share of my aforesaid Estate. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this fourteenth day of June, One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy five —

Joseph his ✗ mark King

Witness — William his W mark Poston
Edward Poston
James Waters

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus Written Viz.

Charles County ss. 10th August 1775. Then came Dradon King and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that the within Instrument of writing is the true and whole Will and Testament of Joseph King late of Charles County deceased, that hath come to her hands or possession and that she doth not know of any other.

Certified by Dan Jenifer Dlo

Charles County ss. 10th day of August 1775. Then came William Poston and James Waters two of the Subscribing Witnesses to the within Last Will and Testament of Joseph King late of said County deceased and severally made Oath on the holy Evangels of almighty God that they did see the Testator therein Named sign and Seal this Will, and that they heard him publish pronounce 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 Apprehensions, of sound and disposing, mind, memory and understanding; and that they respectively Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to this Will in presence and at the request of the Testator and in the presence of each other.

Certified by Dan Jenifer Dlo

I Further certifie that Dradon King the Wido. of the deced was present at taking the above probate who made her Election that she would stand to and abide by the Same — the heir at Law is a Minor —

(5/2 Sidd.)

In the name of God Amen. I George Jenkins being weak in Body but of sound Judgment and memory do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament my Soul I Bequeath to my blessed Redeemer my Body decent Burial to the Earth and as for my Temporal Estate —

I Bequeath to my Sister Henrietta Simms three Sons Thomas Edward

(and)

and Marmaduke the one third part of my whole Estate after my Just debts are discharged to be Equally divided between them the above three, to them and their heirs forever.

I Bequeath to my Brother John's three Sons Thomas John and Edward one other third part of my said Estate to be Equally divided between them and to be paid them when they come of age by my Executor hereafter to be named to them and their heirs forever —

I Bequeath to my Brother William's three Sons Thomas, George and John the other third part my said Estate to be Equally divided between them to them and their heirs forever —

I Bequeath to my Niece Monica Simpson one heiffer and Calf to her and her heirs forever —

I Bequeath to my Niece Susannah Smith one heiffer and Calf to her and her heirs forever —

I Bequeath to Mary Doing the sum of five pounds Common Currency to be paid out of my Estate before the above mentioned division be made —

I Bequeath to Miss Elizabeth Simpson the sum of five pounds the like Currency to be paid as above.

I Bequeath to the Daughter of a certain Margaret Gardiner if a live five pounds the like Currency to be paid by my Executors when at Age —

I appoint my Brother William and the above Named Thomas Simms Joint Executors of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this the 21st day of June 1775 —

George Jenkins (Seal)

Sign'd Seal'd and published in presence of —
Thomas Sanders
Thomas Simpson

On the Back of the aforegoing Will was thus written Viz.

Charles County ss. Then came William Jenkins and Thomas Simms and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that the within Instrument of writing is the true and whole Will and Testament of George Jenkins late of Charles County that hath come to their hands or possession and that they do not know of any other —

Certified by Dan Jenifer Dlo

Charles County ss. 17th day of August 1775. Then came Thomas Sanders and Thomas Simpson the two subscribing Witnesses to the within Will and Testament of George Jenkins late of said County deced and Severally made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty that they did see the Testator therein named sign and Seal this Will and that they heard him publish pronounce 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 Apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and Understanding and that the respectively

(Subscribed)