Lastly I nominate and appoint my Brother William Slipper Executor of this my last Will and Testament utterly revoaking making null and Void all other Wills heretofore made by me in any wise, In Witness I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th day of December 1776. the words called Fancy being first enterlined

Signed Sealed and acknowleded by the Testator in presents of

James Dunn — Thos Slipper (seal)

William Dunn

John Hatchison

Kent County sc. December 17th 1776 — Then Came William Dunn John Hatchison two of the subscribing witnesses to the within last Will & Testament of Thomas Slipper late of Kent County deceased, and severally made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God, that they did see the Testator therein named sign & seal this will, and that they heard him publish pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will & 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 these deponents together with James Dunn the other subscribing witness within named subscribed their respective names as witnesses to this Will in the presence & at the request of the Testator, and in the presence of each other. Certified by.

I Nicholson Depty Comy of Kent County

Exam.d H. Nicolson

In the name of God amen I Mary Granger of Kent County in Maryland Widow, being at present of sound and disposing mind and memory do make this my last Will & Testament in manner following

First I give devise and Bequeath my Land adjoining to Ratliff which I bought of John Dicus, to my two Daughters Martha Sudler and Mary Granger and to their Heirs for ever, to be equally divided between them as to Quantity of Acres by a right line across the Land South westerly from the middle of the line of the said Land that runs out from the River between the said Land and Ratliff my Daughter Martha to have the western or out moisty my Daughter Mary the Eastern moisty next to the River.

Secondly I give devise and Bequeath to my son Thomas Granger and to the Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten for ever my Land lying in Kent County which I lately bought of George Garnett called Dongannon or be it known or called by any other name, containing two hundred acres, with the appurtenances

and for want of such Issue as afd. remainder to my Daughter Elizabeth Granger and the Heirs of her Body lawfully begotten for ever, and for want of such Issue remainder to my Son William Granger and the Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten for ever, and for want of such Issue remainder to my two Daughters Martha Sudler & Mary Garnett & their Heirs for ever as Tennants in Common and not as Joint Tenants.

Thirdly I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Granger my Negro Girls Darky and Artimisa and my Negro Boy Tom and my mahogony chest of Draws as a legacy over and above her Share of the residue of my Personal Estate hereafter mentioned.

Fourthly I give to my Son in Law Thomas Smyth a mourning Ring in remembrance of me, And after my Just debts and legacies above mentioned paid and my three Children paid off their parts of their Father & Mr. Grangers Estate I give all the residue of my Personal Estate to be equally divided between my five Children according to the appraisment thereof in such manner as my two Friends Thomas Ringgold & Thomas Smyth of Chester Town shall think most fair and equitable, as I expect that residue will consist of Slaves household Goods and Stock chiefly, and my desire is that none of Slaves shall be sold to pay my debts, or retained by my Executors on that account if enough besides to pay.

Lastly I hereby Ordain constitute and Appoint my Son in Law Emery Sudler & my Son William Granger my Joint Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all other or former will or wills by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this nineteenth day of November Anno Domini 1768.

Signed Sealed published and declared by the Testatrix to be her last Will and Testament in presence of us who sign as witnesses thereto in her presence & at her request — Mary Granger (seal)

Thos Ringgold

James Frisby

Margarett Frisby

Kent County sc. December 28th 1776 — Then Came James Frisby One of the subscribing witnesses to the within last Will and Testament of Mary Granger late of Kent County deceased, and made Oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God, that he did see the Testator therein named sign and seal this