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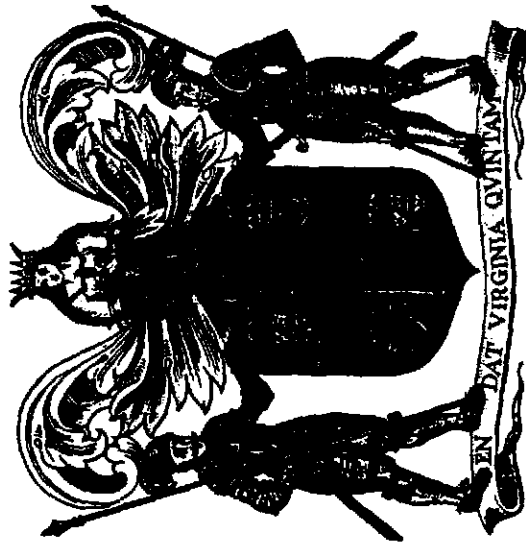
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In 1619, a year marked by several important events in the Colony, including the assembling of the first General Assembly, the London Company adopted a "Cote for Virginia". The coat-of-arms has been a puzzle and source of speculation to every historian and has been sometimes confused with the proper seal of the Colony itself. It is found as a book plate or frontispiece in nearly all of the printed acts and official proceedings of the Colonial government. It appears in Smith's *General History of Virginia*, editions 1624 and 1632; in Beverley's *History of Virginia*, in several issues of the *Virginia Gazette*, and in Stow's *Survey of London*, published in 1633. It was changed slightly from time to time to make the quarterings agree with the arms of the different reigning houses, and after the union of England and Scotland "quarum" succeeded "quintum" in the motto. The illustration is from the title page of *Merriman's History of Virginia* in the Virginia State Library.

Roger Wright, Alice a maid servt., Edward Agar, Eliza. Machin.

CAPT. THOMAS PURIFYE, Esqr., 100 acs. Eliz. City Co., 28 Nov. 1655, p. 325. N. W. upon a Cr. next upon the fort feild, S. upon the maine river, E. upon Thomas Oldis & N. E. upon land of John Neale. Due by assignment from Capt. Thomas Grayes as by order of court 29 Feb. 1651, to whom it was due for his per. devident as being an Ancient Planter.

BRIDGES FREEMAN, 150 acs. James City Co., 1 Dec. 1655, p. 324. Bounded to the Nwd. of the W. upon Chichahomy Riv. to the Swd. of the E. into the maine woods close by a Cr. side next adj. to a sunken marsh, being a point of land. 50 acs. for the per. adv. of his wife Bridgett Freeman & 100 acs. for trans. of his brother Bennett Freeman & 1 servt. named Ellis Baker.

MR. WILLIS HEYLEY (Hely—Hely), Minister, 250 acs. in the Parish of Mulberry Island, 8 Dec. 1655, p. 325. Beg. at a place called the Otreedams abutting upon land of Mr. Thomas Harwood, now in the occupation of Daniell Lane, on the N. side towards the Mills, S. E. towards land of Capt. Flint on the S. the lands of Mr. Thomas Nowell on the W. & adj. land formerly granted sd. Heyley. Due for the per. adv. of his wife Mrs. Ehanor Heyley & his brother Robert Heyley & trans. of 3 pers: Roger Hollock, John Chawke, Mable Busher.

CHRISTOPHER BRANCHE, 250 acs. Henrico Co., 8 Dec. 1655, p. 326. At Kings land over against Arroehattocks, E. upon the maine river, bounded with the second Cr. on the W., adj. S. upon land of John Griffin, now in the tenure of sd. Branche, & thence Nly. towards land of Thomas Sheffeld. 50 acs. for his owne per. adv. & 200 acs. for the trans. of 4 pers: John Gibson, John Macham, William Butler, Wm. Possell

MR. ROBERT CAVE (or Cane), 200 acs., 18 Dec. 1655, p. 327. Bounded Wly. upon Mr. Wilkeson, Nly. upon the Cr., Ely. alongst that Cr. & Sly. into the maine land. 50 acs. for his owne per.

adv. & 150 acs. for trans. of 3 pers: Joseph Richards, Morgen Huett, Samuell Ellis.

CAPT. ADAM THOROGOOD (Thorowgood—Thoroughgood), 600 acs. 18 Dec. 1655, p. 327. Lying N. upon the first or second little Cr. upon the Ewd. side of Lynn Haven alias Chesopeian Riv., Ely. into the maine land, Sly. upon the maine river of Lynn haven & Wly. upon same. Trans. of 12 pers: Robt. Whettle, Choyce Johnson, Eliza. Lawcon (or Lawton), Tho. Merhell (or Methell), Jon. Philipps, Jon. Crabby, Robert Bennett, Edward Blake, Jon. James, Edward Williams, Edward Strong, John Burges.

MR. JOHN FELGATE, 1200 acs. upon Checquers neck, 23 Dec. 1655, p. 328. N. N. W. upon the river, & from the Landing place the body of the land lyeth S. E. into the woods. Trans. of 24 persons.\*

JOSEPH SAMON, 150 acs. in Nanzenund Riv. on the S. side, adj. land of Georg Fawdon, 14 July 1655, p. 329. Beg. at a point which butteth upon a red Cliff on the N. side marked on a blacke walnut tree with JS & soc running up the river. 50 acs. for his per. adv. & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 pers.\*

ELIZABETH PACKER, (or Parker), Widdowe, 200 acs. in Varinaes, Henrico Co., 12 Feb. 1655, p. 330. Between land granted to William Dawkes on the E. & the Gateab land on the W., abutting on the Long feild towards the maine river, Sly. Nly. into the woods & S. W. adj. (land) in the tenure of the sd. Elizabeth. 100 acs. in right of her first husband William Sharpe, an Ancient Planter in the time of Sir Thomas Dale, & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 servts. called Gilbert Platt & John Newman.

BRIDGES FREEMAN, 100 acs., 1 June 1655, p. 331. Upon the Ely. side of Chichahomy Riv. within the mouth, next adj. land in the tenure of sd. Freeman & Francis Fowler only a cr. & a marsh parting the same, Wly. upon the same river & Ely. into the maine woods. Trans. of 2 pers. Under this record appears the following: Hen. Scott Rich-

ard &c. certified to bee servant by Capt. Utye & Thomas Smith.\*

SAME. 800 acs., yeare 1655, p. 331. On the Wly. side of Chichahomy Riv. Opposite land granted to sd. Freeman & Francis Fowler, pointing S. E. upon the maine river & extending N. W. along the Cr. into the woods next adj. unto the place commonly called Jurying point. Trans. of 16 pers: David Minter, William Wiltshire, Jon. Bing, David Jones, Wm. Nutt, Fr. Aldridge, Matthew Williamson, Katherine Leonard, Jeremiah Stone, Eliza. Hart, Richard Saunders, Tho. Smith.

JOHN GARYE, 300 acs. on S. side of Nanzenund Riv., 13 Feb. 1655, p. 332. Neare adj. land of Joseph Samon, S. E. into the woods, N. W. upon the river, N. E. & S. W. along the banke of the maine river 150 po. up the river towards land of Daniell Tuggins. Trans. of 6 pers.\*

BENNETT BLEWITT, 50 acs. Warricksquick Co., at the mouth of sd. Cr., 15 Feb. 1655, p. 333. N. W. upon sd. Cr., running S. W. up into the woods &c. Due for the per. adv. of his now wife Elizabeth Blewitt.

THOMAS NORMANTON, 50 acs. Eliz. City Co., 1655, (no other date), p. 334. Between land of Robert Huett, beg. at a Swamp, running by the water side to the Indian Stone, up into the woods S.E. Due by deed of sale from John Ward to whom it was due for trans. of 1 servt. by the name of Ann Ward.

JAMES KNOTT, 1200 acs. Eliz. City Co., 24 Mar. 1635, p. 334. N. E. facing upon Nanzenund Riv., S. into the woods, E. upon the second Cr. & W. by S. upon the third Cr. Due for the per. adv. of his wife Ehanor Knott & trans. of 23 pers: Robert —, Henry Yates, Elin Williams, Ann Crawford, Lewis Vaughan, Tho. Taylor, Tho. Broad, Jno. Horne, Franc. Bisley, Jno. Piper, Jon. Popeplewell, Tho. Brough, Richard Russell, Tho. Sparrow, Tho. Ferrebby, Robt. Maxe Robert Selby, Robt. Woolles, Rich. Wheeler, Ann Shaw & 2 Negroes.

