

of remaining two third parts of my small Estate to my children following
 vizt: Thomas Grimbball John Grimbball Mary Hamilton Ann Linkley
 & Providence Grimbball to be equally divided among them share & share alike
 & in case any of y^e Should die & under age y^e share of him or them dying
 shall go to y^e survivor & survivors of them. Itm. I leave my loving
 wife Mary my sole Executrix of this my last will & testament & do hereby make
 null void all former wills by me made & do hereby declare this my last
 will & testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seal this
 thirtieth day of December Anno Domini 1698

Signed sealed & declared in y^e presence of us
 who w^{it} Grimbball gave to y^e Hon^{ble} y^e
 Govern^r Nicholas a good ring to be y^e by
 his ~~signature~~ as a token of his respect.
 James Williams - Jonathan Avery
 Mary Mullins - Sarah Lewis

Will Grimbball

Memorad This 20th day of Feb^r 1698 y^e within named Jonathan Avery Mary
 Mullins Sarah Lewis personally appeared before me & sworn then & there did declare
 y^t they were y^e first & last see y^e within mentioned Will Grimbball signed sealed published
 & declare y^t within written will to be his last & declare
 Capt^l of Jurat the same good sworn me & make & make do

Recorded y^e 22 day of Feb^r 1698
 At Longport
 John Avery

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Carolina. In y^e name of God Amen I John whose of y^e Province
 of Carolina addressed Cordwainer induced me by Gods assistance for a voyage
 to sea not knowing how y^e Lord may that with me in this present voyage do
 make this my last will & testament in manner & terms following. I'm pressed
 Just & principally I give my soul to God my Saviour in assurance of rest &
 peace. Almightie God my body to y^e Earth to be disposed of as the Lord shall
 think fitt. Itm As my Estate I am possessor of w^{it} Province of Carolina
 both real and personal goods to w^{it} above I give & bequeath y^e same unto my
 loving wife Mary Crope to be enjoyed by her during her life after her death
 to be disposed of as she shall order & appoint. Itm I will give & bequeath
 unto my loving son in law William Bayley my now dwelling house
 w^{it} one half of y^e late threemute belonging situated in Charles Towne w^{it}
 Province of Carolina to be enjoyed by him & his heirs forever & after y^e
 decease of my said loving wife. Lastly I will order nominate & appoint
 my said loving wife Mary Crope my true & sole Executrix of this my last

will & testament & do hereby declare this to be my last In testimony whereof I have
 unto this my will at my hand & seal y^e twenty third day of March Anno Domini 1698
 Signed sealed & declared
 in y^e presence of Jacob Wright
 John Crope - Tho^s Shelton
 7 December 1698

John Crope

This day appeared before me John Crope and John Shelton who upon y^e holy Evangelis
 did declare y^t they did see y^e within named John Crope signed sealed published &
 declare y^t it to be his last will & testament & do hereby doing thereof w^{it} perfect memory
 to the best of their knowledg.
 Capt^l of Jurat sworn me & do predict
 7 January 1699

James Shelton

This day appeared before me Jacob Wright who upon his oath did swear that he
 did see the above named John Crope signed sealed published & declare y^t above to be
 his last will & testament & and at the doing thereof was of perfect memory.
 Capt^l of Jurat sworn me & do predict
 James Shelton

Recorded March y^e 10th Anno 1699 Henry Wigging Town D^r & Sec^ry

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In y^e Name of God Amen y^e twenty third day of March Anno Domini 1698
 John Crope did in abundance & abundance much seen I Jonathan
 Avery y^e Province of Carolina Merch^t being weak in body y^e of
 sound mind perfect memory praised be God do make this my last will
 & testament in manner & terms following. First I bequeath my soul
 & spirit into y^e hands of Almighty God my heavenly father my body to
 y^e Earth to be buried at y^e discretion of my Executrix & my worldly
 estate to be disposed of as follows I give & bequeath unto my dear wife
 Crope all y^e piece of land that lyeth next y^e Rattrapp w^{it} was
 bought of Andrew Dawson & lyeth on y^e left hand of y^e Broad path as
 you goe into y^e Country, to him this assigns for ever. I likewise request
 my Executrix to make a little to him of y^e piece of land which lies next to my
 dwelling house which I gave to him with my daughter. Sales give him
 my best silver headed cane. I give to Sarah Chett daughter to Capt^l Mill^r
 Chett ten pounds p^r into y^e hands of mother to buy her a gold chain.
 I give to Doct^r Atkin Williamson ten pounds. I give unto Doct^r Thomas
 Ido ten pounds. I give to y^e poor of Charles Towne fifteen pounds & give
 & bequeath to Thomas Proffer twenty pounds. I give unto my loving
 wife Martha my dwelling house in Charles Towne & after her death
 w^{it} about y^e same during her natural life & after her death I give
 & devise y^e said house & land to my son Thomas and Robert