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To wife Elizabeth, extx., use of dwelling plantation and personal estate during life, at her decease personalty to be divided among all children then living.

Test: Lambert Booker, Russell Armstrong, William Price.
22. 55.

Bush, William, planter, Talbot Co., 5th Mch., 1727-8;
1st May, 1739.

To wife Elizabeth and sons and daus., personal estate divided, equally, lands in afsd. Co. to wife during life, at her decease to son Richard and hrs.

" sons Abraham and William, personalty, to be paid them after decease of wife.

Exs.: Wife and son Richard.

Test: Richard Chace, Elinor Chance, Jacob Gore.

Note: Above will signed Richard Bush (his mark), at time of probate Jacob Gore states that by mistake he signed Richard instead of William, William Bush being the proper name of sd. testator. Exs. mentioned refuse to act.
22. 58.

Dawson, James, Talbot Co., 23rd Mch., 1738;
8th May, 1739.

To wife Mary, personalty, some of which des. as in hands of James Edge as agent and factor for Richard Gilbert, Esq.

" son John and hrs., 275 A. "Dawson's Loss," Chester R., Queen Anne's Co., he dying without issue to son George and hrs., he dying without issue to daus., as they are in priority of age to wit: Ann and Mabel, and their hrs.

" son George and hrs., 118 A. "Bayley's Forest," nr. "Thridhaven ck." Residue of personalty to be divided amongst children, viz.: Impey, Thos. Impey, John, George, Ann and Mabel.

Exs.: Wife and son Impey.

Test: Risdon Bozman, Frances Bozman, William Prestly.
22. 57.

Holmes, Richard, Sr., Prince George's Co.,
27th Feb., 1738-9;
21st May, 1739.

To eldest son Charles and hrs., lands in Charles Co.; and personalty.

To son Richard and hrs., dwelling plantation "Hare Grove."
" sons Blanford, Bazel and Henry, personalty.

" Frank Edmund alias Mollatto Frank, his freedom and personalty.

Test: John Smith, William Neall, Jacob Hugar. 22. 58.

Holmes, Edward, Sr., Prince George's Co.,
19th Sept., 1736;
1st May, 1739.

To wife Martha, 1/3 of personal estate both here and in Great Britain, absolutely, 1/3 of "Plummer's Pleasure" during life, at her decease to grandson Edward and hrs.

" grandson Edward and hrs., residue of afsd. tract, he dying without issue to pass to his youngest sister Elizabeth, she dying without issue to Rachel Holmes and so on.

" son William, grand-daus. Mary, Sary, Jemima, Varlinday, Rachel and Elizabeth Holmes, grand-dau. Clara Mackeen, and Rev. John Orme, personalty. Legacies to grand-daus. to be pd. them at marriage. Residue of estate to grandson Edward, and hrs.

Exs.: Wife Martha, grandson Edward Holmes, and Robert Pottenger.

Overseers: Samuel Pottenger, Thomas Allen, John Bowie, Jr.

Test: William Brewer, William Beall, Elizabeth Beall.
22. 59.

Gaither (Gather), John, planter, A. A. Co.,
4th May, 1739;
20th June, 1739.

To 7 sons, viz.: Alexander, Benjamin, Richard, David, Amos, Joshua and Rezia, and their hrs., 364 A. "Abbingdon."

" other 3 sons, John, Edward and Samuel and their hrs. 252 1/2 A. "Left Out."

Exs.: Wife Elizabeth and son Benjamin.

Test: Thomas Davis, Abraham Woodward, Richard Davis.
22. 60.

Taylor, John, planter, Prince George's Co.,
17th Jan., 1736;
29th Nov., 1738.

To son John and hrs., 30 A. south of dwelling.

" son James and hrs., 30 A. and personalty.

" son Thomas and daus. Mary and Ann, personalty.

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Milure, William, Cecil Co., 6th May, 1740;
11th June, 1740.

