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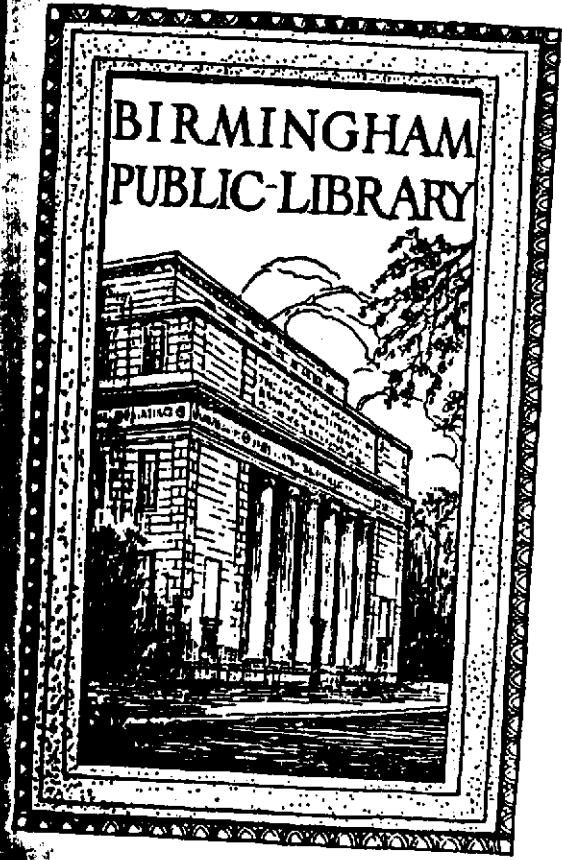
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Thomas son of Henry Turner, Sarah and James dau. and son of James Lecompte. Sarah wife of William Cullen to have care and tuition of dau. Mary and to bring her up in Protestant faith until she arrives to age of 16.

To sister-in-law Elizabeth Harris personalty.

Ex.: William Cullen.

Test: John Woolford, John Cullen, Kathrine Danely (Danaly).  
20. 600.

Evans, Mary, widow, Dorchester Co., 19th Feb., 1731;  
26th Feb., 1732.

To son John Rumbly, personalty.

" 2 daus. Rachel ——— and Catherine Phillips, and dau. Hannah Willin personalty and 1 Acre each.

" dau. Jane residue of lands for her maintenance, use of 1/2 personal estate during life, at her decease personalty to grand-son David Rogers, sd. dau. and her estate to care of sd. David Rogers, who is named ex. and residuary legatee.

Test: Andrew Macredy (Maccrady), Mary Macredy (Maccrady), Mary Prier.  
20. 602.

Carter, Edward, carpenter, Dorchester Co.,  
11th Jan., 1732;  
28th Feb., 1732.

Sons Peter and William to ex. until 1st May, then son William to Thomas Richardson for 6 yrs., shd sd. Richardson die before term of 6 yrs. is out son William to be free from him or his sons; son Solomon to care of his godmother Rachel Garey, and son Edward to John Miner; sd. sons of age at 20; dau. Marann to her aunt Mary Causey, of age at 16. Residue of personalty to be divided among children.

Ex.: William Pary.

Test: Thomas Andrew, John Miner. 20. 604

Kidder, James, Dorchester Co., 31st Dec., 1732;  
1st Mch., 1732.

To wife ——— the Manner Plantation ——— and personalty during life, at her decease, estate to be divided between son Thomas and dau. Sarah.

Test: Samuel Cheezum, Thomas Rumball, John Clark 20. 606.

Perry (Perrey, Pery), Peter, gentleman, Dorchester Co.,  
12th Nov., 1732;  
13th Mch., 1732.

To wife Francis, extx., entire estate excepting certain personalty to son Thomas at age of 21.

Test: Zebulon Keene, Thomas Whitley, Tobias Combs. 20. 606.

Maccubbin, Moses, gentleman, A. A. Co., 17th Apr., 1733;  
24th Apr., 1733.

To 3 sons Thomas, Moses and Charles and their hrs., dwelling plantation ——— divided equally. Personal estate to be divided among six children ———.

" overseers bro. Zachariah and John Beale personalty.

Ex.: son Thomas.

Test: Rev. John Humphreys, Thomas Jobson, William Stevenson.  
20. 607.

Eburnathy, John., Charles Co., 11th Mch., 1733;  
21st Apr., 1733.

To wife Ann 1/2 real estate during life; certain personalty absolutely.

" father John Eburnathy in or near Armagh in the Kingdom of Ireland, other half of real estate, and at decease of wife part bequeathed her; after decease of father sd. lands to be equally divided among 3 bros. Thomas, James and William and their hrs., in or near Armagh, residue of personalty to be divided bet. Father and 3 bros. asfd.

Exs.: wife Ann and Coll. Robert Hanson.

Test: Alexander Adair, James Maddox, Bartholomew Anderson.  
20. 608.

Ewbanks, Thomas, planter, Talbot Co., 22nd Sept., 1732;  
7th Feb., 1732.

To son Edward and hrs., 50 A. "Hogg Neck" formerly given to son George and sold by him to son Edward.

" son Adam and hrs., "Omaly's Range".

" grandson Morton personalty.

" grandson John and hrs., the plantation where son John formerly lived being about 50 A. of "Omaly's Range" adj. to "Gallaway"; sd. son dying during his minority or without issue to pass to his next bro. George and hrs.

" wife Martha extx., dwelling plantation and residue of lands; entire personal estate during life, to be divided among her children as she thinks fit, after her decease the plantation

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**Lusby, Robert, planter, A. A. Co.,** 2nd June, 1733;  
25th Aug., 1733.

To son Robert, part of "Chillberry Hall," Balto. Co., n. side Bush R., as it is now divided between him and his brother Jacob during life; at decease of sd. Robert his portion to pass to son Jacob and hrs.; but should son Robert survive his present wife, —, then afsd. part of "Chillberry Hall" is bequeathed to him and his hrs.; and personalty.

" son Jacob and hrs., other part of afsd. tract; and personalty.

" dau. Mary Turpine, Hannah Drew, Naomy Gaeslin, Susannah and Milcah, and sons Zachary, Draper, Henry and Joseph, personalty.

