

This Indenture made the 23 day of March in the year of our Lord God one
Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy one Between Fanny a negro woman
of the one party, & Mary Horn of the other party of the Town of Frederickburg.
Witnesseth that the said Fanny a negro woman, of her own free will and consent
both hereby consent promised and grant, to and with the said Mary Horn her
Executors Administrators and Assigns from the Day of the date hereof for the
term of Two years, to serve in such Service & Employment, as the said Mary
Horn or her Assigns shall then Employ her, according to the Customs of the
County where she doth live; In consideration whereof the said Mary Horn
both hereby Covenant and Grant to and with the said Fanny a negro woman
to have her Lend of the Disorders, She now has and to feed and allow her
Meat Drink & Apparel & Lazing During the said Term, In Witness
whereof the parties above mentioned have Interchangeably set their
hands and Seals the Day and year first above Written.

Signed Sealed & Delivered
in the presence of

Nicholas Smith

Jamies Dryden

for
Fanny X Seal
Mary Horn Seal

I Elizabeth Battaly of Spotsylvania County being sound mind and memory thanks be to
God therefore make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following Vizt
I give and bequeath to my loving brother Mosley Battaly the negro Girl
I was to have had bought for me out of the money arising from the sale of my Fathers
Estate also Fifty pounds Current money I lent to my brother John Battaly with the
Interest due thereon to my said Brother and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten, and
for default of such Issue unto my sister Lavinia Battaly and her heirs
Item I give and bequeath unto my sister Lavinia Battaly my saddle & Bridle
my shoes wearing Linnen, & all my wearing apparel (except my Hat & Cloak)
also I give her one small Stone Ring.

Item I give to my Nephew Samuel Bilsnap one plain Gold ring which was my
Fathers also my Gold Thread.

I am I give to Margaret Owen wife of John Owen my half Black also one Gold ring with a red Stone
My Brother Robert mentioned in my will to whom I have given my Effects are my half Brother &
sister and I revoke all other wills by me heretofore made lastly I do nominate constitute and
ordain and appoint James Hill Executor of this my last will and Testament, In testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of February 1774

Signed sealed and Published

In the presence of

James Hill

his
Michael Richmond
Witness

her,
Elizabeth Ballaly
Wife

Know all men by these presents that we James Hill and Caspar Herndon are held and firmly
bound unto Charles Dick, Joseph Brock, John Carter, and William Smith Gentlemen Justices
of the County Court of Spotsylvania now sitting in the sum of One hundred pounds current
money to the payment whereof well and truly to be made to the said Justices and their Successors
we bind our selves and each of us our and each of our heirs Executors Administrators jointly & severally
firmly by these presents sealed with our seals this 16th day of May 1774

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound James Hill
Executor of the last will and Testament of Elizabeth Ballaly died do make or cause to be made
a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods Chattels and Credits of the said Dead
which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of the said Hill or into the hands
or possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do Exhibit, or cause to be
Exhibited into the County Court of Spotsylvania at such time when shall be thereunto required by
the said Court and the same goods Chattels and Credits of the said Dead at the time of her Death which
at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Hill or into the hands or
possession of any other person or persons for him as well and truly Administer according to
Law and further do make a just and true account of his Actings & doings therein when
thereunto required by the said Court, and also do well and truly pay and deliver of all the de-
bts contained and specified in the said Testament as far as the said goods Chattels and
Credits will thereunto extend, according to the value thereof and as the Law Charge him