last in which he had put his last Tob.o that it was
Not insured as he had given no orders ab.t it &
he must stand to the loss; he says, from the face
of the matter as they charge him insurance on the
very Tob.o which they afterwards upon a Loss
tell him was not, every one must conclude take
it in which light they will, they had an Inten
tion to defraud him, therefore they ought to stand
to the loss of the Tob.o & that he won't, this I heard
him declare some time ago publickly & suppose
he will dispute any acct. in which that tob.o is not
carried to his Creditt. Mr. Geo: Garnett Attorney
at law, stands indebted to the Estate £100 Stg. on
Bond with Interest, his in bad Circumstances
Judgments being now against him for much
More than his worth, I'm afraid very little
will be got from him if any. I shall take care
to advise You of every step I take by every Op
portunity that offers, In the mean time I am
with great Respect Gent.n
Yr. most ob.t humb.l Serv.t

Bristol

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Anapolis Nov.r 24.th 1768

Mr. Geo: Maxwell

As Attorney in fact for the Assign
ees of Messrs. Sedgley & Hilhouse of Randolphs Estate, I
take the liberty of applying to You for any Summ
of Money, You may be indebted to it, at the same
time assuring You, that an Acquittal of mine
will be good against any claim hereafter; I should
be extreamly glad if it was convenient You'd set
tle it immediately, I flatter myself it will be
so as Mr. Ringgold Informs me You proposd
Some

Some time ago remitting Yr. Ball: at his desire
You have a Letter inclosd; I make no doubt Mr.
Maxwell will advise me of his intentions directly
as he must be sensible how necessary a speedy
settlement of these Affairs are, a Letter directed
to me to the care of Mr. Thos. Smyth Merch.t in
New Town will come safe to hand.

I am Dear Sir with great
Respect Yr. very hble Serv.t

Benedict

I C

Chester Town Nov.r 28.th 1768

Messrs. Pearce & Wethered

Gent.n

Inclosd You have two Let
ters from Bristol Covering invoices of Goods
Amount.g to £495. 2. Sterling, which I flatter
myself will please, as they certainly laid in on
the best terms; I have no doubt You'll be punc
tual in Yr. payment for them in the 6 months,
but repeat it merely to assure You they
cou'dn't be imported on any other terms, You'll
just mention Yr. Recd. of them. I am
Gent.n Yr. very hble Serv.t

George Town Kent Cty

I C

Mr. George Maxwell Anapolis Jan.y 4.th 1769

Sir

Yr. of the 30.th Nov.r came
safe to hand & can't say but was in some mea
sure disapointed as from Mr. Ringgold's informa
tion I had good reason to hope a speedy settle
ment with You, however as Mr. Maxwell
will know the advantage that must accrue to the
Creditors of the Estate from a speedy Settlement of