" son Joseph and hrs., dwelling plantation, "George Town," St. Anne's Parish, sd. son dying during his minority to pass to son Henry and hrs., sd. Henry dying during minority to pass to son Draper and hrs., he dying as afsd. to pass to son Zachary and hrs.; and personalty. Residue of personalty to be divided among Zachary, Draper, Henry, Joseph and Milcah. Sons Henry and Joseph to be for themselves at age of 18. Dau. Milcah to care of Thomas Jobson and his wife.

Exs.: Thos. Jobson, sons Zachary and Draper.

Overseers: Ezekile Gillis, John Andrews.

Test: Samuel Young, Major John Davidge (David), John Andrews. 20. 818.

**Ginhard, Samuel, planter, A. A. Co.,** 12th Oct., 1732;  
22nd Oct., 1733.

To son Anthony and hrs., dwelling plantation, —, sd. son dying without legitimate hrs., to pass to son Mark or the nearest of kin.

" son Mark and hrs., "Quicksale."

" dau. Hannah and hrs., 225 A. in Balto. Co. and personalty.

Should sd. dau. die without issue lands to be divided between sons Anthony and Mark.

Wife Ann, extx.

Test: William Worrell, Martin Fisher, William Simmons. 20. 816.

**Pratt, Joseph, A. A. Co.,** 17th May, 1733;  
16th Nov., 1733.

John Coulstone to pay of John Bartwell's estate all possessed by testator, and all that is due from the executors of his father and his mother.

To wife —, extx., "Hogg Harbor;" 1/3 of other real estate during life; entire personal estate absolutely.

Test: Thomas Tucker, Alexander Kidd, Joseph Norria. 20. 818.

**Hall, James, (nunc.) Prince George's Co.,** — — — —  
9th Oct., 1733.

To Peter Knit, (Knight) entire estate.

Test: Gabriel Swain, Thomas Wareing, John Tannehill. 20. 818.

**Neale, John, planter, Charles Co.,** 5th Oct., 1733;  
5th Nov., 1733.

To son John, 50 A., "Neale's Chance or Choice," beginning on the east and ending on south side of Clark's Branch.

" dau. Margaret Scott, sons William, Barton and Daniel at age of 18, personalty. Residue of estate to be divided among child, viz.: William, Barton, John, Charles, Daniel, Benjamin, Zachariah, Jacob and Catherine, all to be for themselves at age of 16.

Exs.: Sons William and John.

Test: Thomas Reeves, John Jones, Brian Flinn. 20. 819.

**Jameson, Henry Joshua, Charles Co.,** 30th Aug., 1733;  
6th Nov., 1733.

To sons Henry and Richard, dwelling plantation with land adjoining, being part of "Hall Lott" and part of "Hall Place."

Wife: Elizabeth, extx.

Test: Alex. Adair (Adear), Marsham Queen, John Boone. 20. 820.

**Deveron, William, Prince George's Co.,** 9th Apr., 1733;  
11th Oct., 1733.

To wife Eleanor, extx., dwelling plantation, —, during life; at her decease to dau. Eleanor Clary and Mary Clary and their hrs.; and personalty.

" dau. afsd., sons-in-law John Clary and Daniel Clary, personalty. After closing account with the Commissary, should there be any effects or money due estate, it is to be divided between wife and children.

Test: Thomas Butler (Buttler), James Smith, Thomas Burk, Daniel Chandler. 20. 820.

**Beall, James, Sr., Prince George's Co.,** 3rd May, 1733;  
29th Nov., 1733.

To dau. Jane and hrs., 240 A. of "Labyrinth," to be laid out as near as may be to dwelling plantation of Samuel Beall.

" James Edmondston and hrs., 1/2 of "Brother's Content," to be laid out as near as may be to new dwelling plantation of Michael Cranen.

" wife Mary, extx., residue of estate during life for maintenance and education of child; at her decease to be divided

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between son Alex., dau. Rachel, sons Robert, Archibald, James, Allen and Thomas, and young. dau. —, and their hrs.; should any of child. die during minority, their estates to be divided amongst their brothers. Testator empowers James Edmonston and William Beall, Sr., to resurvey lands on or near "Rock Creek," viz.: "Labyrinth," "Prevention" and "Batchelor's Forest" and to make such alterations and additions in sd. land as they shall think proper.

Test: Jane Edmonston, Arch. Edmonston, Jr., Ann Simson.

20. 822.

**Sedwicks (Sedwicks), Joshua**, planter, Calvert Co.,  
23rd Feb., 1731-2;  
3rd Nov., 1733.

To son Benjamin, ex., and hrs., 100 A., "Chevy Chase," Balto. Co.

" wife Elizabeth, certain personalty, some of which to pass at her decease to son Joshua.

" son Joshua and hrs. 170 A., dwelling plantation, "Neighbourhood," with the two water mills thereon; sd son to pay to his mother 1/3 of the profits from sd. mills.

" nephew Thomas, personalty. Residue of estate to be divided between all child., viz.: Benjamin, Joshua, Grace, wife of John Groner, Dorcas, wife of Thomas Johnson, Rachel wife of Robert Day, Rebecca, wife of William Day, Eliza and Chaney Sedwicks, not yet married, and John, eld. son of John Bradey, grandson.

Test: Thomas Freeman, Jr., Thomas Gray, Ellis Slater.

Modicil: 10 July, 1733. To son Joshua and hrs., 50 A., "Joiner," lately bought.

Test: Thomas Johnson, William Turner.

20. 823.

**Roger, Roger, Sr.**, Calvert Co.,  
17th July, 1732;  
9th Dec., 1733.

To daus. Eliza Winson and Reb. Cockshutt, each a mourning ring.

" wife, —, certain personalty absolutely and plantation near Lyon's Creek during life in lieu of her thirds.

" dau. Mary, certain personalty on condition that she relinquish deed of gift made her by testator, otherways nothing but sd. deed.

" son Roger, ex. and hrs., residue of estate.

Test: R. Smith, Jr., Thomas Bridgman, Eliza. Bridgman.

20. 825.

