

At a Court held for the County of Wight Virginia the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1722

The last Will & Testament of Richard Jackson Deceased was presented in Court by Sarah Jackson the Widow therein named who made oath thereto and being proved by the oaths of Benjamin Jenkins & Timothy Atkinson two of the Witnesses thereto is admitted to Record

Test James Baker Esq  
Truly recorded by W. Baker Esq

In the name of God Amen Since the life of man is so uncertain I John Vaughan of Isle of Wight County of Virginia Do constitute & Ordain this to be my Last Will & Testament making Null & Void all former Wills & Testament which I have made  
First I Give my Soul to God of Heaven Depending on Christ my Saviour Dear to have Salvation thence my Body with the last from whence it came to be returned according to the Discretion of my Executors & as for those worldly goods it hath pleased God to Bless me with I Bequeath as followeth

Item I Give unto my Wife Ellinor Vaughan During her natural Life my Plantation my Negro Woman Dina and my Goods & Chattels in Virginia & Else where and after her Death I Dispose of them as followeth  
Item I Give my Plantation & all my Land of

Item I Give unto John Simons mine son of John Simons Junr of Long Branch a Negro Woman named Dina after the Death of my Wife and of the said Vaughan Hillborn Dues without any other Issue then I Give my Plantation & Land which I Give him unto John Simons mine in as full and ample manner as I have given

it unto the said Vaughan Hilburn. And that my Loving friend Mr. Simmons shall take in to his care the Negro Wench & all I have given unto John Simmons mine and keep them for his grandson & his Heir After my Wife Ellice Vaughan's Death give all my whole & Sole full all Estate which I have given unto her During her Life unto John Simmons mine & unto Vaughan Hilburn to be Equally Divided Between them and to their Heirs &c.

I do constitute & appoint Vaughan Hilburn & my whole & Sole Executor of this my Last Will & Testament In Witness whereof, I have put my hand & Seal this 9<sup>th</sup> of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1736

Signed Sealed &c.  
In: <sup>his</sup> Dortch, In: <sup>his</sup> Uprchurch  
In: <sup>his</sup> Spruce

In: <sup>his</sup> Vaughan

At a Court held for the County of Wight County, July the 27th 1741. —

The last Will & Testament of John Vaughan Deceased was presented in Court by Vaughan Hilburn the Executor therein named who made oath thereunto and being proved by the oath of John Uprchurch one of the Witnesses thereto who also deposed that he saw John Dortch & John Spruce <sup>Subscribes</sup> this Will as Witnesses, thereto is admitted to Record

Test James Baker Clerk  
Truly Recorded In: <sup>his</sup> Baker Clerk

In the name of God Amen I William Thomas being sick & weak of body but of perfect sense and memory, thanks be to all mighty God for it. And knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dye do hereby make this my last Will & Testament in manner following I give & bequeath my soul to allmighty God that gave it to me in hopes of a glorious resurrection to Eternal life and my body to the Earth to be Buried at the Discretion of my dearest hereafter named