all other Wills by me heretofore made ratifying & confirming this and none other to be my Last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 8th day of January 1761.

Signed Sealed published & declared to be his Last Will and Testam.t in presence of us — Hugh Mitchell (Seal)

Richard Rider
Elenor ✗ Jefsy (her mark)
Baker Brooks
Margaret Hanson

Richard Rider and Baker Brooks two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the above Last Will and Testament being first duly & solemnly sworn on the holy Evangelist of almighty God do severally depose & say that they saw the Testator Hugh Mitchell sign and seal the aff.d 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 the said Testator was to the best of their apprehension & belief of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they signed their name as Witnesses as aforesaid in the presence and at the request of the said Testator and the said Richard Rider further saith that he saw the other Witnesses Elenor Jefsy & Margaret Hanson also sign their names as Witnesses to the Execution of the said Last Will in the presence of the said Testator.

Sworn before Dan.l Dulany Com.y Gen.l

Sir

We are appointed by the Last Will and Testament of Mr. Hugh Mitchell Late of this County deceased Executors of the same and as it is very inconvenient for us to serve do renounce the Execution thereof and are

Yr. Hon.r most humble Servants
John Mitchell
Walter Hanson

To the hon.ble Dan.l Dulany Com.y Gen.l
16th Feb.y 1761.

Sir

I have heard the Will of my Deed Husband & am willing to abide by it but do resign the Execution thereof. To Dan.l Jenifer Jun.r

Yr. hon.r Orbt. humble Serv.t
Ann Mitchell

To the hon.ble the Com.y Gen.l

Let Letters Testamentary issue to Mr. Dan.l Jenifer on the Testament of Hugh Mitchell dec.d he having qualified & renounced the above Renunciations.

To Mr. Jn.o Dowidge the Reg.r of the prerogative Office.

Dan.l Dulany
11th March 1761.

(8 Sides)

In the Name of God Amen

This 2th day of Febuary 1760. I John Biggs of Frederick County and province of Maryland being Sick and Weak in Body but of perfect mind & Memory thanks be to God for the same and calling into mind the Mortality of my body do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament And first of all I give my Soul unto the hands of Almighty God hoping for forgiveness of all my Sins through the merits of Jesus Christ my Redeemer and as for such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me with in this life I give and bequeath and dispose of the same in the manner & form following viz.t

Imp.s I give and bequeath unto my Sons Benjamin Biggs & Will.m Biggs and to my daughters Elizabeth Pilinger Hendricha Barton Mary Doddridge and Catharine Julien The Tract of Land & Plantation whereon I now Live being part of Monocacy Manor allowing my Wife the House and Plantation ~~whereon~~ I now Live after my decease

Item I give and bequeath unto my Sons Benjamin Biggs & William Biggs all my wearing apparel & my three Guns & three pistols & three Swords.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Wife & Mary Biggs Two Lots Lying in Frederick Town and one Tract of Land called ~~called~~ Good Luck until my daughter Sarah Biggs shall arrive at Sixteen years of age & then only one half of the aff.d Lots & Tract of Land during her Life.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah her heirs & assigns for Ever when she shall arrive at Sixteen years of age The aff.d Two Lots in Frederick Town and the aff.d Tract and allowing my Wife Mary one Half during her Life but if my daughter Sarah should die before she arrives at the age of Sixteen years of age or have Lawfull issue that then the aff.d Two Lots and the aff.d Tract of Land after my Wife dies to be sold and the money arising therein to be equally divided between my Children Namely Benjamin Biggs William Biggs Elizabeth Pilinger Hendricha Barton Mary Doddridge & Catherine Julien

Item I give and bequeath unto my Wife Mary one Pewter Tankard one Large pewter dish and three Small ditto one pewter Bason & seven pewter plates Two Sifters and three Mares ~~three~~ Milch Cows & all the other Cow kind Excepting one and also all the Winter Grain thrashed & unthrashed and also all the Grain in the Ground and also all the Indian Corn and oats and also one Iron pott and one Iron Skillett one potrack one plow and plow irons & Clevises & Gears & One Iron Tooth Harrow & all