

Liber B B To the hon^{ble} th^e Gouverno^r & Councill.

The humble Petⁿ of Peter Joy & John Mirth, Sheweth.

That whereas Daniel Goldson, who was father to yo^r Pet^{rs} wife, some yeares since departed this life, Left a Considerable Estate in th^e hands of Dorothy his Wife, whom by Will hee made his absolute Execatrix, The w^{ch} Estate (as by Will may appeare Relaōn being thereunto had) was to bee kept whole & entyre uppon th^e Plantaōn Left by th^e fores^d Deceased. But now soe it is th^t th^e s^d Executrix since marryed wth Giles Sadler, & after th^e s^d Sadlers Decease marryed againe wth M^r Hugh Sanley, Who hath wholly nullated th^e will of th^e s^d Goldson by selling th^e Cattle & hoggs, & taking th^e seruants of from th^e s^d Plantaōn, Contrary to th^e Will of th^e s^d Goldson, All w^{ch} ought to haue beene kept entire uppon th^e s^d Plantaōn, untill yowng Daniel Goldson yo^r Pet^{rs} Brother in Law should haue come to age. Neyther hath th^e Executrix, or any other for her, as yo^r Pet^r yett knoweth of, gyuen an accompt of th^e s^d Goldsons Estate, as touchings the orphans, although by Law in this Prouince Adm̄istrato^{rs} or Execut^{rs} are thereby Engaged soe to doe. By w^{ch} neglect yo^r Pet^r humbly Conceiues, th^t if not timely preuented, both himselve wth th^e other Orphans (concerned in th^e s^d Will) will bee utterly depnyued & outted of their iust dues, wherefore yo^r Pet^r humbly Craues th^t yo^r hono^{rs} will take th^e p^rmisses into serious Consideraōn, & Graunt yo^r Pet^{rs} such Releife as Law & Equity hath prouided in such Cases, & yo^r Pet^{rs} &c: shall pray &c:

[p. 116] Vidth depos^{ns} fol. 118. This Cause att th^e request of M^r Hugh Stanley, (who is now interested in th^t Busines) Is Respited till next Prou: Court.

Cap ^t Tho: Manning	} p ^r f }	This Cause was by Appeale from Cal- uert County Court. Retracted.
Att: Jō: Edmondson		
ffrancis Gill, Att:	} dēft }	
Henry Mitchell		

Bee it knowne unto all men by these p^rnts th^t I Luke Barber make & appoynt my worthy ffreind M^r Tho: Nottley my true & lawfull Attorney in a suite depending this Court betweene Henry Spinke & Elionor his Wife & my selfe, And whatsoever my s^d Attorney shall act or doe, I bind my selfe by these p^rnts to ratify & confirme in as ample manner as if I my selfe were then and there p^rsonally p^rnt. Wittnes my hand 10th Septemb^r 1663. L Barbier

Testes John Gittings Rob^t Clarke.

To the R^t hon^{ble} th^e Lord Leiu^t & Councill of the Prouince of Maryland.

The Humble Petⁿ of Henry Spinke, Sheweth.

That yo^r Pet^{rs} Wife being summoned to make her p^rsonall appearance att a Court held att New Towne the sixteenth day of June last