

and her filly and one young heifer of three year old and my two Little Crap Kittles.
 Item: I give and bequeath to William Rowland my great feather bed and all the furniture belonging
 thereto and four pewter Dishes and one pewter handker and three plates and one saltceller Bone Crap
 Kittles and the Iron pot that is in his possession and I give him two Cows and calves and one
 barren Cow and two of the largest Hears and two young heifers and two of my killable Hogs and
 five young Hogs more.

Item: I give and bequeath unto William Reade one feather bed and all the furniture thereto belong-
 ing and four pewter Dishes and three pewter plates and one pewter pot and one pewter saltceller
 and I give unto William Reade my great Crap Kittles and two Cows and calves and one of the largest
 Hears and seven of the largest of the rest of the cattle that is unqueathed and two killable
 Hogs and five of the best of the young Hogs that remains and my old great Gun.

Item: I give to Samuel Read the son of William Reade one young heifer and to Mary the Daughter of
 William Reade one young heifer.

Item: I give to William the Son and Mary the Daughter of William Rowland to each of them a young
 heifer.

Item: I give to Mary Hill my new Trunk and I give to William Read one of my Chests and I give to
 William Rowland my other Chest.

Item: I give all the rest of my household goods and Hogs that is unqueathed and the Wheat to be Equally
 Divided between John Hill William Rowland and William Reade all to be Divided & Deliv-
 ed at the Discretion of my Executor.

And my Will and Desire is John Hill have all the Crops now growing on the plantation he paying
 the rent and tithes.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my Loving friend Samuel Thompson my young Bay horse and I do no-
 minate constitute and appoint him my whole and sole Executor as witness my hand and Seal this
 26th Day of June 1714.

Signed and Sealed

in the presence of us

Thomas Collier

Edward Carke

James ^{his} Ellis Sealed with
 marble red wax.

At a Court held at Southwark for the
 County of Surrey July the 21: 1714.

The above mentioned Will of James Ellis Deceased was presented in Court by Samuel Thompson
 Executor thereof who made oath thereto and being proved by the Oaths of Thomas Collier & Edward
 Carke Witnesses thereto the same was ordered to be recorded and is recorded by

James Ellis

In the name of God Amen Elizabeth Ruffin of Laines parish in Surrey County widow
 being sick and weak in body but of Reasonable mind and memory all praise and praise be given
 to Almighty God.

Do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following

First and principally above all worldly things do commend my soul to Almighty God trusting and
 firmly believing through the merits and bitter passion of my alone Saviour Jesus Christ to
 receive full pardon and Remission for all my sins here committed when ever this mortal life
 shall cease and my body to be decently interred from whence it was taken after the manner of
 Christian buriall at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter named and for what worldly goods
 and Estate it hath been pleased God to bestow and give me do dispose of in manner & form following.

Item: I give and bequeath my Negro Woman Mary and all her Increase to my Daughter Jane
 Ruffin and the Lawfull heirs of her body for ever and for want of such heirs to my Son
 William Ruffin and his heirs for ever.

Item: I farther give and bequeath to my said Daughter Jane one New feather bed and furni-
 ture with Curtains and Valaines &c: which my son Robert promised me to find her by
 our Agreement when made over the house and other goods to him and one small table
 that stands over the hall with one small Draper cloth and one Chest one Iron pot
 of aboute five Gallons one pair of Iron pot stills that hangs in the Kitchen one Cox
 moothering Iron and one Crap spice mortar and pestle and one Looking Glass that hangs
 in the Chamber and seven pewter Dishes six pewter plates six pewter spoons and
 two silver spoons.

