

all such Probats and Administrations as should be passed
in Accomack County, Va. and the same to be effected to all
 intents and purposes as if passed by his Excellency himself
 and whereas Julian martino late of this County deceased died
 by his last will and Testam^t in writing made and appoynted
 Lewis Knight of y^e County of Accomack Solo^r absolute
 Executor of his said last will who also ^{at} held the
 office of Sheriff of Accomack June 16th 1696 made him S^{er}vey
 of the probat of y^e said Will might be granted unto him for
 all lawfull power and authority is hereby given &
 granted unto him and his assigns to dispose of all y^e said
 lands right & equity of y^e said last will according to y^e true intent and
 meaning of the said last will and to execute the same under my hand
 and the hand day of October 1696 Ch^o Scarborough

In the name of god amen march 31 ann Dom 1696
 Maximilian Gere of Accomack in Virginia being at this present
 time Sick and weak in body but of perfect memory thanks be
 to y^e almighty and calling to Remembrance y^e uncertain
 Estate of this transitory life and that all flesh must y^eeld to
 death when it shall please god to call I do make constitute
 ordaine and declare this to be my last and Testament in
 manner and forme following Revoking and annulling by
 these presents all and Every Testaments and Wills heretofore
 by me made either in word or Writing and this is to be taking for
 my last Will and Testam^t and no other first being penitent
 and sorry from y^e bottom of hart for my sins past present
 and coming Forgiveness for the same I gave and comitt my
 soul unto god my Saviour and Reddemptor in whose blood
 assuredly to be saved and to have full pardon and Remission
 of all my sins and y^e my soul wth my body at y^e generall day
 of Resurrection shall rise againe with Joy and triumph
 y^e pretious merits of Christ death and passion possesse
 Inherit the Kingdom of heaven prepared for his choson
 and my body to y^e Earth to be buried with decent
 Buriall and now for settling of my temporall Estate of
 Land good Chattels and Cattel it hath pleased god to bestow
 upon me far about my Deserts I doo give order and dispose
 of y^e same in manner and forme following that to say I will
 that all those debts wth I owe in Right conscience to any
 person whatsoever may be well and truly contented and paid
 or ordained to be paid within convenient time after my decease
 by my Executor hereafter named

I will and bequeath unto my Son in Law Thomas Smith
 hundred twenty five acres of Land wth I bought of Jonathan
 Owen as appears by an alienation from Owen to me Recorded
 the twelveth day of December ann Dom 1685 wth y^e said
 and all the appoyntances thereunto belonging I give
 Thomas Smith his heirs and assigns forever Except
 of the good Timber which I ordain for my Son David
 I also give unto my Son in Law Thomas Smith privilege
 of forty foot tobacco house and Corn mill wth y^e mill
 and y^e mill where y^e said David now dwelleth

all such Probats and Administrations as should be passed
in Accomack County (Bt) and the same to be effected as usual
in such cases and purposes as if passed by his Excellency himself
and whereas Julian marino late of this County deceased did
by his last will and Testament in writing Ordaine appoint
Lewis Knight of y^e afores^d County of Accomack to be his
Executor of his said last will with who also Bt held by the
afores^d County of Accomack June 16th 1636 made him Sully
the Probate of a Son Will might be granted unto him for
all such like power Lawfull authority is hereby given
granted unto him in Lewis Knight to dispose of all his singular
goods right & Equity of y^e said last according to y^e true will and
intent of the said deceased as he shall think expedient to be
done in this behalf day of y^e 16th 1636 under my hand &
Seal at Scarborough the 4th of June 1636

In the name of god amen march 30 ann Dom 1696
Maximilian Gore of Accomack in Virginia being at this present
time Sick and weak in body but of perfect memory thanks be
to y^e almighty and calling to Remembrance y^e uncertain
estate of this transitory life and that all flesh must y^e old
deth whom it shall please god to call I do make constitute
ordaine and declare this to be my last and Testament in
manner and forme following Revoking and annulling by
these presents all and every Testament and Wills heretofore
by me made either in word or Writing and this is to takeing for
my last Will and Testament and no other first being penitent
and sorry from y^e bottom of hart for my sin past most humbly
desiring forgiveness for the same I give and Comitt my
soul unto god my Saviour and Reddorm in whom I trust
afuredly to be saved and to have full pardon and Remission
of all my sins and y^e my soul wth my body at y^e general day
of Resurrection shall rise againe with Joy and triumph
in y^e precious merits of Christ deth and passion paynted
Inherit the Kingdom of heaven prepared for his choson
and my body to y^e Earth to be buried with decent
buriall and now forth Settling of my temporall estate of
at Land good Chattles and Cedit it hath pleased god to bestow
upon me far above my Deserts I doo give order and dispose
of y^e same in manner and forme following that to say I will
that all those debts wth I am in Right conscience than y^e
person whosoever may be well and truly contented and
ordained to be paid within convenient time after my decease
by my Executor hereafter named

