Queen Anns County ss. The 24th day of May 1789 Patrick Robertson Abraham Swift and Francis Browne the Subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly and Righteously sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God do depose and say that they saw the Testator John Bulbeath sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his request John Bulbeath the Elder at law having before the Probate hereof signified by his letter to me that he had no objections to make to the Probate of his Father's last Will & Testament

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Th Wright Deputy Comry of Queen Anne's County

In the Name of God Amen I James Horsey of Queen Anns County in the Province of Maryland being sick and weak in Body but of perfect mind and understanding do constitute this my last Will and Testament & revoke it may be received by all as such Imprimis I recommend my soul unto the hands of God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth from whence it was taken to be Buried in a christian like manner at the Direction of my Executrix hereafter named as to my worldly Estate I will and bequeath and order that all my lawfull Debts be paid

Item I give to my loving Wife for the term of her life the House wherein I now dwell with all the land and Tenements that belongs to me and after her death to my only son James his heirs or assigns But if he should die without Issue then the said land to fall to the child my wife is now big with all if a Son to him and his heirs forever and if she should die without Issue then the said land to be Divided between my two Daughters to them and their heirs forever all the Remainder of my moveable Estate I give to my Beloved Wife Sarah to my Son James and my two Daughters Sarah and Mary and the child my wife is now big with to be paid to them as they arrive at the age of twenty years and if either of my said children should die before the age of twenty years then that part that died to be equally Divided among the surviving Brother or Brothers Sister or Sisters and I do hereby constitute and appoint my Beloved Sarah sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby Revoke all former Wills or legacies heretofore by me made or done In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and seal this 25th Day of May 1789

Signed sealed and Delivered in Presence of Geo Robertson Margan Robertson Thomas his mark Hollandsworth

Memorandum the words (to him and his heirs forever) between the Fourteenth and thirteenth lines was allowed before this Will was Executed

James Horsey (Seal)

Queen Anns County ss. The 11th June 1789 George Robertson Margan Robertson & Thomas Hollandsworth the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing Will being duly & severally sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God do depose & say that they saw the Testator James Horsey sign the foregoing Will and heard him publish & declare the same to be his last Will & Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound & disposing mind & memory & that they did subscribe their respective names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator & at his request

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Before Th Wright Deputy Comry of Queen Anne County

In the Name of God Amen I Joseph Jewes of George Town Talbot County in holden being very weak in Body but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say Principally I recommend my soul into the hands of God who gave it in full hope of Pardon of all my sins through Jesus my Saviour and my Body to the Earth to be interred according to the Direction of my Executors hereafter named and as to my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me I dispose thereof as follows Imprimis I give to my well Beloved Wife Mary the House and Lot in George Town to live in Widowhood for and during her natural life and after her Decease I do will that the said House and Lot be sold and the Purchase money thereof to be equally Divided among my five children or the survivors of them. — Item all my Personal Estate of every kind after my Legal Debts are duly paid I leave to my wife Mary to maintain and educate her five children.

Item I do appoint my dear Beloved wife Mary and my good friend Solomon Emmonds of Talbot County to be the Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby revoke and make void all former Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made or appointed and I declare this to be my last Will and Testament given under my hand and seal this 12th day January 1792

signed sealed published & declared in Presence of us. Landers Porter Peter Porbarm Solomon Jewes

Joseph Jewes (Seal)

May 12th 1792 Personally appeared before me the Subscriber Landers Porter Peter Porbarm and Solomon Jewes the subscribing Witnesses to the within Will and made oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they saw the Testator Joseph Jewes sign and seal the within Will and heard him publish 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 apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they respectively subscribed their names as Witnesses to the said Will in the presence of the Testator and at his Request.

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Sworn before me J Nicholson for Dep Comry of Talbot County

In the Name of God Amen the Twenty Fourth day of January in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven Hundred and Ninety five I William Simmons of Talbot County in the Province of Maryland Planter being in perfect health of body as well as of perfect mind sound Disposing mind and memory thanks be given to God therefore I call to mind the mortality of my Body knowing it is appointed for all men once to die & the Time when uncertain do make this my last Will and Testament in manner following that is to say Principally and first of all I recommend my soul to God that gave it and my Body to the Earth to be buried in a Decent christian like manner at the Direction of my Executrix hereafter mentioned and as to my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life after my just Debts Funeral Charges and my Wife's Dower are fully Discharged satisfied and paid I give Devise and Dispose of the same in manner following —

Imprimis I give and Devise unto my son Nathan Simmons all that Tract or Parcel of Land called or by me called Drawsnear Swamp a piece or part thereof lying on the north side of the Swamp and near the Beginning Tree of my part of the mill Farm as well as well as the Beginning Tree of the said Drawsnear and from the same Tree running southwest until it shall intersect the Bank or Bottom of the Hill on the south side