THOMAS NORMANTON, 250 acs. Eliz. City Co., 11 Apr. 1655, p. 335. Nly. upon a br. of Harris his Cr., N. E. on the ground of William Hampton, S. W. to the end of Hampton Riv. & Sly. into the maine woods. Due by deed of sale from John Ward, 15 Feb. 1655, to whom it was due for trans. of 5 pers: Andrew Peterson, Jos. Browne, Eliz. Blackly, Eliza. Bently, Ann Ward.

LT. JOHN CHEESEMAN, 200 acs. Chas. Riv., 23 Apr. 1636, p. 336. E. Sly. upon Chesepeack bay, Nly. upon the back Cr., W. Nly. upon Cheesemans Cr. Trans. of 4 persons.\* Renewed in the name of John Hollis & Richard Bennett. Test: Tho. Cooke, Clr.

THOMAS CAUSEY, 300 acs. at the mouth of Appamatucks Riv. at the S. side, bounded W. upon a great Cr., S. into the maine woods, E. upon Castines feild Cr. 2 May 1636, p. 336. Trans. of 6 pers.\*

THOMAS HARRIS, 700 acs. called by the name of the Long feild, with Swamp, Marshes & Creeks, 2 May 1656, p. 337. Beg. at a little Cr. over against Capt. Martins, bounded Nwd. on the back side of the Sw., Wwd. on the maine river, S. E. towards Bremoes devident. Trans. of 14 pers.\*

RICE HOW (Howe), 1200 acs. Chas. City Co., 2 May 1636, p. 338. Neare Martins brandon, W. upon the maine river to a Cr. parting the land of Martin Brandon & Capt. Wards land, S. upon Capt. Wards Cr., & E. into the woods along the maine river, all of which land is called Capt. Wards plantation. 100 acs. for the per. adv. of himselfe & wife & 1100 acs. for the trans. of 22 pers.\*

WILLIAM NUSAM, 550 acs. James City Co., 3 May 1656, p. 338. Towards the Sunken Marsh, Ely. upon a Sw., Sly. towards the lower Cr. & Wly. into the maine woods, 50 acs. for his owne per. adv., 50 acs. for the per. adv. of his first wife Penelope Ramsey, 50 acs. for per. adv. of his second wife Sarah Fisher, 50 acs. for per. adv. of his now wife Elizabeth Wilsonn & 350

At the head of Utye his Cr., bounded towards James Riv. with Midleway Sw., which is included in this grant, towards the middle plantation towards Chas. Riv. near upon his own land & E. upon sd. Creek. Due in right of trans. of 25 pers.\* by his father.

**WILLIAM BANNISTER**, (Banister) 1000 acs., 25 July 1638, p. 582. 300 acs. butting upon Footeball quarter Cr. on the E. side, Ely. towards Tinkersheires Neck; also a neck of land upon the old Poquoson called Tinkersheires Neck Nly. towards the New Poquoson. What these 2 parcels shall want of 1000 acs. to be supplied at Boare quarter at the head of the Great Marsh. Due in right of trans. of 20 pers. by Georg Downes, late of Va., Merchant, which right was purchased by sd. Banister: John Patrick, Jon. Forbush, William Cotton, Tho. Cadby (or Cadly), Jon. Baker, Mathew Morgan, James Harrison, Tho. Hewes, Tho. Trotter, Elias —, Richard Bayly, William Banister, Jon. Cerye, Wm. Lethermore, "Bas a Negat", Anthony, William, Mary, John, Jacob, Negars.

**EDWARD MINTER**, 300 acs. James City Co., 25 July 1638, p. 583. At the Up. Chippokes, bounded on the W. with a great Sw. next to land of Benjamin Harrison, running along the S. side of James Riv. towards land of Jerimiah Clements. Trans. of 6 pers: Grace Minter his wife, Richard Hyde, An Emmerton, Hen. Patrick, Edward Young, John Cooper.

**JOHN HACKER**, 150 acs., 25 July 1638, p. 583. Upon the W. side of the Up. Chippokes, being a neck of land betwixt 2 small creeks, Ely. upon the maine Cr. of Chippokes &c. 50 acs. for his own per. adv. & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 pers: Abraham Hill, Christopher Hold.

**NATHANIEL TATUM**, 500 acs. in Appanattuck Riv., W. upon a great Cr., S. into the maine woods, E. upon Causeys feild Cr. & N. upon sd. river. 24 July 1638, p. 583. Due by assignment from Thomas Causey.

**RANDALL CREW**, 750 acs. Up. Co. of New Norf., 24 July 1638, p. 584. E. upon a Cr. in Nansamund Riv. N. upon the river, W. along same & S. into the woods, the land being called by the name of Georg his feild. 150 acs. due according to an order of court 5 Oct. 1631 in right of his wife Dorothy Behethland & 650 acs. in right of trans. of 13 pers: Richard Manshipp, Lowry Thomas, John Johnes, (or Joines) Fr. Geere, Nich. Martin, Georg Lodg, Anth. Proctor, Edward Clarke, John Faine, Judith Tompson, Edward Oliver, Edward Luckston, Maria a Negroe.

**LEIFT. ROBERT SHEPPARD**, 650 acs. James City Co., 26 July 1638, p. 584. S. side of James Riv., at the Low. Chippokes Cr. above the uppermost little Cr., between two branches thereof, bounding Wly., upon land of John Dunston, beg. at the head of the Westernmost swamp. Due for trans. of 13 pers: Robert Swett, Robert Howse, Henry Middowes, Georg Griffin, John Hacherné, Philipp Harringham, Jerimiah Bridges, Joseph Sperting, William Taylor, John Parson, Daniell Walton, Randall Whitley, Thomas Johnson.

**WILLIAM MORGAN**, 150 acs. James City Co., 28 July 1638, p. 585. Being a small island in Chichahominy Riv., Sly. down the river butting upon the Pynie point. Due for trans. of his now wife Margaret, late the wife of Richard Sanders & 2 pers. trans. by sd. Sanders: Christ. Banckes, Richard Hill.

**THOMAS WALLIS**, a practitioner of Physicke, 700 acs. called Juring point, James City Co., 28 July 1638, p. 585. Sly. upon James Riv. Nly. upon a Cr. parting land of Bridges Freeman, gent. & sd. Juring point, W. to land of Mr. Benjamin Carrill, N. upon land of Mr. Francis Fowler, running bet. lands of sd. Carryls & Fowler. Due for trans. of 14 pers: John Hollingsworth, Sarah his wife, Thomas Wallis, Richard Foster, James Whiting, Thomas Davis, Samuel Hudson, Robert Allen, Melchisedick Floyd, Richard Weston, Margaret Sanders, William Worminger, Jon. Spencer, Katherine Harrison.

Joyning upon land of Epaphroditus Lawson Ely., N. W. upon Nansamund Riv. Due by assignment from Arthur Haslington.

**RICHARD EWEN**, 150 acs. Up. Co. of New Norf., 14 Aug. 1638, p. 588. Neare the head of the W. branch of Chuckatuck Cr., E. upon land of Thomas Bush, W. up towards the head of sd. creek &c. Due for his own per. adv. & trans. of 2 pers: Nicholas Ewen, Christopher Roades.

**GEORG WHITE**, Clarke, 300 acs. Up. Co. of New Norf., 6 Mar. 1638, p. 589. E. into the woods adj. land of John Wilkins, gent., W. upon his own land, S. upon sd. Wilkins & N. upon land of John Parrott. 50 acs. for the per. adv. of his wife Blanka White & 250 acs. for trans. of 5 pers: Peter White, Zachariah Taylor, Joane Butler, Marthia Smith, Edward Dicker.

**SAMUELL WATKEYES**, 150 acs. Chas. Riv. Co., 15 Aug. 1638, p. 589. In Queens Cr. & behind land now seated by John Bell, S. W. into the woods & land of John Hartwell on the N. Due for his own per. adv. & trans. of 2 pers: William Bembridge, Thomas Graves.

