

In the Name of God Amen. I John Clark of the County of Surry being Sick and weak of Body but of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be therefore given to Almighty God doe make and ordain this my present Last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say first and principally I Comend my Soul unto the hand of Almighty God hoping Through the merits of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free Pardon and forgiveness of all my sins & to Inherit Everlasting Life and my Body I Comitt to y^e Earth to be Decently buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter Named and as for my Temporall Estate which it hath pleased God to bestow upon me I give and Dispose thereof as followeth first I will that my debts and funerall Charges be paid and Discharged.

Item I will that my Daughter and her husband keep the plantation they Now live on During their Natureall Life after their Decease I give it to my Grandson John Darham and the heirs of his body forever and for want of such heirs I give it to my Grand Daughter Elizabeth Darham and the heirs of her body.

Item I will that my Grand Son Robt. Darham have my Plantation and all the Land belonging to it which I bought of James Briggs for him and the heirs of his body for Ever and for want of such heirs to my Grand Daughter Mary and the heirs of her body for Ever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Son Charles Darham my Gun.

Item I give to my Daughter Eliz^a. Darham my Gray horse Turk.

Item I give to Edward Harris my smelter and belt.

Item I give and bequeath all the Rest and Residue of my Personall Estate to Mary my well beloved wife and do appoint her whole and sole Executrix of this my Last Will and Testament and I doe hereby Revok Disannul and make Void all former Wills by me made heretofore In witness whereof I hereunto sett my hand and seal the 2^d. Day of October 1730

Test Tho: Lane

Wm Holt.

John I. Clark sealed wth a wafer
Signum

At a Court held at Southwark for
the County of Surry May y^e 15. 1731

The within mentioned Will of John Clark Deceased: was presented in Court by Mary Clark Execut^r. There of who made oath thereunto and being proved by the oaths of Tho: Lane & William Holt Witnesses thereunto the same is ordered to be record and is recorded by

John I. Clark

This Indenture made this fourteenth Day of May in y^e year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventeen Between William Range Jun^r of the Parish of Southwark in the County of Surry of the part and John Jones of the same Parish and County of the other part Witnesseth that the said William Range for the Rents and Covenants hereafter mentioned let leased and to farm Letten and by these presents the said William Range doth for himself his heirs Ex^r. &c. let lease and to farm Lett unto the said John Jones his heirs Ex^r. &c. one Certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying and being on the South West Side of the Dacoon Swamp in the County afores^d. containing by Estimation one hundred and fifty Acres be it more or less & bounded Viz: Westerly on the Land of W^m Vincent and the other boundaries of it is as is mentioned in y^e Ranges Patent for the same Dated y^e Thirteenth day of November one thousand seven hundred and Thirteen may appear Including the said one hundred & fifty Acres of Land more or less &c. To have and To hold y^e Lands hereby Granted Together with all houses Orchards Gardens woods underwoods ways Pastures feedings waters &c. watercourses thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said John Jones his Ex^r. &c. for and during the Term of three years to Commence from the day of the Date hereof fully to be Completed and Ended Yielding and paying for the same yearly & every year on the tenth Day of Decemb^r. yearly unto y^e William Range his Ex^r. &c. the fee Rent of one grain of Indian Corne of the same shall be Lawfully Demanded to the Intent and purpose that by Virtue of these presents and of the Statute for Transferring Uses into Possession the said John Jones may be in actual and peaceable possession & seizon of the premises & might be thereby the better Enabled to Accept of a Grant of the Reversion & Inheritance thereof to him and his heirs for Ever In Witness whereof the said W^m Range hath hereunto sett his hand & affixed his seal the Day and year first above Written Signed Sealed & Delivered In presence of

W^m Range Sealed wth a wafer
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