To wife Joan and daus. Duffey, Anna, and Elizabeth, entire estate. Daus to receive their share at 16 yrs.

Exs.: William Currier (farmer) and James Grady (carpenter).

Test: Samuel Whitton, James Brooks, Sarah Duffey.
22. 186.

Campbell, James, Cecil Co., 29th Mar., 1739-40;
11th June, 1740.

To wife Elizabeth and 5 child. viz., Margaret, Arabed, Elizabeth, James and one unnamed, entire estate.

Exs.: Robert Portor, William Ramsey.

Test: David Breeding, William Dickson. 22. 187.

Othoson, Robert, planter, Cecil Co., — Apr., 1740;
23rd June, 1740.

To mother —, land for life. At her death to pass to bro. Otto Othoson and hrs.

" sis. Mary and Mary Burnum, personalty, including property of testator's deceased wife —.

Testator desires that property be divided by judgment of Hugh Jones, John Pennington and John Roberts, Sr., and not by appraisement.

Exs.: John Pennington and Hugh Jones and John Roberts.
Test: Mathew Bulley, John Winerbery. 22. 188.

Jackson, Edward, gent., of "Heart's Desire" Cecil Co.,
5th Apr., 1740;
30th June, 1740.

To dau. Elizabeth, personalty.

" wife, Elizabeth and sons Henry and Edward, residue of estate.

" son Edward, land where widow Jackson now resides and land on hill, for 20 yrs. At expiration of this time sd. land to become property of testator's son Henry, ex.

" son Henry, ex., residue of real estate.

Test: Richard Harrison and James Harrison, Robert Callender. 22. 189.

Hines, Mary, Queen Anne's Co., 11th Nov., 1739;
6th June, 1740.

To son James, 1s.

" son Vincent, ex., and his son John, granddau. Rachel, son Thomas, grandson — Hollingsworth, son of John Hollingsworth, and daus. Elizabeth Carro and Rebecca Dear, personalty.

Test Ephraim Wynne, John Celling, Andrew Rags. 22. 190.

Ryon, Darby, planter, Queen Anne's Co.,
10th May, 1740;
7th June, 1740.

To Francis Rochister, Jr. and hrs., 200 A. "Tolis Lott."

" Mary Harriss and Thomas Love, personalty.

Testator desires that his ex. make over to John Fouracres, 100 A. "Tolis Lott" which he bought.

Ex.: Francis Rochister, Sr.

Test: Andrew Findley, Thomas Philips, John Findley. 22. 191.

Copson, John, major, Cecil Co., 15th Apr., 1740;
20th Apr., 1740.

Rachel Smith, Margaret Eaton, William Klinouth took oath that on Tuesday, 15th of Apr. 1740, they did hear Maj. John Copson of Cecil Co., ask Thomas Hughes to be his ex. with Col. Colvill and Capt. Paca.

Benjamin Bradford takes oath that on the 14th of Apr. he saw Major Copson with Col. Colvill and Robert Story, Jethro Brown and at this time Maj. Copson had made no will but sd. that he depended on Col. Colvill to be his ex. 22. 192.

Beal, Robert, Jr., planter, St. George's Parish,
Prince George's Co., 22nd Apr., 1740;
15th July, 1740.

To James and John Odell, Elizabeth Beal, wife of Nathaniel, James and Roger Beal, sons of Nathaniel, sis. Sarah Odell, wife of Regnale, personalty.

" bro. Joseph, ex., residue of estate, both in Maryland and England.

Overseer: John Beal, Sr.

Test: John Child, William Forrest, Mary Pride. 22. 193.

JOSEPH BEAL
NATHANIEL BEAL
SONS JAMES
ROGER

SARAH WIFE REG.

Beal
Odell

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son of
James
"SR"

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Purnell, William, Dr., Chestertown, Kent Co.,
13th Sept., 1740;
21st Oct., 1740.