Item: I do make Ordain constitute and Appoint my said Daughter Jane my whole and sole
 Executrix making void all former Wills by me made and make this my Last Will

and Testament. In Testimony of — which I do hereunto put my hand and Seal.
 This 29th Day of July 1751.
 Signed Sealed and Delivered to be the
 Last Will and Testament of the — }
 Subscribed in presence of — }
 William Gray Jun:
 Olive Chambers.

her
 Elizabeth R Ruffin Sealed
 mark: with a wifer

At a Court held at Southwark for the
 County of Surry August the 18th 1754.
 The within mentioned Will of Elizabeth Ruffin Deed: was presented in Court by
 Jane Ruffin Executrix thereof who made oath thereto and being proved by the attes of
 William Gray and Olive Chambers Witnesses thereto the Same is ordered to be recorded
 and is recorded by

William Caw:

This Indenture made this sixteenth day of August in the thirteenth year of the Reign
 of our Sovereign Lady Ann Queen of Great Britain France and Ireland and in the year four Lord
 for one thousand seven hundred and fourteen between John Battle of the parish of Southwark in the County
 of Surry Carpenter of the one part and Nathaniel Harrison of the County and Parish of St. Dunstons in the City of London
 Merchant of the other part. Witnesseth that the said John Battle for and in consideration of the Sum of five Shillings Sterling
 to him in hand paid by the said Nathaniel Harrison whereof he doth hereby acknowledge the receipt hath
 bargained and sold and Doth by these presents bargain and sell unto the said Nathaniel Harrison
 his Executors and Administrators one tract or parcell of Land containing by Estimation one hundred and sixty acres be the
 same more or less situate lying and being in the County and Parish aforesaid on the south side James River
 and bounded Easterly on the said Harrison's own Land Northerly upon the River Westerly on Cap: St. Allen
 and William Frost and Southerly on the Land of William Phillips being all the remaining part now unrods
 of two hundred and fifty acres given unto the said John Battle by the last Will and Testament of his Father
 Mathew Battle bearing Date the Eighth day of October in the thousand six hundred & Eighty six which said
 One hundred and sixty acres of Land are now in the Tenure and Occupation of Peter Anderson he have
 and do hold the said Land and Premises with the appurtenances unto the said Nathaniel Harrison his Ex:
 Administrators from the day next before the date hereof unto the End and term of one year from thence next
 ensuing and fully to be complete and Ended and it is hereby Declared that these presents are so made and Ex:
 cepted that thereby and by Virtue and Force of the Statute made in the seven and twentieth year of the Reign
 of King Henry the Eighth for transferring of uses into possession ne the said Nathaniel Harrison may
 be in the full and possession of the said Land and Premises and be Enabled to take and Accept of a Grant and
 Release of the Reversion and Inheritance of the same Land and Premises to him and his heirs to
 the use of him his heirs and Assigns for ever. In Witness whereof the said John Battle hath hereunto
 set his hand and affixed his Seal the day and year above Written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in presence of
 John Allen
 Henry Harrison

his
 John B Battle Sealed with
 mark: red wax

At a Court held at Southwark for the
 County of Surry August the 18th 1754.
 This day appeared in Court the above named John Battle and did acknowledge the above expressed
 contents to be his real Act and Deed which is ordered to be recorded and is recorded by

William Caw:

This Indenture made this sixteenth day of August in the thirteenth year of the Reign of our
 Sovereign Lady Anne Queen of Great Britain France and Ireland and in the year of our Lord God.
 One thousand seven hundred and fourteen between John Battle of the parish of Southwark in the County
 of Surry Carpenter of the one part and Nathaniel Harrison of the County and parish aforesaid Esq: of
 the other part. Witnesseth that the said John Battle for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings
 Sterling to him in hand paid by the said Nathaniel Harrison whereof he doth hereby acknowledge the
 receipt hath bargained and sold and Doth by these presents bargain and sell unto the said Nathaniel Harrison
 his Executors and Administrators one tract or parcell of Land containing by Estimation one hundred and
 sixty acres be the same more or less situate lying and being in the County and parish aforesaid on
 the south side James River and bounded as in the before recited Indenture Reference being
 thereto had is more fully expressed which said one hundred and sixty acres of Land is now