and testam: in manner and forme as following — That is to Say: First I Committ my Body to the earth, and my Soule I Committ to the hands of allmighty God hoping through the death and passion of my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and freepardon, and forgiveness of all my Sinns; First I will, that all my debts shall be paid and discharged; Item I give all my wearing Cloths to William the old man at m: Youngs, and all the Rest of my Personall estate to my Loving friend Richard Whitton, Provoking disannulling all former wills and testam:ts unto me belonging, as witnesse my hand and Seale this ninth day of January in the yeare of our Lord 1674: being Contained in one Side of one half Sheet of paper — his Richard R Leake mark Seale

Signed Sealed in the presence of

Thomas his O Greton mark:

Hugh his W Williams mark