**Edmonston, William**, mecht., near Snowhill, Somerset Co.,  
26th Dec., 1726;  
27th Oct., 1733.

To wife Hannah, extx., 1/2 of personal estate (except as hereafter excepted) and use of dwelling plantation and certain personalty during widowhood. Should wife marry to have 1/3 of estate, real and personal; personalty and 1/3 of real estate to return to two sons William and George at her death. Sd. sons to be for themselves at 18 yrs. unless wife does not marry.

" eld. son William and hrs., 1/2 dwelling plantation, —.

" son George and hrs., other half of sd. plantation, being that part whereon Daniel Denison lives.

" 2 sons afad. and their hrs., 300 A., "Ivy Neck," near head of Pocomoak; and 1/2 personal estate.

" dau. Francis Steicy (Stecie), personalty.

Overseers: Robert and James Nairns.

Test: Robert Nairn, Sr., John White, Elizabeth Baire. 20. 826.

**Beauchamp, Edmond**, Somerset Co.,  
5th Jan., 1716-7  
29th Oct., 1733.

To wife Sarah, extx., "Contention," 100 A., "Marsh Ground," and entire personal estate during widowhood, provided James Traherne shall see fit; after her marriage or death personal estate to be divided among 5 child., viz.: John, William, Edmond, Elizabeth and Anne.

" son Edmond and hrs., 100 A., "Marsh Ground," after wife's widowhood or decease.

Overseer: Brother-in-law James Traherne, he failing to act Jeffrey Long.

Test: Sarah Piel (alias Benston), John Benson, London Wall-stone. 20. 828.

**Lampton, Mark**, planter, St. Mary's Co.,  
25th Oct., 1733;  
6th Nov., 1733.

To cousin James Pye, personalty.

" Robert Ford, Jr., ex., residue of estate in trust and for sole use of aunt Susan Thomson and her hrs.

Test: Peter Allwood, John Cole, John Manning. 20. 830.

**Thompson, Richard**, planter, St. Mary's Co.,  
24th Oct., 1733;  
6th Nov., 1733.

To wife Susana Thompson, ex., entire estate.

Test: Robert Ford, Archibald Johnstone, George Boyd. 20. 831.

**Herbert (Harbutt), Winifred**, widow, St. Mary's Co.,  
6th June, 1733;  
16th Nov., 1733.

To mulatto slave Nell, her freedom.

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she dying without issue to pass to nephew Peter Jenings and male hrs., and for lack of such hrs., to nephew Edmund Jenings and male hrs., on condition that such of sd. nephews to whom sd. estate shall descend shall use the name of Ward. Nephews failing male issue sd. lands to 3 sisters: Francina Hynson, Augustine Harris and Ariana Jenings and their hrs.; also to dau. afsd. "Readen Point," she dying without issue to nephew Matthias Harris and male hrs.; for want of such hrs. to nephew Thomas Bordley, son of sister Ariana Jenings and male hrs., and for want of such hrs. to nephew Matthias Bordley and male hrs., and for want of such hrs., to nephew Beale Bordley on same condition as above, and for want of male hrs. of sd. nephews sd. lands to 3 sisters afsd. and their hrs.; also residue of real estate, sd. dau. dying without issue, to pass to 3 sisters afsd. to be divided among their child.; use of residue of personal estate, sd. dau. dying without issue, to afsd. 3 sisters equally.

*JR* Exs.: Brothers James Harris and Edmund Jenings.

Test: John Beale, John Pasmore, Thomas Doughty. 21. 85.

Ogle, Luke, gent., New Castle, Northumberland, G. B.,  
13th June, 1719;  
27th May, 1734.

To brother Samuel, of New Castle, G. B., ex. and hrs., entire estate.

Test: Hen. Roberts, Arron Lambert, William Hanchett. 21. 87.

Dudley, James, turner, Talbot Co., 31st Dec., 1733;  
30th Apr., 1734.

To son Thomas and hrs., dwelling plantation ———.

" son George and hrs., 100 A., "Kingston," where Andrew Bainmin now dwells.

" wife Elizabeth, extx., 1/3 of personal estate.

" child, viz.: Lida, Thomas and George, remaining 2/3s.

Test: Edward Nedels (Nedles), Samuel Dudley, John Burgess. 21. 88.

Corkrell, Mary, Talbot Co., 17th Apr., 1734;  
6th May, 1734.

To son John and hrs., entire estate, to be in care of Solomon Warner, ex., until of age.

Test: Aldren Williams, Mary Williams. 21. 90.

Hardisty, Francis, All hallows Parish, A. A. Co.,  
15th Feb., 1733;  
24th Apr., 1734.

To son Francis, personalty. Residue of estate to wife ———, extx., son Francis and rest of child.

Test: Henry Hall, John Bazill. 21. 91

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Offutt, William, planter, Prince George Co.,  
10th Nov., 1732;  
10th June, 1734.

To wife Mary, dwelling plantation with tracts belonging thereto, viz.: "Neighbourhood," "Gleaning," "Gleaning's Addition," during life; at her decease to son Nathaniel and hrs.

" son Edward and hrs., "The Outlet," on Piney Branch, sd. branch falling into Potomack agt., an island formerly laid out for Walter Evans, cont. 600 A.; and personalty.

Testator states that having provided for sons William and James and for daus. Sarah wife of Thomas Harris, and Mary wife of John Bowie, Jr., leaves in remembrance to sd. sons £5 each and to sd. daus. a gold ring each.

To son John and hrs., 500 A. "Calverton Edge."

" sons John and Nathaniel and their hrs., a lot in Upper Marlboro.

" son Samuel and hrs., "Offutt's Pasture."

" young. son Thomas and hrs., "The Younger Brother" on n. side Piney Branch.

" dau. Jane, 100 A., "Offutt's Adventure," Prince George Co. and £80 at marriage or age of 21.

" son Nathaniel and hrs., residue of "Calverton Edge" and "Addition," 406 A., "Covert," to receive estate at decease of testator; son Thomas to be for himself at 17 and receive estate when of age.

" sons Samuel, Nathaniel, Thomas and dau. Jane, residue of estate after wife's thirds are deducted; should any afsd. child. die without issue survivors to divide portion of deceased.

Exs.: Sons Edward and Nathaniel.

Overseers: John son of Alexander Beall, and Ninian Magruder the elder.

