In the name of God amen:

The tenth day of Januarij one thousand six hundred, seventij five, I John Grace of Barford manor in St Marijs Countij in the prouince of maryland planter, being sick in Bodij but of good and perfect memory, thanks be to allmighthij God, and Calling to remembrance the uncertain estate of this transitorij life, and that all flesh must yield vnto death when it shall please God to Call, do make Constitute ordaine and declare this mij last will Testament in manner and forme following, reuoking and adnulling bij these presents, all and enerij testament and testaments will, and wills, heretofore bij me made, and declared, either bij word or bij writing and this to be taken onelij for mij last will and testament and none other, and first being penitent and sorrij from the bottom of mij heart for mij sinns past, most humblij desiring forgiueness for the same I giue and Commit mij Soule vnto the hands of allmighthij God, mij Saiour and Redeemer in whom and bij the meritts of Jesus Christ I trust and believe, assuredlij to be saued, and to haue full Remission and forgiuenesse of all mij sinns, and mij Soule with mij 7 Bodij at the generall dai of Resurrection that shall rise again with Joij, and through the meritts of Christs death and passion possesse and inherritt the kingdome of heaven prepared for his elect and Chosen, and mij Bodij to be buried in the earth as it shall please mij deare beloued wife, and now for the settling of mij temporall estate, and such goods, Chattells & debts as it hath pleased God, farre aboue mij deserts to bestow vpon me I do giue and dispose the same in manner and forme as following: That is to saij; first I

will

Will that all mij debts and dulijs as I owe in right or Conscience to anij manner of persons or persons whatsoeuer, shall be well and truelij contented and paid, or ordained to be paid within Conuenient time after mij decease bij mij deaerlij beloued wife. Item I giue and bequeath to mij deaerlij beloued wife Anne Grace all mij temporall estate what soeuer here in maryland or else where mij Lawfull Ex.tr to her and to her heires forouer In wittnesse to I haue sett mij hand and Seale the daij and yeare aboue written:

Sealed & delivered in the presence of
Edward Baylie
Anne Breden

John Grace (Seale)

and on the back of the l. will was thus written viz.t

Marche the 8. 1675

This daij Came before me the wittnesse of this will, and made oath that they did see John Grace Signe and Seale and deliver this will as wittnesse mij hand:

William Rosewell

22.th marche 1675.

Edward Baylie one of the wittnesses to the last will and testam.t of John Grace the within testator made oath that he saw the said testator signe Seale and publish the within will, and that then he was of a sound disposing minde before me the daij and yeare aboue said:

Signed bij ord.r of the Judge Testamentarij
Michael Brooke Esq.r

Thereupon the Judge pronounced the said testam.t well made and sufficiently proued and ordered Letters testamentarij to the said Anne Grace ex.tr in the said will, named to be granted, she taking the oath of Executrix in Common forme, w.ch

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