

widow hood Interline

Sined sealed and publickly
declared to be the Last Testament
Last will and Testament

John Laylor

Henry ^{Ris or} ~~mark~~ Lurthen

Francis Wharton

David Allford

Charles Marshall

The within Last will and Testament
was proved in open Court of accomack
by the oathes of Henry Lurthen Francis
Wharton and Charles Marshall w^{ch}
the Court ordered to be recorded
Habe⁹ y^e 1st 1700

Test. Rob^t Inca^l (Clerk) } per ario

Recorded march y^e 7th 1700 # Rob^t Inca^l (Clerk)

In the Name of God I make my Will
I Frances Jester of the County of Accomack
finding my selfe sick and ~~weak~~ ^{very} weak ~~and~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~possession~~
but of perfect sence and memory and know
that it is appointed for all flesh to dy and
willing to settle that little worly Estate
that y^e Lord has indue me with as followeth
first I bequeath my soule to Almighty God
who gave it hoping for salvation and my body
to the mother earth from whence it came
Primum I give ~~and~~ bequeath unto Margaret
Jester one Iron Pott and a silver Seal
Item I give and bequeath unto Richard Jester
one Iron pot Sam^uel Jester to have his
choise of the potts for his daughter Margaret
Jester
Item I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas
Jester my Bible and to his daughter and to
his daughter Mary a sett of silver tooth pickers
Item I give unto Susanna Sprune one shilling
and to her husband William Sprune one gun
Item I give and bequeath unto Francis Jester
one feather bed that he y^e shall lye
upon and the furniture belonging to itt
Item I give and bequeath to my daughter
Aren Jester the feather bed that y^e shall lye
upon my selfe with all the furniture
that belong to itt
Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter
Aren Jester my table and my Chest and a