**RALPH WYATT**, Gent. to **RICHARD JOHNSON**, **ROGER DAVIS** & **ABRAHAM WOOD**, Planters, 21 year lease; last day of Dec. 1636, p. 590. One parcell of land lying & being from Sizemores Cr. & soe up the Cr. as far as Capt. Buttons land doth extend, from thence up to the Rock in Apamattock Riv., thence along the river & soe into the Baye & from thence to Seizmore his Cr. againe. Said Wyatt, his assigns &c. shall possess & enjoy 10 acs. of the land aforesaid running down from the Rock above mentioned. Signed: Ralph Wyatt. Witnesses: Joseph Fister, Daniell Lewellin.

**FRANCIS MORGAN**, 100 acs. Chas. River Co., 20 Aug. 1638, p. 591. N. E. upon the river, S. by W. into the woods, betwixt land of Mr. William Pryor & his own land. Due by right of

**NICHOLAS SABRELL**, 150 acs. Chas. Riv. Co., 30 July 1638, p. 586. Nly. upon land of Richard Davis, & William Warts, a small gutt between, E. upon Mayden Swamp, S. into the woods, & W. upon the Middle plantation, a great Sw. lying between. Due for trans. of 3 pers: Katherine Lewis, Dasey Baldock, Edward Phillipps.

**WILLIAM WATTS** & **RICHARD DAVIS**, 75 acs. N. upon Queens Cr., bounded on E. with a Cr. deviding their land from land of Robert Booth, bounded on W. with a Sw. deviding their land from land of Leift. Richard Popeley & into the woods  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mi. 30 July 1638, p. 586. 50 acs. for the adv. of sd. Watts & his wife the second yeare to Chas. River & 25 acs. for adv. of sd. Davis the second yeare.

**THOMAS DEWE**, 400 acs. in Nansamund River, Up. Norf. Co., 1 Aug. 1638, p. 587. Lying about one mile from the plantation of Thomas Powell. 200 acs. by assignment from Thomas Powell & 200 acs. due for trans. of 4 pers: Georg Castle, Robert Low, Francis Goodman, William Bessett.

**SAME**, 150 acs. Up. Co. of New Norf., same date & page. In Nansamund Riv., beg. at the first point next to land now seated by Thomas Powell. Trans. of 3 pers: William Brase, Eliz. Hutchinson, Eliz. Bayley.

**RICHARD KEMP**, Esqr., a parcell of land in James City conteyning 10 pole in length towards the water side & 8 pole in breadth, the totall being 80 pole, bet. land of Mr. Thomas Hill & Richard Tree. 1 Aug. 1638, p. 587. Fee Rent: 1 Capon yearly at the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle. Provided &c. By Act. of Assembly 20 Feb. 1636.

**MR. THOMAS HILL**, 6 po. in breadth & 8 po. in length, in a direct line on the W. side to land of Richard Kemp, Esqr. 1 Aug. 1638, p. 588. As above.

**GRESHAM** (Gressom) **COFFEILD** & **THOMAS STAMP**, 200 acs. Isle of Wight Co., 14 Aug. 1638, p. 588.



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GRANTS

THOMAS BOSWELL, 1100 acs., Gloster Co., Abbingdon Par., upon York River side & Timber Neck Cr., 20 Apr. 1682, p. 162. Beg. at mouth of sd. Cr.; to 100 acs. sold to Mr. Booker; includ. all the islands to sd. Creek's mouth. 1000 acs. granted Richd. Richards 2 Aug. 1645, & descended to Hugh Richards, who assigned to Thomas Wilson & Richard Jones; by Wilson assigned to sd. Jones, from whom it descended to Cadwallader Jones, who conveyed to sd. Boswell 19 Mar. 1679; 100 acs., being overplus, due for trans. of 2 pers: Wm. Morton, Joseph Thompson.

THOMAS BLANTON, 200 acs., Rappa Co., on the maine Pocason & brs. of Jelson's Cr., 20 Apr. 1682, p. 163. Beg. at the mouth of Beech Sw; to Major Robert Beverley; to Francis Graves, &c. Imp. of 4 pers: Ann Edwards, Grace Davies, John Elam, Richard Leather.

ABRAHAM BRADLEY, 150 acs., Gloster Co., Abbingdon Par., 6 May 1682, p. 163. Beg. at Daniell Langham; to Major Lawrence Smith; to Thomas & Jeffrey Graves near the road side; by Robert Coleman; &c. Granted to Thomas Sowell 5 June 1675; deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Trans. of 3 pers: Jeremiah Rawlins, Robert Smith, John Purvis.

HENRY ARMSTRONG, 198 A., 1 R., 16 P., Chas. City Co., Par. of Martin Brandon, on NW side of Up. Chipokes Cr., on S. side of James River, 29 Apr. 1682, p. 164. Beg. upon the Cr.; along line of Wm. Short; crossing the Cold Springs; to Mr. Nicho. Perry; &c. Imp. of 4 pers: James Cann, Richd. Atkinson, Eliz. Shaply, Hen. White.

MR. JOHN MOOR, 490 acs., Is. of W. Co., on brs. of Indian Cr. Sw; 20 Apr. 1682, p. 164. Adj. Mr. Pitt; Mr. Lovegrove; & Isaac Reekes. 300 acs. due him by former patent; & 190 acs. for Imp. of 4 pers: Wm. Joy, Eliz. Fowler, Ann Woodford, Dorothy Banks.

THOMAS BLUNT & RICHARD WASHINGTON, 330 acs., Up. Par. of

Surry Co; ½ mi. from the main Black Water; 29 Apr. 1682, p. 165. Beg. at Richard Parker. Trans. of 7 pers: Rose Aldridge, Mary Trout, Giles Harman, Tho. Porter, Richd. Hawkins, John Knight, Joseph Townly.

THOMAS MANDUE, 320 acs., Is. of W. Co., on brs. of the Black Water, 20 Apr. 1682, p. 165. Beg. at George Perce's land, in possession of Phillip Wrayford; to Marthw Strickland; to the Coblers line; &c. Trans. of 7 pers: Tho. Parker, Richd. Stanly, Christopher Ellis, Samll. Bott, John Phillips, Jeter Moore, Tho. Anderson.

ROBERT HOOKES, 200 acs., on SW side of the main Sw. of the W. br. of Nanzenmond; being half of patt. granted his father & Wm. Bream; 20 Apr. 1682, p. 165. Beg. by sd. Sw., bet. sd. Hookes & Wm. Wilkins; &c.

JOHN PERRY, 320 acs., in the Up. Par. of Nanzenmond; near Humphry Griffin; 24 Apr. 1682, p. 166. Trans. of 7 pers: Walter Price, Morris Irish, John Latrum, Rowld. Williams, Richd. Benner, Samll. Woodward, Ould Alex (or Alice?).

RICHARD SLAUGHTER, 600 acs., at the head of Bennet's Creek, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 166. Adj. Thomas Akerland; Col. Edward Carter; &c. 450 acs. part of 600 acs. granted Richard Slaughter, Senr., his father, 3 June 1656; & renewed to be sealed 30 Oct. 1662; 150 acs., being overplus now added, due for trans. of 3 pers: Tho. Martin, Izrael Shepherd, Hen. Williams.

CHARLES DRURY, 41 acs., Nanzenmond Co., Chuckatuck Parish, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 167. Beg. by his house, to Col. (alias Major) Lear's Cr.; up by Nanzenmond Riv; includ. islands & marsh within the bounds, &c. Granted to sd. Drury 30 Oct. 1662, in a patt. for 50 acs.

JOHN HOLLAND, 760 acs., in Nanzenmond Up. Par., 20 Apr. 1682, p. 167. Beg. at a white oak of Walter Bazeley, being the beg. tree mentioned in Michael Gill's, alias Hill's, patent;

to John Carr; by Foster's old line; to a Poquoson near head of the Dirty Br; below Francis Sanders' house; &c. 400 acs. granted to Michael Gill, alias Hill, 18 Feb. 1664, which after several sales, &c., became due to sd. Holland; 360 acs., being overplus, due for trans. of 8 pers: Jon. Johnson, Ann Magges, Eliz. Hoborough, Thomas Jones, Hester Howse.

