

John Drumond, one of y^e witnesses to y^e within last will and Testament came into Court and took y^e Test as a Quaker
Robert Norton William Willet & Sarah Zily likewise
came into Court and made oath that they saw y^e said
James Ewell sine seal and publish this to be his
last will and Testament June 7th 1704

Test: Robt. Mearl C. Cur.

Recorded July 7th 1703 y^e Robt. Mearl C. Cur.

In y^e name of god amon I W^m Bonston being Sick and weak of body
but of sound and perfect memory thank be to the almighty God for
the same and through the meritorious death and passion of our Saviour Ioseph
Christ I give bequeath as followeth. Imprimis. Doe give and bequeath
unto my well beloved Son Alexander Bonston a piece of Land beginning at a
Bever dam called the great Bever damme running wth a Line due
South from thence running upon the Branch toke up^r S^{id} of the valley
above the plantation running Sth to the bound to him and his heirs
for ever. Item Doe give and bequeath unto my well beloved Son W^m Bon for
a piece of Land beginning at the valley and including the Branch up to David
Hazard to him and his heirs for ever. Item Doe give and bequeath unto
my well beloved Son Ambrose Bonston a piece of Land beginning at y^e
wst end bound and for running to the great the dam called the great
Bever dam to him and his heirs for ever. Item Doe give and bequeath
unto my Son in Law Es^r James a piece of Land beginning at the valley and
for running up the to the great Bever dam for the space and terme of
y^e 21 years and the 21st Es^r James is to have benefit of what timber he shall
have occasion for the use of the plantation out of y^e swamp for the about
said term of eight years: And for the swamp Doe leave for the use of my
these Sons for timber. Item Doe give and bequeath unto my Dear and Law
-ful wife all my real and personall Estate to her and heirs for ever and
Doe appoint and ordaine my truly and well beloved wife Rebecca Bonston
to be whole and sole Executrix of my personall Estate only paying unto
my to daughters Es^r Rich^d and Elisabeth Rich^d twelve pence a piece
of this my last will and testament and for the true performance
hereof I have hereunto put my hand and fixed my Seal this 17th Day
of October one thousand Seven hundred and three 1703 - - - -
Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of us - - -

William Bonston, Sin^g

John Bonson
Henry Richy
John A. Gillet
mark

Henry Richy and John Gillet witnesses to y^e above
last will and testament of W^m Bonston
came into Court and made oath that they saw
y^e W^m Bonston sine seal and publish
y^e a true and correct copy of his last will and testament
August 7th 1704 Test: Robt. Mearl C. Cur.

Recorded August 7th 1704

Robt. Mearl C. Cur.

To the Worshipfull William Fests Gont and his Associates Es^r
Maties Justices of the Peace for the County of Attomack in Court
now sitting
The humble Petitioner of Edward Bonwick Es^r Petitioner humbly
Prays he may be admitted to Practise as an Att^y in this Court
and that this Petition may be recorded and y^e Petitioner as
in duty shall every pray &c

Recorded by order of Court by y^e request of W^m Edward Bonwick
August 7th 1704 y^e Robt. Mearl C. Cur.