Test: William Lowe, Sr. (Low), John Smith and Mary Coghlan, both deceased at date of probate. 21. 92.

Miles, Mary, widow, 3rd Apr., 1734;  
15th May, 1734.

To dau. Margret, personalty. Residue of estate divided between 3 child., viz.: Margret, Priscilla and Ann.

" granddau. Mary Sinnett, personalty.

Ex.: Son-in-law Joseph Stone.

Test: Jean Gaufe (Goufe), Ann Farthing. 21. 95.

Kitten, Katherine, A. A. Co., 18th May, 1734;  
12th June, 1734.

To sons John Buck and Edward, daus. Catherine Howard and

Darnall

**Steward, John, A. A. Co.,** 20th day, 10th Mo., (Dec.) 1733;  
2nd Mch., 1733.

To wife —, 1/3 of "Newtown," bought of Nathaniel Giles, lying between Guins Falls and Guins Run, Baltimore Co., during life, at her decease to 2 sons **John** and **Stephen**.

" two sons afsd., residue of afsd. tract. Rights to three apprentices, viz.: **Justinian Barwell**, **John Pearse** and **John Frashir**, assigned to **Thomas Norris**.

Exs.: Wife — and **John Galloway**.

Test: **Edward Parrish** (Parish, Quaker), **Thomas Esdell**, **Thomas Norris**, **Jacob Franklin** (Quaker.) 21. 107.

**Fuller, Edward, planter, A. A. Co.,** 10th Feb. 1733-4;  
22nd Apr., 1734.

To **William Fairbrother**, **John** son of **James Conaway**, son-in-law **Caleb Hillyard** and **William Ashley**, personalty.

" wife **Elizabeth**, extx., residue of estate.

Test: **James Govane**, **James Conaway**, **Thomas Hill**. 21. 109.

**Dowell, Philip, A. A. Co.,** 26th Jan., 1733;  
22nd Apr., 1734.

To son **Philip** and hrs., 200 A. of "New Year's Purchase," near Gunpowder R., 50 A. of "Kemp's Desire," Calvert Co.; and personalty.

" son **Peter** and hrs., 250 A. out of "Kemp's Desire" and "Coxes Choïce," where he thinks fit to take it, except where bequeathed son **Philip**, and 100 A. deeded to son **John**, which is hereby confirmed; and personalty.

" dau. **Elizabeth** and hrs., residue of "Kemp's Desire" and "Coxes Choice;" and personalty.

" son **Richard** and hrs., residue of "New Year's Purchase;" and personalty.

" sons **John** and **Luke**, daus. **Ann Wilson** and **Mary Breshlers**, personalty.

" dau. **Charity**, personalty, described as in her husband's poss.

Exs.: Sons **Phillip** and **John** and **Edward Reynolds**. Should last named ex. die, his son **Thomas** to act in his place.

Test: **Isaac Simons, Sr.**, **Benoni Holliday**, **Isaac Simmons, Jr.** 21. 109.

**Conner, Darby, A. A. Co.,** 11th Apr., 1734;  
27th Apr., 1734.

To wife **Durran** (**Durrant**), extx., entire estate during life; at her decease to son **John** and hrs. **Henry** and **Phillip Darnall** to act as guardians to child. of son **John** if he should die before his child. come of age.

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Exs.: Wife and son **John**.

Test: **Benoni Holliday**, **Kezar** (Keysar) **Knighton**, **Richard Shearbutt**. 21. 111.

**Mackquier (Macquier). John, planter, A. A. Co.,**  
18th Feb., 1733;  
31st Apr., 1734.

To wife **Alice** and hrs., entire estate.

Test: **Ann Taylor**, **Joseph Holbrooke**. 21. 112.

Probates to will of **Dr. Alexander Fraser, A. A. Co. Will in v. 20,**  
p. 455. See Md. Cal. Wills, v. 6 p. 230.

7th Nov., 1733, **John Pasmore**. 21st May, 1734, **Ann Turner**.  
21. 113.

**Beale, John, gent., A. A. Co.,** 25th Mch., 1734;  
9th May, 1734.

To wife **Elizabeth**, extx., and hrs., entire estate not doubting her tenderness to child. (unnamed).

Test: **Edmund Jenings**, **Vachel Denton**, **William Stevenson**.  
Sworn to in presence of **Elizabeth Nicholson**, widow, and  
**Ann Beale**, co-heiresses. 21. 114.

**Brown, John, A. A. Co.,** 10th May, 1734;  
25th May, 1734.

To **Benjamin Wollingford**, ex., and hrs., entire estate.

Test: **David Weems**, **Elizabeth Wollingford**, **John Wollingford**.  
21. 115.

**Meekins, James, Dorchester Co.,** 16th Apr., 1734;  
3rd May, 1734.

To **Mary**, widow of **John Meekins**, deceased, 50 A., dwelling plantation, "Meekins' Lot," for seven years; at expiration of afsd. seven yrs., sd. land to pass to brother **Joseph** and hrs.

" sisters **Ann** and **Betty**, personalty.

" brother **Isaac**, ex., residue of personal estate.

Test: **Jacob Pattison**, **John Lewis**, **John Robson**. 21. 115.

**Meekins, John, Sr., Dorchester Co.,** 16th Feb., 1733;  
3rd May, 1734.

To wife **Mary**, extx., 1/3 personal estate.

" sons **Isaac** and **John** and daus. **Mary Barnes** and **Elizabeth Mace**, 5 s. each.

" son **Joseph**, dau. **Hagar** and grandson **Isaac**, personalty.

" son **James** and daus. **Ann** and **Betty**, residue of personal estate.

Test: **John Lewis**, **Richard Meekins**, **Grace Gadd**. 21. 117.

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To dau. Alice, "Locust Thicket" until son John arrives at age of 18.  
 " dau. Susannah, plantation where Thomas Watts now lives until son William comes to age of 18.  
 " dau. Sarah, plantation "Henry and Ward," where Thomas Mareer now lives until son William comes to age of 18.  
 " dau. Rachell, £20 to be paid from estate after wife's thirds are deducted.  
 " eld. son William and hrs., "Neighbour's Grudge," "Henry and Ward" and dwelling plantation at decease of wife.  
 " son John and hrs., "Locust Thicket" at age of 18.  
 " son Nathaniel and hrs., "Sperton's Delight."  
 Test: James Husband, Robert Mareer, Thomas Ward.  
 Note—Test taken in presence of William, brother of testator.