FRANCIS SPEIGHT, 500 acs., Up. Par. of Nanzenmond Co., on S. side of the Beech Sw., 24 Apr. 1682, p. 168. Along Somerton Cr., to a little beyond the Indian Path that now is; &c. Trans. of 10 pers: Eliza. White, Jon. Harris, Walter Price, Wm. Booker, Hum. Green, Edwd. Harris, Richd. Catach, Jane Catach, Tho. Frost, Richd. Jones.

WM. COPHELD & JON. GRAND-BERRY, 220 acs., in Low. Par. of Nanzenmond; att. head of Bennet's Creek, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 168. Beg. at Robert Peal; towards Col. Carter; &c. Trans. of 5 pers: Dorothy Wooten, Jon. Merry, Jon. Swancott, Jon. Green, James Scott.

JAMES LOCKARTE (Lockhart), 160 acs., in the Low. Par. of Nanzenmond; at head of Bennet's Creek, 20 Apr. 1682, p. 168. Beg. at Wm. Cop-hell & John Grandberry at a place called *Holy hill*; nigh Robert Murrh & Col. Carter; &c. Trans. of 4 pers: John Temple, John Darling, Ra. French, Danll. Smith.

EPAPHRODITUS BENTON, 500 acs., in the Up. Par. of Nanzenmond; upon the Cross Sw. of Barbacue, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 169. Beg. at Thomas Duke; to head of the Dogwood Neck; &c. Trans. of 10 pers: Danll. Maclood, Robt. Whittle, Eliz. Millard, Math. Keely, Stephen Powell, John Walby, Tho. Warner, Elinor Megorth, Elinor Merthurst, Bridgett Colfelt.

JONATHAN ROBINSON, in right of Ann his wife, the dau. of James Foster, dec'd; 242 acs., on head of the southern br. of Nanzenmond (Riv.), 24 Apr. 1682, p. 169. Beg. at John Hol-

land; adj. Charles Rodes; by markt trees deviding this "from James Howards his wife's part", to line of James Foster; &c. Part of 800 acs. granted James Foster & Andrew Bonny 27 Sept. 1661.

JONATHAN ROBINSON, 175 acs., in the Up. Par. of Nanzenmond; att. head of the southern branch; 24 Apr. 1682, p. 169. Beg. about 4 poles from Henry Plumpton; by James Foster; by John Holland; to Michael Gill, alias Hill; by Richard Sanders; nigh Jon. Wallis, alias Makallam; &c. Trans. of 4 pers: Eliz. Arrowsmith, Eliza. Martin, Jos. Lockhart, David Clatchey.

JAMES HAYWARD, in right of Elizabeth his wife, *Grandchild* of James Foster, dec'd; 242 acs., att. head of the S. br. of Nanzenmond, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 170. Beg. at cor. of Mr. Achelley; to Jonathan Robinson "his wife's part"; to line of sd. Foster; joining with Henry Plumpton; &c. Part of 800 acs. granted sd. Foster & Adry Bonny 27 Sept. 1661.

LEWIS WILLIAMS, 100 acs., in the S. br. of Nanzenmond (Riv.), 24 Apr. 1682, p. 170. Beg. at land Richard Peirce now lives on; near the Cyprus Gut; to the Oister bank landing; to the Marish landing; &c. Trans. of 2 pers: Rowland Williams, Elizabeth Sidney.

DANIEL HIND, 850 acs., in Up. Par. of Nanzenmond, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 170. Beg. nigh Tucker's Quarter, at the head of Capt. Booth's line; &c. Trans. of 17 pers: Thomas Baker, Mary George, Abraham Ewens, Wm. Browne, Mary Woodlerd, Eliz. Sutton, Tho. Snow, Phillip Barde, John Bennett, S-mll. Daines, Samll. Absolon, Fran. Yden (Askan?). Wm. Gwin, Tho. English, Eliza. Holman, Margaret Matthews, Robert Bach.

WM. EASON, 270 acs., in the Up. Par. of Nanzenmond, 24 Apr. 1682, p. 171. Beg. in line of Francis Spight; to Fra. Cambridee; to Thomas Cowler (or Cowlen); to Col. Blake; &c. Trans. of 6 pers: Tho. Everard, Alex. Eissell,

marqoz Riv., 12 Nov. 1666, p. 39. Beg. at Gilbert Platt, running to lines of Robt. Coleman, Sr. & Jr., his own land &c. Trans. of 7 pers: George Arme- strong, Mathew Jones, Robert Terrill, Anth. Gardner, Eliz. Colsey, Wm. Sar- terwaite, An Marble.

THOMAS JORDAN, 550 acs. Nanci- mond Co., 22 Oct. 1666, p. 39. Adj. lands of Jeremiah Rutter & Hopken Howell. Trans. of 7 pers: Roger Log- more, Jno. Laycock, Jno. Rogers, Robt. Bateman, Jno. Penny, Alice Perry, Sarah Johnson, oseph Phillips, Dorman King, Robt. Goffe, Edmond Morgan.

NORTH FLEETE, 300 acs. in the S. br. of Nancimond Riv., on the N. side, 22 Oct. 1666, p. 40. Granted unto John Skerrott, 17 Mar. 1654 & assigned to sd. Northfleete. (Note: The name is omitted in the body of this patent; mar- ginal notation gives it as North fleete & the genrl. index lists it as 2 names.)

GEORGE SPIVY, 150 acs. Nanci- mond Co., 22 Oct. 1666, p. 40. Nere head of the S. br., beg. at his own land &c. Trans. of 3 pers: Jno. Clay, Mar- garett Fresh, Will Patrick.

JOHN GATLEN, 425 acs. with 28 acs. of marsh, Nancimond Co., 22 Oct. 1666, p. 40. Beg. at a point of marsh of Chuctatuck Cr. over against Major Davis' landing, up the cr. N. N. W., adj. land of Giles Laurence & Mrs. Oudelant. Trans. of 9 pers: Samuel Daves (or Daves), Emanuel Abson (or Alson), Francis Young, Tho. English, Eliz. Holman, Margitt. Mathews, Robt. Bach, Wm. Gwin, Tho. Everad.

MR. LAWRENCE SMITH, 807 acs. Gloster Co., 18 Mar. 1666/7, p. 41. Beg. in the N. br. of Seavern Riv., dividing this & land of Coll. Augustine Warner, Esqr. &c. to Thomas Graves land, to Tymbeock Cr. main swamp &c. to Mr. Burwell's line &c., to br. parting this & land of Wm. Rawlings, 80 acs. granted to sd. Warner in 1653; 148 acs. granted to him 11 Feb. 1657, both of which he sold to sd. Smith, & 579 acs. for trans. of 12 pers: Tho. Cooke, Geo. Ballentine, Jno. Cannida,

Rich. West, Elizab. Letson, Elizab. Pain, Wm. Peckett, Mary Cooke, Rich. Tucker, Fran. Briton, Ann Brown, Elizab. Giles.

JOHN WRAY, 240 acs. Gloster Co., Kingstone Parrish, upon head of Queens Cr., 15 Mar. 1666, p. 41. Beg. Richard Carey, adj. land formerly granted to Ed- ward Welch &c. Trans. of 5 pers: Tho. Miles, Tho. Chambers, Jno. Settle, Jno. Cox, Mary Sharpe.

DAVID MUNORGON, 696 acs. Gloster Co., 2 Feb. 1666/7, p. 42. Up- on head br. of Ware Riv. swamp, beg. at Will Culman's land nere Thomas Royston's, by Bryery br. &c. & along Rich. Renshaw. Trans. of 14 pers: Jno. Davies, Tho. Hoton, Doro. Hart, David Parker, Rich. Hickson, James Ambrose, Jane Treedings, Nath. Lember, Wm. Wood, Barth. Clarke, Jno. Collins, Jno. George, Jno. West, Wm. Lewis.

MR. WILLIAM MAY, 100 acs. of marsh land in James City Island, be- low Goose Hill, 15 Apr. 1667, p. 42. N. on land of Maj. Holt, now in pos- session of Jno. Barbar, Nily. on Jno. Pinhorne; N. E. on Parchmores Cr., S. E. on the maine river, S. E. & S. W. on Will. Sarsnett. Granted to Thomas Woodhouse & Wm. Hogker, 21 July 1657, deserted, & granted sd. May &c. Trans. of 2 pers: Charles Greene, Wm. Sanders.

