CHARLES BLACKNELL of Kingston Par., Gloucester CO.

14 Dec 1761/28 Jan 1762

To wife Mary Blacknell the use of my estate for life. (Will mentions but does not name "all my children" and "all my sons.")

Exers: Wife and friends John Page, the Rev. John Dixon and Thomas Booth.
Wit: William Lucas, Sarah Blacknell and Ben (X) Cradle.

NOTE: In "Gibbons v Nicholson":

Jury finds that Charles Blacknell died in 1761.... left a widow and children among whom was one named Ann [[Blacknell] who afterwards married in 1774 William Gibbons, father of the plaintiff. This William Gibbons died in 1776 or 1777 leaving a widow, Ann [Gibbons] and an only son, Charles Gibbons, the plaintiff. In 178, Ann Gibbons married William Nicholson, the defendant. Ann Nicholson died in 1784 leaving one son by the said Nicholson. Mary Blacknell, mother of Ann Nicholson, died in 1785 without marrying a second husband.

A 14 Sep 1792 bond of William Nicholson and Robert Nicholson to Lawrence Gibbons, guardian of Charles Gibbons. Wit: Thomas Nicholson and Robert H. Waller

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