

Wm Johnson -	1	Henry Eburn -	1	John Washbourne -	1
Wm Finno -	2	Wm Fletcher -	3	Thos Wackler -	6
John Morgan -	1	John Rice -	1	James Longo -	1
Wm Barnes -	3	John Walthum -	2	Rich Nickel -	1
John Warrington -	2	John Perry -	1	Runall Nickel -	1
John Burrock -	2	Wm Gibson -	1	Jos Parks -	2
Patrick Morgan -	1	Inornick -	1	Wm French -	3
John Elliot -	1	Wm Mason -	1	Thos Budd -	2
Wm Wirt -	1	Fla. Warrhouse -	3	Thos Meddleton -	1
Thos Scarborough -	14	John Watson -	2	James Gray -	1
Charles Bywell -	1	Ben Solomon -	1	Jo Sheppard -	1
Geo. Barker -	4	Sam Garby -	1	Wm Littlehouse -	2
Majr Bally his		Wm Garby -	1	Jos Amus -	2
prinds -		Geo Smith -	2	Dan Cograyhan -	1
Edm. Scarborough	3	John Savage -	4	Alba. Taylor -	1
Robert Watson -	3	Thos Savage -	1	Rich Jones -	1
Robt Chambers -	2	Wm C. Richards -	1	Rowd. Savage -	3
Thos Nicholson -	2	Thos Taylor -	1	Phil Lecal -	1
John Readson -	2	Rich Rogers -	1	John Lecal Son -	1
Thos Parks -	2	Peter Rogers -	1	Wm Ebrons -	1
James Chapman -	2	Wm Chulehun -	1	at And. Frankman -	1
Roger Kirkman -	1	Chas Wirt -	1	Wm Andrews -	1
Robt Hutchinson -	2	Eliza Richards -	2	Wm Fletcher -	1
M. Walker -	2	John Taylor -	1	Rich Warrington -	1
Wack. Walthum -	2	Wm Redding -	1	Thos Bowles -	1
John Pratt -	2	Wm Rowles -	1	Robt Munch -	1
Thos Pratt -	1	John West -	1	Geo. Linton -	1
Wm Price -	1	Robt Watson Junr -	1	Rich Bally Jr -	1
Flan. Roberts -	1	Robt Thomson -	2	Signal Harriman -	1
Arthur Roberts -	1	David Watson -	1	Thos Williams -	1
Nic Garganis -	1	John Tolson -	3	Rich Bally Jr -	1
		Wm Sill -	2	Thos Wackler -	1
		Simon Hosue -	3	Geo. Rich Black -	1
		Condr. Harman -	1	The total of 174	
		Mathias Tison -	1	in Accom. County	74
		Wm Botts -	1		
		Chas. Howard -	5		

At a Court held in Accomack County March 4th 1765
 Col. In^o Wirt } Capt Geo. Nick Black
 Capt Wm Custis } Majr Rich. Balle

In the Name of God amen this fifth day of January 1765 according to the computation of the Church of England William Burton of Accomack County in Virginia being sick and weak in body but of good memory and senses praised to God for the same and knowing the uncertainty of all things here on Earth and being desirous to settle things in order and to dispose of that Estate which God has given us far about my persons hath been pleased to express my last Will and Testament and appoint the following

I give and bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it me and my Body to the Earth to be buried in decent Christian Buriall as by my Executors right and certaines shall be thought meet and convenient in the the most happy hopes of a joyful resurrection in the Jesus Christ

I give and Request unto my Eldest Son William
Thom Burton and to his heirs of his Body Lawfully
begotten for ever a certain Quantity or Portion
of Land Situated near the Sea Coast in the County of
Accomack of some in a place called the forked Neck near
to the plantation where I now live the exact contents
or Quantity thereof being at present uncertain and
shall be bounded and included as followeth (viz) Co-
begin at the head of a Gut towards the bottom of the
said forked Neck commonly called the dividing Gut
Line which was formerly run to divide one thousand
acres of Land purchased of Mr John Robinson
deceased between Wm Walton & deceased and my-
self and from the head of this said Line where the same
crosses a misroot or a butt on the head Land of the same
thousand acres by a Line to be drawn northward
North by Supposition directly to a marked warble
oak standing in the head of a small branch
commonly called the head of a small Branch
fork in the westward of my Plantation bearing East
extendeth out of the main Branch which
standing adjacent to the Southward of the said
line by a fork and main Branch and creek
and dividing Gut until it cometh to the first
boulder being included on all sides by a
two Lines and the said Natural Boundary being
included on all sides by a fence two Lines
the said Natural Boundary by a fence two Lines
about seven hundred Acres and is by Supposition
left I say all my Land together with my Plantation
included within the aforesaid Boundary I give and Reque-
st unto my son William and to his heirs for ever

