

October 15<sup>th</sup> 1782. Then came Thomas Thompson & Mary Burton ~~and~~  
 two of the subscribing witnesses to the within will of Capt. Hyson of Kent County  
 made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that they did see  
 the Testator therein named sign & seal this Will and that they heard  
 him publish, pronounce & declare the same to be his last Will and  
 Testament; and at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their  
 apprehensions, of sound & disposing mind, memory, and Understanding,  
 and that they these deponents together with James Mount Underhill  
 the other subscribing Witness within named subscribed their names  
 as Witnesses to this Will, in the presence, and at the request of the  
 Testator, and in the presence of each other.

Recorded.

J. Nicholson Reg.

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In the name of God Amen I William Smith of Kent  
 County and State of Maryland being sick and weak of Body but of  
 sound and perfect mind and memory blessed be Almighty God for the  
 same, do make and publish this my last Will & Testament in manner  
 and form following that is to say.

First I give and devise unto my son William all my now dwelling  
 plantation <sup>being part of a tract of land</sup> called Vianna, the crop now on the ground Except as part  
 of personal Estate, I further give and devise him my said son William  
 and his Heirs twenty acres of Wood Land being part of a tract of Land  
 called Chance to be laid off in the fourth east corner of my part of said  
 tract of Land so as may be most convenient to the remainder part  
 of said Land. My Will is that my said son William pay to his three  
 younger Brothers and two Sisters ~~as directed for~~ Thomas,  
 Robert, Samuel, Sarah Ann, one Hundred pounds to be equally divided  
 amongst them and paid as they arrive of Age.

Secondly I give and devise unto my son James <sup>Smith</sup> and his Heirs & Assigns  
 all the remainder part of my Land called Chance with all the Improvements  
 thereon, the crop now on the ground Excepted as part of my personal