To wife Jane (Jean), extx., and unborn child entire estate. Testator desires wife afsd. to have entire charge of child and estate until child reaches legal age. Shd. she die before that time testator desires James Caldor of Chestertown to take her place.

Test: James Grahame, Elianor Farrell, James Caldor.
22. 258.

Ambrose, Thomas, Kent Co. 1st Oct., 1740;
17th Nov., 1740.

To John, son of Thomas Corwarding, Edward Davis Thomas, Jr., Peter and Ambrose Conwarding, Mary Murphey, 3 daus. — of John Field, Darms, Rachel, and Elianor Corwarding, and James Dile, personalty, part of which is now n the hands of Mr. Bahaman.

“ sis. Francies Corwarding, residue of estate.

Ex.: —.

Test: Jackson Griffith, William Hynson.

22. 259.

Snow, John, Prince George's Co., 12th Mar., 1739;
25th Nov., 1740.

To wife Mary, extx., entire estate.

Test: Thomas Charter, Sarah Green.
22. 259.

Jennings, Thomas, Prince George's Co., 6th Oct., 1738;

To wife Elizabeth, extx., and dau. Frances, personal estate.

“ dau. Frances and hrs., dwelling plantation “Jacob” and land adjoining which testator bought of Samuel Magruder, Sr., and 700 A. in Prince Williams Co., Va.

Testator desires that other tracts of land lying in Prince Williams Co., Va. be sold to pay debts.

Test: James Boswell, George Frazier, James Smith of Rock Cr.
22. 280.

Son of Alex. Purnell
Beall, Charles, Capt., Prince George's Co.,
24th Mar., 1739-40;
27th Nov., 1740.

To wife Mary, dwelling plantation “Bealls Adventure.” She to keep it in good repair and not destroy any timber.

*Wife RACHEL
EMORYS
CHARLES
NINIAN
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At her death to pass to son Charles and hrs. This place is never to be sold or let except for a period of 1 yr. To son Charles and hrs., 473 A. “The Constitution” and 100 A. “Picheltons Rent” lying near plantation of John Willcoxson.

“ son Ninian and hrs., land lying next to William Scott. This land not to be sold or leased for more than 1 yr.

“ son — land adjoining that of Ninian, afsd. and 300 A. “Cold Cranfords Adventure,” adjoining land of Mr. Hewbon.

“ sons Ninian and Joshua and hrs., “Danby” lying in Dorchester Co.

“ dau. Mary and hrs., 200 A. “Dispute” and 75 A. “Charles and William.”

“ dau. Rachel, 118 A. “Magruders and Bealls Honesty” and 133 A. “Gruble Thicket.”

Testator desires that his interest in “Charles and Benjamin” be sold to pay debts.

Exs.: Wife Mary and son Joshua.

Test: Thomas Evans, Charles Mason, Daneil Phillips.

22. 261.

Wickes, Joseph, gent., Kent Island, Queen Anne's Co.,
20th Aug., 1740;
15th Sept., 1740.

To dau. Anne, dwelling plantation unless unborn child be a son.

“ unborn child if dau., personalty.

“ bro.-in-law Samuel Blunt and John Elliott, personalty.

Shd. testator's child afsd. die without issue, plantation to go to eld. son of sister Mary Blunt.

“ wife —, extx., residue of estate.

Testator desires that Samuel Blunt and John Elliott have guardianship of child in event of wife remarrying.

Test: Joseph Sudlor, Ann Daley, John Broather.

22. 263.

Earle, Joseph, gent., Queen Anne's Co.,
11th Aug., 1740;
20th Oct., 1740.

To wife Elizabeth, extx., during life dwelling plantation, “Emorys Fortune.” She to keep it in good order and not destroy timber. Also 1/3 personal estate.

“ Joseph, son of Carpenter Earle, “Hazard.”

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Meredith, Humphry, cordwainer, Annapolis,
10th July, 1736;
26th June, 1739.

