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Ino Litterton	1	Rich Haze	2
Samuel Sandford	6	Robt Jarvis } John Jones	1
		Rich Cooper	1

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At a Court held in Acornack County March the 10th 1689

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Major Edm^t Bowman { Capt Edm^t Scarborough
Capt Cern fastis { Capt Jos^t Robinson

In the name of God amen January 16th 1689 I John
Brown being sick and weak out of bound and perfect memory
thanks to God and known my uncertainty of this life
desire to settle that small estate which God hath given me
soe make it my last will and Testament renouncing all other
will by me formerly made allowing and ratifying this to stand
in full force and virtue as my last will and Testament first
I give and bequeath my soule into the hands of almighty God
my heavenly Father in due and certain hope of eternal salvation
through his mercy and merits of Jesus Christ my only Saviour
and Redeemer and my body to be decently laid in my grave in
such decent manner as shall seem meet and convenient as to
my executors there after named
After al my just and Lawfull debts & charges paid and discharged
my will bindeth it that what small estate God in mercy hath
left me be given and improved as hereafter expressed
my will is that all my creatures of what kind soever shall remaine
upon my plantation for the space of four years and then
to be divided as followeth

Item 1. Item 2.
My will is that my Son John and Cow and Calf with all their inheritance to him
and his heirs and to my Son Thomas one Cow and Calf to him
and his heirs also to my son Henry one Cow and Calf to him
in regard to him and his heirs and what creatures of what kind
soever shall be then living or can be found that are of
my estate my will is that they be equally divided to every of
all my Sons and Daughters at equall share
And my will is that all my house hold Goods that shall be
among at the end of the four years as to aforesaid shall be
equally divided between my three Sons
and for my boat of land lying two hundred and fifty acres

Item 3. I give to my Son John Brown two hundred and fifty acres
and eighton acres of land lying along the Creek and the
Branch from I give to my Son Thomas Brown and his heirs
for over one hundred and sixteen acres lying next to my son
Henry Brown on the Southward side of his 118 Acre I give to my son
Henry Brown and his heirs for over one hundred and sixteen
acres lying on the Southern side of my boat on the land aforesaid
between my land and John Lewis
and I do by this my last Will constitute and appoint James
Crut as my true and Lawfull Executor that he my said
execute with the advice and counsele of Col^t John West
and William Corlett there see by quiet and peaceably my
and tranquillity of my children and regarding them and do my
of them to use all Lawfull means to do of them my children

from all unjust dealing of any parton and also to direct
to my children the several sharde of goods Cattell and land
according to his last will and meaning of this my last Will
and Testament to which I have set my hand and sealed this
10th day of January anno 1689.

Signed and sealed

John Chow *4 Seal*

At the presence of

Thomas Ryg SIn

his mark

Sarah Ryg

her mark

Elizabeth Leverett
her mark

his & mark

Wherein last Will and Testament of John
Chow Proved in open Court March the
10th Ays 1689 by the Corporation of Boston
Ryg Sarah Ryg and Elizabeth Leverett
and a record for Legate Probation and
ordered to be put on Record

Seal In Washburne Town

Recorded March 25 1689 In Washburne Town

Deed to whom the presents shall come know ye that Marcus
Elsworth Executrix of the last Will & Testament of John Elsworth of
Accomack County for full consideration and satisfacion in
hand received by the hands and seal of John Elsworth
two persons known as and before the setting Baring & Seal on the same
have Aligned Bargained and confirmed and by these presents doth
Elsworth Bargain Seale & Confirm to John Prettiman of New Market
Accomack County one hundred & forty acres of Land at a place called
Mifango in the County of Accomack out of good parts of Land that
by Patent was granted to Elsworth Executed beginning at a Stake
on 4th March by a Gulf & Threes bounded South west 136 poles to a corner
a point westerly 20 poles to woodland ground then 136 poles to another
land thence South west half a point westerly 129 poles to
another corner then East South East half a point Southwesterly 120
poles to another corner then North North East 204 poles to a
Stake at the Gulf then bounded by 4th Gulf unto the first beginning
together wth all rights & overhaings & manors & hereditaments Eastwards
Emodities Emordiments and advantage whatsoever belonging to
the same unto the said John Prettiman his heirs Executors
Administrators & assigns for ever to have and to hold the same
has above so granted promised with all his severall Incumbrances
Meadows feeding pasture services and hereditaments and all
and singular other the presentes and every thing appertaininge
thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaininge unto the two
John Prettiman & his heirs Executors Adminis & assigns for
ever and to his and their sole and onely proper up and benefit
absolutely wthout any contradiction holder or revocation in any
wise so that neither the said Marcus Elsworth my heirs Executors
Administrators or assigns nor any other person or persons for me or
in my name or in the name or names of us at any time or times
shall or may atke claine challenge or demand in or to y^e premises
or any part thereof or any interest there in possession but from all
actions of right there claine up & possess ion and every of us to be
utterly excluded & for ever debarred by these presents and further
the said Marcus Elsworth doth bind my self & my heirs Executors
Administrators and assigns to all the aforesaid mentioned promises without any how
appertaininge unto the said John Prettiman his heirs Executors
Administrators or assigns as to our present effect or intent but