21. 154.

**Gandy, Robert**, mason, Cecil Co., 2nd Jan., 1731-2;  
 20th May, 1734.

To brother John, in the Kingdom of Ireland, personalty.  
 " wife Jeanet, extx., and hrs., entire estate.

Test: Abraham Emmit, Joseph Houston, John Lethem. 21. 156.

**Burek (Burek), John**, Cecil Co., 21st May, 1734;  
 12th July, 1734.

To sons John and Patrick and daus. Margaret and Hanna, personalty.

" wife Hauser, extx., entire estate for use of her child, viz.:  
 Joseph, Richard, Darby and unborn child.

Test: Solomon Frener, Daniel Brady, Arthur White. 21. 158.

**Houston (Edmondson), Archibald**, Prince George's Co.,  
 13th Mch., 1734;  
 28th June, 1734.

To sons James and Archibald, daus. Mary Beal, Ellenor Offutt,  
 Ruth Orme, Martha Allen and granddau. Jane Allenn, personalty.

" dau. Martha Allenn and hrs., dwelling plantation, "Dunkell,"  
 at decease of wife Jane.

" son-in-law Thomas Allenn and hrs., 200 A. out of "Dear Park" and "Bare Garden," sd. tract to be e. n. e. of plantation where son Ninian formerly lived.

" son Thomas and hrs., residue of afsd. tracts, also 200 A. "The Goar" on e. branch of Potomack and 80 A. "Addition to the Goar" and personalty, to be for himself at age of 17.

" sd. son dying without issue his portion of "Dear Park" and "Bare Garden" to son Archibald, and two tracts last named to son James.

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To wife Jane and hrs., personalty, to divide the residue of personal estate with son Thomas, wife Jane to have charge of personalty bequeathed son Thomas until he arrives at age of 21.

" Clement Hill and hrs., other half of "Cool Spring Level," half of which has been conveyed by deed of gift to dau. Ellnor Offutt.

Test: George Wells, Samuel White, William Beall, Elizabeth White. 21. 159.

**Handy, William**, planter, Somerset Co., 20th Feb., 1733-4;  
 19th June, 1734.

To wife Elizabeth, 1/3 of real estate during life, and 1/3 personal estate absolutely.

" son Samuel and hrs., 444 A., dwelling plantation, "Suffolk" (except as hereafter excepted), he dying without issue to son Thomas and hrs.; and personalty.

" sons Thomas and William, personalty.

" son Stephen and hrs., 200 A. had of Griffin Thomas and part of dwelling plantation on w. of branch adjoining to the plantation of sd. Griffin; sd. son dying without issue to son William and hrs. Residue of estate to be divided among 4 sons afsd.

Exs.: Wife and son Samuel.

Test: William Mills, Samuel Mills, Francis Allen. 21. 162.

**Cary (Carey), William, Sr.**, planter, Somerset Co.,  
 13th May, 1734;  
 19th June, 1734.

To son Levin and hrs., 100 A. dwelling plantation, "William's Chance."

" sons Jonathan and Thomas and their hrs., 150 A., "Pleasant."

" wife Elizabeth, extx., personal estate during life, at her decease to 3 sons afsd.

Test: Dennis Driskell, Benjamin Fooke (Fookes), John Jadwine. 21. 164.

**Piper, William**, planter, Stepney Parish, Somerset Co.,  
 13th Feb., 1733-4;  
 4th June, 1734.

To sons Joseph and John and their hrs., real estate divided when first is of age, son Joseph to have first choice.

" 4 child., viz.; Sarah, Anna, John and Joseph, residue of estate equally as they come of age to receive their estates. Should any die without issue survivors to divide portion of deceased. Child. to be brought up in faith of the Church of England.

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dwelling plantation, share of "Padanaram," on Little Chop-tank, and share of "Oyater Point," excluding any of other brothers from having any part of any of afd. land.

Test: Nehemiah Lecompte, Clara Lecompte, Mary Lary.

21. 184.

**Ennalls, Henry, Dorchester Co.,** 3rd June, 1734;  
16th Aug., 1734.

To wife Elizabeth, "Beckwith Plantation" at Choptank where her mother lived during life, at her decease to son Bartholomew and hrs.

" son Bartholomew and hrs., dwelling plantation —, with lands adjoining (except plantation where William Byas lives); and personalty.

" dau. Dorothy and hrs., 100 A. where Wm. Byas lives; ad. dau. dying without issue to pass to son Bartholomew and hrs.; and personalty. Residue of estate to be divided between wife and 2 child. afd. Child. and their estates to care of brother Joseph, ex. with wife Elizabeth.

Test: Tho. Ennalls, Richard Horsey (Horsley), Robert Rawley.

21. 184.

**Marshall, William, Prince George Co.,** 23rd Apr., 1734;  
29th July, 1734.

To son Thomas and hrs., 160 A., "Carrick," and 100 A. to be laid out of present dwelling plantation, "Charles," should ad. son intermarry with Susannah Swoot, ad. tracts to son John and hrs.; and personalty under same condition.

" sons William and John and their hrs., "Peasasco," with 100 A. adjoining on the back, and 100 A. next to Philpots, being in Charles Co., also all lands in afd. county; should either son die without issue survivor to inherit portion of deceased; but if son Thomas should marry afd. Susannah then all afd. land to pass to sons William and John only to enjoy above mentioned land given Thomas on condition as afd.

" dau. Sarah and Rebekah and their hrs., residue of "Charles," they dying without issue to son Thomas and hrs.

" brother Thomas and hrs., tract given to him by father, without mentioning his hrs. Residue of personal estate to be divided between sons William and John and dau. Sarah and Rebekah. Money in England and all tobacco to be applied by brother Thomas, ex. in purchase of slaves for ad. child, so they may have them when they come of age.

Test: John Orme, William Webster, John Beall, Jr. 21. 188.

