

An account of what things that becomed to me of late
taking away by an Executor Francis Robert from the 19th Day of January
in the year one thousand seven hundred eight and nine
The for following things viz
A Gallon Beer Boute and a new a duff and two Benchers a case
of four foot long and six inch and a wood floor
Francis Robert

Recorded Top Robert Howson of Northampton

In the Name of God Amen I David How of the County of
Northampton in Virginia being Sick and weak of body but of per-
fect senses and memory (Blessed be God for it) Do make this
my last will and Testament as follows
I bequeath my Soule into the hands of the Almighty God my heavenly
Father hoping for forgiveness for all my sins in and through the
merits of Jesus Christ his Son and my Body to the said Father giving
a Christian Buriall, as for my worldly Estate I give as follows
I give and bequeath to my Son Abimeiah How one hundred and
fifty acres of Land where on I now live the fifty acres being
part of what my Father left me part of the said fifty acres
being already fenced joining on the hundred acres a bene-
mentioned which I purchased my selfe I say I live the same
one hundred and fifty acres to my said Son Abimeiah his heirs
Executors &c for ever

I give and bequeath to my Son Jonathan How his heirs Executors
&c for ever one hundred and fifty acres Land being the Rest
of my Land with the young Orchard on the East Side of my
Sweeting house

I give and bequeath to my wife Tamin my whole Land and
Sweeting house with out Sister Dances her Life providing
she does not marry if she does marry then in that case my
said said son Abimeiah and Jonathan How their heirs
Executors &c to take in Possession the Land a bene said my wife
she retaining her third I say to be free at years of Eighteen
the Rest of my said son to have a Proportionable part of
the Rest of my Estate to be divided Equally by three parts
for ever more

I give and bequeath to my Son David How the said Land I have
left to my Son Abimeiah providing my Son Abimeiah
dies with out heirs

I give and bequeath to my Son Henry How the said Land
I have left to my Son Jonathan providing my Son Jonathan
dies with out heirs

I do hereby constitute and ordaine Tamin my wife sole
Executrix Revoking all other wills I make and ordaine
this my last will with out my hand and Seale this twenty
second Day of December 1708

Henry Beaire
Richard Turner
Thomas T. Baile

mark

David How

mark
the Seal

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To Mr. Henry Deane
 Robert Snow -

William Gopson



Received of Robert Thompson 1000

3000 *Artemisia*

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I give Praise of God Amen I Dafal Davis of the County
 of Suffolk being Sick and weak of Body but of Sound and
 memory I once and understanding Drafts be God for I do Same
 Do make and Observe and Confute to my last will and Testa-
 ment in manner and form following Revoking all Other wills
 and Testaments by me made in word or writing - viz
 Being Sane and Sound and Sorry from the Bottom of of my Heart
 for all my Sins: I Commit my Soul unto God that gave it
 me Trusting through the merits of Jesus Christ my Saviour
 and Redeemer to Obtaine Salvation and my Body I Commit to the
 ground from whence it came to be Buried & Buried at the
 Discretion of my Executor hereafter named, Now for I do
 Temporarily that was so will it Asy Asy god to Honour
 me -
 I give Dispose and Appraise in manner and form following
 That my Just Debts that are Due Either by Law or Equity be
 Promptly Paid with out Delay or Touching my Land, Lying and being

I give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth White and to
the heirs of her body Lawfull Begotten one hundred and fifty
acres of Land it being the one moiety of three hundred acres of
Land to me belonging Situate lying and being near unto a marsh
commonly called the white marsh in Accomack County and to
her Husband John White During his Natural Life and for want
of such issue I give the said one hundred and fifty acres of
Land to my Son Obedience and his heirs for Ever —

I give unto my Daughter Mary Parramore one hundred and fifty
acres of Land in Accomack County it being the other moiety
of three hundred acres of Land at the white marsh to be
Equally Divided between my two Daughters Mary and Elizabeth
which Land to be hers and her heirs for Ever —

My wife and I Joseph and I have given and bequeathed unto my Sons
and my wife Temperance for and During her widowhood the
Penetration where now live in Mississippi Neck and all the
Conifer, Rosewood and the one half of the Oak and
at the bottom of the same neck and also free Liberty to
go to Timor and to have Range and Liberty for all her Stock
upon the whole Divisions of Land or for water
excepting only the shall have or make use of the same
with out molestation or Disturbance but if my wife
should marry again then my Will is that she have but
only the third part of my Land and Conventions with
in the said Neck of Land my wife is that my Son Richard
have Privilege to fowle or other Game in any Pond
or Race with in Mississippi Neck During his Natural
Life —

I give and Bequeath unto my Son Obedience my great
Gun and my Silver Childs Sword and Belt —

I give and Bequeath unto my Son Richard my Old Gun
I give and Bequeath unto my Son Richard the new Gun
I have in a box more or less —

I give unto my Daughter Mary Parramore one year's Poll
to be Delivered unto her as soon as possible —

I give unto my Son Richard for and for two years and two Cows
and two Swine and Calves —

My will is that after my wife's Death my Obedience
Obedience and Richard and Mary my Sons my Son Obed
ience to have the said said mine —

I give unto my Grand Daughter Temperance White one
half her Bed and bolster and a Rugg and a Pair of
Blankets when she comes to the age of sixteen year
with out my wife should marry then she shall have
it the said Bed at the Day of my wife's marriage unto the
said Temperance White and a yearling Calf and her Grange —

I give unto my Son Richard my Land mill after my wife's
Death and my new white Cows —

I give unto my Grand Daughter Temperance Parramore
one year —

6. At the Request of my Deft. I give to my wife & beloved
 Temperance and make my wife & beloved Temperance joint
 my Sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament
 Revoking and Disannulling all other wills and Testaments
 now formerly made and appointed and last to Remain in
 being my last will and Testament — In witness Whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and Seals at the 30th Day of
 November — 1708 —

Signed, Sealed and Delivered

Obedience Johnson
 her Seal

Mary Johnson
 Luke Johnson
 Georg Marshall

Northampton 31 January 1708

Obdience Johnson late of this County Deceased wife of
 to this Court of the Executrix Temperance Johnson was
 Deceased Probation might be made to a sole will
 according to the Corporal Oath of Luke Johnson
 and Georg Marshall and allowed of by the Court to be
 Probate and upon the motion of the said Temperance
 Johnson it is ordered to be Recorded

Recorded
 Top Robert Howson

This Indenture made the Twentieth Day of January in the
 years of Our Lord God one thousand Seven hundred and Eight
 between the said John Howson of the County of Northampton Deceased
 County of Northampton Deceased of the one Party and Robert
 Howson of the said County on the other Party, Witnesseth
 that the said John Howson for and in Consideration of
 Sum of ten thousand Pound of Tobacco and in Exchange of
 fifty acres of Land which the said Howson bought of
 of the County Black Smith some in Land and at the said
 and Delivery of the said Deft. by the said Robert Howson the
 receipt whereof I do hereby Acknowledge and Do fully and
 freely and truly acquit Exonerate and Discharge the said Robert
 Howson his heirs Executors Administrators and every of them
 and from every Part and Parcel thereof I have also made
 and sold in goods and Conveyances and by the said Robert
 Howson his heirs Executors Administrators and every of them
 at that Part of the Tract of Land at the said John
 Howson now situate on Situated lying and being upon the
 Black in the County aforesaid containing about one
 Sixty and Seven acres of Land or thereabouts the same
 more or less and bounded as followeth

North Long on and Indian Pal a Parting this Land from the
of Henry Seat South Long on mallowm Creek North west and
west on Hoptons Branch South East and East by parting this
Land from the Land of Figue Harman by a Branch and then
Running west by to a Knobby Pine at the same is now standing
and marked and bounded and where on the said one hundred and
sixty and seven acres of Land was not Comprised within
the bounds of the said Patent and therefore free for any
of the Majesties Subjects to Enter Survey and Patent the same
and for as much at the same, and among other Lands, were
granted to the said William Whittington then of the County
of Northampton merchant by Patent bearing Date the
Eleventh Day of November Anno Domini one thousand six
hundred seventy and two as by the said Patent will more
appear and so conveyed by the said William Whittington
to Benjamin Cowdery Esquire as by Deed bearing Date
the twenty fourth Day of July in the year of our Lord
one thousand six hundred seventy and six which Deed is
upon the Records of the said County To have
and to hold the said one hundred sixty and seven acres of
Land with all and singular Rights Edifices Building, Orna-
ments, Land Tenement, House, Garden, pasture woods, and
arable ways, Profits, Commodities, Emoluments and Advantages
to the said Land, Tenements and Premises, or any of them
heretofore used or any way, belonging or appertaining, to
him the said Robert Howson his heirs, Executors Adminis-
trators and assigns for ever unto him and his heirs, assigns
and assigns absolutely with out any Contradiction or
Power of Revocation in any wise what so ever So that
Neither the said Joseph Cowdery my heirs Executors Adminis-
trators or any Person or Person for me or in my Name
or the name of us or either of us at any time or times
hereafter shall or may after Claim or Challenge or Demand
in or to the Premises or any Part thereof any Interest of right
Title use or Possession but from all actions of right title
Claim Interest use Possession or Demand, the said Joseph
Cowdery my heirs Executors Administrators to have
and to hold and be enjoyed for ever And further the
said Joseph Cowdery my heirs Executors Administrators
the said one hundred sixty and seven acres of Land and
Premises heretofore granted bargained and sold with the
appurtenances shall and will for ever be held and warranted
to the said Robert Howson his heirs Executors Administrators

8 and assign a gainfull and good profit to the said Joseph Bowdery my heirs Executors
Administrators or assigns and a gainfull and good profit to the said Joseph Bowdery
or Person whatsoever and further the said Joseph Bowdery
at all times of the Enfranchising and Delivery of the said Lands had
full Power and good right and Lawfull Authority to grant Sell
and Convey all and Singular the before granted Promises with
the appurtenances unto the said Robert Howson his heirs
Executors Administrators and assigns and Every of them shall
and May by force of these Presents from time to time and at
all times hereafter Lawfully and Peaceably and Quietly have
and use occupy and Possess and Enjoy the said one Hundred
Sixty and Seven Acres of Land the Premises with the heirs and Every
of their right members and Appurtenances and Shall Receive
and take the rents issues and Profits thereof to him and his
Proper heirs and Assigns for Ever without the least
Denial interruption Eviction of me the said Joseph Bowdery
my heirs Executors Administrators or assigns or any Person
or Person whatsoever and Let free and Clear freely
and Charge acquitted and Exonerated and Discharged or otherwise
from time to time well and Sufficiently saved and kept
Clear of by me the said Joseph Bowdery my heirs Executors
Administrators or assigns and from all and all manner of former
or other Gifts grants Bargains Sales Leases mortgages
Joyners Powers Tithes of Dower Exchanges Judgments Executions
rights Duties Rents Arriagés of Rents forfeitures fines issues and
amercements and of and from all and Singular other Incon-
= veniences what so Ever had made suffered or Committed or
Done by me the said Joseph Bowdery or any other Person or
Person whatsoever And further the said Joseph Bowdery
Do for me my heirs Executors Administrators or assigns and
Every of them from time to time and at all times hereafter with
all Good writings Evidences Surveys and other manerly
Looking or Conforming to the Premises or any Part thereof
and well from time to time and at all times hereafter within
the term of ten years next Insuing the Date hereof
of these Presents and upon the Reasonable Request and at the
Proper Cost and Charge in Law of the said Robert Howson
his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns make Doe
Perform and acknowledge all such further act or acts
Laying or Laying Down or Down in the Law for the
further and better assurances of all and Singular the before
afore granted unto the said Robert Howson his heirs Executors
Administrators or assigns in by his Council Learned

San Isaac de Reasonable advised Sealed and Delivered
In witness whereof I have subscribed my hand and
fixed my Seal this Day and Year within mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the Presence of — —

John Cupi — —

Andrew Hamilton

Josias J. Cowdery

Signum

the Seal — —



Memorandum this 28th Day
of January in the Year 1708

Then said Josias Cowdery and Seizen of the above
Bargained Lands and Premises were by the above
said Josias Cowdery given by L. to the above
said Robert Howson according to law

Josias J. Cowdery

Signum

the Seal — —



Hollisampton 28th January 1708

Then the above said Indenture or Sale or a convey
ance was reported by the above said Josias Cowdery
to the Court of the above said County acknowledged
the same in open Court to be his Seal and
said Josias Cowdery and Seizen of the above
said Robert Howson and all the
Request of the said Howson it is ordered to be recorded