To wife Elizabeth and dau. Frances, entire estate.

" Pat Creagh, ex., with wife afsd., £20.

Test: Samuel Stringer, James Teagie, Richard Burke.

22. 64.

Willet (Villet), Peter, Charles Co., 31st Dec., 1737;
23rd Apr., 1739.

To wife Cecelia, daus. Elizabeth Hulks, Mary Greer and Rachel, son Peter, and daus. Mary Ann and Rebeckah personalty.

" wife Cecelia, extx., plantation in Calverton Manor during life, at her decease to son Peter; and personalty. Residue of personalty after wife's thirds are deducted to be divided between four youngest children, viz.: Rachel, Peter, Mary Ann and Rebeckah, who are to be in care of wife until they come of age.

Test: Joseph Johnson, William White, John Dainty.

22. 65.

Thomson, John, Charles Co., 2nd Mch., 1738;
8th May, 1739.

To sons Thomas and William, exs., and their hrs., land at Piscattaway, where they now live.

" son John and hrs., the pt. of dwelling plantation —, where he now lives; and personalty.

" dau. Winefred, pt. of dwelling plantation with house during life, at her decease to grandson Joseph, and hrs., son of son William; and personalty.

" daus. Ann, Magdalen and Susannah, personalty. Residue of estate to be divided among all children.

Test: John Beale, Johanna Beale, Thomas Morris. 22. 66.

Gilpin (Gilpon), Edward, planter, Charles Co.,
16th Jan., 1738;
17th May, 1739.

To wife Elizabeth, extx., use of estate, real and personal, during life, at her decease to pass to children, as follows:

" son Benjamin and hrs., 100 A. dwelling plantation, being pt. of "Thomson Town," residue to other five children, viz.: Mary, Elizabeth, Edward, Jane and Charety.

Test: Ralph Shaw, Sr., Ralph Gwinn (Guinn). 22. 66.

Larramur, John, Sr., blacksmith, Somerset Co.,
9th Feb., 1738;
28th Apr., 1739.

To wife Mary, personalty.

" son Levin and hrs. entire real estate in Co. afsd., he dying without issue to the poor of Stepney Parish; and personalty.

" supposed son had from the Indians, personalty; residue of estate divided bet. wife and son Levin, exs. The vestry of Stepney Parish to have the renting of afsd. lands.

Test: Henry Dashiels (Dashiell), Peter Furbush, Sarah Nutter. 22. 67.

Fitchgaril (Fitchgarrill, Fitchjarrill), Peter, Somerset Co.,
11th May, 1739;
24th May, 1739.

To daus. Molley, Ann and Peggy, personalty; dau. Molley to be of age September next; residue of estate to be divided among children.

Ex: John Woolford.

Test: Penellepey Ringrose (Ringnose), William Burgan (Burgan), Patrick Burgan. 22. 68.

Parremore, Mathew, planter, Somerset Co.,
27th May, 1738;
28th May, 1739.

To son Ezekiel and hrs., 35 A. "Little Worth," Broad Ck. Wimbe Socum Neck; and personalty.

" son Matthew and hrs., 15 A. "Parrenmore Venture;" and personalty.

" sons Joseph and James, and sons-in-law Patrick and Thomas Caldwell, 1s. each.

" wife —, extx., personal estate.

Test: John Williams, John Records, Charles Parsons.

22. 68.

Brittingham, John, Pocomoke, Somerset Co.,
6th Mch., 1738-9;
1st June, 1739.

To wife Mary, extx., dwelling plantation — during life, at her decease to be divided among children; and personal estate.

" children Jedidiah, Shadrack, Levi and Leah, and their hrs., 100 A. "Winter Quarter." Levi and Leah in care of Capt. William Holland.

