In the name of god Amen I, James Simms Yea man I, tenarent Trader being frail and weak of body but of perfect mind and Memory and Sound of Judgment As formerly thanks to god for it I, do therefore make this my Last will and testament in The way and maner following VZT I, first bequeath my Soul To the Almighty god who gave it And my body to be buryed at Decent Christian burial Acor ding to the Difcretion of Executors And after all my Debts and funeral Efpences is payed I, Do leave and bequeath unto my three Sifters Cathren Jean &, Elizabeth Simms the one third of my Eftate to be Equaly Devided between them and Next I, do leave and Bequeath to my two brothers Thomas and Joseph Simms The other two thirds of my Eftate Equaly between them -and if So be that any of the above named of my Sifters Be dead before the Said Legasys do come to them I, do alow her part to my brother Joseph And I also Alow if any of my brothers be dead the other that is liveing to have Both thier Shares I, Do likwife leave unto my brother Joseph all my wearing Close And I, do Alow confirm and ordain this and no other to be my last will and teftament And I, do likewife Apoint Anonimate & Authorife my True and faithfull friends James Love and Thomas Hunter to be my whole and Sole Executors As witness Hereunto I, have Interchangeably Set my hand and Afixed my Seal this twenty Eight day of June and in The year of our lord one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety four-

Signed Sealed and Delivered

James Simms, his (SEAL)

In prefents of

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