Test Robert Howson

Recorded Test Robert Howson 1708

This Indenture made the Twentie Eight Day of January
in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand Seven hundred
Eight and nine between the Parties following to witt, Robert
Howson of the County of Northampton of the one Party
and Josias Bowdory of the said County Planter on the other
Party, witnesseth, that the said Robert Howson for and
in consideration of the value received in Cash and
the fifty acres of Land that the said Robert Howson
bought of Sam^l Church for the Sum of nine hundred
Pounds of Tobacco to me in Cash paid at the Dispatching and Delivery
of these Papers by the said Josias Bowdory the Receipt where
of I was already acknowledging and doo fully freee and clear
acquitt Oxonard and Sipe carry the said Robert Howson his
heirs Executors and Administrators, and Every of them
and from Every Part and Parcel thereof: Have Aligned
Bargained and Sold in good and confirmed and by these
Papers I doo Aligne Bargaine Sell in good and confirm
unto the said Josias Bowdory his heirs Executors, Adminis^r
and assigns for ever and all that Plantation or Tract of
Land that the said Robert Howson bought of Sam^l
Church aforesaid Situated Lying and being on Hungers
Crack in the County of Northampton at the same is
now in the Tenure and Possession of me the said Robert
Howson containing by Estimation fifty acres of Land
so the same more or less at the same is now bounded
and marked as follows, Beginning at the great Pine at Hoptons
Brake from thence by a line of marked Trees to an
older Pine and from that Pine to a branch by the
cough about from that first Pine to Pinne bridge a
long the branch and from thence a long and Indian Path
passing this Land and the Land that was Benjamin
Bowdorys Docto^rs the said fifty acres of Land being
conveyed to Henry Scot by Capt William Whiting
at by Good bearing Date the first tenth Day of May 1687
Sold and may more at every make appear and by him the
said Henry Scot conveyed to Wm^{son} Hopton Docto^r
bearing Date the Twentie Eight Day of January 1689
Sold and may more at every appear and conveyed by the
said Wm^{son} Hopton to Samuel Church bearing Date the
Twentie fourth Day of October 1701 Sold and may more
at every appear and conveyed by the said Samuel Church
to Robert Howson aforesaid ~~1701~~ 1707 the Twentie Six
Day of January which Deeds are on the Records of the
County - To Have and to hold the said fifty acres of
Land with all and singular Rights, Privileges, Buildings, Ornaments

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Gardens Lands Tenements Houſes good things Peſſible woods under
woods ways Profits Commodity Emoluments and Advantages to
the ſaid Lands Tenements and Houſes or any of them here
:fore uſed or any ways belonging or appertaining to him
the ſaid Joſias ſundry his heirs Executors Adminiſtrators
and aſſigns for ever and to his or their proper uſe and behoof
aſſolutely with out any Contradiction in any wiſe what
:ſoever ſo that neither the ſaid Robert Houſton my heirs
Executors Adminiſtrators or aſſigns or any Perſon or Perſons
from me or in my name or in the name of any Elder of
ye at any time or times hereafter ſhall or may after ſome
Challenge or Demand in or to the Premises or any Part thereof
any future right Title uſe or Poſſeſſion but from all
Action of Right ſome future uſe Poſſeſſion or Demand
the ſaid Robert Houſton my heirs Executors Adminiſtrators
to be atore ſet out and Excepted for ever and further of
the ſaid Robert Houſton my heirs Executors Adminiſtrators
the ſaid fifty acres of Land and Premises heretofore
granted bargained and ſold with the appurtenances ſhall
and will for ever warrant and defend to the ſaid Joſias
ſundry his heirs Executors and Adminiſtrators and aſſigns
againſt me the ſaid Robert Houſton my heirs Executors
and Adminiſtrators and againſt all manner of Perſon or Perſons
whatſoever and further the ſaid Robert Houſton at
the time of the Enroling and Delivery of theſe Preſents and
full power and lawful right and lawful authority to
grant ſell and Convey all and ſingular the before granted
Premises with the appurtenances unto the ſaid Joſias
ſundry his heirs Executors Adminiſtrators and aſſigns
and every of them ſhall and may by force and violence
of theſe Preſents from time to time and at all times hereafter
lawfully and peaceably and quietly have had ye Occupancy
and Poſſeſſion and enjoy the ſaid fifty acres of Land and Premises
with the heirs and every of their Right Title and
appurtenances and ſhall receive and take the rents
profits and Profits thereto due and their proper uſe
and behoof for ever with out the ſaid ſuit ſome
Interruption Eviction of me the ſaid Robert Houſton
my heirs Executors Adminiſtrators or aſſigns or of any
Perſon or Perſons whatſoever and that free and clear and
freely and ſolely acquitted Exonerated and Diſcharged or other
wiſe from time to time well and ſufficiently ſealed and kept

Whereby by me the said Robert Howson my heirs, Executors
and Administrators of and from all manner of former and
Other Gifts, grants, Bargains, Sales, Leases, mortgages, Joynture
Dower, Title of Dower, Exports, Judgments, Executions
For Intailor Rents, arragons of Rents, forfeitures fines, profits and
a morement, and of and from all and singular Statutes, Decrees
and Orders in that behalf made, And that the said Robert
Howson Doe for me my heirs, Executors, Administrators
and Assigns and Every of them Promise and Engage by these
Present, to assigne and Receive unto the said Josias Cowdery
his heirs, Executors, Administrators or assigns all the Goods
writings, Survey, and Other Inconveniences, touching or concerning
the Promise or any Part thereof of and will from time to
time hereafter within the term of 12 moneths, beginning
the Date hereof and upon the Request and Request and
at the Request of the said Josias Cowdery and his heirs, Executors, Administrators or assigns make do perform
and acknowledge all such further act and acts, thing or things
Dower or Dowers in the Law for the further and better
appearance of all and singular the Promise aforegranted, unto
the said Josias Cowdery his heirs, Executors, Administrators or
assigns as by his Council Learned in the Law Reasonably
Advised, Directed or Required. In witness whereof I have hereunto
And affixed my Seal the Day and Yours within which

Signed Sealed and Delivered

Robert Howson
the Seal

In the Presence of
Samuel Palmer

Sarah Palmer

Moments to be set
in the year

Then this Day Delivery and Surrender of the above Bargained
Lands and Promises was by the above said Robert Howson
given to the above said Josias Cowdery and his heirs

Signed Sealed and Delivered

Robert Howson

In the Presence of

Samuel Palmer

Sarah Palmer

Northampton the 12th day of January 1608

Then this above Indenture or Covenant of and was by the
above said Robert Howson to the Court of the said
said County and Acknowledged the same in Open Court to be
Read and do with Delivery and Surrender of the
to the above said Josias Cowdery according to Law

Test Robert Howson

Recorded

Test Robert Howson } Clerk Northampton

This Indenture made the Twentieth Day of January
 in the year of our Lord God one thousand Seven Hundred and
 Eighty between the Parties following to wit, Thomas Church
 of the County of Northampton Esquire of the one Part and
 Robert Howson of the said County of the other Party wit-
 nesseth, that the said Thomas Church for and in consideration
 of the Sum of Seven thousand pounds of Tobacco and eight
 pence in hand paid and satisfied by Robert Howson allas
 for passing and delivery of the said Tobacco where with I
 acknowledge my self fully satisfied and contented and paid
 and whereof I for my self my heirs Executors Adminis-
 trators Deputies Executors Administrators and assigns for
 Ever have given granted Bargained and sold in by large
 Profound good quiet and secure to the said Robert Howson
 a certain tract or piece of Land situate lying and being
 on Hanger Creek in Northampton County by estimation
 Eighty two acres of Land or somewhat more or less now
 in my possession at the same is bounded and marked and yet
 as follows, North by the said Land belonging to Samuel
 Church and Sons to the above said Robert Howson which
 Land the said Samuel Church bought of William Hyslop
 and Son running on for Length Down a Creek formerly called
 Godwin Creek which said Creek passing to the Land of Mr.
 Samuel Palmer which do now divide on and the Land bounding
 the said Creek Express as by a agreement, and running on a
 line of Trees Down to a Creek called the water
 Gun Creek To have and to hold the said Eighty two acres
 of Land together with all houses, houses, pastures woods
 waters, &c. and all other Privileges to the same in any
 way appertaining and it the said Thomas Church do
 give and a Grace for my self my heirs Executors
 Administrators to and with the said Robert Howson
 his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns that the
 said Bargained Land and Premises is free and clear from
 all such mortgages Dowers or any other Incumbrances
 what so ever made and contracted by me or any Person
 for me or in my name and that the said Thomas Church
 do give further Covenant and a Grace for my self my heirs
 Executors Administrators for Ever to warrant the
 said Bargained Land and Premises to the said Robert Howson
 his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns from me
 my heirs Executors Administrators or any other Person

or Persons with power containing by order or authority the
 Execution Administration, Sale, Disposition and other Titles
 or Interest to the said Land or any Part thereof and that the
 said Robert Howson Receiver, Deputies and Administrators
 shall have and now have as a full and good right and
 Estate in the said Land and Premises as if the said Thomas Church
 now hold or by any means come to by and that the same be
 afore decreed. In witness whereof I have subscribed my
 hand and Seal the Day and Year aforesaid written.

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In Presence of

John Frank
 Sam Palmer

Signature

Thomas Church

120 Seal

Memoir and

the 28th Day of

January 1708

That this Day Levery and Seizen of the
 a above bargained Land and Premises was by
 the a above said Thomas Church given to the a above said
 Robert Howson according to Law

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John Frank
 Sam Palmer

Signature

Thomas Church

120 Seal

Northampton 1st January 120 1708

Then the a above said Indenture or Conveyance of Land
 Deputed by the a above said Thomas Church to the a above said
 the a above said County and Acknowledged the same in
 Court with a Levery and Seizen of the said Land and
 all and to the aforesaid Robert Howson and all
 Request of the said Howson it is ordered to be

Top Robert Howson

Recorded Top Robert Howson

To all to whom these Presents shall come I do hereby
 Bear of Accomack County in Virginia have and now
 vacuabed Consideration in my Land Received by
 Bargained and Sold and aliened in Heir and Son
 Person do hereby bargain and sell to the said
 unto my Brother Robert Church the said
 for Ever a certain Tract and Parcel of Land
 North Side of Narpatox Creek near the
 containing two Hundred and fifty acres
 as follows to wit the said Land
 on the Land now the Land of the said
 the Land formerly Wm Collier's
 wood with a Building
 for ever and to the said
 Ever to the said

Possession Claim and Demand whatsoever of me the said Thomas
 Bece according as herein a Cove mentioned given granted and
 conveyed: To have unto the said 230 Acres of Land or more
 me all and Singular other the Promises hereby granted and made
 with all my right whatsoever unto the said Robert Bece
 my Brother in heire and assigns for ever absolutely with-
 out any manner of Contradiction or Power of revocation
 So that wither I the said Thomas Bece my heire, Executor,
 or Administrator or any other Person or Persons for me
 or in my name may or shall at any time for ever here-
 after after Claims Challenge or Demand to the said 230
 Acres of Land or more, of Land and Promises any right
 Title use or Possession but from all actions of right title
 or Interest of me as wholly Excluded and for ever barred
 by these Persons in these my Express words and these said
 Thomas Bece for my selfe my heire, Executor, and Adminis-
 trator and will for ever defend the afore said 230 Acres
 or more, of Land and Promises unto my said Brother Robert
 Bece in heire and assigns for ever from all manner
 of Person or Persons Claiming by for under me my heire
 Executor Administrator and from all manner of force
 or gift, grant, Rent, or assign of Rents. In witness
 here of and all other the Promises I the said Thomas
 Bece do now unto Sell my hand and Seale in the Year
 of our Lord 1691 one thousand seven hundred and
 Eight January the 22 Day.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the Presence of us—

Thomas Bece
 his Seale

Northampton 1st January 1691-1708

Then the above said Conveyance was acknowledged in
 open Court of the above said County by Thomas Bece
 to be his real act and do unto his Brother Robert
 Bece and at the Request of the said Robert Bece it is
 Ordered to be put upon Record

Recorded Test Robert Howson
 Northampton

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1200 from P. de la Harpe — — 84
 1200 from P. de la Harpe — — 80

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То 4. — — 10470.

