manner and form following. viz. Imprimis I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Lucy Parker two hundred Acres of Land called patens Joining to Colonel Byrd and Benjamin Harner I give to her and her heirs forever Item I give unto George Reince one heifer Witness my hand and Seal the Day and year above Written Signed Sealed Delivered in the presents of us. Peter Varnier. Benj[a] Blankenships Mark

The X Mark of Abel Turner (Black wax)

At a Court held for Henrico County the Sixth Day of Jan[y] 1734
This Will was presented in Court by William Parker and being proved by the oaths of Peter Varnier and John Blankinship two of the Witnesses thereto, and was thereupon Admitted to Record.

Test: Bowler Cocke Cl Cur

November y[e] 13. 1734.

I being in perfect memory and understanding do in the first place Will and Bequeath my Soul and Body to God that gave it and do dispose of my worldly goods as followeth This being my last will and Testament I will and bequeath to my daughter mary Delpish wife of Francis Delpish one hundred Acres of land joining Tillagers line lying between four corner Trees and the Creek for Ounes to her during life and after her decease to Peter Forqueron his heirs forever Likewise will and bequeath the rest of the Land with the plantation to my dearly beloved Wife Jane Dupray during life and after her decease to my well beloved Brother and his heirs forever Likewise will and bequeath to my Wife a Negro Woman during life and after her decease to my Daughter Mary Delpish with her Child She now goes with the rest of her increase to belong to my Wife from this Time, and to be at her own disposal The whole personal Estate with Negroes Cattles horses and Sheep to be my Wifes during Life and after her decease. Negro Toby I give to my Brother Lewis Dupray I also give Jane Lewis one Negro called Jumbo I also give a Negro boy called James to Peter Forherin also one Negro child Chas to Moses Forherin after my Wifes decease, and my moveable Estate after my Wifes decease to be equally divided as by Negroes this being this being my last Will and Testament I Sign and Seal it in the presence of us Jean Dupra (Seal)

Test[s] Richard Manning.
Daniel D. Fore.
John I. Fore.

At a Court held for Henrico County the South day of January 1734.
Jane Dupre presented this Will upon oath and being proved by the oaths of Daniel Fore and John Fore two of the Witnesses thereto it was thereupon Admitted to record.

Test. Bowler Cocke Cl Cur

In the name of God amen. the fourteenth day of Decem one Thousand Seven hundred and Thirty four I Seth Ward of the parish and County of Henrico being Weak of Body but of Sound and perfect memory do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following hereby revoking and making void all other Wills or Testaments by me formerly made, and that none other but this be held or Taken for my last Will or Testament Imprimis I give my Soul to god that gave it me Stedfastly Trusting in his mercy and the merrits of Jesus Christ my Saveour that I shall receive pardon for all my Sins and a joyfull Resurrection at the last Day and my Body to be disposed of as shall seem good to my Executors hereafter named and for my Worldly Estate I dispose of the same as followeth Item I give unto my two Daughters Martha Ward and Elizabeth Ward four Negroes named Jenny Nancy Caesar and Jemmy and their increase I give to them and their heirs forever and Twenty pounds Current money a piece Item I give unto my Son [illegible] all my Land in Henrico County and all my Negroes not before mentioned I give to him and his heirs [illegible] Silver Tankards and Seven Silver Spoons one Seal Gold ring one large Case with [illegible] Bottles four Guns [illegible] Brass Kettles two pair of hand Irons one Iron Spit one Looking Glass a Brass Mortar

Brass

Brass Scales with Weights also a black Walnut Desk one black walnut oval Table and all my Ready money I have in my house and what is due by Bonds, and all my plantation utensells for Work. Item I give unto Abraham Jones when he comes to Cholop of Twenty one years one young Mare of three years old one Cow and Calf Two Sows and piggs. After my Debts Legacies and Funeral Charges are paid all the rest of my personal Estate goods and Chattles not heretofore mentioned to be equally Devided between my three Children Seth, Martha, and Elizabeth, and in case that my Children should die leaving no Issue of their Body law fully Begotten and not dispossed of their Estates so that there would be an heir at Law com in to claim their Estate, and for the preventing that heir at Law my Will is that Abraham Jones heir and injoy that Tract Land lying on Mishaws Branch containing Two hundred Acres to him and his heirs forever. and for preventing of that heir at Law coming in for any part of my Estate my plantation I now live on and all my lands in Sheffields Negroes and other Estate real and personal not dispossed of by my Children as aforesaid I give and bequeath to Capt. John Worsham and Capt. William Worsham to them & their heirs forever and I do appoint Capt. John Worsham and Capt. William Worsham to be Trustees to see this my Will performd and to take upon them the Guardianship and Care of my Children which I leave under their Care, and lastly I constituted and appoint my Son Seth, Capt. John Worsham, and Capt. William Worsham Executors of this my last Will and Testament in Testimony of the same I have hereunto Set my hand and affixed my Seal, the day and year first above Written. Sealed Signed and published in presence of us.

Seth Ward (Black Wax)

William Sneller
Govert Berger
Oliver Bier
his mark

At a Court held for Henrico County the Seventh day of January 1734

This last Will and Testament of Seth Ward deceased was presented by John Worsham and William Worsham the Exrs therein named upon oath and being proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto it was thereupon admitted to record.

Test Bowler Clerk Curiae

This Indenture made this third day of February 1734 Between Henry Ligon of the County of Henrico of the one part and Henry Clay of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Ligon for and in consideration of the Sum of Thirteen pounds Current money to him in hand paid by the said Henry Clay the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath granted given bargained and Sold Aliened and confirmed unto the said Henry Clay and to his Heirs forever a Certain Tract of Lands lying in the said County Containing by estimation one hundred Acres be the same more or less lying and being on the Northside Swift Creek in the County aforesaid and bounded as followeth Joining on the Land that formerly was Francis Epps but is now in the possession of the said Henry Clay and on the Land that formerly was Matthew Ligon but is now in the possession of William Poindexter Together with all Houses orchards gardens Fences and appertenances whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and To hold the said Land and premises with their and every of their appurtenances Together with the reversion and reversions remainder and remainders thereof unto the said Henry Clay his Heirs and Assigns forever and the said Henry Ligon for himself his Heirs Executors & Administrators doth Covenant promise and agree to and with the said Henry Clay his Heirs Executors administrators and Assigns that the said Henry Ligon his Heirs Shall and will at any time hereafter during the Space of Ten years make due Acknowledge execute and perform such further and other Conveyances for the better Conveying of the said premises unto the said Henry Clay his Heirs and Assigns as by the Council of the said Henry Clay shall be devised advised or required, and that he the said Henry Ligon the above Said Land and premises unto the said Henry Clay his Heirs and Assigns against him the said Henry Ligon his Heirs and Assigns and against all other persons whatsoever shall and will by these presents warrent and for ever Defend In Witness whereof the