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Signed my dear Sister Sarah my whole and sole Executrix of this my will, recovering all wills by me heretofore made and this alone to stand in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seal in two places this twenty sixth day of May anno Domini Milledam one thousand eight hundred & nine.

Signed sealed published and declared by
John Synte his attorney
Edward Criswell Esq. Buxton

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Edward Synte Esq. Inhabitant of Barbados in America being about to take a steady dying within these bounds of the mounting infirmities of life, especially in such delicate evasions of death occurring in my last will and testament in manner and form hereunto that wherein I set in just place I desire all my debts and funeral expenses to be fully paid and satisfied and afterwards nothing else may remain due me and personal Estate, whatsoever and whatsoever debts may then chance me to incur unto the Gracious Queen of England Street in the Parish of St. Philip in the fields, in the sum of one hundred pounds to be paid to my executors or trustees for me to her and then payable out of my stocks and to hereby make and constitute her the said Queen Elizabeth late Queen of England my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the nineteenth day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and nine.

Signed sealed published and declared to be the last will and testament of the said Edward Synte in the presence of who also subscribed our names as witnesses thereto in the presence where the said Edward Synte his attorney has signed this Deed at Buxton Hill Longone, the 19th day of

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Capt. Philip Lee

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Nevis. In the Name of God Alme I Capt. Philip Lee of the Island of Nevis Planter being sick and weak of body but of sound perfect memory prays before Almighty God for grace to make and ordain my last Will and Testament in form and manner following hereby revoking, amending and making void all former and other wills by me made. And first I give my soul to God that governeth and my body to the Earth from whence it came decently to be interred, hoping for a glorious resurrection thine ye alone merits of our blessed Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ And forsooth worldly Estate it hath pleased God out of his infinite goodness to bestow upon me my just debts and funeral expenses being first paid satisfied I give the remainder as follows. Item I give unto John Gaffur his maintenance for my Estate as long as he will reside thereon without appointing any Executor hereafter mentioned to assist him in yr recovery affording him sufficient plenum power to him after ye death of his grandmother. Item I give unto Philip Price his maintenance of meat drink & clothes from my plantation as long as he liveth upon of me. Item I give the remainder unto these my God children my one child of John Biggall one of Capt. Hill one of Lieut. Roger Earle and one older son together with hundred pounds of sugar apiece. Item I give to my son John Philip Biggall fifteen hundred pounds of sugar to buy him a negro boy. Item I confirm yr former gift I give of y^e third of eight hundre^d and pounds of sugar towards ye yearly schooling of y^e poor children of St. James Parish without willing that in case there be not poor children enough whose schooling at ye rate of four hundred pounds of sugar per head will amount to y^e third then that of residue thereof be laid out for y^e clothing and other necessaries for y^e poor children. Item I give the remainder unto my loving wife Mary the wife of Capt. Wm. & Capt. Netherway one hundred & pounds and many to her as her own deservt which Capt. shall be paid out of y^e money so left due to me from her husband almo^t if there be so much and if no more as left paid to my Execut^r. But if there be not so much due to me from her that shall be wanting to be completed from my Estate. Item I give the remainder unto my well beloved wife Sarah Lee and her heirs or assigns for me being in y^e negro woman Mall and her three children Robins, Sam & Union a^t yo. old and two houses therunto belonging, also all her body unpoor and give her free liberty to dispose of two hundred pounds money or y^e value thereof off my Estate by will or otherwise to whome she thinks convenient. Item I give one half of y^e residue of my Estate lands plantations houses negroes stock, money, right goods chattells both in the land and plantation syne frequenth to my well beloved wife Sarah Lee and her heirs or assigns with y^e half of the profits & produce thereof during her naturall life & after her decease unto my loving Stephen Philip DeWitt his heirs or assigns for ever to whome also I bequeath in like manner the other half of all my lands plantations stocks negroes money goods and chattells here or elsewhere that is to y^e Capt. Philip DeWitt and his heirs or assigns forever. Lastly I hereby ordaine constitute and appoint my beloved Philip DeWitt whole & sole Execut^r of this my last will. Testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand Seal in this thirtieth day of February in y^e first year of y^e Reign of their Gracius Majesties William Bill and King & Queen of England etc Anno 1770
Signed sealed delivered and declared by Capt. Philip Lee