To 3 Barron Bow, ————— 1200: 14 wanting
10470 —————

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Name: Apex: Doan Davii: John Smaw John
Savage his mark
 Date: 1st Jan 1788

Then the above said of the Inventory of Capt Wm
Henderson & Co. was exhibited to the Court of the a
County by m Nathl Capt as one of the 12 pairs
of the said Plat and ordered to be put upon Record

Top Robert Houston 1868
Recorded Top Robert Houston 1868

An Inventory of part of Capt W^m Kendalls Estate being at in^d H^{is} Will and being
Divided by ~~W^m~~ W^m Waters and m^r Andrus Hamilton m^r John Davis
and Nathl Capea as being Appraised by m^r John Smaw m^r Dr
Roome and Head of Capt Thomas Savages m^r John Savages m^r
John Davis and Nathl Capea &c — — — — —

one old Sheep	100	one Small Table Coal	15
one old Blanket	5	4 Arac Napkins	10
one old Hammock	100	nine old Buds and one Bud	6
one white Blankett	60	of a Table Coal	3
one Pr white Blanketts	160	one Budd of Cupboard Coal	3
two Aire Coverlets	40	hair on W. 1/2 of Bow Window	33
one Suit of Coppered Out	2,80	one Small Look Glass	10
and vacant		one Small Top and one Tin	
one old Suit of Painted Quilt	140	pot one Bruse one Linen	
and vacant		from Low Shower one Grea	40
one Silver Dipa one Salt	205	for one Ivory Case of a Knife	
five Spoons Lillo			
two Brass Candelsticks	20		
one Brass Shiner one old brass	18		
trivet and old brass Candelstick			
one Pr of Indian Steel	120		
one Linen Suit of Quilt and vac	250		
four old Sheets	70	one Bowl one Ea of Fusion	18
one Pr of Sheets	130	one Bunch Shoe Thread	10
two new Sheet one old do	240	some Gimp upon a Board	30
Eleven Lipar Napkins	140	one Small Scale and a Groove	10
one Larg Table Coal Lillo	170	made like a Shoe	
one Pr old Sheets	60	Soav only two pounds of	650
four Indoffiant good Towels	25	Powder	
and two old Lillo		one Hoat for Bod bolster	900
three Pillow Box good and bad	35	and four Pillows	
		one Hoat for Bed	850

Top Robert Howson
Recorded Top Robert Howson } 66th A.D. 1840

An Inventory of Part of Capt W^m Hendricks Estate as
 Divided by Geo W^m Waterman Andrew Hammett m^r John
 Davis and Nathl Capoe and Appraised by m^r John Smaw
 in 1 Co room and Appraised m^r Thomas Savage m^r John Savage
 m^r John Davis and Nathl Capoe &c

Imp ^r one great Pine Chest	- 60	one Rem ^t green Edg	- - - - -	0009
Two good Iron Pot w Hook	250	a Boul Calfe a Round Shooter	- - - - -	12
one Copper Flow Pann	190	one Gryll one Board Tiney one	- - - - -	
one Brass Skillet	- - - - -	50 Rem ^t of Tape one Bundle of	- - - - -	30
one Pr of pot racks	- - - - -	250 Bow Dills	- - - - -	15
Two Earthen Pann one	- - - - -	301 Two Boxes w Rem ^t Ribbon	- - - - -	10
Puding pann and one	- - - - -	Two Pr Caided Rock	- - - - -	10
Supa	- - - - -	80 one old Corno one Pick	- - - - -	
one Finn Pann four ft	- - - - -	one Cook one Rock Rock w	- - - - -	
1220 Iron	- - - - -	50 out a Key one Gryll one	- - - - -	3
one Finn Skico	- - - - -	60 old Smooth Iron three Car	- - - - -	
Two Brass Caud Spick	- - - - -	2020 w tooth	- - - - -	
one Copper Dills one	- - - - -	30 one Calce one Pr old Sealer	- - - - -	
Brass Skimmer	- - - - -	one Pr of Iron Band Iron 140 and Coams one Pr Skoop	- - - - -	
one Brass Trevel	- - - - -	400 one Earthen Pot	- - - - -	
one Pr of Iron Band Iron 140 and Coams one Pr Skoop	- - - - -	one Long How Pot one	- - - - -	90
one Chest of Draw in	- - - - -	Earthen Pot w Hand one	- - - - -	
the Cell Chamber	- - - - -	How Pot one Cullor Pot	- - - - -	
Seventy and Seven Pr	- - - - -	one great Steane one great	- - - - -	
of Towler	- - - - -	1000 one small Dills	- - - - -	
one Turkey work Chair	- - - - -	one Geap in the Cell	- - - - -	
one Dogut Hook	- - - - -	600 one Sealer Skim Trunk	- - - - -	450
Seaven old Sealer Chair	350	one old Boufport three	- - - - -	
one wooden Dills	20	Pillows	- - - - -	950
one old Hook	- - - - -	205 one Suit of striped Sain	- - - - -	
Two Chests and one Trunk	300	Quilt and Vaceut	- - - - -	300
Two small River Sack one	- - - - -	one Long Table in the	- - - - -	300
Scale Dills one small Dr	- - - - -	Coupe	- - - - -	
Ham Supp Dills one old	- - - - -	one Goat Cor bed two	- - - - -	
small Supp Dills five	- - - - -	Boufport four Pillows	- - - - -	1050
How Spoons four old	- - - - -	Two Indofforant Pillow	- - - - -	
Dills	- - - - -	and two old Dills	- - - - -	30
one Pr Bride Cor	- - - - -	Two Courp old Shool	- - - - -	
one Finn Egg Pann one	- - - - -	one Pr Indofforant	- - - - -	165
Glasp Pot one Sup Pot	- - - - -	one old Shooter one Ind	- - - - -	32
one Pr of old Rocking one	- - - - -	ffberant good	- - - - -	
Dills a Box	- - - - -	one Pr Dills Indofforant	- - - - -	390
one paper Trunk one Day	- - - - -	one Pr good Camv	- - - - -	
1000 Mugg	- - - - -	one Pr Dills good	- - - - -	
one q Finn Pann	- - - - -	1000 Indofforant good Towler	- - - - -	20
one Finn Supp Box	- - - - -		- - - - -	
one Baggon one of	- - - - -		- - - - -	
read Laced	- - - - -		- - - - -	
one Aggate Cashed	- - - - -		- - - - -	
Kun fo	- - - - -		- - - - -	
	5003			4260

one our Table Board	72	Two Gunns Old ones	200
and one Side Table	72	1 Air Gun New	324
four good Napkins and		one Bifoxen and Powder Gun	80
two old	30	one Broken fire Shovel and Tonge	4
one Small Copper Kettle	40	1 small Iron Kettle	30
Table Board and one		one Gauge Wood	10
old Side		one Brass Ladle and Cupp	30
Eleven Diaper Napkins	140	1 large Earthen Water and one	20
Eleven Pieces of old Saddle	40	Stone Sugg	
one white Tuged Cover	100	one Greats Penns. Coat	150
one Pr of white Beads	270	Locks and Key to it	
one Indifferant Red Rug			2422
one green Coverlid	150		4260
one Suit of yellow Curt			5003
and Valance	225		
one old Cupboard	75		
one fire Shovel and			
Tong	20		
one Pr of Hanger	20		
two Pr of made up	30		
one Small old Brass Smooth	12		
Iron			
fourteen Loading weight	120		
one Pr of Scales Small			
and weight in A Box	133		
one Small Brass weight			
one Small Brass weight			
and Pr of Powder Cull	020		
one 1/2 yard of Red Tape	020		
two old Iron Hooks			

Total 11084

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Then take a true Part of the Inventory of Cap^t W^m Hendock, Esq^r that was Exhibited to the Court of the above said County by M^r M^r Capewell one of the appraisers of the said Part and ordered to be put upon Record — Test Robert Howson

Recorded Test Robert Howson

An Inventory of Part of Cap^t W^m Hendock, Esq^r as divided by M^r W^m Watson, M^r Andrew Hamilton, M^r John Davis and M^r M^r Capewell and appraised by M^r John Smaw, M^r Thomas Savage, M^r John Davis and M^r M^r Capewell being M^r Hendock's

one Clock	100	Bedchamber	750
one warming Pan	40	waisting	100
one Pr of Bedchamber	100	one Looking Glass	10
one Spinde of a mirror	25	one small Parlor Chair	10
and a small	50	one small Bedchamber	10
one Spindle	50	and two Pillows	10
one Round Table	100		

one great Brass House tag	108	Two oed Shool	165
South out		Two more Shool	
one Sate & Eggs and House	260	one Course new Shool	96
Two Iron Pot and Cook	250	one Pr Indifferent Dillo	120
one Smeol & Iron two Coal	250	one Pr good Dillo	175
a Parcell of Surway Instrumt	50	one Pr Indifferent Dillo	120
one Pr of Tongue and Hle a fork	50	one Indifferent Dillo	25
one Popoe and mortar ligny	60	one Indifferent Dillo	12
one Brass House and Shiner	120	Two Dillo oed	
one Brass Claspng Dillo		one oed Table Coal	12
and Brass Travell	30	one Diaper Table Coal	140
one Brass grayng Pan	40	Six oed Napkins	22
Two Brass Candel sticks	30	one good Towee one Thp	22
Two Earthen panning one Dp		one good Diaper Napkin	120
Three Plate one Porringer		Digital Pocco of oed Dillo	3
one Sall one Supp one	60	one of oed Dillo and	60
Small Dillo one Earthen		Two of oed Dillo	
one Linen Pan & Stirrup		one oed Dillo of oed Dillo	25
Ironing iron & Dp	60	one oed Supboard Coal	
Six of Bag & Dillo	150	and one oed Supboard	5
one Turkey work Dillo	18	one oed Cotton Blanket	15
one oed Shool one Coal		one oed Green Rugg	20
& Chair and one oed fram	40	one good Red Rugg	180
one Oapt and Supbar	100	one Couper Lick	50
w Draw		one Hcovered green Carpet	100
one Oapt my Hairs head	50	one Suit of wail Dilt and	250
one Silver Plate & three		vaccon	
oed Spoones two new Dp	205	one Dillo pine Table	40
one Candel Sup one Dp		one oed Cotton Blanket	50
Three of top yard Bing: oed	20	a Parcell of oed Dillo	2
one Paper Trunk Dillo		one oed Bice	140
Ivory box and a board of	30	one Small Case w four Cover	20
Dgny		Three Pocco of Sado Coat	30
one Testament a Parcell of		Laps	
Loop Buttons		Three Arrow Lick one	8
Half a pound wail Dp		Staple	
Three one Pocco of wail		one Toasting Iron	10
Laps two Cuncas Dillo		one oed Coal	10
Three one Gape Dillo		one oed Salting Camer	
one Spice mortar Brass		one Sounding Lead	6
one Dillo & Brush one		one wooden Charger	
Dick Dp two oed Sup	50	one pr of Hoop Iron	10
Two Earthen Dug one		Two oed Gunns	200
oed & Burn		Eleven Dp of new Linen	
one oed Brass Dillo	12	Low Dp and 1 oed made good	337
one Gunng board one Iron		one Stick w a Hole in it	
Cap one Searing Iron one			
Lacke Rock 1 pr Bone Copper			
one Pickaxe one Cook one			
oed Spice box woul a Lick			
Two Earthen Dp one			
Two Earthen Dp one			

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Twenty and Seven Cows
 one Real form
 one P^r of m^r in
 Hamilton had promised to
 Return in kind to Ann
 Hendall when Demand
 made by at
 one young & fair Bay
 and Saw Sea
 one great Demino Cows
 one Coal for Trunk

30 To 1 Young Steer 2 years Old - 100
 30 To 1 Yearling Calf - 13
 To 12 year old Cow for - 20

800

40
 40
 30

More Capped
 John Davis
 John O'Smaw
 R. mark
 John Savage

1035
 1035
 Total 1173

42 Tobacco

2538
 3290
 4432

Total 10380

Northampton January 1st 1708

That as a Copy Part of the Inventory of Capt W^m Hendall
 Deceased State was Ex. entered to the Court of the
 a Court said County by m^r John Davis one of the
 appraisers of the said State and ordered to be put
 upon Record - Topt Robert Howson