Thom.

a little way over the path and by a line drawn from the said
South west unto the four hundred acres of Land by me formerly
purchased of Col^l Edmund Scarborough

Item I give and bequeath unto my second Sonn John Burdon and unto
the heirs of his body lawfully begotten for ever all my Lands (situate
in a patent granted by Col^l Edmund Andros 17th day of
New York the 20th day of September 1701) bearing date a
one thousand acres of Land situate lying & being in the County
of Suffolk in the Territories of Conelwaria being called Long Neck
the northeast side of the said Neck being called Long Neck
and by me formerly conveyed to Thomas Bagwell late of Occomack
County deceased so that the Southwest side of the said Neck
being half the said Divident by Estimation five hundred acres
be the same more or less according to the several Courses and
bounds thereof as per the said Patent may appear say I give
the said Land together with the plantacon thereupon unto
my said Sonn John and to the heirs of his body as aforesaid
for ever

Item I give and bequeath unto my fourth Sonn Benjamin Burdon
and to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten for ever six
hundred acres of Land situate lying and being near a place
commonly called Dicks together with the plantacon thereupon
the said six hundred acres of Land I formerly purchased of
Bishop according to the bounds thereof as per his (the said
Bishop's) bearing date the 6th day of January 1686 may more fully
appear I do bequeath the said formerly

Item I give and bequeath unto my fifth Sonn Joseph Burdon
three hundred eighty seven acres and a half of Land
the same moiety of seven hundred seventy and being on the North side of
Land situate lying and being on the North side of the
River in the County of Suffolk in the Territories of Conelwaria
being formerly purchased by me Thomas Burdon
from the late John Barker of whom I purchased the same
my said Sonn Joseph to wit Easterly upon the said River
for his bounds for so much as is his just moiety
of the said seven hundred seventy five acres of Land

Item I give and bequeath unto my seventh Sonn George Burdon
and to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten for ever
hundred eighty seven acres and a half of Land
other moiety of the said seven hundred seventy and being on the North side of
acres of Land situate lying and being on the North side of
the said Indian River in the Territories of Conelwaria
my said Sonn George to have the bounds of his
commanded from the said Joseph Burdon
unto the full extent of the bounds of the said seven
hundred eighty seven acres of Land
of Robert Burdon

Item I give and bequeath unto my third Sonne
William Thomas and Stratton about mentioned
Eight Acres and Interest off in and to the said
Island situate near to the said
Occomack County formerly in part
Thomas Bagwell late of the said County
Island being by Estimation seven
acres, I say the

Donaway to amongst and between the said William
 Thomas and Stratton and to the Lawfull Begotten
 heirs of their Bodies for Ever in manner and form
 following that is to say that each of my said Sons
 and their heirs ab aforesaid for Ever shall have privilege
 to keep and pasture and equal number of Cattle or
 Horses Except my Son Stratton and his heirs, whose
 Land on y^e maine being in y^e Woods & mols from me
 I do hereby give and assign him & his heirs ab aforesaid
 full privilege & liberty for Ever to keep pasturing
 at convenient times for y^e occasion of his Cattle
 Cattle or Horses over and besides what number his
 other two Brethren may keep thereupon always
 provided and it is my will & desire that none of
 my said Children shall or may claiming privilege
 to keep or pasture any Cattle on y^e said Land along
 him wth his consort of y^e other Brother's Cattle
 but what are really and bona fide his own
 Creatures the other halves of y^e said Land being by my
 formerly conveyed to Thomas Bagwell late of
 this County deceased

Item I give and bequeath unto my Eighth Son Jacob
 Burton and to the heirs of his Body Lawfully
 begotten for Ever four hundred and fifty acres of
 Land part of a Divident of six hundred acres of
 Land formerly purchased of Thomas Jones living
 near Lewistown in the four shires of Somerset
 which said Land lyeth upon y^e Indian River
 Contiguous to the Land there before by my first
 Son John, the other one hundred and fifty
 acres belonging to William Bagwell of the same
 County in the said County for him out of that
 part of y^e said six hundred acres not adjoining
 the Land that was formerly by his father Thomas Bagwell
 late deceased.