**Thompson, James, Charles Co.,** 30th Mch., 1733;  
14th Aug., 1734.

To wife Jane, extx., 1/3 part of "Thompson's Hope," lying on s. side of the North Branch, during life; after her decease to John McPherson and hrs., remaining part to John McPherson and hrs.

" Richard McPherson and hrs., the part of afd. tract lying on n. side of sd. branch. The whole tract is bequeathed to the longest liver.

" John and Richard McPherson, personalty.

Test: Randolph Morris, Jonathan Wilson, Ann Grissom. 21. 188.

**Pearce, Benjamin, Cecil Co.,** 4th April, 1734;  
22d April, 1734.

To eld. son Benjamin and hrs., the westernmost moiety, or half of that part of land lying on s. side of main road leading from Chamberlain's bridge at head of Browning's Creek to the head of Bohemia.

" son William and hrs., easternmost moiety or half part of lands lying on s. side of afd. road. That is to say, such part of "Rounds," "Addition to the Rounds" and "Andrew's Square" lying on s. side of afd. road shall be equally divided between sons Benjamin and William.

" son Andrew and hrs., 1/2 part of lands lying on n. side of afd. main road.

" young. son Daniel and hrs., 1/2 part of lands lying on n. side of afd. main road. That is to say, such part of "Rounds" lying on the n. side of afd. road between the road and Little Bohemia R. with the 20 A. conveyed by John Baldwin shall be equally divided between sons Andrew and Daniel. Wife Mary to have use of dwelling plantation during life.

" dau. Sarah and hrs., lot No. 3, Cecil Town, taken up in her name.

" dau. Rachel and hrs., lot No. 4, Cecil Town.

" wife Mary, personalty and 1/3 of personal estate.

" dau.-in-law Mary Cooper, son William and dau. Mary Noxon, personalty. Residue of estate to sons Benjamin, William, Andrew and Daniel and dau. Sarah and Rachel equally, to be paid them as they severally arrive at age, child. to be under care of their mother.

Exs.: Wife and son Benjamin.

Test: Rev. Hugh Jones, Maurice Roberts, Charles Mahaney.

Note—30th May, 1734, Mary Pearce declares she will accept will on condition that her stepson Benjamin will release his estate in all lands devised to her sons Wm., Andrew and Daniel and their hrs., otherwise she claims her thirds. 21. 189.



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*Beale***Williams, William, Charles Co.** 19th Nov., 1735;

5th May, 1736.

- To son Thomas and hrs., 72 A. "Williamse Chance."  
 " son William and hrs., 250 A. "Frankum," 28 A. adj. thereto called "Williamse Addition," sd. son dying without issue to son Thomas and hrs.  
 " children, viz: William, Thomas, Lewcresea and Mary, and Elizabeth Annis, personalty. Residue of personalty after wife's thirds are deducted, divided among child. afsd. Sons to be free at age of 19.

Wife Ann extx.

Test: Thomas Wright, John Wright, Jonathan Williams.

21. 548.

**Ensey, Catherine, spinster, Charles Co.** 4th Jan., 1735-6;  
5th May, 1736.

- To son Dennis, dau. Mary, and child of dau. Margaret, personalty. Residue of estate after debts of decd husband and testator are paid to be divided equally bet. son Dennis, dau. Mary, four grand-children born of dau. Winifred, one of dau. Margaret, and dau. of son John. Son Dennis to live with William Coomes until 21 years and to receive one year's schooling; dau. Mary to care of her sister Winnifred.

Exs.: William Coomes and William Mookatee.

Test: Roger Mawdesley, John Munro, John Beale.

21. 549.

**Angel (Angell), James, St. Mary's Co.,** 4th Apr., 1736;  
10th May, 1736.

- To son John, daus. Mary, Ann and Winifred, Luke Merril and god-dau. Perry, dau. of Robert Perry, personalty.  
 " Rev. Thomas Gerrald £3 for use of Roman Catholic church. Residue of personalty to be divided bet. 4 children.  
 " dau. Mary and hrs., "Mary's Hope," being pt. of "The Cross Manner," adj. to land that was Luke Herbert's, and now in occupation of Richard Barnhouse, whose courses and bounds is according to a deed of gift made and signed by two Justices of the Peace 1730, not recorded.  
 " dau. Winifred and hrs., 52 A. being pt. of afsd. "Cross Manner" and binding on the land that was John Stiles', also binding on the land that was Vitus Herbert's, and on the land that is Mary Clark's, sd. dau. to live with son John until 16 years of age and to receive 1 yrs. schooling.  
 " dau. Ann and hrs., 50 A. "Courtney's Fancy." Shd. son John not make over sd. tract to dau. Ann she is to have 50 A. out

of "The Cross Manner," also 3,000 lbs. tob. from personal estate.

To son John and hrs., residue of real estate. Permission to be given Eleanor Witherlock to live in the Cross house for seven years.

Test: Richard Reynolds, Gilbert Bending, John Stiles.

21. 550.

**Mason, John, St. John's Parrish, Baltimore Co.**

2nd Apr., 1736;

11th May, 1736.

To son John, ls.

" wife Frances, extx., residue of estate.

Test: John Roberts, John Stokes, William Kemp.

21. 553.

**Wood, William, Sr., St. John's Parrish, Baltimore Co.**

8th Apr., 1732;

4th Apr., 1736.

To son William and hrs., 1/2 of land including manner house with plantation, and 1/3 of orchard.

" son Samuel and hrs., residue of land and 1/3 of orchard.

" wife Jane and hrs., use of afsd. plantation and orchard during life; shd. son Samuel die without issue his portion to pass to his bro. William and hrs.

" sons and dau (unnamed), personalty. Dau. to have her portion at age of 16.

Test: Archibald Hodges, Anthony Asker, Roseanna Standtown.

30 Mch. 1736—Additional testimony by Tabitha Cottrell and John Watson as to certain eracings in above will.

21. 553.

**Hudson, Richard, Calvert Co.**

31st Mch., 1736;

22nd Apr., 1736.

To son William, entire estate.

Exs.: son afsd. and Stephen Dickinson.

Test: Aaron Williams, John Godsgrace.

Note: 21 Apr. 1736. Stephen Dickinson refuses to administer, the other ex. is an infant of 14 years, letters granted to Charles Somt. Smith, gent., he being greatest creditor.