Recorded Topt Robert Howson

The Remainder of the Cattle not divided the first time being in
 November 1699 as P^r Inventory appears amounting unto
 3370^l Tobacco are now divided as follows each Lot
 coming unto 842^l Tobacco - (viz)
 To m^r Hamilton 1st one Red Steer of 1 year 3 months old - 350
 one Cow and Calf - 450
 To James Wall two Red Steers 1 year 3 months old - 700
 To John Hendall two Cows 1 year 3 months old each - 750
 To Ann Hendall one Brown Cow 1 year 3 months old - 390
 Two Steers 1 year 3 months old each one Brown and one
 Bay and white Calf R. R. R. and the other - 700
 Red Pig

842
 800

42

842
 700

142

842
 750

62

Rept. due
 Due to Cattle from Ann Hendall

Due to Cattle from Dillo

Due to Cattle from Dillo

James Wall Pt

John Hendall Pt

Due to Cattle

Nata Capoe: John Davis: To an^d Snow An marks

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Then as a cowe to Remained or Part of Cap^t W^m Hondas
Dissolved of late was Exhibited to the Court of the
Cove said County by m^r Nath^l Capoe as one of the
appraisors of the said Estate and ordered to be put upon
Recorded — Top Robert Howson

Recorded Top Robert Howson } W^m Northampton

An account of Cattle not divided being Lost being Lost, upon
the making up the account and belonging to the Estate of
Cap^t W^m Hondas are as follows

Five Acres, three years old Race 1750
one Cow and Calf 450

Three Acres, three years old Race a 390 P^r. Poor 1170

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3370

Then as a cowe to account of Cattle being Part of Cap^t
Hondas, the said Estate was Exhibited to the Court of the
Cove said County by m^r Nath^l Capoe as one of the app
raisors of the said Estate and ordered to be put upon Record

Top Robert Howson

Recorded Top Robert Howson } W^m Northampton

In the name of God Amen I John Robins Sen^r of the County of
Northampton in Eng^l Gent^l being in health of body, but of perfect
senses and memory (praised be God) but considering with my self that
frailty and mortality of this present transitory life & that all flesh
must submit to death when it shall please God to call us therefore hereby
make, declare, nominate, ordain, & appoint this my Last Will & Testament;
hereby revoking and annulling all former Wills & Bequests by me either
made or spoken, & my Will is that this only shall stand and be, for & as my
last Will & Testament, & none other, in manner & form following (that is to
say) I give & principally I commit & commend my Soul into the hands of
Almighty God my Creator who gave it, trusting & assuredly believing
(through the only merits of Jesus Christ) after this my last life ended to
inherit everlasting happiness, my body to be buried in earth as it was
before & decently & Christianly buried at the discretion of my Loving
sons & daughters hereafter nominated and for that purpose & whereby
I make it to be & please God Almighty, God of his great goodness to
bestow upon me (my just debts being paid & funerals charged & payed)
I give, sell, devise & bequeath, as followeth (viz^t)

I give, sell, devise & bequeath unto my Loving son Robins my plan
tation that I now live on containing of pasture three hundred and fifty
acres of land for the use of his estate during the natural life of my said son
Robins & his heirs forever after my said son John Robins and his heirs for ever
after the decease of my said son Robins & his heirs forever after
I give, sell, devise & bequeath unto my said son Robins

one negro woman called Betty Dumbo, as also one malleto girl
 named Sarah of daughter of Hannah White. Some future time of my
 my decess, Likewise I give unto my said sons Obidience Robt. The full
 Horse & mare, also I give unto my said sons Obidience my white &
 draught oxen, (likewise I give & bequeath unto my said sons Obidience
 the feather bed and furniture as it stands, (that) now hangs in, in my Parlor
 & my will & meaning is that my son John Robin have full & sole
 managem^t of w^h herein given my said sons Obidience & of off^s and benefit
 thereof over & above sufficient maintenance to my said sons Obidience
 (or my eldest sons) provided that by no means, he of said John Robin
 fail in or shall be thought a competent & plentiful maintenance & upage
 by of rest of my Executor & friend Inhabited Hereafter nominated according to &
 Cappacity he may be in, & his necessities w^h it is my intent & meaning
 that my said John Robin and his heirs for ever, have & retention of what is
 given off^s to my said sons Obidience off^s of said Obidience decess, & in case
 my off^s John Robin or his heirs sh^d refuse to take or not main-
 -tain my said sons Obidience Robin for, Comptably & plentifully as be-
 fore mentioned & expressed (w^h one to write on him constantly & add w^h it)
 then my true meaning absolute will & desire is that if my Part of my
 other Executor w^h of advice of any two of my friend Inhabited have full
 power & by this my last will & testament, sufficiently authorized to remove my
 said sons Obidience Robin to any of his other brothers (if they are in being &
 will except) or any where else on their refusal as they shall think fit, &
 my said son John Robin or his heirs sh^d fully to pay & defray the charge
 thereof for my said sons Obidience Robin his sufficient & competent maintenance
 and subsistence as off^s and avowing as his Exors may w^h during his
 natural life

Item I give will and devise unto my son Edward Robin Six hundred & eighty acres
 of Land w^h I took a platent for him in his own name & do acquit him of the
 charge accrued thereon: & these hundred & ninety acres of Land at of said of the
 Six hundred & eighty acres as off^s, leaving that breadth for my said son Tho-
 -mas Robin & his heirs that is from the Maryland line to the said line against
 against the said Lord Rouse & his heirs leaving that breadth up to the said line
 of of these hundred and ninety acres of Land I give of said Land off^s to my sons
 Edward Robin & his heirs Lawfully Begotten for ever, I do also give unto
 my two sons Edward & Thomas Robin, my will, and a brief Summa Equally,
 for their life between them, I do likewise give unto my son Edward
 Robin one negro man named James to him & his heirs for ever, and one
 silver beaver bowle, at waist in my state & one feather bed, couster, Rugg
 & blanket, the Long Table in the parlor and the forms in of Hall, & of the
 Robert in of Hall, Likewise I give & bequeath unto my said son Edward
 Robin off^s one negro woman named Purialah, with her future In-
 -crease after my decess to him & his heirs for ever, as also I
 give unto my said son Edward Robin one malleto boy named (Korob)
 son to Hannah which said of now upon my part of Jangolague Island
 I pay to my said son Edward Robin and his heirs for ever

Item I do hereby give & confirm unto my son Edward Robin of one hundred
 acres of Land w^h I formerly gave him in deed as may plainly appear
 by the records of Northampton County, & more upon of said line of
 said off^s beginning at a rock by George Miller his Northward
 running from thence Northward upon a direct line to Thomas Rouse
 Northward Corner line, and so along Thomas Rouse line to the

Line of hundred here to & said Thomas Robinson County two & has along from
thence upon Sweet Line, to the Southward Line of the said John Margst. Rd for
morely, I likewise give and bequeath to my said sons Littleton Robin, & ~~after~~
reversion of three hundred acres of Land with now in & possession of Mr George
Harriman, & Charles & Joseph Henry, which said Land was leased formerly
by me to John Daniel deceased, whereby I hold it to my said sons Littleton Robin
& his heirs for ever, likewise I give unto my said sons Littleton Robin one
Land with now in his possession, & I also give and bequeath unto my said sons
Littleton Robin, one negro girl named Jinary with all her jewels After
my decease to him & his heirs for ever, likewise I give unto my said sons one
young horse, also one young mare one young brague Island, & all her jewels
and one silver salt, also I give unto my said sons one feather bed & bolster
Rug and blanket, & one beautiful clock in my daughter's Room, —

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Robin & his heirs hundred & ten acres
of Land at & head of his brother Edward Land according to & bound thereof by
patent to him & his heirs forever hereafter for ever I give and bequeath unto
my said son Thomas Robin one negro man named Ned, ^{which is now in his poss-}
ession, I say to him & his heirs for ever, as also I do bequeath unto him &
said Thomas Robin all such movables that I have heretofore given unto
him likewise I give unto my said sons two hundred and fifty gallons of Iron
Coffers, I further give unto my son Thomas Robin, my second best suite of
Clothes that I shall have at my decease

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Esther the wife of Arthur Denwood of
County my & province of Maryland (also confirming what I have already
given her) two or three in fee of a negro, to be paid in six years two in each year
out of my stock one young brague Island, also one horse to be paid out of my stock
upon & Island after. which horse to be bequeath I likewise give unto my said
daughter Esther downward ten head of cattle the youngest of them to be year-
lings out of my stock at Jingoague, I likewise give & bequeath unto my affor-
said daughter Esther Denwood, & her heirs for ever the said ten head of cattle upon
my Part of Jingoague, it being for her life during her natural life, I likewise
give unto my six grand children Esther, Lewis, John, Perilla, Arthur & Betty Den-
wood, each of them ~~stock at Jingoague~~ ^{one} son, and daughter to the above Arthur
& Esther Denwood six yearling Heifers out of my stock at Jingoague Island there
father taking care to fetch them of my said Island as soon as they shall
have come, & said six yearlings to run in a yoke stock for the good of my affor-
said grand children, as also I give unto my said grand children two man servants out
of my stock upon Jingoague after. their father taking care to fetch them out
my said Island which said man servants to run in a yoke stock for & good of my
affor- said grand children sons and daughters to Arthur & Esther Denwood after to
said Heifers & man servants shall be equally divided between my six
grand children after, as they marry or come to age, I likewise give unto my
affor- said grand children sons & daughters to Arthur & Esther Denwood each
of them a silver spoon

Item I give and bequeath unto my son in Law William Stringer & Grace his wife my
daughter (also confirming to I have already given them) one negro woman
named Hannah with all her jewels jewels after my decease to them and their heirs
for ever further I give and bequeath unto my son in Law William Stringer
& Grace his wife my daughter one negro girl named Hagar daughter to & affor-
said son with all her jewels jewels after my decease to them and their heirs for ever
I likewise give unto my said son in Law of affor- said and Grace his wife my
daughter one negro of said woman named **PER** I likewise give to my
said son in Law William Stringer & Grace his wife my daughter
one of said woman's silver of one of broken, as also I give

& Request unto my said sons in Law Hillary Bringer and Grace his
Wife one feather bed and coverlet and quilt with lay and coverlet G 4
and a new tick to y^e said bed one pair of fine Holland Sheets, one looking
glass in the Little Chamber next the garden, I give farther unto my said sons
in Law Hillary Bringer & Grace his wife, four head of Cattle to be paid out
of my Stock upon Jingoague Island, here to be under thy sons old whor-
loured and there to continue during y^e said Hillary & Grace thine pleasure and
when any taken of, to have liberty to bring on as many more, not exceeding
four head it being for use during my daughter Grace her natural life
& it is my intent and meaning that there be a good care taken of the cattle
afforded by my Executors as they take of this one upon y^e said Island I
likewise give unto my said sons in Law Hillary Bringer one young horse to be paid
out of my Stock upon Jingoague afford. 15th said horse to be breakable, I
likewise discharge my said son Hillary Bringer from all dues, debts, and
demands, as may appear by my book or otherwise from y^e beginning of
y^e world to this day

I give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Eliza Robin Presely Head of
all my now dwelling plantation, being of them to be Cows and Calves, the calves
not to be reckoned in y^e number of the said twenty head, & y^e other four head male
and female as my stock will have now under yearling, one of which I'll leave
head to be a Killdeer Horse, all to be delivered the ^{same} after my decease and to
have their range as well as the rest of my stock there and looking after equally
to y^e best or Long as they remain unmarried, & after for one year (if desired) or
tell they can be removed at a reasonable time of the year & to have her Chamber
and accommodation free at my ^{cost} at my daughter, and the Liberty of pasturage for
a horse I give her on my said plantation where I shall allow, and I give unto my
said daughter my Mallico boy named William sons Betty Bomba & one single
girl named Mary w^{ch} said boy and girl with their persons after my decease I lay
to my said daughter & her heirs for ever, also twenty head of cattle more out of
my stock at Ingobague Island none under yearling two wherof to be Killdeer
Horse not under six years old to be paid within three years after my decease at
killing time or sooner if my stock will bear it & the other eight ^{cattle} males & females
as my stock will have some one year & some another, within three years at farthest
after my decease and to run on my said Island & be looked after in like manner as
y^e cattle given her at my dwelling plantation while she continue single and at
year after (if desired) for a reasonable time to remove them, also one good
breeding sow and piggs and a barrow not under two years old for to stay the
manure and goe away from my said plantation & then after to pay her five
bushels of wheat ~~and~~ for her self and three barrels of Indian Corn for
her mallico boy and his bedding and fix shillings & in y^e same time the said boy
and girl assist to have house and ground to plant one to the rest of the
servants for the maintenance & benefit of my said daughter, also one mare
upon Ingobague Island to run as her cattle with a gilt the price of y^e f^r mare
further give and Bequeath unto my said daughter Elizabeth Robin two new
feather beds one of them with a case of Linen on it made to y^e G^d
two staves, two pillows, one spotted rugg & one quilted quilt, a cane on each
side with a suite of Castles, curtains and valances, Bedstead, water, milk, and
cord, as it stands to y^e counterpane, Subbord and Linen tray (Closet) all belonging
to the said suite of Curtains & valances ~~and furniture~~ and a pair
of new flannee Blankets, bed coverlet or sheet of curtains and bellows of
(cane) with a white thread floor and blanket more being in the