HENRICK PORSAN VAN DEA- VORACK, Senr., 214 A. 64.4 chs., in the Pecosan Parrish, Yorke Co., 14 Nov. 1666, p. 43. On W. side of a swamp, adj. Mr. Rooksbyes line, the head of the Gleab line, over Christopher Gull- ington's line, to E. side of the Ridge path &c. Trans. of 5 pers: Jno. Kip- pin, Edward Frost, Wm. Jones, Tho. Carr, Edward Cooper.

ROBT. HOWSE, 250 acs. Surry Co., 14 Mar. 1666, p. 43. On S. side of Bland's path, adj. Mr. Simonds land, &c. Trans. of 5 pers: George Jordan, 2. Mary Jordain, Alice Miles, Jno. Clarke.

MR. THOMAS HUNT, 836 acs. Surry Co., 14 Mar. 1666, p. 44. Beg.

where the path goes over the main black water swamp somewhat below the field commonly known by the name of the King of H'corks ad field, &c. Trans. of 17 pers: Tho. Shutwell, Isaak Tatum, Eliz. Williams, Tho. Bavy (or Bavy), Fran. Mason, Hannah Quetch, Robt. Thompson, Margrt. Bunn, Jno. Felton, Phill. Felton, Eliz. Williams, Hannah Pokand, Eliz. Mathewes, Edward Shel- ton, Margrt. Parkinson, Margrt. Upeal- tum (?), Mary King.

RALPH CREED, 750 acs. Surry Co., side, adj. George Jordan, a run divid- ing this from plantation whetcon Capt. Thomas Flood now liveth &c. 150 acs. parte of a devlt. granted unto Coll. Jno. Flood, dec'd., & by Thomas Flood, his lawfull heirs, sould to sd. Creeke (Creed), & due for trans. of 12 pers: Will Jordan, Wm. Sanders, Edw. Frost, Wm. Jones, Edward Carr, Tho. Cooper, Francis Parker, Isaak Ball, Tho. Leonard.

THOMAS WOODWARD, JUNR., 1100 acs. Isle of Wight or Nansimond Co., 17 Apr. 1667, p. 45. Upon the black water or toward the head of Cha- woon or Chawoonck Riv., includ. an old Indian field called *Mozatuck*. Trans. of 22 pers: Wm. Addison, Wm. Leech, Alice Groudale, Ann Church, Charles Farlings, Rich. White, Abram Iveson, Isaak Brumley, Jno. Rowlings, Francis Jeffis, Aug. Thompson, Wm. Thompson, Nicholas Johnson, Peter Francklin, Joseph Court, Jno. Linculnshire, Jer- emiah Davies, Wm. Davies, Mary Swan, Charles Edwards, Thomas Golding, Wm. Harris.

ROBT. WHITEHAIRE, JOHN BOWLER & CHARLES EDMONDS, 3000 acs. New Kent Co., upon N. side of Riv., 25 Apr. 1667, p. 45. Trans. of 60 pers: Robt. Armstrong, Jno. John- son, Alexr. Bhué (or Brice), James Henderson, Andrew Mailer, Charles James, James Feild, Charles Davison, Patrick Watson, James Browne, James Sruerct, Tho. Hamilton, Henry Sinker, Aug. Orum, David Salmon, Tho. Wil- son, George Wilson, James Fargeson, Jno. Meeke, Jno. Fargeson, Jno. Mauet,

James Arthur, Robt. Lundsblale (or Lonsdale), Alex. Browne, Eliz. Burwell, Mary Toller, James Canner, Mary Mack- leon, Mary Lyon, Katharine Lord, Mary Johnson, Ains Shter, Jno. Wilson, James Berkeley, Jane Aklis, Francis Checon, James Gerry, James Thompson, Donil. Pepper, Wm. Sayer, Henry Wethred, Hollis Usaki (?), Rich. Powell, Robt. Whickaker, Mary Glaber, Jno. Roberts, Jno. Ward, Tho. Greene, Wm. Gravener, Henry Collett, Jno. Rey- nolds, Robt. Smith, Thomas Parker, Charles Blake, Mary Hall, Eliz. Guild- ford, Jno. Cumbell (or Cambell), Jno. Griffith, Jno. Mackey, Francis Baulden.

INO. CLIFMENS, 350 acs. Surry Co., 30 Mar. 1667, p. 46. Upon a main br. of Crowches Cr. nere the head, nere several lands of Jno. Fry & Edward Pitaway, to Maj. Will. Marriot. Trans. of 7 pers: Phillip Howard, Roger Plumer, Tho. Panton, Jno. Ward, Robt. Salter, Edw. Place, Ed. Browne.

MR. NICHOLAS MCREWFETHER, 651 acs. Surry Co., 25 Apr. 1667, p. 46. 175 acs. upon land he bought of Wm. Seward, beg. by the white marsh, upon the Indian Spring Sw; 240 acs. on W. side of the maine Black Water Sw. &c. Trans. of 14 pers: Jno. Coates (or Coates), Margt. Long, Lewis Wilken- son, Ed. Johnson, Phillip Ashley, Tho. Preston, Tho. Wareham, Will. Gayler, Wm. Lancaster, James Beare, Abram Johnson, Jno. Spire, Jno. Fackham (?), Symon Salter.

SAME, 850 acs., same Co. & date, p. 47. On Black Water *abaz* Cyprus Sw., beg. on the E. wd. side, adj. land of Anthony Spilrimber &c., a br. dividing this & land of George Blow &c. to Capt. Cookers land &c. Trans. of 17 pers: Tho. Giles, Henry Sterne, Roger Symons, Jno. Phillipart, Tho. Kenley, Jno. Tyler, Morgan Lewis, Mathew Hughes, James Roberts, Roger Clayton, Robt. Herne, Wm. Surood, Symon Allin, Jeremiah Ward, Richard Cord, Richard Smith, Samll. Watrin.

WILLIAM PORTEN, 449 A., 12 P. on N. side of the E. br. of Eliz. Riv.,

329. Adj. Michael King; & Cardugh-can's land. Imp. of 15 pers: Deborah Mountford, Isabell Collier, Elizabeth Florence, Thomas Barnford, John Buttler, William Wilkinson; & 9 Negroes.

JOHN COPELAND, 207 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on S. side of the back Sw. of Sumerton, 20 Apr. 1694, p. 330. Adj. John Wallis, &c. Imp. of 5 pers: William Hillyard, David Cannon, Arthur Adams, Fran. Parsley, Elizabeth Griffin.

JOHN MOLTON, 206 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on S. side of the Beech Sw., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 330. Beg. on E. side of the Long Br., cor. of John Davies. Imp. of 4 pers: William Syer, John Quarke, John Hatton, Mary Hatton.

WILLIAM KING & MICHAEL KING, JUNR., 840 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 331. Beg. at Nathan King, near Battle's clear ground, cross Battle's Br; to William Jones; nigh Peirce's line; on Drury's land to George's mark trees, &c. Imp. of 17 pers: Henry Stevens, Henry Castle, Edward Edwards, John Clayton, Thomas Andrews, Charles Best, William Woodby, Robert Whitaker, Jane his wife, Sarah Gurry, Rachel Haryson, Cath. Tabley; & 5 Negroes.

BENJAMIN ROGERS, 350 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on S. side of Sumerton Cr., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 332. Beg. at Ballard's cor. on S. side of the pequoson of sd. Cr., near the Beech Sw., &c. Imp. of 7 pers: Henry Peirce, Edward Robery, Marg. Dodsworth, Susanah Scotchman, John Eltrington; Alla & Ovid, Negroes.

JAMES COLE, 519 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; adj. Mr. Baker's Land at *Buckland*, on SE side of Sarum Sw., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 333. Imp. of 11 pers: Tho. Jones, Mary Whitehead, John Bratt, Hannah his wife, Peter & John, their children, Wm. Dews, Hump. Nicholls; Mingo, Peter, Gugsana, Negroes.

JOHN DAVIE, 250 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on S. side of the Beechen Sw. of Sumerton Cr., & on the Long Branch of same; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 333. Imp. of 5 pers: Gawin Lewis, James Tree; Hannah, Tony, Jerom, Negroes.

