

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of Richard Webb, John Lewis, -
Nicholas Jackson Justice

At a Court held for Isr: of Wight County
the 25th day of July 1726.

The last will and Testament of Josephus Copeland Esq: was presented in
Court by Mary Copeland his wife wherein named who made oath thereto &
being proved by the oaths of Richard Webb, and Nicholas Jackson Justice two
of the witnesses thereto is admitted to record. ~

Esq: James Ingles Clerk

cora recordat. Esq: James Ingles Clerk

In the Name of God Amen & John Bidgood Junr. of the Isr: of
Wight County being sick in body but of sound and perfect memory thankes
to almighty God and calling to remembrance the uncertain estate of ~
this transitory life and that all flesh must yield unto death when it ~
shall please God to call do make ordain and declare my last will and ~
Testament in manner and form following that is to say in the first place
of all places I give and commit my soul unto almighty God my
Saviour and redeemer in whom and by the merits of Jesus Christ I trust
and believe to have full remission and forgiveness of all my sins at the
general day of the resurrection and my body to be decently interred after
the manner of Christian burial at the discretion of my executors ~
namely and for what worldly estate it hath beene pleased almighty God
to provide me with after my just debts and funeral charges is directed
my wife & bequests and dispositions of all holloweth.

I give and bequeath unto my dear and loving wife Ann all my estates, both
in what nature kind or quality soever for her better educating and
bringing up my children that is to say my daughter Mary Bidgood, &
my son William, John, James, & Sophia Bidgood until they shall sever
ally arrive to the age of eighteen years lacking making her my said wife
whole and sole executrix of this my last will and Testament In testimony
of all which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of
July 1726.

John Bidgood Junr. Sealed
mark

signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Josephus Copeland, Elihu Tyndall
At a Court held for Isr: of Wight County
the 22nd day of August 1726. ~

The last will and Testament of John Bidgood Junr. was present in Court by
Ann Bidgood his wife wherein named who made oath thereto & being proved
by the oaths of Thomas Wren the surviving witness thereto is admitted to record.

Esq: James Ingles Clerk

cora recordat. Esq: James Ingles Clerk