Chamber bed & garden & tumbled bedstead matt and bed as it is now is run-
 ing under my bed, one pair of fine Holland shoes, one pair of fine Holland
 yellow shoes, the Braising lace in her custody one pair of fine double shoes
 and one pair of fine yellow shoes more, four other pairs of good shoes, four
 towels, fifteen napkins and a table cloth, of diaper, one dozen of new orna-
 -ment napkins, & a table cloth with, one iron pot of about two gallons, one
 iron kettle about ten gallons, a new fowpen, one brass fire mortar & pestle, one
 warming pan, two new brass & water in them to set a dish on, one brass
 about a pattern on these quantities in an iron frame, one trying pan, one pair
 of brass candlesticks, the was my fathers, the looking glass which is in the par-
 -lor is black (same two bunk), and a cedar box which was her Grandmothers
 Littletons, one of the bunks she have already in her custody, forty six pounds of
 new paste & a dozen of spoons, part of it was her fathers of a better ware,
 At her sister, & one box iron & keaters & tea & a ring to be looked after
 the rest of her stock as above said, I do further give unto my daughter Elizabeth
 Robins half a dozen of silver spoons marked F. R. I give unto my said daughter
 one young hoop, and one shift with lock and key, and one good spirit, I like-
 -wise give unto my said daughter Elizabeth Robins, half a dozen of new
 shoes, one pair of Holland shoes more, one new fowpen, one pair of iron
 shoes, & it is my intent & meaning that out of the treasury, the said
 given be upon my obligation, to continue during the said Elizabeth Robins
 my daughter her pleasure and when any taken of, to have liberty to bring
 on as many more, not exceeding the amount of the said, it being for her use
 -ing my said daughter Elizabeth Robins her natural life and it is my desire
 that there be as good care taken of it, as of the said, by my executor, as they
 take of there one upon it, the said, I give unto my daughter
 daughter Elizabeth Robins, one Dutch table in it, the said Chamber, I like-
 -wise give unto my daughter the said one gown & petticoats of good stuff, six good dou-
 -ble shifts, or Holland, or other linnen or good, six pairs of shoes made out
 of my leather four sets of linnen, five enough for it, the said one silver fowpen and
 one female necklace, which was her mothers one black hood and all other things
 belonging to her mothers wearing apparell and one pair of silver tooth
 pickers, and a suite of childrens linnen that Mr. Sarah mother brought
 out of England for me

Item I give and bequeath unto my sons John Robins twenty head of cattle at my
 now dwelling plantation, none to be under any one odd, with their increase after
 my decease to him & his heirs for ever, further it is my intent and meaning that
 the said cattle more than what I have away at my now dwelling plantation, shall
 be equally divided between my two sons, Littleton & John Robins, further it is my
 desire that my son Littleton Robins should have one hundred gallons of of good
 yearly for the first five years after my decease, to making & finding Casque butt
 of of calchad fowpen to make two hundred gallons, in any one of the said five years
 from the to the said part of year, as far as it is my will and desire that what cattle
 at that & of my marks at my sons Edward Robins the plantation at my
 decease shall be equally divided between my two sons Edward & Thomas Robins,
 to them and their heirs for ever
 I give and bequeath unto my son John Robins one fowpen to be washed and pillows
 bed, and one brass fire mortar and pestle, and one brass fowpen with a suite
 of yellow linnen and fowpen one yellow fowpen, and one black fowpen to him and
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 to them and their heirs for ever

I give unto my said son John Robins, my great gun, shoulder & tongue-
and the five shovels and tongue with case, & the sundry in the household
half a dozen of Low Leathers, & some, a pair of handgrips, my plate, the Table in
the parlor, the table cloth with napkins, & some, & further I give unto my said son
John Robins, one binding that standing now in my orchard to him & his heirs for
ever, also I give unto my said son John Robins, one old Table in the kitchen like
wife I give unto my said son John Robins, all my pewter, brass and iron, & what
I shall have left after Legacies paid as also all my, Gun, Case, & some, & some, &
my son Thomas Robins, is to have, after your great, Spill, on a small table, one
greenish one chaffing dish, and one smothering iron, further I give unto my said
son, all my Shavers, after Legacies paid, as also six pairs of good Shirts, & some, &
two pairs of Linnen, an old diaper, table cloth and a dozen of paper napkins, &
a dozen of orange napkins, and table cloth, one other long white table cloth
further I give unto my said son John Robins one negro man named Annadab
whereby I hold it to him and his heirs for ever, I likewise give unto my said son
John Robins, one malleable Bro. named back during the time of her Indenture as
will appear by the register of Quomach parish, to him and his heirs for ever
as also one white Bro. boy named John Smith, during his time, as will appear
by the records of Northampton County Court to my said son and his heirs for
ever.

Item I give unto my god daughter Margaret Walter daughter of Col. William
Walter one young Cow and Calf to be delivered at my house dwelling in
the next Spring off with all their increase after my decease to her and heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto the four eldest Children of my Kinswoman Frances
Powell the wife of Samuel Powell two yearling Heifers, and a mare Calf to
be paid out of my Stock, their father taking care to feed them being
said Heifers and Calf to run in a joyful Stock, for the good of the said Children
which said Heifers & mare, with their increase shall be equally divided as they
come to age or minding.

Item I give unto my son in Law Hillary Sturges one young mare more to be delivered
within a twelve month after my decease to him and his heirs for ever.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Robins, three ten head of Sheep to
be paid out of my Stock, & some, twelve months after my decease to him and his heirs
for ever also one good flogger, one iron Spill and dandricks Case, & some, &
bottles, and three small ditto also one great Chalk in Betty's Room, also my
suite of Floater, that I shall have at my decease, as also one small Cubber
in the parlor & three wooden Chairs marked M.S. these wooden Chairs more

Item Whereas I have given herein to John Robins the portion of what I have given
to my sons Obadiah, notwithstanding I do hereby give full power to my sons
Obadiah to dispose of ten head of Cattle in his Life time or at his death as he
thinks fit so to do.

Item It is my true intent and meaning that after my Legacies and gifts are
paid, that all of my Estate which I have or without be it of what
quality soever, to be equally divided between my said Children.

Item I give and bequeath unto all my whole wife little & part of of my
loyalty of that parcel of Land upon Long Island being the one half
part, granted by patent bearing date April 21st 1691 unto William Knickerbocker
and me John Robins, & some, of Northampton County in the County of Long Island
Say I give unto the aforesaid Knickerbocker & his heirs, & assigns for ever, &
that has bought or purchased any kind of the said Knickerbocker, within the off
patent, always, provided he pay one of the aforesaid Knickerbocker, shall receive
up unto the said John Robins, his heirs, & assigns, a good & certain
two hundred acres of Land, a cross the aforesaid Island, & some, &
a former Contract, it being the moiety of five thousand &
acres of Land upon the aforesaid Island, but upon refusal to give my
Executors and assigns of my said Conscience affording and then.

and bequeath unto my wife and little that I have by survivorshipp
 of f. said patent in joyntbananceys or affors. unto my Executors in Com-
 mon which shall be hereafter nominated and their heirs for ever —
 Item I give and bequeath my whole part which justly & long I have of
 Mingoague Island, on the sea side in the County of Accomack in Virg. which
 purchase of m. William Kendall, deceased, unto my five sons, obedience, Edward,
 Littleton, John, & Thomas Robins, to my man and woman, George Black, &
 Hannah, thereon (who by no means to be taken, but to remaine there to
 look after the stock as now they doe) with all my stock of Cattle, mares,
 Rops & hogs, which shall be thereon at the time of my decease (over
 & above what are now in, and by this my will bequeathed and given away
 which my will is they punctually pay and deliver according to my true in-
 tent & meaning) then the whole remainder & residue with the said man &
 woman affors. said to f. five sons, for their joynt and equal benefit and
 advantage and their heirs for ever, to all these I have & profits & whatsoever
 and my will is that my said sons hold not any Part of the said Island as joynt
 tenants, to take advantage of each others survivorshipp but as tenants in
 common, and from that time that either or any of my said sons, proper
 to sell, lett or dispose of all or any part of his or their interest on the
 Island, to any but to one another, this bequest as to his or their part to
 be void & determine and be utterly void, as if it had never been any thing begin-
 to f. contrary in any wise notwithstanding, my true and sole intent and
 meaning herein being, only for the better and more perfectly full lively-
 hood and subsistence of them and their heirs after them, whilst they
 continue in this world and therefore by no means not to be aliened from
 each other but to continue in Concord or Brethren according to their own
 paternall Care of them

Item This Codicill unto this my affors. being Joynted to a former will by me
 made on mature and deliberate consideration doe in all particulars, and
 according to the true sense and meaning of this my present will
 Ratify, Confirm, and allow

Item I give unto my son Littleton Robins one small Island called Fiden Island
 containing fifty three acres by m. Edmund Harbuck his surveyor where-
 of by, I hold it to be my said son Littleton Robins and his heirs for
 ever

and lastly I do hereby constitute, nominate, make, and appoynte my said five
 sons, afors. named my joynt and absolute Executors, of this my last will
 & testament, hereby Impowering any two of them to act to the advice
 of any two or more of my Hon. friends & Loving friends Capt. William
 Watters, Capt. Thomas Savage, m. George Harmanson and Hillary Stronger
 Whoms I earnestly request to be assistants to my said Executors in the
 punctual performance, of this my will and that my Executors pay
 each of them Sixtyone Shilling, For a Ring (if they please to wear it
 in remembrance of me) In testimony & Confirmation that this is my
 Last will and testament. Containing five sheets of paper with one
 side and part of the sixth and numbered from one to six, and sewed to-
 gether with three at the top of them and the Codicill afors. mentioned
 sewed unto this last sheet I have hereunto sett my hand and affixed my
 Seal this fifth day of December and in the sixth year of R. Maj.
 reigns and one: 1707

in every part
 that I have subscribed of this my last will & testament

12 is before signing and sealing hereof
Signed & delivered in the
presence of us

Nathaniel Littleton
Thomas Savage
John Savage
Francis Steele

The marks
of John Joh Robin



Wilmington, N. C. May the 28th 1709

Then to a good Wife and Testament of Major
John Robin Esq. and Son, the said, signed and sealed
by of 4th 1704, and the other said 24th day
of March 1709 - were proved in open Court by the
Singulars, to wit, Nathaniel Littleton, Thomas Savage and John
Savage and approved of by the Court and ordered to be
so Recorded - Test Robt. Houghson

Recorded Test Robt. Houghson

Be it remembered that I John Robin Esq. of Northampton in
Eng. Gent. by this Certificate or Affidavit to my last will and testa-
ment (out of Love & affection I have & bear to my Sons Nathaniel Robin
for my Son & his kinsman Rowman Littleton Esq. hath by his last will
and testament in Confirmation of it certain sums of Cobbe and Appu-
to be paid by my said Son Nathaniel Robin, to the heirs or executor of my said
Rowman Littleton, & a small piece of land to be given or conveyed
by me to them desired and requested to my said Son Nathaniel Robin & Son
pieces of land lying & being contiguous & adjacent to my said Son Nathaniel
land by me given him, for my Son & Rowman Littleton Esq. small piece of
land for my said Son, by my said Rowman Littleton Esq. last will & testament (viz) lying
on y^e western side of Poplar branch & Eastward on y^e said Rowman Littleton
till it come to his head line, even to y^e line of y^e full William Whittington
Land, viz. he had by his wife in y^e Littleton it containing fifteen acres
more or less, and being in sumpt. County in y^e Province of Maryland unto y^e
Bios of y^e said Rowman Littleton as in his last will & testament expressed
(that is to say) unto his brother Nathaniel Littleton & my brother in law
Richard Waters all y^e small piece of Land afore mentioned, to y^e benefit
Immunities and privileges thereunto belonging to the said Nathaniel Robin
during their natural lives, & also the natural line of their wife, and
at y^e decease of either parties at Nathaniel Littleton and his wife or
Richard Waters & his wife, that their y^e heirs shall have the same
then immediately to y^e male heirs of his brother Nathaniel Littleton, or
beginning of his body, & for want of such heirs to y^e male heirs
of his brother Littleton lawfully begotten & his body, & for want of such
heirs, unto his heirs at Common Law, & at y^e decease of all y^e afore-
said parties, at Nathaniel Littleton & his wife, & Richard Waters & his wife, y^e then
to a good mentioned Rowman Littleton and requested that I should give & convey
twenty of Land to all y^e appurtenances thereunto, as complete may possibly
returne, to y^e heirs of the said parties, as above, and my heirs and assigns
will and desire is that the afore specified small quantity or parcels of
Land above herein given and requested to be given to the said

and Confirmed by me or my heirs, heirs or any of y^e heirs of the said
 Bowman Littleton Doe as fully as y^e Law can Desire according to y^e purport
 true intent and meaning of y^e said Bowman Littleton his Last Will and Testament
 and In Confirmation hereof y^e said John Robins Rase himself set my
 hand & affixed my Seal the first day of y^e 6th moth 1707