To son William, 56 A. "Chance" and residue of "John's Meadow."
 " son Solomon, "Williams Loft."
 " son John, "Newman's Heritage."
 " granddau Elizabeth Kirby, personalty at 16 yrs.
 " four younger child. viz. Solomon, Nathaniel, Mary and Sarah, personalty.
 " 10 child. viz. Daniel, Joseph, William, Rachel, Elizabeth, John, Solomon, Nathaniel, Mary and Sarah, residue of estate.
 Exs.: Son Daniel and Joseph.
 Test: Thos. Sands, Simon Thomas, Cornelius Comegys.
 22. 471.

Williams, John, planter, Queen Anne's Co.,
 25th April, 1740;
 29th April, 1742.

To son John at 21 yrs. and hrs. dwel. plan. 100 A. "Salsbury" and personalty.
 " wife Tabitha, extx., residue of estate during widowhood; at her marriage or decease estate to pass to sons James, Henry and William.
 Test: Ambrose Wright, Jno. Nabb, Mary Greenwood, formerly Rich.
 Note: Widow claims legal rights.
 22. 472.

Maynor, Timothy, Queen Anne's Co., 16th June, 1741;
 6th May, 1742.

To sons James and Solomon, dwel. plan.
 " son Timothy, 50 A. "Chance."
 " child. Joseph, Solomon, James, Timothy and Elizabeth, personalty.
 " child. John, Edward, Mary and unborn child, 1s. each.
 " wife Susanna, life interest in dwel. plan.
 Exs.: Wife and son James.
 Test: Francis Spry, Jr., John Nichelson, Samuel Beck.
 22. 472.

Clark, Thos., Charles Co., 13th April, 1742;
 20th April, 1742.

To Jean Usher, Jacob Payn and William Lovly when he has served to age of 20, personalty.
 Wife Mary, extx., residuary legatee.
 Test: John Cox, Sarah Cox.
 22. 473.

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King, William, Charles Co., 28th March, 1741;
 3rd May, 1742.

To cousins Thos. King and Mary Muncaster, personalty.
 " sister Ann and hrs., real estate. Shd. she die without hrs. to pass to brother Richard, ex.
 Test: Geo. Medway, Jno. Heall, Wm. Cooper.
 22. 474.

Dawkins, Ann, Calvert Co., 24th May, 1741;
 14th June, 1742.

To sons James and William and dau. Penelope Sollars, each.
 " granddau. Elizabeth (Dawkins), personalty.
 " granddau. Penelope, extx. and Mary Pattison, residue of estate.
 Test: Joseph Sollars (Sollars), James Mackall.
 22. 474.

Gittins, Elizabeth, Prince George's Co.,
 15th Jan., 1740-1;
 20th Feb., 1740.

To dau. Eleanor, dwell. plan., she to allow daus. Mary and Ann to live on same till their marriage.
 " child. viz., Eleanor, Mary, Ann and Philip and grandson Thomas, personalty.
 Exs.: Daus. Mary and Ann.
 Test: John Stevens, Nehemiah Wade, Ann Creger.
 22. 475.

Beall (Bell), John, gent. Prince George's Co.,
 7th April, 1742;
 18th May, 1742.

To wife Verlinda, extx., 1/3 per. estate and life int. in dwell. plan. 110 A. "Loan Head" and 1/3 of residue of real estate after son Samuel's share is deducted.
 " eldest son Samuel, plan. where he now lives also plan. adjoining "Charles and William's" and 139 A. "Benjamin."
 " son Joshua, 5s. he having been provided for.
 " dau. Sarah, wife of James Offutt, 200 A. of "New Dumfries" starting at boundary of "Old Dumfries".
 " son Basil, 163 A. "Industry", to be conveyed to him by sons of Andrew Hamilton, dec'd, also 100 A. "Poplar Thicket" near Monoquasy R.

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To youngest sons John and Clement, residue of "New Dumfries", "Chittans Addition", "Black Esh" and dwell. plan. at death of their mother.

