This Serves to Acquaint your Honour that we do not Choose to Concern in the Administration of our Deceas'd Mothers Estate, nor any wise in the Settlement of our Father John Riggs Estate if we can any ways avoid it, but hope the matter may be Granted to our Brother Amon Riggs. which will Oblige Sir Yr.

January yd. 28th 1769. —

Humble Servts.

James Riggs
John Riggs

To Walter Dulany Esq.
Comiss.y Generall —

Exd.

In The Name of God Amen I Thomas Letten of Ann Arundel Co.ty and Province of Maryland Planter being of perfect mind and Memory but weake in Body and calling to mind that it is appointed for all mankind to Die do make this my Last Will and Testament. Item I give and bequeath my Sole to the Almighty God that gave it me and my Body to the Earth to be Buried in a Christian and Decent Maner at the Discretion of my Executor hereafter mentioned and after my Just Debts being paid I give and Dispose of my Estate as follows Viz.t Item I give and bequeath all my now Dwelling Plantation and Land Containing about one hundred and fifty two Acres which Land I do may be called Letten's Purchase tho' formely called Whites plains to be Devided between my well beloved Wife Mary Letten and my Son John Letten that is to my Wife shall hold all the Said Land and premises untill my Son John com to the Age of Twenty one Years, And then if it should required by either of sa Parties the Land shall be Equally Devided as Convenient as can be done to suite both parties between them, But if my Said Son John Letten should die before he comes of Age or without Issue Lawfully begotten of his Body then my Wife shall Enjoye yd whole Land & Premises. Item I give and bequeath to my Sons Tho.s Letten William Letten and my Daughters Phebe Plummer Letten Mary Letten Elenor Letten Rebecca Letten each of them one Shilling Sterling and no more. And Lastly I do Constitute and appoint my well beloved Wife Mary Letten whole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty fifth day of November 1768.

Tho.s his mark Letten (Seal)

I publish Pronounce & Declar this to be my Last Will and Testament In presence of —

Jn.o Jams
Mich.l Simpson
Cha.s Brashears Jr.
William Rear —

At the foot of the foregoing Will was thus Written Viz.t —

Ann Arundel Co.ty to wit Dec.r the 30th 1768. — Came John Jams Cha.s Brashears Jun.r & William Rear three of the Subscribing Evidences to the within Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Sign and Seal and heard him Publish pronounce and Declare the Same to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time of his so doing he was to the best of their Apprehensions of a Sound and Disposing mind Memory and Understanding and that they Subscribed their names as Evidences to said Will in the presence and at the request of the Testator & also in the presence of each other

Sworn before

Elie Vallette Dep. Com.

Exd.

I George Simmons of Ann Arundel County in the Province of Maryland being weak of Body but of Sound and perfect mind and Memory Doe make Constitute and Ordain this to be my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following Viz.t Imprimis I do Will and Order my Executor hereafter named to pay and Discharge all my Just and Lawfull Debts and Demands against me. Item I give and bequeath unto my Deare and loving Wife Margret Simmons the Use of one third part of all my Estate during her Natural Life but no Longer. Item I give and Devise Unto unto my beloved Son George Simmons my Dwelling House and Plantation on which I now live together with one hundred Ackers of Land called a part of Burridge which I am now in Possession of to him and his Heirs for ever. Item I give and Devise unto my beloved Son Knighton Simmons all that Tract or parcel of Land called Hopell which I Lately purchased of William Matthews to him & his Heirs for ever. Item I do Will and Order that if both my two Sons George and Knighton Simmons or Either of them should Die without