Signed Sealed & delivered in y^e presence
 of W. M. Water

John Robins 

James + Charles
 mark a

Northampton 1st May 1707

Benjamin Baynton
 Thomas Savage

That the foregoing Oath or Oaths of the said
 Wile of Major John Robins Doe bearing date y^e
 first day of y^e 6th moth 1707 in above said witness
 proved in open Court by the Corporate oath of
 John + Charles Water, James Charles and
 Thomas Savage and approved of by the Court
 and ordered to be Recorded

Test Robert Houghton

Recorded

Test Robert Houghton

Northampton

Whereas I John Robins Rase in my Last Will & Testament bearing date
 y^e 5th day of December 1707: as by y^e said Will, Bill appears, give and grant
 unto my eldest son Obadiah Robins, my plantation of y^e good line on
 containing by passport nine hundred and fifty acres of land with the
 tenements &c: for y^e use and intent according as is expressed in the said Will but
 on a pious consideration (my self & my Son John Robins now both
 according to the good will and pleasure of God being very Rich and wealthy
 body) not knowing what it may please God to take out of this world
 first and I cast it should be his good pleasure, that my Son John Robins
 first die or depart this life before me, that then and in that case I should
 give and do as by give & bequeath (in this Oath or Oaths to my self will)
 unto my Grandson Peter Robins y^e Son of my Son John Robins and
 Katherine his wife & to his heirs for ever, all y^e part of my land lying being
 or adjoining to all places commonly called y^e towns of Northampton two
 hundred and more or less bounded southerly on y^e land now called y^e town of
 Lanning to the Locatours office of this Colony of Virg: West & Northwily on
 Cherry Stone Creek, Easterly on a small Creek that part y^e said land and my
 dwelling house and lies up the said Creek to y^e land now called y^e town of
 to him and the said Peter & his heirs for ever also I hereby give to my said
 Grandson Peter Robins all y^e tract or parcel of Land whereon David Webb
 now lives on containing one hundred acres more or less formerly Icheated by
 my brother, & by me purchased of her according to it, bound to him y^e said
 Peter & his heirs for ever, any thing in my aforesaid will to y^e contrary
 notwithstanding, also I hereby give and bequeath unto my above Grandson
 Peter Robins a certain parcel of Land by estimation one hundred acres
 more or less situate lying & being in Northampton County, adjoining or
 bounding on y^e land of Daniel Williams Eastwily bound of his land adjoining
 or bounding Northwily on Thomas Sheppard & Justice Sanders Land,
 Westwily on y^e land I have given to my Son, Littleton Robins & southerly
 George Willis Land to him & his Peter Robins and his heirs for ever

I hereby give to my Son John Robin all of that part of land
by estimation one hundred & twenty acres more or less & by estimation at
given away not sold to any one for my use & will be such land as I
now called Davis mill & mill of said John Robin and his heirs for
provided notwithstanding that if it shall please God that I shall depart this
life before my Son John Robin that then & in of said land may be & will
of land by me given to my said grandsons being Robin, Richard & Edward
I hereby give & agree to my said Son John Robin all the same or
assigne for ever, any thing after herein to the contrary notwithstanding
And whereas (as is above) now in my last will & testament bearing date of
day of Decem^r 1707 as by y^e said will, will and may appere, giving
grant unto my eldest Son Obidience Robin my Plantation of 100 Acres
on Centansing by patent, mine and his & finally says of Land by
De. for y^e use & benefit of said Obidience Robin as is expressed in y^e said will & of my portion to
my Son John Robin his heirs &c. under certain conditions by my said Son
John Robin Express to be performed, now for it is & my meaning & desire
if it shall please God my Son John Robin should spend his life before me
that then and in that case said Son John Robin give over & resign of my said Son John Robin
the now wife of my Son John Robin shall have his life & his heirs and
enjoy during his natural life all of my Plantation being given a gift by
estimation one hundred & twenty acres to my Son Obidience Robin & his heirs
the profit of all y^e manning and profits of all y^e manning in my said Son
will have given to my said Son Obidience Robin the said Son John Robin performing as
I every the condition for y^e said Son John Robin his heirs and my Son John Robin
was to do, if living at my death y^e said will may appere & on no other
condition to forever, provided also for if my said Son John Robin shall
think fit to marry again and take an other wife that then in that
case shee with her say and shall forthwith at y^e request of my executor
and overseers of my said will Enter into sufficient bond to the said Obidience Robin
they will maintain and keep y^e said Plantation in his sole & sole use & use
separate till y^e death or death of my said Son John Robin shall come to enjoy it
or during his natural life & if hee Refuse to Enter into such bond that y^e
he shall lose his life to y^e said Plantation, any thing herein to the contrary
notwithstanding, also to y^e crop of Corn or grain of any kind growing on this
my Plantation at my death I give to my Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
of my death to my daughter Katherine his wife y^e said Son John Robin
the said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
my Plantation a land at my death shall be and remain to y^e said Son John Robin
of y^e family of I have remitted there with out y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
being, also I give to my Son John Robin all my stock of Hogs out of my
Plantation except 15 before given, & also except two good Hogs out of my
to y^e pigs, & two Liberty Killable Carrows to y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
Robin, also I hereby give to my Son John Robin his heirs & his wife y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
head of Cattle on y^e said Plantation I have more stock in proportion to y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
or Liberty already given him for continuation of y^e said Son John Robin his heirs & his wife
act and Civil Law to my said will I have reserved unto my said Son John Robin
this 25th day of March 1709

Signed sealed and delivered in y^e presence of

Wm. Walker
Dwight Wess

his mark

Elizabeth Loring

his mark

John Robin

his mark

John Robin

his mark

Attest Camp 11th of May 1709

Thomas & John Robin

Proposed Will of my Son John Robin

Attest Camp 11th of May 1709

John Robin

his mark

Seven hundred and thirty six a good paid also Proved
in open Court by the Corporation of the City of
William Water and Mr. Elizabeth Roberts and approved
of by the Court and ordered it to be Recorded
Toft Robt. Howson }
Recorded Toft Robt. Howson } the Northampton

In the Name of God Amen

I Charles Gedding being Sick and weak of Body but of perfect
Sense and memory praise be to God for the same and being
to mind the short and transitory life not knowing how
soon it may please God to call me out of the same do
think fit to make this my last will and Testament hereby
disposing of that worldly Estate which it hath pleased
God to bestow on me in manner and form following —

I give and bequeath unto the Child of God who gave it
me and my Body to the Earth to have a Christian and
Decent Buriall as to my Executors shall see meet

I give with and bequeath to my Son Charles Gedding my
Gun Sword and all my wearing Appurtenances —

To my Grand Son Southey I do give and bequeath
and bequeath to my Son Charles the next best part
of any of my Estates —

What other more or more or less or of my Estates that have
been commonly called paid or known to be conveyed
any of my Children before the said Charles and I have hereby
ratified and confirmed to them and their Heirs as fully and
amply as if I had hereby particularly said so —

To my Daughter Comfort I do give and bequeath and I hereby
give and bequeath to her one Riding and three pence in full of
what I owe my Debtors more out of my Estate —

The Plantation whereon I now live with all Appurtenances
also one Negro called ^{Robert} Farrell I hereby give with and bequeath
to my Son Charles Gedding and my three Daughters Hope Robin
and Agatha Gedding for and towards the Support and maintenance
of my said Son and three Daughters above said during their
my said three Daughters living unmarried or till their Death
which it shall please God shall first happen and Release
or all of them shall think fit to marry that then the Reversion
of my said Plantation and Negro Robert shall be paid
or all of their Parts that shall marry shall be and
Remains to my Son Charles Gedding and his Heirs for
ever — Provided nevertheless that my three Daughters
and their Heirs shall not be bound in anything a good
Portion to the contrary or coming to the contrary that my

Son Charles have no part or Proffit of the said
 Negroes but the my said three Daughters be all married or
 to be married & the said first Cyprien and that in any of my said
 Daughters married she to have her part in the Proffit of
 the said negro and when any my Daughter marry then the
 said negro to be to my Son Charles and his Heirs for ever
 And as the said of my said wife with in her will or with out of
 what kind or Quality I ever there by give and Bequeath to my
 said Son Charles and my three Daughters Hope Hope and
 Agatha Godding to be equally divided amongst them and
 to have each their parts at the age of Eighteen Years
 or Day of marriage but not to have or see the same with
 out the Consent of my Brother in Law Mr. Isaac Dixon and
 my friend William Waters who I have by Deed and Impower
 to see that my will performed as near as they can according
 to the true intent and meaning thereof or either of them
 and I do make Confidants and appoint my said Son Charles
 and my three Daughters Hope Hope and Agatha Godding to
 be joyful Executors of this my said will and Testament
 but none to act under the age of Twenty one Years and for
 Confirmation hereof and that this is my said will and
 Testament I have hereunto put my hand and fixed my
 Seals the 30th Day of Aprill - 1709

Signed Sealed and Delivered

in the Presence of

Wm. Waters

Robert W. Warren

Edwin Moore

Thomas Moore

Then the above said last will and
 Testament of Charles Godding
 was proved in open Court of the above said County
 by the Corporate Oath of Robert Warren Edwin Moore
 and Thomas Moore and approved of by the Court to be
 and lawfully proved and ordered to be Recorded

Attest Robert Howson
 Recorded - Test Robert Howson - 1709

In the Name of God Amen

I, John Wickins of the County of Northampton in Virginia being
 sick and weak of body but of perfect memory proposed &
 solemnly (God doe make good) that my last will and Testament
 in manner and form following (is) —

First and Principally I humbly Comend and Commend my
 Soules to almighty God my Creator my Body to His Church to
 be decently Interred in Earth and desired by His loving to have
 a Joyfull resurrection and to obtaine Everlasting Life
 through the only merits of my alone Saviour Jesus Christ
 and as for the Temporal Estate I leave I leave God to
 Judgew me with all my last will being paid I desire
 give will and Bequeath in manner and form following
 that is to say —

I give will and Bequeath to Waltham Wickins Son to my
 Argos Wickins my Plantation where Peter Ropes now
 Liveth that is to say all the Land I have lying on my
 Brother Argos's Land with all the appurtenances
 thereunto belonging to the aforesaid Waltham Wickins
 and his Heires Executors Administrators and assigns
 for ever —

I give will and Bequeath to my Mother Peter Wickins
 my Greater God and Begger and the furniture thereunto
 belonging now in the Possession of Peter Ropes —

I further give and Bequeath to my Mother the Proceeds
 of two Little Tobacco Sout for vry and assigned to Thomas
 Sandford —

I further give to my Mother my Part of the Share of five or six
 Charges out of the aforesaid ^{share} parts to be paid —

I nominate and appoint my Loving friend Georg Harmanson
 my Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament where
 to I have putt my hand and fixed my Seale this 20th of March
 1708

Signed Sealed and Delivered

John Wickins: of Seal

In the presence of
 John F. Shepard
 John F. Shepard
 John F. Shepard
 John F. Shepard

Northampton 1st May 20th 1709
 That the above last will and Testament
 of John Wickins deceased was proved in open
 Court of the aforesaid County by the Oath
 of John F. Shepard and John F. Shepard
 and allowed of by the Court to be a true and
 correct Copy to be put upon Record

Test Robert Howson
 Recorder of Northampton

I the said John of the County of Northampton in Virginia being
Rich and weak in body but of sound and perfect Sound Mind
Prayed be God so make this my last will and Testament —