JOSEPH BALLARD, ELISHA BALLARD, 530 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; S. side of Sumerton Cr. & on N. side of Beech Sw.; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 334. Imp. of 11 pers: John Guttridge, William Green, Joseph Sairs, Sarah Kirk, Abel Kerk, Jane White, Alex. Maggregory, Elizabeth his wife; Jno, Jupiter, Tom, Negroes.

ROBERT YATES, 150 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; Ely. from the Meadow Sw; cor. to Bream's patent; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 335. Imp. of 3 pers: Henry Baker, John Leason, Mary Powell.

CATHERINE LANGSTONE, Widow of John Langstone; 380 acs., Nansemond Co.; on the Cyprus brs. of Sarum Cr.; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 335. Imp. of 8 pers: Simon White, Wm. Wildsmith, Hanah Wildsmith, Thomas Gillett, John Lewis, Wm. Lewis; Tony, & Mingo, Negroes.

JOHN BUTLER, Taylor, 230 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co., called *Maid's Town*, on E. side of the Knotty Pine Sw; next to *Buckland*; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 336. Imp. of 5 pers: John Pollet, David Thomas, Hannah Thomas; Harry, Jack, Sarah, Negroes.

CHARLES SCOT, 160 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on SW side of br. of Sarum Sw., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 336. Imp. of 4 pers: Richard Brooks, Rebecca Brookes, Edward Dance, Eliza his wife.

SAME. 300 acs.; same co., & date; p. 337. On NW side of Knotty Pine Sw., running out of Sarum Sw; adj. Peter Phebus. Imp. of 6 pers: William Partridge, William Lobb, Tho. Strippling, Jane his wife; Santo & Doldero, Negroes.

CHARLES RHODES (Rodes), 267 acs., Nansemond Co., in *Kings-Is*; on W. side of Capt. Johns' Swamp; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 342. Adj. James Howard; Davies' line; William Collins; & his own land. Imp. of 6 pers: John Latham, John Mase, John Baylye, John Ingell, John Kenedye, Wilks Chirame.

ROBERT CARR, 297 acs., Nansemond Co.; on a br. of Wickham Sw., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 343. Adj. Col. Milner & Capt. Lear; & Mr. Baker's line. Imp. of 6 pers: Edward Hartenes (?), Richard Sandders, Susana Gartland, John Littlewood, Elizabeth Littlewood, Rachel Littlewood.

ROBERT SIMS (Sims), 250 acs., Nansemond Co.; in *Kingdale*; on W. side of Capt. Johns' Sw; adj. Charles Rhoades & Robert Bissell (Bizzell), Imp. of 5 pers: George Sammons, Thomas Pulling; Dick, Sambo, Harry, Negroes.

RICHARD TAYLOR, 293 acs., Nansemond Co.; on head brs. of Kingdale Sw; adj. Robert Brewer; & John Gatling; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 344. Imp. of 6 pers: Nicholas Rochester, Thomas Dewrent, Dennis Cornell, Arthur King, Rebecca Lawfull, Jane Lawfull.

MICHAEL KING, JUNR., 84 acs., Nansemond Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 345. Adj. a tract called *King Stone*, taken up by old Mr. King; & land of John Bryan. Imp. of 2 pers: William Wren, Henry Michael.

JOHN HOLLAND, Planter, 500 acs., Nansemond Co.; on E. side of Capt. Johns' Sw; adj. his own; & land of William Gatling; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 346. Imp. of 10 pers: William Walker, Thomas Bee, Hen. Pickrell, Wm. Garland, Anne Gartland, Thomas Moore, Sarah Earle, Tho. Turner, William Smith, Hannah Smith.

THOMAS BISSELL, 208 acs., Nansemond Co.; on head brs. of Wickham Sw; adj. land of Col. Milner, Capt. Lear, & Robert Carr; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 346. Imp. of 5 pers: John Dawson, Leonard Sheldon, William Pierre, Francis Theterston, Benja. Lucas. (Note: First written Robert.)

HENRY HACKLEY, 210 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on SW side of Sarum Sw., adj. Mr. Mills' land; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 338. Imp. of 3 pers: John Billingly, Edw. Schrimshire, Jno. Schrimshire, Hannah Cutting; Samba a Negro.

RICHARD BAREFIELD, 90 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on W. side of a br. of Sarum Sw; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 338. Imp. of 2 pers: William Parker, Charles Smith.

MR JOHN WRIGHT, 450 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; E. side of Sarum Cr. & N. side of Bennet's Cr.; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 339. Adj. James Cole, &c. Imp. of 9 pers: Thomas Johnson, Sarah Nicholson, Robert Brookes, Richard Barlow, William Smith, Nathan Tinny, Elizabeth his wife, Jane & Elizabeth, his children.

PETER PHERUS, 250 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on E. side of a br. of Sarum maine Sw., adj. Richard Barefield; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 340. Imp. of 5 pers: Tho. Lott, Tho. Redfera, John, & Hannah, his children, John Bines.

MR JOHN KEYTON, 15 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; in a forke made by Sumerton Sw. & the Knuckles Sw; adj. his own land; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 340. Imp. of: John Gorram.

WILLIAM EDWARDS, 96 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on SW side of Knuckles Sw. out of Sumerton Sw; adj. Mr. Wright & James Cole; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 341. Imp. of 2 pers: Thomas Graves, Thomas Belvin.

JOHN LEE, 960 acs., Up. Par. of Nansemond Co.; on E. side of Sumerton Cr., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 341. Beg. on a small island on E. side of said Cr; to NE side of the Cyprus Sw., &c. Imp. of 20 pers: Dennit Abney, Mary Emertson, Hannah Haines, Elizabeth Evans, Cath. Jones, Rachel Redfera, Alice Godale, Thomas Godale, Geo. Lawrence, Walter Wright, William Knowles, Adam Broach, John Waits, John Saterwhite; Pallas, Artkena, Jupiter, Vulcan, Mars, Negroes.

ANTHONY SEALE, 220 <sup>as.</sup>, Essex Co.; on upper side of Pewmanland Run; adj. John Gosse; & Capt. John Catlett; 29 Apr. 1693, p. 312. Imp. of 5 pers: Sanders Mackoulas (or Mackoulas), Thomas Jones, John Wood, Thurnock Mackloud, Mackono Cloud.

JOHN WARDEN, 200 acs., Norf. Co.; on N. side of Eliz. River, 29 Apr. 1693, p. 313. Part of 250 acs. granted Abraham Ellet, dec'd., 25 Mar. 1664, who bequeathed said land & plantation to his wife Alice, who by deed of gift, 5 May 1687, as also by her will, dated 15 Mar. 1688, assigned the above to said Warden. Beg. at Mr. Portree; cross Eller's Cr.; to Jones' line, at head of Madely branch, &c.

WILLIAM WINSTON, 769 acs., New Kent Co., in St. Peter's Par., 29 Apr. 1693, p. 314. Beg. at land, now or late, of Doctor Phillips; along Pargiter's line; down a S. br. of Totopotomy Cr., &c. Part of 2400 acs. granted Charles Turner, who deserted, & granted (interalia) to sd. Winston, by order, &c. Imp. of 16 pers.\*

PHILLIP LUDWELL, ESQR., 1½ acs.; adj. to the ruins of his 3 Brick houses between the State House and Country House in James City; beg. near Pitch & Tarr Swamp 8 cheynes & run Eastmost end of the said houses & running by said end S. 2 degress W'yly 16 chs., thence N. 88 degs. W'yly 3¼ chs., N. 2 degs Ely 16 chs. by the other end of the said houses; S. 88 degs. Ely 3¼ chs. to beg; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 315. Imp. of: David Thompson.

WILLIAM LOW, 674 acs., Chas. City Co., in Bristol Pat; on S. side of Appomatox Riv., at a place comonly called *Monckianerck*; crossing the 1st & 2nd branches & Persimon Br., to Monckanek maine Swamp, &c.; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 315. Granted to Thomas Lowe, his father, 20 Apr. 1682, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 14 pers.\*

NICHOLAS SMITH, 150 acs., in Up. Par. of Surry Co.; adj. land George Williams lives on; 20 Apr. 1694, p.

316. Adj. Thomas Warren, & Peter Deberry; Richard Pyland; & Sion Hill, &c. Granted to sd. Williams, 21 Oct. 1687, deserted, & now granted &c. Imp. of 3 pers: Harry, Dick, Moll.

