

J. Mary Lacey of Lawnes Parish in the County of Surry being weak in body but praised be God of Reasonable Sense and memory doe make ordain and Constitute this my last Will and Testament for the Disposal of what worldly Estate it hath pleased God to bestow upon me this Third Day of the Seventh month Called September in the year 1715 (Viz) I give to my husband Robert Lacey Esqrs in England one Thousand pounds of the Tobacco Due to me from the Estate of Joseph John Jackman to be Equally Divided among Them I give five hundred more of the Said Tobacco to Repair the meeting house in Surry County I give my Camblett Coke and three Ells of Dowlace to Mary Bayly I give unto Sarah Griffin all my wareing Clothes both Linnen and Wooling I give unto Francis Parsons my Chest

I give unto Ann Edwards my bed three pare Sheets a bolster a pillow Two pare of pillow Cases four Blankets I give to my mallato Sam four and a half yards of Large to make into Clothes and Three Ells of fine Dowlace I give unto Elizabeth Griffin Daughter to John Griffin my warming pan and fying pan and black Hood I give the Tobacco due to me for this years Rent to John Griffin I give all the Rest of my Estate and all Tobacco Debts my Just debts and Legacys paid and my funerall Charges to be Defrayed therewith unto my friend Samuell Cornwell whome I Nominate and appoint my sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto putt my hand and Seal the Day and year above Written

Signed Sealed and acknowledged

Mary Lacey Sealed with red wax

In presence of us

James F Griffin

Rob R Griffins

At a Court held at Southwark for
the County of Surry Decemb: 19. 1716.

The within mentioned Will of Mary Lacey Deed: was presented in Court by Samuell Cornwell Execut: thereof who made oath thereto & being proved by the oaths of James Griffin & Robert Griffin Witnesses Thereto the same is ordered to be recorded and is recorded by

H. Will C:ur:

This Indenture made this Tenth day of November in the year of our Lord God one Thousand Seven hundred & Sixteen Between Thomas Harnison of Prince George County of the one part and Robert Hall of the same County of the Other part witnesseth That the Said Thomas Harnison for Divers good Causes and Considerations him thereunto moving but more Especially for the Covenants hereafter mentioned Doth demise grant Lease and To Farm lett and by these presents Doth hereby Demise Lease and to Farm lett unto the Said Robert Hall his heirs & one Tract Seat or Parcel of Land lying and being in Surry County near Nolaway River Containing by Patent one hundred and Eighty Acres within the bounds Specified in the Said Patent (viz) Beginning at a Red Oak Corner of the Said Harnison old Line thence North West by North Seventy Three pole to a black oak fence West ~~southwest~~ ^{northeast} then West one hundred Sixty five pole to a black oak then South Seventy Deg West Seventy Three pole to a black oak Jayline then South East two hundred & Eleven pole to three trees chopt inwards in a line of the said Harnison old Land thence by those old Lines North North West Seventy pole to a black oak and then North Twenty five Deg West one hundred and Seven pole to the Beginning together with all Woods Swamps Pastures Feedings houses Orchards & To have and To hold unto the Said Robert Hall his Ex: &c. of Said Tract Seat Demised or parcel of Land with all and Singular y^t appurtenances thereto belonging or in any Wise appertaining for and During y^t full Term of Three years Next Ensuing the Date hereof the Said Robert Hall his heirs Ex: &c. Yielding and paying yearly for the same the fee rents of one grain of Indian Corne Unto the Said Thomas Harnison his Ex: &c. yearly upon the Tenth day of December during the Said Term if 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 y^t Said Robert Hall might bee in Actuall Possession of the Said Land and premises and bee thereby the better Enabled to accept of a grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof to him the said Robert Hall and his heirs for ever In witness whereof y^t Said Thomas Harnison hath hereunto putt his hand and affixed his seal y^t Day & year first above Written

Signed Sealed & Delivered

Thomas T Harnison Sealed w: a wafe

In presence of
W^m Gray Junr:

The: Eldridge

At a Court held at Southwark for
the County of Surry Decemb: 19. 1716

An Inventory of the Estate of Mary Lacey Deceased Taken the 22nd of Decr: 1716
 A feather bed Colster two pillows five pillow Cases three pair Sheets one Rugg four Blankets a bedsted Cover
 matt Twenty two Caps fifteen handkercheifs silk &c five white hoods one black do twelve head bands three
 Linnen Shifts one of flaning four aprons four waste coats five petticoats a old pair of boddice four gounds
 Two Cloaks two pare of Stockings a small parcell of Thread and Two pare of old spectacles a large Chest
 and Small Trunk 5 glass bottles fifteen Ells of Dowlace five Ells of other Linnen four yards & a quarter
 of Large a warming pan & syring do a very old bible and four other small Books four pare of Nittens
 doles &c?

Debts due to her by sundry persons Amounting to the sume of 4556: To b:

Cash 3:7

Errors Excepted by Sam: Cornwell

At a Court held at Southwark for
 the County of Surry Jan: 2nd 1716

The above mentioned Inventory of the Estate of Mary Lacey Deceased thus presented by Sam: Cornwell Execut: of the Last Will & Testam: of the said Deceased was ordered to be recorded and is recorded by

St. M. C. Cur:

A Supplm: Inv^t & App^t of the Estate of John Binum Deceased January 2nd 1716 a parcel of hoggs
 Belonging to the Estate of John Binum Deceased Valued to 1:12:0 by us

Robert Warren

Allen Warren

W^m Foster
 Zacharias Madderra

The within mentioned Supplm: Inventory and Appraismnt of the Estate of John Binum Deceased thus presented by Robert Warren were ordered to be recorded & are recorded by

St. M. C. Cur:

In obedience to an order of Surry County Court Bearing Date the 16th of January 1716
 Trec the Subscribers being first Sworn have Valued a Mallato fellow and plantation belong to the Estate
 of Robert Lacey deceased and find the Value of them to be Sixty pounds Current money of mallato 35: plan-
 tation 25:

Sam: Cornwell W^m Chambers

I promise to Run the Resue of the life of the mallato and will pay the money: John Hancock

At a Court held at Southwark Sam: Cornwell: Charles Garrett

for the County of Surry Feb: 2nd 1716

The within mentioned Appraismnt of the Estate of Robert Lacy Deceased thus presented by Samuell Cornwell was ordered to be recorded & is recorded by

St. M. C. Cur:

Know all men by these presents That I Thomas Hart of the Isle of wight County am holder and firmly bound unto Sam: Cornwell of Lawnes Creek parish in the County of Surry his heirs Ex^d and Adm^d in the full and Just
 sume of one hundred fifty and Two pounds of good and Lawfull money of England to which payment well and
 truly to be made I bind my selfe my heirs Ex^d and Adm^d firmly by these presents in witness whereof I have hereunto put my
 hand & seal this fourth day of January Anno Dom^o 1709.

The Condition of this Obligation is such that if above bounden Thomas Hart his heirs Ex^d or Adm^d shall
 in Surry County Court when thereunto required by the above^r Cornwell shall Convey Acknowlede and
 Confirm unto the S^r Cornwell his heirs Ex^d and Adm^d one Certain Tract of Land and Marsh lying and
 being on the head of Cheapekes Creek in Lawnes Creek parish in the County of Surry with all the appur-
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