I doo bequeath my Soule to almighty God my Creator, Redeemer
and praying that he will Receive my Soule into his Holy
Kingdom and for any meritts of mine but by and through the
meritts and for the Sake of our Lord Jesus Christ my only
Savior and Redeemer, firmly becoming the Repentance at
the last saying I give and bequeath to the Church from
whence it came and desire the same may have a Christ
and Christian Buriall at the Discretion of my well Beloving
wife and after my worldly parts I give and bequeath in manner
and form following —

I give and bequeath to my well Beloved Daughter Martha Warren
and my Son in Law Joseph Warren my Father Martha, Husband
my Negro man two Cowes one mare my Doggs and all my
largest pater Silver one hundred and one shillings and six
pence of Bankes on foot and six shillings on foot and six
pence on a large holding of land —

I give and bequeath to my well Beloved wife all the rest of
my goods after my Debt is payed including her Natural
Life and then what is left to be my wife's to hold
my five Sover and I doo appoint my Loving wife to be my
and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament in
witness whereunto I Set my hand and Seal this 14th
January 1705 —

Signed and Sealed —

For Deceased —

George Gordon

William Jarvis

Witnessed and Sealed —

After Deceased —

Northampton 14th Jan 30th 1705

Thomas a Dove paid last will and Testament of After
Luna George Gordon, Deceased in open Court of the same
said County by the Court of the said County of Northampton
and William Jarvis and allowed of by the Court to be
and as such Probate and ordered it to be put into Record

Test Robert Howson
Recorded Test Robert Howson 1666th Northampton

- I William Smith being Sick and weak of body out of respect
to my friends and neighbors and being to mind the Inflexibility of the
Life do hereby make this my last will and Testament Revoking
and annulling all other will or wills by me made —
- Item — I give my Soul into the hands of him that gave it and trusting
in and through the mercy of my Lord and Saviour Jesus
Christ to enjoy everlasting life my body to be Buried from
inquest it came in —
- Item — I give and Bequeath unto my Brother John Smith my whole
Tract of Land that I did possess God to be given me with and
if he dy before at age then my Son or if he die before
Hester the Son of William Hester and Ann his wife should
enjoy the same and enjoy the afore said tract of Land that I do
now belong to him and his heirs for ever —
- and I do hereby give and Bequeath unto my Brother Thomas
Smith my whole Tract of Land that I did possess God to be given me with and
if he dy before at age then my Son or if he die before
Hester the Son of William Hester and Ann his wife should
enjoy the same and enjoy the afore said tract of Land that I do
now belong to him and his heirs for ever —
- Item — I give unto Thomas Hunt one two year old Cow
to be his and enjoy the same —
- Item — I give unto Thomas Hunt all the Rest of my Estate after
all my debt shall be paid that he can find that I do
own to him or have any way. I give unto him the whole
of any one to him and his heirs I appoint Thomas Hunt
my whole and sole Executor of this my last will and Testament
or after signed Sealed in the Presence of us: Inter and before
Signed in two places and one time and two parts Sealed out —
- For John Tompson
as
Thomas Tompson }
as
mark }
mark }
William Smith
his mark of Seal &
Not Notion for May the 30th 1709
Then the above said last will and Testament of William
Smith deceased was proved in open Court of the above
Said County by the Oath of John Tompson and
Thomas Tompson and allowed of by the Court to be
true and valid and ordered it to be Recorded —
- To Robert Howson
Recorded by Robert Howson } 1667 Notion
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one Small Table & two Landed Clocks: & my wife
and Sister that my two Daughters & I sell at age when
they drive to Eighteen Years: and it is my wife and Sister
that my Loving wife Elizabeth Evans Do my Execution
to execute to my dearest wife and Testament and my Loving
Friends do as Harmanfon and Henry Stringer to be our
Sons of the Same and after my Deft Soul, are paid
I give and Bequeath all the rest of my Estate in California
to my Loving wife Elizabeth Evans and after I have
seen my Land and Seal at the ^{my dearest wife} ~~last~~ ^{day} of January 1703 -

Sealed Signed and Delivered

Thomas Evans

made - ye Son -

Witness of us -

George Gordon

Thomas Collier

The mark of Th M Mapp

Northampton May the 29: 1703

Then the above said Deft wife and Testament of
Thomas Evans deceased was proved in open Court by
the Corporators of George Gordon and Thomas
Collier and allowed of by the Court to be authentic
Records and ordered it to be put upon Record -

Test Robert Houpson 166: Notary
Recorded Test Robert Houpson

In the Name of God Amen the 7th day of March
1703, I, an Ecclesiastical being Sick and weak in body but good in Spirit
Senses and memory praised be to God almighty for the Same
I do give and Ordain this to be my Deft will and Testament
in manner and form following: I do hereby Revoking all other
will and wills, be my former, made this to be my Deft will and
Testament of now other -
I give and bequeath my Soul unto God almighty that gave it
me wholly trusting in His merits, for ever lasting life
with Him in the Kingdoms of Heaven and my body to the
Earth from whence it came -

I give and Bequeath unto my Loving wife Mary Sonner
my Horse Cutton and a Sorrel mare and two Obedient Steers,
and one Cow rope and one Bull and all my Stock of
Cows and a white mare and one Gun -

I give and Bequeath unto my Son John Sonner my
Looms and Carpet Treadles belonging as also my
Land mill and a Rigor that is called Mill as also all
the Sheep that is called Rigs and a mare and
that I have of a mare & called a Cow -

and all the rest of my estate to be Equally divided
between my wife and Children after my decease paid
and my will and Testament that my Son John Sooner should
have him self when he shall arrive to age of 21 years
and all my Land about at sixteen bar of age.
And do appoint my loving wife to be my sole and sole
Executrix of this my last will and Testament

And I do appoint John Savage and Hammon Executors
and John Talbot to see that my estate is divided according
to this my last will and Testament whereof I have here
unto set my hand and Seal this Day and Year above written
To be within written I have Signe and Seal and do own it
to be my last will and Testament

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of
Johna Cowdry
Hammon Executors

John Talbot

To

mark I and Seal
of John Sooner



Northampton May the 23rd 1709

Then this a true and last will and Testament of John
Sooner Esq^r was proved in open Court of the County
said County by the Jurors called of Hammon Executors
and John Talbot and allowed of by the Court to be a true
and last will and Testament and ordered it to be put upon Record

Test Robert Henson

Recorded Test Robert Henson

In the Name of God Amen

I Thomas Harman Esq^r of Northampton County in Virginia
being at this time in a very weak condition but of good perfect
sound mind and memory praised be the Lord for the same
but willing to mind the frailty of all flesh and how
uncertain our time in this world and that all must give
unto Death when ever it shall please the Lord to be
In the high Peace I Command my Soul into the hands
of a merciful God who gave it me and to my Saviour Jesus
Christ who Redeemed me Lusting that in and through
his meritorious Death and Passion I should Commaⁿd me
to be delivered of this Lusting life and my body's Committ to
the Mother that shall be lawfully Buried at the Discretion
of my Executors Hereafter named and of all my temporal
matters that God has a care my Soul to be preserved
in a safe place Graciously appeared to me and I have
as hereafter mentioned and I do

My wife and I desire if I had my Plantation whereon I
Now Live containing of four hundred acres of land
Shall be and Remains for my Son Thomas Harmanson
to live and live his for ever — — — — —

And for want of such heirs then my wife is that I had it
Shall pass unto my Daughter Rebecca Aringer and to her
heirs male for ever and for want of such heirs then
to be and Remains to my Brother Henry Harmanson &c

My wife and I desire is and I do hereby give and bequeath
to my Daughter Rebecca Aringer and to her heirs male
Lawfully begotten of her body one hundred acres of land
whereon James Huelon now liveth and for want of
such heirs then to be and Remains to my other four
hundred &c — — — — —

My wife and I desire is and I do hereby give and Be-
queath that land formerly my Brother William Harmanson
be it of what nature or Quality soever unto my Son
Thomas Harmanson and to his heirs for ever and for
want of such heirs then to be and Remains to my
Daughter Rebecca Aringer and to her heirs male
Lawfully begotten of her body and for want of such
heirs then to be and Remains to my Brother John
Harmanson and his heirs &c — — — — —

My wife and I desire is and it is my will and sole desire
that my loving wife Grace Harmanson shall live
and enjoy all my whole estate be it of what nature
or Quality soever that I have not in this my last
will and Testament disposed of during her natural
life but if I should marry again I do not to enjoy
any part of ^{my} land — — — — —

I do give and bequeath to my Son Thomas Harmanson
one Silver Tankard to him and his heirs for ever one
white horse one black Tramp one gray mare one
pony and one yearling horse one steers of about five
years old one heifer of four years old and one Bull
of three years old and all the hogs marked with
Dropt on both sides and a Cole in each ear and
two Skins in the left ear which I do give
as a forprose with all their future Increase — — — — —

42. I also give unto my said Son one Square black walnut
one Great Chubbard one hand vice one hatchet one
Rugg blanket one pair of shoes with a curtain and
backside one Iron Kettle of a bounties or soon yea
also one pine chest one small cedar chest and one
black walnut one one small gun one pair of shoes
and one sword all which I do give to him
as aforesaid also one great powder bag —

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Debra Aringer
two Cowes and Calves five swine with all their future
Increase to her and her heirs for ever one small
chubbard one Iron Pot one black walnut chest
one powder quart Forkard all which I do give as aforesaid
also one Rugg —

Item My will and Desire is that all that I have and Remain after
my wifes Death be of what Quality or Condition soever
excepting the Cowes and all the Cattle and the
Swine shall be Equally Divided betwixt my Son
Thomas Harmanfon and my Daughter Debra Aringer
or their heirs —

Item My will and Desire is and I do hereby give and bequeath
all the Swine properly mine that I have and
will becoming to them after my wifes Death unto my
Son Thomas Harmanfon and his heirs for ever —

Item My will and Desire is that my Son Thomas Harmanfon
shall be my whole and Sole Executor of all my
Last will and Testament and that my Brother John
Harmanfon and Henry Harmanfon will be Overseers
or assistants to my said Executor to see that my Last will
and Testament be performed that I have and do hereunto
and meaning of all my Last will and Testament and
to be taken for the same and use thereof
Revoking all other wills heretofore by me made
In Confirmation of the same I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my Seals this 31st Day of
March Anno Domini 1709 —

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of us —

Wm. Durr
James Huelon
Joseph x Seely
— in mark
Nathl. Capoa

The master of the

Harmanfon Son

Northampton May the 28th 1703

Then the willing mentioned Last will and Testament
of Anna Harmanson Ten Shillings was proved in open
Court of the aforesaid County by the Corporate
Clerk of m^d William Dunn James Hutton and others
Clerks and allowed of by the Court to authentic
Probate and Ordered it to be put upon Record —

Test Robert Howson
Recorded Test Robert Howson

Virginia — In the Name of God Amen —

I Robert Gascoigne of Northampton County being Sick and weak
of body but of Sound and perfect memory Sense and Understanding
Praised be God for the same do make Ordains and Assigns
That my Last will and Testament in manner and form following
Revoking all other wills Testaments by me in this world
at writing — I being Sane and Serry from the
Bottom of my heart for all my Sins I Commit my Soule
into Gods hand that gave it trusting through the merits of
Jesus Christ my Saviour and Redeemer to obtaine Salvation
and my body I Commit to the Ground from whence it
came to be Sincerely Buried at the Discretion of my
Executrix hereafter named: Now for the Temporal
Estate wherewith it is blessed I praye God to reward me
I give and Dispose and Bequeath in manner and form
following —

I give that my Last Soule be Promptly paid with
out Delay — I give and Bequeath all the rest of
my Estate after the payment of my Said Soule to my
wife Anna Gascoigne and I doe make my Said wife
Anna Gascoigne my Sole Executrix of this my Last will
and Testament —

I leave in my wifes Custody all my Children whilste they
be under 21 years of age to wit Harman Bridgell Tamar and Saul
and in so far as my wifes Life I leave Tamar and
Saul to my Sister Bridgell Harmanson and Bridgell I
leave to John Micae and his wife Sara —

I doe hereby authorize and appoint my wife Anna
Gascoigne to Receive my Shrift Books of Robert
Scott —

I Superior Robert Scott Benjamin Nottingham and John
Harmanson to and app^t my wife in Recalling
and paying all my Debt In witness whereof I have
Recorded Sell my Land and Seal this 14 Day of Aprill
Ann Dom - 1709 — — — Robert Gaspaigne —