MR. THOMAS JONES & MR. CORNELIOUS VAUGHAN, 420 acs., K. & Q. Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 317. Adj. George Martin, & land formerly taken by sd. Jones & Hugh Williams. Imp. of 9 pers.\*

JAMES TAYLOR, 134 acs., K. & Q. Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 317. Beg. in a fork of a br. of Axall branch, &c. Granted Gabriel Hill, 29 Nov. 1665, deserted, & granted to Hugh Baldwin, 21 Oct. 1687, deserted, & now granted by order, &c., for Imp. of 3 pers: Simon Edwards, Mary Edwards, Hugh Malden.

MR. ZACHERY LEWIS, 300 acs., K. & Q. Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 318. Beg. near the Dragon Swamp; along land granted to Thomas Clayborne, now belonging to Mr. Christopher Lewis, &c. Granted to Domingo Maderes & James Johnson, 8 Apr. 1668, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 10 pers: James Coleburn, Richard Smith, William Cook, John Pool, Wm. Sterling, Dorcas Lewis, Lydia Harvey, Eliza Gooding, Hanah Comes, Sarah Davis.

WILLIAM BEAMOUNT, 800 acs., Middlesex Co.; on Peanketank River; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 319. Granted to Perigrime Bland, 10 Aug. 1642, & granted to Hope Bland, his daughter & heir, 19 Jan. 1650 for 1000 acs., but being exactly surveyed but 800 acs. found, &c. Due sd. Beamount for Imp. of 16 pers.\*

GEORGE DILLARD, 139 acs., K. & Q. Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 320. Adj. William Collins; along Hugh Chiu's (?); to mouth of Cross Br., &c. Imp. of 3 pers: Thomas Miles, Nathan Palmer, Tho. Ashton.

JOHN HOWARD, 172 perches, James City, 20 Apr. 1694, p. 320. From NE cor. of the Church Yard, along the

rails thereof, to Honble. Nathaniel Bacon, Esqr., to the gr. old Road, &c. Trans. of: John Lever.

HENRY DUKE, GENT., 736 acs., Jas. City Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 321. 200 acs. on brs. of Warrony Cr; & the Birchlin Sw., in Sir John Ayrton's line; on the horse path; to Timber Sw., &c.; 536 acs. adj. William Eicome (or Eicome); near Mr. Sorrell's path; near an Indian Field; adj. sd. Ayrton & Mr. Burrell (or Burrell), &c. Granted Mr. Henry Hartwell, 30 May 1679, deserted, & granted Mr. Edward Chilton, 20 Nov. 1682, deserted, & granted Mr. William Edwards, 16 Apr. 1690, & patented 23 Oct. 1690, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 15 pers: Tho. Capwell, Richd. Stubbs, Susan Ally, Cath. Dunahow; Jack, Judith; 3 by cert. of E. Chilton, Cl. S. off; Toney, Franck, Tony, Crocky, Bess, Betty, Negroes.

CAPT. HENRY DUKE, 90 acs., Jas. City Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 322. From his cor. on Tiascun Swamp, allong land he purchased of William Manning; down Warrony Cr. to Tiascun Bridge, &c. Trans. of 2 negroes: Daniel, & Murreah.

MR. EDWARD WADE, 83 acs., Jas. City Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 323. From John Hix's cor. on a br. of Warrony Sw; along land formerly Mr. Collins'; along Gammase foy (?) land; to Rockahock path, along Warrany Land, &c. Imp. of 2 Negroes.\*

HENRY THOMSON (Thompson), 10 acs., Jas. City Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 323. Beg. at the crossings of Rockahock and Hotwater Road; to Horwater Divalent of land, &c. Imp. of 1 Negro.\*

JOHN YOUNG, 376 acs., Jas. City Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 324. Beg. at Mr. Robert Sorrell & Mathew Collins; near a br. of Warrany, on W. side of old Rockahock Path, &c. Granted James Bray & Thomas Hancock, 18 Apr. 1671, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 8 pers: James Pollard, Thomas Graves, Tho. Falk, Jane Falk, John Jones, Samuel Jones, Marry Sorrell, Sarah Hannot.

WILLIAM COLLINS, 443 acs., Nansmond Co.; on W. side of the Queen's Graves Sw., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 325. Adj. Francis Sanders; & Thomas Bissell (Bizell). Imp. of 9 pers: Fra. Hattaway, John Sreva (?), Robert Whitaker, Mary Wolly, Jane Tostoby; Ilaff, Tuiks, Sarro, Doll, Negroes.

JOHN WRIGHT, 600 acs., Up. Par. of Nansmond Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 325. Adj. Mr. Thomas Francis, & his own land. Granted to William Harrison, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 12 pers: Jeffrey, Mingo, Manuel, Robin, Deigo, Jone, Tom, Sambo, Malaback, Croco, Coshue, Cate.

WILLIAM BIRD, 234 acs., on both sides of Peters' Br., in Sumnerion, in the Up. Par. of Nansmond; 20 Apr. 1694, p. 326. Adj. John Keyton. Imp. of 3 pers: Henry Adams, Peter Cossens, Christopher Beryman, Sarah Brookes, Francis Cleveland.

JOHN WALLIS, 370 acs., in the Up. Par. of Nansmond; on E. side of the Back Sw. of Sumerton, 20 Apr. 1694, p. 327. Adj. Sampson Meredah, &c. Imp. of 8 pers: Richard Scriver, John Halford, Saml. Butler, William Hack, William James, Sarah Cary, Alice Cary; Clodpate, a Negro.

MR. NATHAN KING, 635 acs., Up. Par. of Nansmond Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p. 327. Beg. at John Taylor & Ballard's land; to N. side of Dury Swamp, to Battle's land; nigh Druy's line; along old Mr. King's line; to Brady's line; & Keyton's land, &c. Imp. of 13 pers: Timothy Love, Robert Clark, Thomas Atkins, Richard Watkins, Mary Lenford, William Jones, Edward Davis, Sarah Taylor; Saito, Tambo, Nan, Cis, Cate, Negroes.

SAME. 65 acs., same Co. & date; p. 328. Between Black Water & Sumerton Cr; down Black Water River, & Choan (Riv.) &c. Imp. of 2 pers: Tho. Banks, William Cunningham.

JOHN BRYAN, of Is, of Wight Co., 750 acs., on NW side of Sumerton Sw., in Nansmond Co., 20 Apr. 1694, p.



Marke Foster; & Morris Mackachack.  
Granted Mr. Edward Cassell, 22 Dec. 1682, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 7 pers: Francis Right, John King, Mary Browne, Tho. Jones, Luke Barkins (or Burkins), Ann Noades, Andrew Reward.

CHRISTMAS RAYE, son of Christmas Raye, dec'd; 91 acs., York Co., in New Pocson Pat; on N. side of a cr. parting this & land of Thomas Nutting; adj. Peter Starkey; 20 Oct. 1691, p. 206. Imp. of 2 pers.\*

JOHN BIGG, JUNR., 137 acs. called *Long Arrey*, to the N. of the Black Water, in *Carrivick Precincts*; formerly Low. Norf., but now Pt. Anne Co; adj. lines of Whitford's & Southen's; on the Western Sw; 20 Oct. 1691, p. 207. Granted Daniell Cane, 21 Oct. 1687, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Trans. of 3 negroes: Tom, Dick, Bess.

JOHN CLERKE, (Clark), of Rappa. Co., 104 acs., in King & Queen Co; on N. side of Mattopony Riv., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 207. Adj. land granted Mr. Jos Goodrich, Wm. Ball & John Price; Col. Edward Hill; & land of Brewerturme. Imp. of 3 pers: Jane Stuard, Richd. Borkinshan, Peter Rockford.

EDWIN THACKER, 210 acs., Middlesex Co., on N. side of Penkerneck Riv., 24 Oct. 1691, p. 208. Beg. at Mr. Geo. Keible; to the Green Glead Riv., &c. Granted Geo. Keible, 29 Jan. 1663, deserted, & now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 5 pers: Wm. Oliver, Wm. Rose, Chris. Harrum, Daniel Tragg, Margaret Heat.

MR. JOHN BLAND, 108 acs., in King & Queen Co., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 208. Imp. of 3 pers: Giles King, Jno. Stamford, & his wife.

