of my Executors nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and as touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following Manner and form Imprimis it is my Will and I do Order that in the first place all my just Debts and funeral Charges be paid and satisfied Item I give and Bequeath unto Jacob Simmons my youngest Brother all my Part of a Tract of Land called Shurwells Bottom containing two hund Acres and it is my Will that my said Brother shall have his said part which is one third of the abovementioned Tract laid out for him at the lower end of the said Tract provided that Joseph Wells Survey doth not determent the above mentioned Land and if the said Land be determented by Joseph Wells survey it is my Will that my said Brother shall have his aforesaid part laid off for him at the Plantation I now live on And it is also my Will that John Swerringen my beloved well Salt have possess and Occupy the said Land which I have given to my said Brother Jacob for and during the full time of five full Years rent growing the Date hereof fully to be Compleat and ended Yielding and Paying their for every Year the Rent Rents which shall be due on the same and it is also my Will that the said John Swerringen shall tell my said Brother is of Age to take it into his own Possession first the Land above mentioned out to use to the best Advantage so that my said Brother may have the same into own Possession. And I do also make and Ordain the said John Swerringen my only and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament and I do hereby disallow Revoke and disannul all and every other former Will Legacy or Executor by me at any time made before this time named willed and Bequeathed ratifying and Confirming this and no other to my last Will and Testament In Witness hereof I have hereunto set

my Hand and seal the Day and Year above written

Signed sealed published Pronounced and declared by William Simmons (Seal) the said William Simmons to be his last Will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers March 8th 1768 Came George Williams and Richard Lucas two of the Subscribing

George Williams
Richard Lucas
Samuel Lucas

Witnesses to the aforegoing Will and made Oath on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God that they did see the Testator William Simmons Sign and seal the said Will and heard him publish Pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament that at the time of his so doing he were to the best of their Apprehension of a sound and disposing Mind & Memory and that they also saw Samuel Lucas the other subscribing Witness to the said Will sign his Name as a Witness thereto and that they severally Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the said Will in the Presence of the said Testator and in the Presence of each other

Examd. & Exhibited Sworn before Tho. Beasles Dy Comr of Frederick County

In the Name of God Amen

I Stephen Bordley of the City of Annapolis in the Province of Maryland being Indisposed in Body but of sound and disposing Mind and Memory Blessed be God for the same as well as for the many Mercies vouchsafed to me through the Course of this Mortal Life & finally for the Prospect of an happy Eternity through the Sufferings Death and Resurrection of our Blessed Saviour Jesus Christ I do make and Ordain this as and for my last Will and Testament for disposal of my Worldly Effects in manner and form following that is to say Imprimis I give & Devise my whole Estate Real Personal and mixed unto my Brother John Beale Bordley his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns forever In trust nevertheless for and Subject to the Uses Intents and Purposes & Payments following (that is to say) Item that all my just Debts (which are but small and few) be duly satisfied and paid he having Regard to my Books of Accounts and Accounts against me and Receipts thereon now in my Possession. Item that

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