21. 555.

**Annis, John, taylor, Cecil Co.**

16th Feb., 1735-6;

6th Apr., 1736.

To wife Julian, extx., entire personal estate; also lot bought of Robert Pennington at "Pennington's Point," in case he make it over to her in due form of law, but shd. he return money paid for it sd. purchase money to wife afsd.

Test: Rev. Mr. Hugh Jones, John McDermot, Thomas Bavington.

21. 556.

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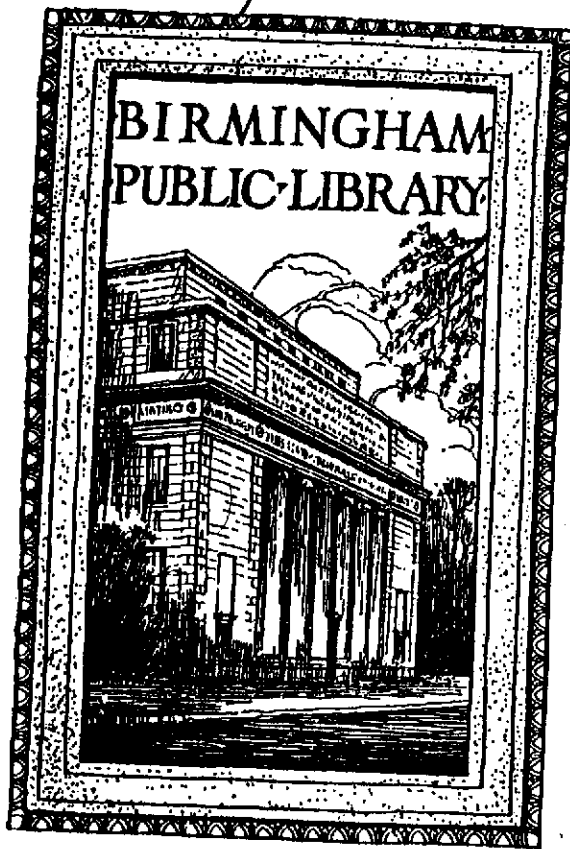
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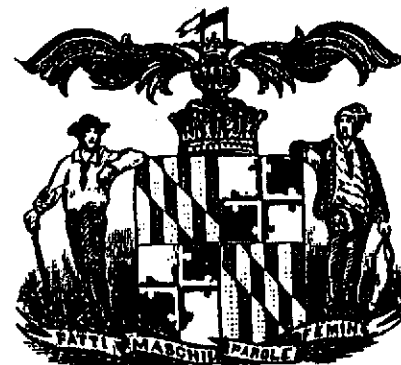


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To dau. **Ester** and hrs., land and houses in Askimine compson, Indian Town, where quarter now is; patent for same to be issued in her name. Wife — to have use of plantation during widowhood; and personalty.

“ dau. **Hannah**, 400 A. “**Somerfield**,” lately in tenure of **Thomas Waite**; “**Upper Pines**,” now in possession of **Thomas Farrell**, joining on n. with beach of **Henry Hudson**, sd. land having been granted to **Madam Elizabeth Diggs**, and sold by **Edward Diggs**, her son and heir; and personalty.

“ 2 sons and 2 daus. afsd. and their hrs., 6000 A. “**Baltimore's Gift**,” at the beach; and 1300 A. adj., equally. Also residue of personal estate, including money in hand, and that due testator in England and elsewhere; shd. either of sd. daus. die without issue, survivor to inherit portion of dec'd. After wife — has received certain personalty, residue to 2 daus., **Ester** and **Hannah** afsd., sd. daus. to pay to the justices of Somerset Co. £12 10s. each, to be distributed among the poor of **Pocomoke**, **Mattapany**, **Boggete**, **Nortown** and **Baltimore Hundreds**. Property possessed by wife — to be enjoyed by her and her hrs.

Testator states that a certain instrument in writing sd. to have been signed and sealed by him at marriage with late dec'd. wife, **Ester**, and in possession of one of his sons, obligates him to performance of sundry matter, shd. either afsd. sons insist or make claim to any other portion of estate, real or personal, sd. son to be excluded from any benefit of same and portions herein bequeathed to sd. sons to be possessed by daus. **Ester** and **Hannah** and their hrs.

“ grandson **William** (son of son **William**), personalty.

**Steven White** having appointed testator ex. with **John Watts** and **Robt. Nairne**, overseers, they are to take into their possession sd. estate for use of **William**, son of sd. **Steven White**.

100 A. “**Woodman's Folly**,” at head of **Cedar Neck**, to be sold for payment of debts and legacies.

Ex.: Daus. **Ester** and **Hannah**.

To overseers: Bro.-in-law **Samuel Hopkins**, personalty, and to **John Caldwell** and **Francis Allen**, £5 each.

Test: **John Morrogh**, **Peter Robinson**, **Samil. Derreckson**, **Littleton Bowin**.

Codicil: 13th Mar., 1719-20, sons **Wm.** and **Southy** named as exs. with daus. afsd. Legacy to grandson **William** revoked.

Test: **Charles Nichelson**, **Samuel Turner**, **Samil. Turner, Jr.**

16, 105.

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**Upshon (Upshor), John**, cooper, **Somerset Co.**,  
31st Oct., 1702;  
23rd June, 1720.

To dau. **Elizabeth Juder**, £12.

“ bro.-in-law **Robert Blades**, personalty.

“ wife **Mary**, extx., estate, real and personal.

Test: **William Henrey**, **Donnock Dennis, Sr.**, **Donneck Dennis, Jr.**, **John Pitts**. 16, 116.

**Tull, Thomas, Sr.**, **Somerset Co.**, 14th Feb., 1717-18;  
28th June, 1720.

To son **Thomas**, personalty.

“ son **John** and hrs., 50 A. of marsh, being pt. of 200 A. “**Winter Range**,” next to **Moons Bay**.

“ **William Cox**, son of wife, 150 A. of “**Winter Range**” and personalty.

“ wife **Ann**, extx., residue of estate, real and personal, during life, at her decease to pass to her son **William**, afsd.

Test: **Henry Miles**, **Richd. Hall**, **Margaret Goldsmith**, **Robt. Woods**. 16, 117.