J. I will and bequeath unto my Son in Law Thomas Smith
hundred twenty five acres of Land wth I bought of Jonathan
Owens apoynted by an alienation from owne home Reddorm
the two luetth day of December ann Dom 1685th 16th 16th
and all the appoyntances thereunto belonging I give
Thomas Smith his heirs and assigns forever Except
of the good Timber which I ordaine for my Son David
I also give unto my Son in Law Thomas Smith the privilege
build a forty foot tobacco house and Corn house of twelve
acres of Land during his naturall life in the bottom
of the neck where Alexander Goud now dwelleth
giving his brother David Gore half y^e profit of y^e

I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law James Smith
five hundred acres of Land in a part of the Island of St. John
part of three thousand five acres bought of John Smith
beginning at the fair gulch from Thomas Smith's house
to y^e northward line thence to a double line to y^e sea
to y^e sea from thence running down y^e Island to the
southward to y^e point of the Island of St. John
from Bay to Sea which said Land I bequeath to him
his heirs and assigns for ever the said James Smith
paying unto my Executor the sum of ten pounds
of y^e first five hundred acres of Land bought of John
Smith it was bought

3rd I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law John Smith
his heirs and assigns for ever five hundred acres of
Land bought of y^e aforesaid three thousand five
hundred acres of Land to y^e point at y^e southern bound
of y^e Land I have given James Smith and to y^e point
Smith's northern bounds running to y^e southward
to y^e Island to the extent of five hundred acres
from Bay to Sea, the said John Smith
paying unto my Executor the sum of ten pounds
and also ever since it was bought

I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law Thomas
Smith his heirs and assigns for ever three hundred
acres of Land bought of y^e aforesaid three thousand
five hundred acres to y^e point at the southern bound
of the Land I have given John Smith and y^e said
southern bounds of the Smith's Land to y^e north
to y^e southward on Bay and Sea to the extent of three
hundred acres

I also give and bequeath unto my Son in Law
Thomas Smith a horse of four years old

I give unto my Son in Law Arthur Roberts one
Barren Cow & Stear of six or seven year old

I give and bequeath unto my Son Daniel Gore
all that Part of Estate Real and personal of
whatsoever kind it may be in as Lands, Houfings
Chattles good & Redds to him his heirs & assigns
Ever also I do by these presents ordain and appoint
my Son Daniel Gore to take care and allow his
mother a maintenance during her Natural
Life out of my Estate given him, I do by these
presents ordain my Son Daniel Gore to be Executor
of this my last Will and Testament

I do also ordain my Sons in Law James Smith
and John Purnell Overseers of this my last Will
& Testament to viewing them to see y^e performed
according to the true meaning and Intend thereof
as witness to the truth hereof I have hereunto set
my hand & Seals the day and year above written

Sealed and delivered

In presence of
John Purnell
James Walker
John Duberlay

June 17 1636

The Last Will and Testament of m^r Maximilian Gore
m^r Gore proved upon o^r of account
touny by the Corporall Coaths of John Purnell
James Walker and John Duberlay an
to be kept on y^e day of the month of June
1636

County of Accomack in Virginia
 To all to whom these presents shall come I Charles Scarborough
 of the County of Accomack in Virginia sheweth that by virtue of power & authority
 of his Majesty King James the first his Majesty's High Court of Chancery
 his Commission under his hand and the Seal of the
 Colony bearing date the 11th day of May anno Domini 1635
 empowering me the said Charles Scarborough for & greater
 proofe and administration as should be passed in Accomack
 County of the said Colony to be effectuall to all intents and
 purposes as if passed by his Majesty himselfe his
 last will and testament in writing of the said Colony
 his son David Gore Coe Executor of his last will
 who at a full holden Accomack County June 17th 1696
 made himselfe Sub to a full that a full of 4d will my
 be granted unto him for w. cause full power & so full
 authority is here by given & granted unto him the said
 David Gore Coe to dispose of all and singular goods rights &
 credits of the said deceased according to a true intent & meaning
 of the said will & testament expressed and to render an
 account thereof when thereunto lawfully required given
 under my hand & seal this 11th day of November 1696
 Tho: Scarborough

In the name of God amen March 4th 1696
 I Joan Black being much in despoised in body and in full
 sound and memory do make this to be my last will and
 Testament so insit after I have resigned my soul to God
 & gave it and my body to the dust I give & bequeath my
 Temporal Estate as followeth to my children
 The first I give & bequeath to my 3 youngest of my Children
 Estate was to be by my deceased husband William Black
 Second I give to my daughter Mary own a house
 The third I give to my daughter Sarah Watters one Shilling
 To Jonathan own
 To the mark of
 John Wheelton
 Sarah Plunsted
 The mark of
 Jane Blake

The Last Will and Testament of Jane Black
 Proved in open Court of Accomack County
 June 4th 1696 by the Corporall oath of
 Jonathan Owen and John Wheelton and
 ordered to be Recorded

In Washbourne & Co

Recorded June 1696

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