Christ above Written. —

the marke of

Stephen S M Whetstone (sealed)

Signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of Ye —
Richard Lowder
Bennet Stared —
Roger Powell

And on the back side of the said Will was Endorsed written viz

November the 21th 1676

Richard Lowder & Bennet Stared Sworne doth declare upon their oath that this Will within mentioned is the last Will & testament of Stephen Whetstone late of Kent County decd & that hee was in perfect sense & memory at the making signing & sealing thereof. —

Mary Whetstone Sworne this 21th day of November 1676 — to bee executrix & to a just & true administration upon & of all the goods Chattells & debts that of right belongeth to the estate of Stephen Whetstone her late decd husband according to the will of the testator. —

Bennet Stared Sworne the 21th day of this instant November 1676 to make a just & true appraisement soe far forth as shall come to their sight or knowledge of all the goods Chattells & debts of Stephen Whetstone late of Kent County deceased, & to make a true Returne thereof accordingly as is expressed in the Commission to them directed. —

And Robert Parker Sworne to the same.

Juravit

Juravit Coram me — Jos: Wickes witnessing hand & seale this 21th day of November 1676

Jos: Wickes (sealed)

Die Mercurij 24. Octobris

In the name of god amen. this 22 day of Aprill in the yeare of our lord god 1677 I Thomas Barbery of Calvert County being sick & weake but in perfect sense & memory praysed bee to god for it, & calling to Remembrance the uncertaine state of this transitory life, & that all flesh must yield unto death, when it shall please god to call doe make constitute & declare this my last Will & testament in manner & forme following Revoking & annulling by these presents all & every testament & testaments, will & wills heretofore by mee made & declared either by word or by writing. & this to bee taken onely for my last Will & testament none other. And first being penitent & sorry from the bottome of my heart for my sinnes past, most humbly desiring forgiveness for the same I give & Commit my soule unto Almighty god my saviour & Redeemer, in whome & by the merits of Jesus I trust & believe assuredly to bee saved. And my body to bee buried in such place where it shall please my executrix hereafter named to appoint, & now for the setling of my temporall estate & such goods that lett & debts that it hath pleased god far above my desert to bestow upon mee, I order give & dispose the same in manner & forme following that is to say. —

First — I will that all those debts dues & sums in Right

or