**Parratt, William**, **Kings Ck.**, planter, **Talbot Co.**,  
8th May, 1720;  
14th July, 1720.

To cousin **Ann** and hrs. (dau. of bro. **John**), after decease of wife **Susanah**, dwelling plantation 50 A. “**Middle Spring**.”

“ cousins, **John**, **Michal**, **William** and **David Kirby**, **Aron Parratt** and **John Balhel, Jr.**, personalty.

“ cousins **Benjamin** (when of age and free from his aunt) and **Ellnor Selvester**, personalty.

“ wife **Susanah**, extx., residue of personal estate.

Testator desires to be buried at **Tuckahoe Meeting**.

Test: **Michal Kirby**, **John Baggs**, **Edward Turner**. 16, 119.

**Blee, Margaret**, widow, **Charles Co.**, 2nd April, 1720;  
15th June, 1720.

To **Elizabeth, Jr.**, and **Mary Fendall**; **Sarah**, wife of **John Cox**; **Rose Law**; **Thomas Lomax**; god-dau. **Susannah**, dau. of **John Baker**; **Eliza**, wife of **Phillip Snivens**, and **Susanah Maud**, personalty.

“ **Margaret Holt**, an orphan girl brought up by testator, residue of estate, real and personal.

Ex.: **Capt. John Fendall**.

Test: **Gustavus Brown**, **Josias Fendall**, **George Carter**.

Note: 14th July, 1720, **John Fendall** (**Fandall**) renounces as ex. of above will.

Test: **Mathew Dutton** and **Jos. Fendall**. 16, 122.

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**Blee, John, planter, Charles Co.,** 14th Nov., 1718;  
 15th June, 1720.

To Susannah Baker, godson John (son of James Elery) and god-dau. Anne (dau. of Mark Penn), personalty.

“ wife Margaret, extx.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  real estate during life, at her decease to pass to Margaret Holt and hrs., and  $\frac{1}{2}$  personal estate, absolutely.

“ Margaret Holt and hrs.,  $\frac{2}{3}$ s real estate, at age of 16 or marriage, and  $\frac{2}{3}$ s personal estate. Capt. John Fendall to act as guardian to sd. Margaret Holt.

Test: Thos. Marshall, Rose Law, Josias Fendall. 16, 126.

**Brayfield, John, Charles Co.,** 13th May, 1720;  
 5th July, 1720.

To son John and hrs., dwelling plantation —, he dying without issue to dau. Mary and hrs., she dying without issue to dau. Margaret and hrs., also personalty.

Son John to be in care of Hudson Wathin, ex., till age of 21, shd. he die, to care of Edward Fillpot.

“ dau. Mary, personalty.

Test: Elias Hannington, Henry Wathin, Thomas Barlow. 16, 129.

**Wright, Charles, Queen Anne's Co.,** 10th April, 1720;  
 4th July, 1720.

To son Robert and hrs., 120 A. “Collington” and pt. of “White Marsh.”

“ son Charles and hrs., 200 A. “Cockhouse” (or “Corke House”) and pt. of “White Marsh.”

“ son Jonathan and hrs., residue of “White Marsh,” or 300 A. “White Marsh Addition,” to make choice at age.

“ son Nathan, the tract which son Jonathan refuses, and personalty at age of 21.

“ dau. Mary and hrs., “Long Runn,” bou. of Philip Davis.

“ wife Katherine, use of certain personalty and  $\frac{1}{2}$  of personal estate. Residue to afsd. child. equally.

Exs.: Wife Katherine and son Robert.

Overseer: Col. Richd. Tilghman.

Test: Rd. Tilghman, J. Earle, Thos. Fisher, John Beck. 16, 131.

**Sweatnan, William, Queen Anne's Co.,** 23rd May, 1719;  
 3rd July, 1720.

To dau. Ester and hrs., 650 A. “Green Spring,” 100 A. “Paxton's Lott” and 300 A. “Hopton.”

To dau. Sarah and hrs., 120 A. “Sweatnan Hope,” 348 A. “Hemsley's Farme,” 200 A. “Abbinton” and 400 A. “Poplar Ridge.”

“ unborn child, 900 A. “Chesterfields,” at decease of wife; 400 A. “Providence” and 500 A. “Sweatnams Lott.”

“ wife Sarah, extx., dwelling plantation “Chesterfields” during life; 300 A. of “Camberwell,” 200 A. “Stepny,” and  $\frac{1}{2}$  personal estate absolutely; residue of personal estate to child. afsd. equally; shd. any of sd. child. die during minority, or without issue, survivors to inherit portion of dec'd. Extx. is empowered to sell following tracts: 300 A. “Bridgewater,” 124 A. “Morefields” and “Morefields Addition,” 200 A. “Browne Lott” and 55 A. “Tryangle,” for support of self and education of children, who are to live with wife Sarah until age of 16, or marriage, to receive their portions at that age.

Test: William Clayton, Walter Carmichall, George Hutchinson, John Hutcherson (Hutchason). 16, 134.

**Bentin, Francis, planter, Kent Island, Queen Anne's Co.,** 1st May, 1718;  
 15th Apr., 1720.

To wife Mary, extx., dwelling plantation, 99 A. “Pentrige” during life, at her decease to son Thomas and hrs., shd. he die without issue to youngest son Benja. and hrs. Also 60 A. “Pentroneys” during life, at her decease to youngest son Benja. and hrs., entire personal estate absolutely.

Test: Wm. Elliott, John Roberts, Thos. Granger. 16, 139.

**Wyatt, James, Queen Anne's Co.,** 23rd April, 1720;  
 4th June, 1720.

To youngest son James and hrs., real estate on s. side Chester R., shd. he die without issue sd. lands to pass to two daus. (unnamed), shd. they die without issue sd. lands to pass to grandson James and hrs.

“ grandson James afsd. and hrs., 60 A. on n. side Chester R. eldest son James, personalty.

“ wife Johannah, extx.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of dwelling plantation — during life, and personalty, on condition that she “brick and keep in repair graveyard on plantation.” Residue of personal estate to youngest son James and his two sisters — afsd.

Test: Wm. Wyatt, Robt. Boolard, Samuel Luxen, Eliza. Butler. 16, 140.