

understanding and not knowing the day of my death, do will that my estate shall thus be disposed of after my decease;

In the name of God Amen.

Item 1—I do will and bequeath my body to the grave, and that it be decently burried and funeral charges defrayed out of my estate before any legacie. And my Soul to God that gave it me whome I trust hath redeemed it.

Item 2—I do will that all my personall debts be paid out of my personall estate.

Item 3—I will and bequeath to my daughter Mary, the wife of Joseph Alden, Four pounds.

Item 4—I will and bequeath to my Son Aaron, Four pounds.

Item 5—I do will and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth, now the wife of Richard Dwelley, Five shillings.

Item 6—I do will and bequeath to my daughter Sarah, now the wife of James Nash, Two pounds, Ten shillings, of which the said James Nash hath Two pounds, Five shillings in his hands already.

Item 7—I do will and bequeath to my Son John, Four pounds.

Item 8—I do will, constitute, ordaine and appoint my Son John to be executor of this my last will and testament.

So desireing that all my children may be at peace after my decease I do to these presents set my hand and seal this seventeenth day of June in the year of our Lord God, One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Nine.

In presence of

Benjamin Chandler  
David Alden  
Thomas Delano

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Moses Simons

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David Alden and Thomas Delano, two of the witnesses here named made oath before the county Court at Plymouth Sept. 15th, 1691 that they were present and saw the above named Moses Simons signe, seal and heard him declare the above written to be his last will, and, that to the best of their judgment, he was of disposing mind and memory when he so did.

Attest Sam Sprague cler.

Inventory of the estate of MOSES SIMMONS late of Duxbury taken Sept. 10th, 1691, by Thomas Delano and Edward Southward.

Amount £53, 11 Shillings, presented at Court by John Simmons, Son of deceased, Sept. 15th, 1691.

Moses Simmons (II) Son of Moses (I) was not mentioned in his Father's will, probably because he died in March, 1676, about 15 years before his Father.

A true copy from the Plymouth County Probate Records, Vol. I, Page 106.

Attest: Sumner A. Chapman, Register.