Item I give and bequeath unto my Ninth Son Samuel
 Burton and to the heirs of his Body Lawfully
 begotten for Ever five hundred acres of Land
 lying and being on the South side of the said
 River which was formerly bought of John Barker
 and paid him the full purchase thereof but
 for as much as the said Land is not yet conveyed
 me by the said Barker I do hereby Stridly Charge
 and command my Son William Burton that he
 do not as expeditiously as may be to visit his
 and utmost endeavors to procure a good and suffi-
 cient pattern or conveyance for the said five
 hundred acres of Land either in my Son's name
 his name and to the heirs of him and the heirs of
 him to convey y^e said Land as soon as convenient
 will permit to my said Son his heirs ab aforesaid
 by a good and sufficient conveyance as y^e Law
 requires, and to acknowledge the same as y^e Law
 to be acknowledged by himself or by his attorney
 authorized to perform y^e same in y^e County of
 said Land shall be found likely as expeditiously as
 may be and I also require & command my Son

to be aiding and assisting to him to brother William in procuring
the same, and in case of his morality to perform, some kind of
or cause it to be faithful and honest, done as before it by me
divided

His my will and desire that in case of mortality of any my before
 named or mentioned sons without lawful heirs as aforesaid
 the lands hereby given him or them to dying shall go and descend
 as followeth (viz) If my son William shall first die and
 without heirs as aforesaid all the lands hereby given him on the
 main shall go and descend unto my son Stratton and to his heirs
 lawfully begotten for ever and in case my said son Stratton
 shall die without heirs lawfully begotten as aforesaid then
 all the lands hereby given him on the main shall go and descend
 unto my son William if living and to his heirs lawfully
 begotten for ever. But if my son Thomas shall first die and
 without heirs as aforesaid and Stratton shall be then living then it is my will and
 desire that the land on the main hereby given to my son
 Stratton's lands on the main shall be by him released to my
 son William or his heirs as aforesaid for ever so that the lands
 given to Thomas as aforesaid on the main shall then be
 by lawfully begotten for ever so that the heirs of his
 meaning is that all the lands that I have in this County
 shall be entailed on among and between my aforesaid
 sons (viz) William Thomas and Stratton and their heirs
 lawfully begotten as aforesaid for ever only in such a
 manner as my joint donancy equally among or between
 my surviving sons, and in case any of them shall die
 without lawful issue either shall any of them shall die
 without heirs as aforesaid claims any right or succession in
 any lands in this County given by me as aforesaid
 long as any of the aforesaid named three sons or any of their
 issue lawfully begotten shall be living to inherit of the
 and in like manner I do order and entail with
 lands I have given in this County of Sussex to the
 of Pennsylvania among and between my before named
 sons (viz) John Joseph and Woolsey that is to say
 son John shall die without lawful issue as aforesaid
 then the lands given to the said John shall go and descend
 to my son Woolsey and Joseph to enjoy a whole quantity
 of seven hundred twenty five acres here before given
 between him and Woolsey but if either Joseph
 Woolsey shall die without the survivor of them or his
 heirs as aforesaid to enjoy the aforesaid 775 acres of land
 no other of their brethren nor their heirs are to have
 claims any right or inheritance of the said land lying in
 County of Sussex given by me here before to my sons
 John Joseph and Woolsey so long as my said sons or
 their heirs as aforesaid are living and the said
 three before given to my son Benjamin in case he die
 without lawful issue to descend unto my next
 lawful heirs as aforesaid so that my desire is that
 of my sons as aforesaid or their heirs as aforesaid shall
 time or times for ever hereafter have provided that
 I do give dispose or transfer any of their lands
 at aforesaid is mentioned out of the family and that
 Bourtons, so long as any of the family or
 being, but if the name should happen to be
 the lands to descend to my next lawful heirs
 sex in power

nevertheless it is provided that if any of my sons
aforethought incline or think fit to sell or
transfer any of their Lands by me or him given to
him or any one of them and shall be Lawfull for
them or any of them to sell their Lands to any of their
Brethren or to their heirs any thing herein contained to
the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding but to
no other person or persons whatsover neither shall he
purchase thereof have power or liberty to dispose of the said
Land so purchased by him out of the name or family of
their said Brethren or their Lawfull heirs as afore said