" youngest child, viz., Rebecca wife of Nathan Magruder, Basil, Lucy, John, Hannah, Verlinda (Vilender) and Clement, legacy, bequeather test. by his father Alexander also to them residue of personalty.

370 A. of "Poplar Thickett", 100 A. "Three Friends Delight", and 223 A. test. share of "Dispute" to be conveyed by bro. William and hrs., and hrs. of bro. Charles, dec'd., late of Pr. Geo. Co., to be sold and money used in payment of test. debts.

Test: John Brown, John Johnstone, James Pearrs. ?

22. 475.

Bowen, Benj., Sr., planter, Baltimore Co.,

14th Jan., 1741;
21st June, 1742.

To son Benjamin Cox (Bowen?) and hrs., and son Nathan Bowen the pt. of "Samuel's Hope" on Brittain Ridge, which test. bought from Samuel Hooker, shd. he die without hrs., sd. tract to pass to son Solomon.

" son Solomon, residue of "Samuel's Hope".

" son Josiah and hrs., 129 A. "Jonase's Outlet", 100 A. "Gooseberry" on Back R. neck and dwell. plan. at death of his mother.

" wife Sarah, extx., 1/3 personal estate and life int. in dwell. plan.

" daus. Mary, Sarah and Tabitha at 16 yrs. of age, also to sons Solomon, Josiah and Nathan, personalty.

Test: Abraham Eaglestone, Bowen Stansbury, Thos. Sheredine. 22. 477.

Campbell, John, Cecil Co.,

26th May, 1741;
23rd Feb., 1741.

To son Charles, 5s.

" " John and hrs., 100 A. "Divideing" which test. bought from Nicholas Ridgely, 100 A. "Divideing" which test. bought from Richard Price and all the tract "Campbell's Addition" which test. took up with exception of "Manchester" now in possession of Jno. Veazey.

" son James, dwell. plan. and residue of "Divideing", he to allow his sis. Eleanor to use plan. for 2 yrs.

To daus. Eleanor, extx., and Mary and hrs., 325 A. "Price's Venture" or "Thompson's Town" which test. bought from William Cox, Henry Parker and others. 173 A. pt. of "Thompson's Town" bought from Chas. Carroll and Joshua George to be sold to pay debts.

" daus. Isabel Chambers and Elizabeth Macmanus, personalty.

Capt. Wm. Rumsey and Geo. Veazey to assist dau. Eleanor in executorship, shd. they refuse Benj. Pierce to assist. Test: Jno. Rosser, Jane Young, Chas. Coatt.

Note: At time of probate of will heir-at-law Eliz. MacManus was absent and beyond the seas. 22. 478.

Merrick, Roger, yeoman, Cecil Co., 31st March, 1742;
9th April, 1742.

To Benjamin Thomas and hrs., son of Joseph land now occupied by John Barnes, he to pay testator's executors £100 Penna. money.

" Thos. James and Nathaniel Evan, £10 Penna. money to be used for Presbyterian Minister at Peniader or for some other pious use.

" nieces Hannah, wife of Morgan Morgan and Ann, wife of Benjamin Hughes, residue of estate.

Exs: Joseph Thomas and John Ricketts.

Test: Thomas Thomas, Eleanor Thomas, Joseph Thomas, Thomas Evans. 22. 480.

Birckhead, Solomon, Talbot Co.,

31st May, 1741;
3rd May, 1742.

To dau. Ann Sharp, 320 A. pt. of "Little Bristol", at her death to pass to her son Birckhead (Sharp).

" grandson Christopher (Birckhead), 400 A. pt. of "Little Bristol" where his mother — now lives.

" grandson Solomon (Birckhead), dwell. plan. and residue of real estate.

" grandchild. Peter, Birckhead and Ann Sharp, Christopher

" grandson Solomon (Birckhead), dwell. plan. and residue

" dau. Ann Sharp and child. of son Christopher, residue of personalty, that share last named to be delivered to their mother Ann for their maintenance.

