

A Court held for Accomack County the 6th day of April 1736/
The above Settlement of the Estate of Tho^s Hope deceased was returned to Court
by the above John Jackson & John Tashred & ordered to be recorded

Test^y M. Jackson Esq^r.
Recorded Test^y

In the Name of God Amen July the fourth day in the year of our Lord 1735 I
William Bradford of Accomack County in Virginia being Sick & Weak of Body but of perfect
Mind & Memory Do make & ordain this my Last Will & Testament in manner & form as followeth
First I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Maker hoping that thro' the
Meritorious death & passion of my Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ to receive free pardon
of all my sins & for my Body to be buried at the discretion of my Executrix here
after Nominated — I give & bequeath to my three sons namely Nath^l Bradford
Thomas Bradford one shilling in Cash a piece & also I give & bequeath to my son
Bayly Bradford one shilling in Cash I give & bequeath to my son John Bradford
two Cows & Calves & four Ewes & Lambs I give & bequeath to my son in Law Feodiah Bell
& Sarah his Wife a piece of Land & Marsh lying & bounded as followeth bounded southerly on
the Land of West Kellum & bounded westerly on a Line of mark't trees Northerly on the
head of the Creek Road & bounded on the Land he now possesses being by Computation Ten
Acres more or less to them & their heirs for ever & also a privilege for them at my usual
landing to make use on in necessary manner during their Natural Lives I give &
Bequeath to my son Fisher Bradford the plantation whereon I now live with
Six hundred acres of Land belong^{ing} to it to him & his heirs lawfully begotten of his
Body & for want of such heirs to my son John Bradford & his heirs lawfully begotten of
his Body & for want of such heirs to my Grandson Will^m Bradford Gascoyne
& his heirs lawfully begotten of his body only my Loving Wife Bridget Bradford
to have the proper use of it during her natural Life I also give to my son
Fisher Bradford all my Lands that are not already given of all sorts &
kinds soever to him & his heirs & also four Negroes Namely Jack Appy Hannah
& Levin only my Wife to have the use of the Aforesaid Negroes during her Natural
Life I also oblige my son Fisher Bradford to pay in the Lieu of the before given Negroes
As followeth he shall pay in the Lieu of the Negroe called Jack ten pounds Current
to Bridget Addison or else deliver her the Negroe the money to be payd within three
Years after the death of my Wife & he shall also pay in the Lieu of a Negroe called Appy
ten pounds Current Money to the daughter of Henry Armitrader called Comfort
Armitrader at the time of her Arriving to the of sixteen years old or deliver her the Negroe
& also he shall pay in the Lieu of the Negroe Hannah Eighteen pounds Current money
to my daughter Anne Bonawell within two Years after Death of my Wife or deliver her
the Negroe & he also shall pay in the Lieu of the Negroe Levin to my son John Bradford
twenty pounds Current money within one year after death of Wife or else deliver him the
Negroe I also give my son Fisher Bradford one young mare two iron Chains one Iron
Crow one pair of Mill stones & three Earthen Jars I give to my Grandson William Bradford
Gascoyne two Cows & Calves & one live horse I give to my Loving Wife one Negroe

Woman called Doll & all the remainder of my Estate in given I do make constitute &
 Appoint my Loving Wife Bridget Bradford Sole Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament,
 Revoking all other Wills & Testaments whatsoever as Witness my hand the day & Year first
 Above Written

Will Bradford

Signed Sealed & published in presence of us

Samuel ^{his} Benson

John Kellum ^{mark}

Thomas ^{his} Bryan

Robert Coleburn ^{mark}

At a Court held for Accomack County the first day of June 1736
 This Last Will & Testament of Willm Bradford dec'd was proved
 in open Court by the Oaths of Saml Benson John Kellum & Robert
 Coleburn three of the Witnesses to the same & admitted to Record

Test } M. Jackson Clk. Cur.
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This indenture made the second day of June Anno Domini Seven
 teen hundred thirty & Six between Thomas Preeon of the County of Northampton in Virginia
 Gentleman Grandson & heir at Law to Thomas Preeon late of the County aforesaid deceased
 of the one part & Thomas Stayton who intermarried with Elizabeth the second daughter
 of Will Drummond late of Accomack County deceased of the other part Witnesseth
 that Whereas the said Will Drummond in his Life time did pay to the said Thomas
 Preeon the Elder the quantity of ten thousand pounds of Tobacco in Consideration
 that the said Thomas would afterwards Convey to the said Will his heirs & Assigns
 a certain Six hundred Acres of Land called Wests Ridge formerly conveyed to the
 said Thomas the Elder by the three sons of Coll^o John West & the said Preeon dying
 before he Conveyed the said Land to the said Will Drummond & Whereas the said
 Will Drummond afterwards by his Last Will & Testament did Appoint the same to be
 conveyed to his three eldest daughters Barbara Elizabeth & Tabitha by the heir
 of the said Thomas the elder & Whereas Daniel Welburn & the said Barbara daughter
 of the aforesaid Will & George Douglass & the said Tabitha another daughter of the said
 Will Drummond have by their Deeds duly executed have conveyed to the said Thomas
 Stayton who intermarried with the said Elizabeth the other daughter of the said Will
 Drummond all their interest in the premises NOW this indenture Witnesseth that
 the said Thomas Preeon the Younger heir at Law of the said Thomas Preeon the
 Elder for & on Consideration of the said Ten Thousand pounds of Tob^o & premises
 & also of one shilling Currant money of Virginia in hand paid to the said Thomas
 Preeon the Younger by the said Thomas Stayton at & before the Ensealing & delivery
 hereof the receipt Whereof the said Preeon hereby Acknowledges & of all & every part
 & parcel thereof doth acquit the said Stayton his heirs & he hath given granted bargained
 sold Alien'd Enfeoff'd & Confirmed & by these presents do give grant bargain sell
 & Confirm to the said Thomas ^{Stayton} his heirs & Assigns for ever all that tract of Land
 formerly purchas'd by the said Thomas Preeon the Elder of the three sons of
 Coll^o John West called & known by the Name of Wests Ridge & containing by
 Estimation Six hundred Acres be the same more or less being the southernmost
 part of a Tract of one thousand Acres of Land lying in the upper part of Accomack