

Peruworth is an Oxen of Court held for Islet Night
County. Dated January 12. 1748

March 15. The the Subscribers met at the House of Mannah
Smith's Deceased, and first being sworn as usual have
appraised the Estate within mentioned

Nick Parker Esq.

Saml. Whitfield
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Joseph Ireland

At a Court held for Islet Night County April 18. 1748
The appraisement of the Estate of Mannah Smith
Deceased was returned, by the Executors and Ordered
to be Recorded — Test. S^t. Parker etc.

James Westbrook of Islet Night
County, being sick and weak of Body, but of perfect
Mind and Memory, all Lauds and Praises be given
to God, and for diverse good causes, and considerations
do make and Ordain, this to be my last Will and
Testament, in Manner as followeth, that is to say,
First and principally, I commit my soul to God
the Father of Spirits, Trusting and firmly believing
that through the Pitter Passion of my befold Redeemer
to have everlasting Salvation, Secondly my Body
to the Earth, from whence it was taken, to be
decently buried, in a christian like Manner, and
for what worldly Estate, it hath pleased the Lord
to bestow on me, I give and bequeath in Manner and
Form as followeth —

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Wife Elizabeth her
third Part, of my Land unsold, during her naturall
Life —

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son Benjamin Westbrook
and his Heirs forever, my Mannour Plantation
whereon I now live, containing one Hundred Acres
All my Land, on the North side, my Spring Branch
and

171 and joining the same Branch to complete the same

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Son Jesse Westbrook, and his Heirs forever, One Hundred and ten Acres of Land joining my Son Benjamin's afore.

Item I Give and Bequeath to my Brother Thomas Westbrook, and his Heirs forever, the remaining Part of my Land containing one Hundred Acres, and bounded as followeth Beginning at Mouth of a small Branch on the North Side his Plantations thence up the South side the afore Branch, to a small red Oak, a marked Tree, thence to be laid off to my old Line, on the South side his Plantations And I do further, appoint and desire my Friend Joshua Claib, and my Brother in Law William Vaughn to lay off to the best of their Judgment the S. Quantity within the aforementioned Bounds and make lines, between my Son Jesse and my Brother Thomas Westbrook.

Item I Give and Bequeath to Helica Westbrook Daughter to Thomas Westbrook, one two year old Heifer

Item I Give to my Son Dempsey Westbrook, one large Iron Pot which I bought at Ellys Outory.

Item The remaining Part of my Goods and Chattels unmentioned, of all kinds whatever, I appoint and desire, to be sold at publick Sale, to the highest bidder for Money, and, and twelve Months Credit, given the Purchaser, giving Bill and Security to my Executors hereafter appointed, as shall be required, and the Money raised, by the same, to be equally divided between my Wife Elizabeth, and my Son Benjamin and my Son Jesse Westbrook, and I further desire my Sons Parts to be put to lawfull Interest, till they come to lawfull Age And I do Appoint my ^{Brother} John Westbrook and my Brother in Law William Vaughn Executors, of this my last Will and Testament, making Null, all other Wills formerly made by me. In Witness whereof I have set my Hand

and

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Seal this twenty fourth Day February 1743

Test James ^{his} Ramsey

Thomas ^{mark} Westbrooke

Helica H^c Westbrooke

James A Westbrooke

(At a Court held for Isled of Wight County April 15 1743)
The last Will and Testament of James Westbrooke
Deceased was presented in Court by John Westbrooke
and William Caughon, the Executors therein named
who made Oath thereto, and being proved by the Oaths
of the Witnesses thereto is Ordered to be recorded

Teste J^{as} P^{er} Baker etc

In the Name of God. Amen

I Arthur Whitehead son of Nottoway Parish in
Isled of Wight County, being sick and weak of Body
but of sound and disposing Mind, and Memory, Thanks
be given to almighty God for the same, do make and
ordain, this my last Will and Testament, in Manner
and Form following. **Imprimis** I Give, and
Bequeath, my Soul into the Hands of almighty
God, and my Body to the Earth, to be decently
buried, at the Discretion of my Executors, herein
after named

Item I Give, Devise, and Bequeath, unto my son Arthur
Whitehead, three Hundred acres of Land, lying and
being upon Blunto Swamps, in Nottoway Parish
and in the Isled of Wight County, and in Virginia to
him and his Heirs forever

Item I Likewise, Give, Devise, and Bequeath unto
my son Arthur Whitehead, and my Brother Lewis
Whitehead, two Hundred acres of Land which I bought
of William Hall, lying and being, upon the North
Side of Northunty swamps and in the County called
by the Name of Johnson, to be equally divided
between