Trustee for child. of son Christopher, John Dickinson.

Ex: Son-in-law Dr. Wm. Sharp.

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To child. viz. Alice, Charles, Anne, Frances and Betty, personal estate at death of their mother.

Exs.: Wife Frances, son William.

Test: Margaret Wright, Thomas Durham, Alex. McCants.
23. 490.

Note: 31st March, 1744, widow abides by husband's will.

**Haywood, John, Somerset Co., 9th March, 1744;
19th April, 1744.**

To wife Sarah, dwelling plantation "Dowgett" during widowhood.

" oldest son Allen, dwelling plantation at death or re-marriage of his mother.

" son David, 50 A. "Brittings" which testator bought from Michael Desherane.

" son John, warrant of 50 A. now in the hands of David Wilson, surveyor, which is to be laid down by Joshua Procter or some other friend of testator.

" daus. Elizabeth and Sarah, personalty.

Ex.: —

Test: Joshua Porter, Jacob Morris.
23. 493.

**Wilson, Thomas, Prince George's Co., 30th March, 1744;
1st May, 1744.**

To son Thomas, "Knaves Dispute" and 133 A. "Ridges."

" son Joseph, 150 A. "St. Thomas."

" son Wadsworth, part of a warrant of resurvey of 200 A.

" son Absalom, 153 A. "The Forest."

" son Josiah, 143 A. "The Forest" and 62 A. "Carrolton."

" son William, 190 A. "London" and "The Suburbs."

" dau. Elizabeth, 100 A. "Ridges" and "Knaves Dispute."

" wife Priscilla, extx., life int. in real estate. She to make over to Thomas Whitaker 100 A. "Pecvention."

" wife Priscilla and daus. Priscilla and Mary, personal estate.

Test: Ninian Beall, Jr., James Wilson, Joseph Wilson.
23. 495.

**Neighbours, John, planter, Talbot Co., 2nd July, 1742;
4th May, 1744.**

To wife Margaret, one half estate.

" sons and daus., residue of estate.

Exs.: Wife and eldest son Thomas.

Test: Samuel Simpson, Joseph Price, Margaret Cannon.
23. 497.

Note: May 4th, 1744, son Thomas renounces the administration of this estate. Wife Margaret will abide by husband's will.

**Broadway, Sarah, widow, Talbot Co., 15th March, 1743;
11th May, 1744.**

To son Samuel, ex., personalty. He to pay to his brothers Robert and Ambrose amounts provided for in the will of his father Samuel, deceased.

" sons Ambrose and Robert, £20 at 21 yrs.

" daus. Mary Hicks and Ann, £15.

" grandson Samuel Register, at 21 yrs., personalty.

Test: Anthony Booth, Thomas Matthews, Thomas Frampton.
23. 499.

**Fitzsimons, Nicholas, Baltimore Co., 11th Oct., 1743;
2nd Jan., 1748.**

To male hrs. of testator's dau. Florah Dorsey, wife of Joshua, "Knighton's Fancy" and "Muscal's Rest" on s. side of Patapsco R. Shd. she be without male hrs. sd. land to go to poor of Anne Arundle Co. who belong to church of England or are Quakers.

" male hrs. of dau. Mary, dwelling plantation "Thomas's Range," "Bennett's Range," "Ball's Addition." Shd. she be without male hrs. to go to poor afsd.

" oldest dau. of dau. Florah, afsd. and her hrs., 1/2 of "Bullfords" or "Dear Bitt" at head of Back R. in lieu of such hrs. land to be distributed among daughters of Florah, afsd. and in lieu of such daus. to hrs. of testator.

" eldest dau. of testator's dau. Mary, residue of "Bullfords" or Dear Bitt," in lieu of hrs. to be divided among daus. of Mary afsd. and in lieu of such daus. to hrs. of testator.

" dau. Mary, extx., residue of estate.

