

274 In the name of God Amen I John Bond do hereby make and declare my last Will and Testament as follows
In nomine Domini regnante meo et misericordia eius mihi datur hoc instrumentum. I John Bond
do bequeath my soul to god my lawes in whom I have full confidence for all my
eternal & temporal life for my soul and rest again for my justification all this in witness
whereof I do bequeath my body to the earth from whence it came unto the same
I testify as of my veritable goods as followeth

Item I give and bequeath unto William Marry and their Children his wife &
the other called Mary his first of these years child
Second I give and bequeath unto William Watson my good man with all his wares but if he shal
dy before his death come at any time to dispose of them then to return to my sonne John Bond
Thirdly and all the rest of my estate both with out doors and with in doors and all my land that I
possesse or call mine this day give and bequeath unto my sonne John Bond
fourthly only I do give out of my estate unto John farman all my Hysf Clothing Bed Linen and Bedlin
and theron appoint John Bill my wifes brother to be my executor and sole Exterminer of this my last
Will and Testament and it is my will that John Bill should live and abide upon my plantation with
my two children my wifes and my sonne and to bring them up with my spirit to continuing and if
shall please god that my sonne John Bond should dy without issue then all my spirit and all that he
and William Marry and with all his wares and my land all blacke Calendering gun
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John Bill my Executor and Rector for ever and it is my will that John farman should continue
my house with my two children with my Executor for ever as he shall see fiting & this being my last
will and testament as witness my hand and seal this 15th day of February 1687

Witness John Portis

John E Bond

Seal

Do give and bequeath unto my Executor John Bill my
first feather Bed and furniture belonging to me and my blacke Marry with all her
moveable both male and female for his maintenance to be to my children his sonne
my last Will & Testament as witness my hand and seal this 15th day of February 1687

Witness

John Portis

John E Bond

Seal

John Portis
Rober R Giddill
his mark

Prouid by the oaths of John Giffill and
Thomas Dovill in open Court held for the
free of right County April the 1st 1688 to witness

Thomas Dovill defendant of John Bond died
John Bill Esqur
his mark

In the name of God Amen

I John Thornton being sick and weak in body but in perfect memory do first and primly
give and bequeath unto god almighty my soul whereunto I have no earthly my body to the earth to
be buried in a decent and Christian like manner. I do also give and bequeath unto my wife
some William Thornton two hundred acres of land to have to enjoy when he Cometh of age
his living or affigts for ever and he to have his chier for that part of land out of all my
dineards and of the said William Thornton ditch without fee when he shall have to fall to my
daughter Ellinor Thornton to her and her heirs for ever. I do also give unto my daughter
Ellinor Thornton one sow and two sholes and for her to remain in rest of my land it being
hundred and sixtie acres for quiet and sey leas to my wife William Thornton during her life
and after her deat: and after her deat: it may be equally divided between her
son Richard Thornton and Robert Thornton alwayes to be to my sonne William Thornton one hundred acres
the being all above mentioned to be my last Will and Testament as witness my hand and seal
this 3rd day of April Anno 1687

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us

John Thornton

Seal

John Cogan Jr. Prouid by the oaths of John Cogan & James Gales
in open Court held for the free of right County

The 1st day of April the 1st 1688 to witness my last Will and Testament
of John Thornton

John Pitt Esqur

To him Head of Colles, a horse - Buggs; a gun & Powder and gunpowder; 8 pounder Gun and Cannon one dozen plates & silver plate and silverware and Chalice and Chalice paten; a silver paten; one from Colles and George; one of each article; a pair of bucklers; 2 Cestals; 2 bucklers; 2 bucklers; 52 shillings; 3 Cestals with leather belt; a sword; a scabbard; a pair of pistols; a rapier; a metal box; 1 Dozen of French 2 stage coaches
Jewels to his Countess & his selfe

William Hinchin was granted to his wife

Mary M. Hinchin

11 Pounds of Currants	1100	marks
1 Dozen Eggs	450	
1 Dozen Butter	600	
1 Dozen Eggs	300	
1 Dozen Eggs	100	

2 bushels of Chestnuts, the Chestnut tree was not in the mountain

3 Chestnut bushes at the mountain

16th day of March 1637

Mary M. Gould

marks

Received may last first 1637 Dft John Pitt et cetera

I Thomas Hinchin in my perfect strength and memory do make this my last Will and Testament
as for my personal estate what I have had and shall please to dispose of and dispose of as follows with
Item I give and Agneth unto my sonne Thomas that hundred and fifty acres of land which he now hath
and two hundred acres and two Courts to him and the heirs of him and his heirs for ever
Item I give and Agneth unto my sonne John that hundred acres of land at further end of Lathant and
two hundred acres and two Courts and a young man of a gentle birth to him and the survivors of him &
his heirs for ever
Item I give and Agneth unto my daughter Joyce or my brother John a buckler and a sword and 100 shillings
and two hundred acres and a bushel of eight Gallons of ale and a leather Chair or leather stool or leather Cade
right to her and her survivors
Item I give and Agneth unto my daughter Margaret and her夫 John a buckler and a sword and a pair of
sabres and two Courts and a bushel of eight Gallons and a leather Chair right to her and the survivors
and a leather leather Chair

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Thomas Hinchin: Seal

Richard Brighton sworn to by Richard Brighton in Court held

John Person in the City of Wright County may last first 1637 Dft John Pitt et cetera

This is to give sufficient notice to all friends of the said of Wright County that I George Stentor by before mentioned
to make his will to be his last will of my estate and to witness and subscribe by him in the substance of it and an
affidavit to it and if in his power any child of Joyce and John a buckler before this Court to declare the truth
of his former declaration whereby he left his estate to his children in equities as he did desire
law made against perjury persons may be punished upon me if I break my health

John Person

I John Shippard of the parish of the Isle of Wright County being in health of body and of
good memory desirous to be satisfied of death and to be made by others to appoint and make this to be
my last will and testament in manner and form following without any of his Courts affidavit or law
below any power to meddle and dispose of any of my effects except it be in providing for the said will. Except
the will for my daughter Margaret and her夫 John Pitt et cetera

Item I give and Agneth unto my daughter Margaret all my estate personal and all by her husband
during her life needs and if she die in her husband's life then my sonne William Pitt et cetera in reading down
her husband's life to have each of them one third of the estate after and if my sonne William Pitt et cetera
then all the estate to be equally divided each of them to have a third and that my sonne William Pitt et cetera
to the wife of his wife parts and to be used by him and his wife as he shall think fit until his coming to
him that is his wife to enjoy it him selfe. Item if either of the said children die before the age of twenty
one year then the other child to enjoy his parts and if both die before the age of twenty one year
then the wife and Agneth two of the thirds of the estate that was the children to my brother Edward
Holloway and his wife Anne and the other third to me and bequeath to my cousin John Pitt et cetera
Item If I die my wife to be found William Pitt et cetera come to the age of eighteen or there less appointed