Item I give and bequeath unto Each of my said Sons here before
named one Feather Bed and Pillow two pillows one
Rugg and one pair of Blankets, and also to Each of them
six Cows and three Calves, and six Horses and a Bull and to
my Son William I give my pistols and holster my
cuttess and my best Crupper saddle, and to my Son John
and Gunny, to my Son Thomas and Gunny, to my Son
Benjamin and Gunny and to my Son Joseph a Gunny
Item I give my Son William John Thomas Benjamin
Joseph Stratton Woolsey and Jacob to each of them one
Silver Spoon and to my youngest Son Samuel one
shilling in money or one Silver Spoon of that and to
each of my said Sons one Iron pott all which
together with their Land shall be paid and delivered
to each of them at the age of one and twenty years
if their mother shall live so long as to see them &
every of them to attain unto that age but if she
die before that time then they shall be delivered
to them at the age of Eighteen years successively
each of them shall attain unto that age

Item I give the Milstones that are now at Henry Bogues
together with the materials that are thereunto
belonging between my Loving Wife and my Son
William I say equally betwixt them during her
naturall life and after her death unto my Son
William and his heirs for ever and also the still
materials thereunto belonging which I have sent to
England for which the same shall arise they paying
equally betwixt them what shall remain due for
the same

Item I give and bequeath unto my loving and well beloved
Wife Ann Burton her choise of one more of all the
houses yt are now upon my Plantation where I now live
and at the points, and also one more of the Orchard
and all other conveniences whatsoever during her naturall life
and also the use and benefit of all my Negroes, and after
her death so many of the said Negroes or their increase
as shall be then living shall be equally divided amongst
my youngest Children that is to say to each of them one
and my youngest Son Samuel to have his full share
and to continue so long as their said any Negro shall
be so long as he shall be able to do so long as there shall be any

Sonny only I give my loving wife free liberty to dispose of my
called Princes as she shall see most meet and convenient for her
own use and benefit without being accountable for the same to
any person or persons whatsoever and the other moiety of the
profits upon my said plantation and at the points together
with the other moiety of the Orchard I give unto my Son William
during his mother's Naturall life as aforesaid

om I give unto my daughter Agnes Revell one hunn Shillings piece
of Gold for a Legacy and to her daughter Francis one small
Gold Ring and to her Son Edward and Daughter Elizabeth
to each of them one hunn Shillings piece of Gold all this
residue and remainder of my estate whatsoever my debts
paid and sundrell expences discharged I give and bequeath
unto my loving wife and to her heirs or assigns for ever
and I do hereby constitute and appointing my loving
wife Ann Burton, and my Son William to be joint
Excutrix and Excutors of this my last Will and Testament
herby revoking and annulling all other former Wills and
Testaments whatsoever by me formerly made and appointing
and confirming this to be my last Will and Testament, I do
humbly desire and request my well beloved friends Cap^t
William Fustes and William Glock and my loving Son in
Law John Revell to be aiding and assisting unto my said Excutr
and Excutors here in these parts for the better executing of
+ this my last Will and Testament according to the true intent
meaning thereof and to see that my Children may not receive
any wrong or prejudice to the best of their Judgments and
Knowledge, and I humbly make the same request and to the
same purpose to my very good friend John Will of New
Town in the Colonies of Pennsylvania and for the better
Confirmation and Witnes thereof and all and singular
other the premises I have hereunto set my hand and affix
my Seal this day and Year first above Written

Sealed & Delivered

In presence of
John Revell
Robert Scott
James Smith
Robert Edge

Will. Burton

This day being the 18th of February 1695
in John Revell and in Robert Scott
of the witnesses to the within last Will and
Testament of Mr William Burton late
deceased made oath in open Court of
County that they saw the same sealed
and published as the act and deed of the
Testator and declared the same to be his
Will and Testament

In Washburne Co. Confirmation

James Smith also another Witnes to the within last
and Testament of Mr William Burton late deceased
in open Court of Accomack County March 4th 1695
he saw the same sealed and published as the
act and deed of the Testator which Court accorded for
probation and ordered it to be put on Record

Recorded March 4th 1695
In Washburne Co.