Teste John Malheur

William Gaspaigne

John Tracy —

Northampton - 4th Seals - May the 28 - 1709

That has a bona fide wife and Testament of Robert
Gaspaigne Deceased was proved in Open Court of the
a bona fide County by the Corporate Cal^l of John Mal-
heur and William Gaspaigne and allowed of by the Court
to be authentic Records and ordered it to be Recorded

Teste Robert Houghton
Recorded Teste Robert Houghton } ~~Teste~~ Northampton

In the Name of God Amen

I John Giffen of Northampton County being Sick and weak
in body but of Perfect Sense and memory Do make and ord-
ain this to be my last will and Testament — — —

First I bequeath my Soule into the Hands of God Almighty
that gave it Hoping through the merits of our Redeemed
Saviour Jesus Christ to enjoy Eternal Life and for what
wordy goods I shall Receive God to Reward me with a
Dissolve of in manner and form following (viz)

I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Tamar Giffen all
my Land and Plantation to Inherit it when she comes
to Sixteen Years of age and I order my wife to enjoy
it till that time if she continue a widow but if
she marry againe my wife it that from that time of
her marriage she pay such rent as shall be judged by
two men to be Reasonable for the said Plantation
and the said Rent to be bestowed in keeping my Daughter
Tamar at School — — —

Item — My wife it that if my wife be now with Child and
bring a Son that my Son ^{shall} have all my Land and not
my Daughter but if she be with Child and bring a
Daughter then the Land to Equally be divided between
my two Daughters when the said Child comes to Six-
teen Years of age — — —

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My will is that if my said or said son Dyer will
out heirs that my wife shall have my Land for her
and her heirs for ever but if my wife should dy
with out heirs Lawfully gotten of her body
then I give my Land to Jacob Roberts the son of
Thomas Roberts to him and his heirs for ever

Item I give to Thomas Roberts my Hipping Coals

Item I make my loving wife Elizabeth Sufferin the
witness and sole executrix of this my last will
and Testament In Confirmation whereof I have
Records Sell my Land and Seal this twentieth
Day of march Anno Dom 1708

Signed Sealed before us
John Sufferin
John Grant
Georg Clark

John Sufferin

Notary public for the County of Northampton
May 12 1709

Then the above said last will and Testament of
John Sufferin being proved in open Court
of the above said County by the Oath of
each of John Grant and Georg Clark and allowed
of by the Court to be authentic Roberts and
ordered it to be put upon Record

Test Test Howson
Recorded Test Test Howson

In the Name of God Amen

I John Luke of Northampton County in Virginia Fort
being Sick and weak in Body but of Sound and Perfect memory
Praised be God for the same do make and ordain this my
last will and Testament Revoking all former and other
wills and Testaments to be in manner and form following

Item I Surrender my Soul to God that gave it Hoping for Remission
of all my sins through the merits of my blessed Saviour
Jesus Christ and a glorious Resurrection of my body at
the last Day and also before a Decent Burial of my said
body here on Earth at the Direction of my Executor
hereafter named and as for my worldly Estate I bequeath
my Gunpowder Charges and such paid I will and
dispose as follows

I will and Bequeath to my Son Hannah Luke two hundred acres of this my Plantation consisting of four hundred acres and that part where on my dwelling house now stands to him and his heirs for ever —

The other moiety or two hundred acres I give unto my Son John Luke to him and his heirs for ever, and in case my Son Hannah should dye with out issue lawfully begotten of his own body then my will is that the two hundred acres given to him should revert to my Son John and the two hundred acres that were given to my Son John should revert to my Son Hannah to him and his heirs and that the timber upon the Plantation shall not be felled or digged off but that it shall remain in common for the use of the Plantation

Item I will and Bequeath that in full view of issue of heirs my Son that the said land shall revert to my Daughter Susannah and her heirs at common law —

Item I will and Bequeath to my said Son Hannah one new large feather bed cover and two pillows and a large Rugg two Blankets one silver handled sword one silver spoons one bed made called Tommy —

Item I will and Bequeath to my Son John Luke one feather bed lying on the trunk bed and where on I lay and cover and two Blankets and a red Rugg —

Item I will and Bequeath to the said John Luke one silver Bedstead and a silver box and one silver spoons —

Item I will and Bequeath unto my Son Hannah Luke one new feather bed cover pillows two Blankets and a Bath —

Item I will and Bequeath to my said Son Hannah one two years old mare bought of Mr. Wall for an year —

Item I will and Bequeath to my said Son Hannah one good Ring with a plain Stone called an amethyst and two silver spoons

Item I will and Bequeath to my Daughter Susannah Luke one feather bed cover two Blankets and Rugg it being the bed where on she lay and a Pillow —

Item I will and Bequeath to my said Daughter ne her Mother's wearing Apparels in General with out exception on all one yearling mare called that name of the mare Tommy with her wares Incrago —

Item I will and Bequeath unto my said Son John Luke one Cupboard

Item I will and Bequeath unto John Luke one large iron safe standing under the window —

47th I will and Bequeath to Susanna C Luke one Bay
Standing in the Hillen — — — — —

Item I will and Bequeath unto Dennis Luke one Bay
Twick Bay — — — — —

Item I will and Bequeath unto Susanna Luke one Box
Called her own — — — — —

Item I Give unto Susanna C Luke one Silver Spoon and
to her Daughter Sarah an other — — — — —

Item I will and Bequeath unto Jack Luke Knight the Coffin
that is at Thors Wear a breaking — — — — —

Item I will and Bequeath the Horse Buck Saddle and Saddle
for the use of the Plantation — — — — —

Item I do constitute and ordain and by these my last will and
ordain my loving Son Frank Luke to be
my whole and sole Executor of this my last will and
Testament Revoking all other wills and Bequests
formerly made Ratifying and confirming this as my last
will and Testament and advising my said Executor to
do nothing without the advice of Mr Andrew Hamilton
and Mr Henry Beare whom I leave as Trustees of this
my last will and Testament — — — — —

Item I will and bequeath that Mr Andrew Hamilton and Mr Henry
Beare make an equal Division of silver Hoops and
and Balls and whatsoever other Ring or Jewell
shall be found amongst my Children only Reserving
the fifth part that shall remain with her share for Joseph
for his wife her Increase and one to my dear wife
for Sarah the Daughter of Susanna with her In-
crease — — — — —

In witness and Confirmation of this my last will and
Testament I have hereunto put and signed my Seal
this 21st day of December Anno: Dom: 1708

Signed Sealed in presence of us

Wm White

John Luke

For Frank

Northampton 24th May 1709

That the above said last will and Testament
of John Luke heretofore proved in Open Court of the
County of the Corporation of the City of London
and John Grant and account of the Court to be and as
such Decree and ordered it to be put upon Record —

Test Robert Howson
Recorded Test Robert Howson 26th Nov 1709

In the name of God Amen

I Charles Carpenter of Northampton County in Virginia
being Sick and weak of body Out of Sound and Perfect Jones
and memory Blessed be almighty God for make this my Last
Will and Testament

I give My body I bequeath to the Earth for use it I am hoping
and praying to almighty God that he will receive my Soule
into his Everlasting Kingdom not for any merits of mine
but for the sake and love of his Son Jesus Christ
for ever Amen

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Son Robert
I give it wholly unto my well beloved wife Purmealea
Carpenter during her natural life Excepting I say I make
bequeath I shall hereafter mention after the bequest of
of my well beloved wife Purmealea Carpenter: I give
and bequeath unto my well beloved Son Robert Carpenter
and Charles Carpenter and their heirs Lawfully begotten
of their body for ever unto my Land to be equally divided
between them

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Son Robert
Carpenter my Gun

I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Son Robert
Carpenter my young horse

I after the bequest of my well beloved wife Purmealea
Carpenter: I give and bequeath unto my well beloved Son
Charles Carpenter my mill

I will it that if my well beloved wife Purmealea Carp-
enter should marry that as my children be at age and
liberty at such time as they shall attain to Eighteen years
of age: or before that her Commandment they attain to
twenty one of their age with this Testament

I nominate Confidants and appoint my well beloved wife
Purmealea Carpenter sole and sole executrix

I for Confirmation that this is my Last will and Testament
I have caused to sell my Land and Seals this Eighteenth Day
of February and in the year of our Lord God one thousand
seven hundred and Eighty nine

Signed Sealed and Delivered

the marks

In the presence of us
Jonathan Bell
Henry H. Bell
Wm. Funder

of Charles Carpenter
Northampton May 18: 1791 Seal
That the above said Last will and Testament of
Charles Carpenter be proved in open
Court of the above County by the Copy
by the Court to be and which doth and ordered it to be put
upon Record

all Calls of Jonathan Bell and Wm. Funder and allowed of
by the Court to be and which doth and ordered it to be put
upon Record

Recorded Test Robert Howson

I Paul Tanner being Sick and weak of body and of perfect
 sense and memory Calling to mind the Infirmity of this
 life and thereby making my last will and Testament
 Resolving and Determining as other will or wills by me made

Now I give my Selfe into the hands of God him that gave a me
 trusting in and trusting the merits of my Lord and Saviour
 Jesus Christ to in few ever leaving this my body to the
 earth from whence it came

But none of my legacies to be devised to a son or sons

Now I give and bequeath unto Sir John one two and three and
 one daughter only the increase female share of the
 Daughter Sarah that comes of them and their increase

Now I give and bequeath unto William Hunt one two and three
 and their increase female

Now I give and bequeath unto Susanah Gwof, all the right
 of my estate that it shall please God to give me
 and will after all my debts and only Reserving one
 house and cellar and one mare and two sheep to stand
 during unto John Smith if a person God shall so order
 live to enjoy them but if he shall die before he
 to Susanah Gwof but if my said wife Ann Tanner
 shall live to be to be equally divided between them
 both that is all my estate only these legacies before
 given and John Smith to have what is properly belonging to
 him of his father's estate and if my wife shall die
 then I make Susanah Gwof my sole and sole
 executrix of all my last will and Testament

Signed Sealed in the

Presence of us

Top Thomas Hunt

Sir John

mark

Paul X Tanner

mark

Northampton May 25 1709 Seal

I have the above said last will and Testament of Paul
 Tanner for was Reported and proved in open Court of the
 a Court for the County of Northampton by the Corporate Officers of Thomas
 Hunt and Sir John and allowed of by the Court to
 be a publick Record and ordered it to be Recorded

Top Robert Howson

Recorded Top Robert Howson 166 Northampton

I William Twiford of Northampton County Gent maker being sick
and weak of body but of perfect sense and memory thanks be to
Almighty God for the same and that taking into my serious
consideration the shortness and uncertainty of this mortal life
and the certainty of death do make this my last will and Testament
in manner and form following —

I give and Bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God
which gave it me and my body unto the earth from whence
it came to have a decent and Christian like Buriall as becomes
a Christian to have and for my worldly estate that God of his
mercy hath bestowed upon me I give and bequeath
as followeth —

First Beginning with my land lying in Rumerford County in the Province
of Maryland patented by the name of wootton under my Contain
one hundred and fifty acres which land I give and Bequeath to my
son Bartholomew Twiford to sell and dispose of in the
place for full and more and after he is satisfied for the purchase
and being so paid he shall be out upon it or a part it then willed
he shall sell for it I give to my four sons to wit James
Bartholomew William and John equally to be divided
between them four —

Item I give and Bequeath to my Bartholomew Twiford all my Rattens
Tools furs and wood and all things belonging to my Shop —

Item I give and Bequeath my land with after my wife's decease
to my two sons James and Bartholomew —

Item I give and Bequeath unto my daughter Jane one two shillings

Item I give and Bequeath unto my daughter Mary one two shillings

Item I bequeath the rest of my estate after my debts are paid I give to my
loving wife Jane during her widowhood and if she

do marry so soon she shall have my estate she shall be divided
between my wife and my two sons equally

William and John I do so ordain Comfortable and appoint
my loving wife Jane Twiford to be my sole executrix of

this my last will and Testament Revoking all other wills or
wills formerly made by me or own and acknowledged

this to be my last will and Testament this 9th day of April
1708 — as witness my hand and Seal —

Signed Sealed and Delivered William Twiford of Northampton

James Twiford of Northampton

William Twiford of Northampton

Joan Twiford of Northampton

Witnessed by the honorable John Twiford of Northampton

and ordered it to be put upon Record

Recorded for Robert Howson