

The last will & Testament of Eliz Faulkner, I first bequeath my Soul to God, & My body to be decently Interred at the discretion of my Grandson Thomas Faulkner, first I give My Plantation lying belwist Hempsteads and Sallers Creek to my Grandson Thomas Faulkner during his Natural life, & after his decease, to William the Son of Thomas Faulkner, And if Thomas should die before William is of age that then the Profits of the said Land shall be to the use of the said William, and if the said William should die without Heirs lawfully begotten of his body, that then this Land shall belong to the next heir at law, Next I give all my moveable Estate to be equally divided betwixt my Son John, And his Son Thomas, and his daughter Sarah

This my will made 28th day of Febr'y 17th

Signed In presence
of us - In: Bushell In Eliz ^{her} Faulkner
John ^{her} White
mark

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His: Excellence Will
 15 May 1743

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Sent His: Excellence Will
 15 May 1743

The Court held for Elizabeth City County, 15th May 1743
 This Will was proved in Court by the Oath of the Witnesses Robert and
 David to be Decided and there being no Executor named in the said
 Will on the Motion of Thomas Smith who made Oath according to Law
 Executor is granted him for offering Letters of Admin on the said Will
 and Oath with the Will annexed giving security thereupon he being sworn with
 Thomas Greenbush and John Greenbush as: entered into by Act of Court he
 Oath: John Greenbush then said I am to the Court's powerfully appeared in
 Court and make Oath to the proof of the said Will