Test: John Orrick, Jr., Alex Cromwell, Sarah Cromwell.
23. 501.

**Diggs, Charles, Prince George's Co., 28th Jan., 1742;
28th May, 1744.**

To dau. Anne, £500 and personalty.

" dau. Mary Hill, £250 or 1000 A. "Partnership" and 200 A. "Addition to Partnership" as ex. sees fit.

personal estate to be in hands of widow Pardo for 5 yrs.
Test. wills that the widow, Elizabeth Young, shall live
in his dwell. plan. and care for dau. Margaret.

Exs.: Thomas Johnston, Thomas Ireland, Jr.

Test: James Dossey, John Grouer, Grace Grouer.

23. 534.

Note: Thomas Ireland, Jr. refuses executorship of above will
on ground that will is so ill worded that it may cause
confusion and that some people say that the test. was
not in his right mind when he signed the will. Thomas
Johnston renounces executorship of above will to Eliza-
beth Young, widow of Samuel.

Beall, Thomas, planter, Calvert Co., 5th Oct., 1743;
6th June, 1744.

To wife Elizabeth, entire estate real and personal. At her
death, real estate to be divided between sons Thomas and
John and personal estate between all child. ———.

Test: John Strickland, John Guyton, James Scarff, James
Dossey.

23. 536.

Beaby, Sarah, Calvert Co., 2nd March, 1743;
10th July, 1744.

To son John and son-in-law and dau. John and Sarah Sed-
wick, entire estate real and personal.

Exs.: Son John, son-in-law John Sedwick.

Test: Ann Brinkley, James Brinkley, Benj. Mackall.

23. 537.

Whinfield Jonah, planter, Calvert Co., 8th March, 1742;
20th July, 1744.

To sons Richard, Andrew, and Jonah, entire real estate.

Ex.: Wife Dorcas.

Test: Henry Austin, John Whinfield, Samuel Worthey.

23. 538.

Samuel, Calvert Co., 28th May, 1744;
30th July, 1744.

To wife ———, entire estate to be paid her in yearly sums
by Daniel Talbot, ex. The residue at her death to go to
him and his hrs.

Test: William Morgan, John Lavell, Sophia Lavell.

23. 540.

Gailshott (Guildshott), Lawrence, Cecil Co.,
7th March, 1743;
7th June, 1744.

To grandson Abraham Anderson, 100 A. on "Augustine's
Manor."

" grandson Guildshott Thomas, farm where testator used
to live.

" wife ———, and dau. Anne Thomas, residue of estate real
and personal, Anne to inherit two thirds.

Ex.: ———.

Overseers: Andrew Bry, Adam Peters of St. Georges Hun-
dred.

Test: Andrew Bryan, Adam Peterson. 23. 541.

This will was probated in the presence of son-in-law John
Thomas.

Beall, Alexander, Prince George's Co., 16th Jan., 1743;
5th Sept., 1744.

To bro. Robert and wife of Singan Wilson, personalty.

" negro Ann, her freedom.

" son William, dwelling plantation, this being part of
"Neighborhood" and "Largo" on s. w. branch of Patux-
ent R.

" son Ninian, residue of "Largo," commonly known as
Menella's Quarter."

" sons William and Ninian and son-in-law John Jackson,
exs. and child. ——— of testator's deceased sons James
and John, residue of estate.

Test: Meredith Davis (Quaker), Joseph Beall, John Courry.

23. 543.

Cadle, John, planter, Charles Co., 4th July, 1744;
14th Aug., 1744.

To son Robert, heir at law, "Evans Reserve" where he now
lives.

To wife Anna, extx., dwelling plantation. At her death to
pass to daus. Mary, Elizabeth and Abigail as long as
they remain single. At their marriage sd. plantation to
go to testator's sons Robert and Edward.

" wife Anna, entire personal estate. At her death to be
divided among child. afsd.

Test: Edward Turner, Catharine Short, James Short.

23. 545.

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