Jack
Hancock Lee

March the Fourth one thousand seven hundred and seventy
seven In the name of God Amen I James Williamson
of the County of Essex and Parish aforesaid Farmer being
in perfect health and memory doe will and bequeath and dispose of my
Estate as followeth

Imprimis I doe give unto Rachel Davis daughter of John and Susannah
Davis all my Tract of Land lying in the County and Parish
aforesaid by estimation Sixteen Acres Joining the Lands of John
Williamson and Thomas Gordon deced I doe the said Land more
or less also one Cow and her increase likewise Three pounds
fifteen Shillings in the hands of my Brother John Williamson
to her and her heirs forever

Imprimis I doe give unto my godson Samuel Williamson one

& nancy Williamson Forty shillings also to the heirs of my
Bro. John Williamson. It is my desire the said forty shillings
should rest to Interest until the said Samuel Williamson
shall arrive to a proper age for schooling and then to be apply
ed to that use never the less if the said Samuel Williamson
should die before he arrives to a proper age for School then the
above sum of forty shillings to return to the said Rachel
Davis and her heirs forever. And lastly I do appoint my
friend John Davis my whole and sole Executor of this
my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & seal the Day & year first above
Written

Signed Sealed & delivered }
In the Presence of } James Williamson (Seal)
Philip Davis mark
Philemon Gatewood
William Eubank.

my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & seal the Day & year first above
Written

Signed Sealed & delivered }
In the presence off } James his Williamson (Seal)
Philip Rafs mark
Philemon Gatewood
William Eubank.

At a Court held for Essex County at Tappahannock on
the 14th Day of October 1770

This Last Will and Testament of James Williamson dec'd was
Proved by Philemon Gatewood and Philip Rafs two of the
Witnesses thereto and being also sworn to by John Dawe the Exec
-tor therein named is ordered to be recorded

Test

J Hancock Ex Ct