JOHN SALMOND, 61 acs., Rappa. Co., on S. side of the River, 20 Oct. 1691, p. 208. Beg. a br. of Occupacon Run; to land of Col. John Cartlett, dec'd; along Mr. Thomas Burton; & adj. Thomas Powell. Imp. of 2 pers: Bartholomew Vawter, Mary Burkett.

WILLIAM COLLINS & TIMOTHY CONIERS, 620 acs., King & Queen Co., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 209. Beg. near Geo. Dillard's plantation; to mouth of Coole Spring Br; nigh Cornelious Vaughan; to Tasatine mine Sw; on Nicholas King's Spring Br. 350 acs. granted Mr. Edward & John Lewis, 21 Apr. 1690, who conveyed to the abovenamed, 30 Mar. 1691; 268 acs. being overlush. Imp. of 6 pers: Wm. Marrow, Edmd. Lambert, Ann Lambert, Ann Lambert, Jno. Mackdogle, Tho. Brewer.

MR. RICHARD GRIGORY (Grigory), of K. & Q. Co., 40 acs. in Rappa. Co., on S. side the River; beg. by Pescataway Cr; along Robert Halsey; to his own; land of Robt. Young; 29 Oct. 1691, p. 210. Imp. of: Barbados Mary.

WILLIAM BRISCOE, 153 acs., Middlesex Co., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 210. Beg. in a br. of the Green Sw., near land of Hen. Wood, Esqr; adj. John Bourk; & Mr. Richd. Willis. Granted to John Seares, 23 Apr. 1688, deserted, & now granted by order &c. Imp. of 4 pers: John Dandye (or Deadget), Abraham Buckley, Edw. Davis, James Bradick.

CHRISTOPHER ADDISON, 265 A., 1 R. 13 P., Clas. City Co., in West-pher Par; S. side of James Riv., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 211. Beg. on the lower King's field Br; along Richard Pace; up Long point Br; to John Williamson, crossing Black Water Path, & Scotch Br., to Col. Edward Hill, &c. Granted Danll. Higdon & Roger Reese, 16 Apr. 1683, deserted, & granted to Mr. Henry Gauler, 15 Oct. 1686, who never patented the same; now granted by order &c. Imp. of 6 pers: John Nicholls, Judith Francklin, Tho. Walkman, Hen. Jeffs, Sa. Stephens, Robert Roye.

MR. THOMAS MARSTON, 1300 acs., Jus. City Co., on NE side of Chickahominy Riv., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 211. Above the fork of Chessnut Run, to (Indian *alias*) New Invasion (?) Sw; to (Indian *alias*) Barbados Sw. Run, &c. Granted Richard Williams for 800 acs., the last of Oct. 1653, & joyned to 750 acs., 24 Jan. 1655, on opposite

side of the river; & being all deserted; this part was granted to sd. Marston by order &c., for Imp. of 26 pers: Math. Pyle, Fra. Peirce, James Polfin, Jno. Robinson, Robt. Redman, Jno. Smith, Richd. Smith, Rich. Symons, Samll. Shelfield, Tho. Humy, Alex. Schofield, Jno. Gosslin, Wm. Scilling, Rich. Toms, Tho. Walldrum, Edward Wright, James Welsh, Jno. Cutler, Toby Smith, James Turnet, Andrew Colchey, Jno. Smith, Robt. Sneed, Sa. Nicholls; Guy & Sambo, Negroes.

MAJ. LAWRANCESMITH (Smyth), 1200 acs., Gloucester Co., in Abbingdon Par., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 212. S. side of Severne Riv., near the head, along land of Col. Augustin Warner, dec'd; to Mr. Robert Bryan; along Vallentine Layne & Thomas Graves, to Abraham Broadley; near dwelling house of William Graves; to land of Mr. Thomas Graves, dec'd; to Gillion White, near house of Robert Earbrough; to *fermie* Hoult, SE side of a Sw. of Timber Neck Cr; to land of Mr. Peters, dec'd; to Capt. Richd. Booker; along Mr. John Meggson; to Maj. Lewis Burwell; crossing the *Charrb* Path; &c. 882 granted sd. Smyth, viz: 807 acs. 18 Mar. 1666; 75 acs. 15 Mar. 1668; 318 acs. now taken, for Imp. of 7 pers: Eliza Long, Robt. Colles, Eliza Day, Tho. Fanch, Rich. Hust, Tho. Phipps, Hen. Cluthero.

MR. WILLIAM EDWARDS, 750 acs., Surry Co., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 213. Beg. on E. side of the river, adj. George Jordan; to swamp deviding this from plantation whereon Capt. Thomas Flood formerly lived, &c. 150 acs. part of a greater dev'dt. granted Col. John Flood & by Thomas Flood, his lawful heir, sold to Ralph Creed, & by David Andrews & Mary his wife, to whom sd. Creed gave same by will, sold to sd. Edwards; which 150 acs., with the remaining 600 acs., was granted to sd. Creed, 14 Mar. 1666; 600 acs. being deserted, is now granted by order, &c. Imp. of 12 pers: Jno. Smith, Edw. Andrews, Addam Armstrong, Samll. Carrid, Eliazar Taylor; 7 Negroes: Antho. Cobarro, Kebo, Doll, Robin, Kate & Mingo.

RALPH WORMELEY, ESQR., a parcell of land, bee it more or less, in York Co., 20 Oct. 1691, p. 214. Granted Thomas Cretton & escheated by inquisition under Christopher Wormeley, Esqr., Esch'r., &c., 4 Feb. 1687/8, & since granted, &c.

JOHN LEAR, ESQR., & REBECCA, his wife, 180 acs., Eliz. City Co; bec. Hapton Riv. & Buck Riv; on Deep Cr; 20 Oct. 1691, p. 214. Being the bounds of 350 acs. late of Col. Leonard Yeo, now in the tenure of sd. Lear, in right of his wife; adj. land of Henry Royall, formerly John Robins; & lines of Bright, & John Naylor. Imp. of 4 pers.\*

MR. ROBERT LEE, 542 acs., Glover Co., 23 Dec. 1662, p. 215. Adj. Mr. Thornton, Col. Lee's Horse Path & sd. Lee's plantation. 200 acs. granted Col. Richard Lee, 17 May 1655, who sold to sd. Robt. Lee; 342 acs. for trans. of 7 pers.\* Note: Recorded in pursuance to an order of the Genll. Ct., 27 Oct. 1691. Test: Miles Cary, C. Genll. Cbr. (By *Sir William Berkeley*.)

MR. THO. OSBORN, Senr., 1113 acs. Henrico Co., in Vaina Par; S. side of James River, known *now* by the name of *Coxendale*, but the patent for 1000 acs., dated 6 Feb. 1637, known by the name of *Farring*; 29 Apr. 1692, p. 215. Upon re-survey found to contain 1113 acs; beg. at mouth of Proctor's Cr., to mouth of the Redwater, &c. 1000 acs. granted Capt. Tho. Osborn, his father, as above mentioned; 113 acs. due for Imp. of 3 pers: Mary Norman, William Buckston; Tom a Negro.

MR. ABRAHAM WOMACK, SENR., 269 acs., Henrico Co., 19 Apr. 1692, p. 216. 200 acs. purchased of Gilbert Deikon; the residue being King's land; beg. on line of Gilbert Elam, deviding this from Wm. Clark; adj. Edward Stratton; Hugh Ligon; the Grancrey road; & Thomas Shipsey. Imp. of 2 pers: Tom & Sue.

THO. ANNCIS MAYBURY, 440 acs., Henrico Co., in Bristol Par; on N. side of Switt Cr., 29 Apr. 1692, p. 216.

1663; 252 acs. granted Tho. Chitwood 9 July 1663; both of which were de-  
 scribed & afterwards granted to Mihell  
 Miller, by order, & sould to John  
 Newman, who deserted, by order,  
 granted to Wm. Mathews 25 Sept. 1677;  
 who sould to sd. Alexdr., 25 Oct. 1677;  
 further due for trans. of 17 pers: Jany  
 Robinson, Eliz. Vaughan, James Kent,  
 Mary Cock, Jno. Bayly, John Brookes,  
 Richd. Archer (or Archer), Mary  
 Young, Tho. Martin, Edwd. Harey (or  
 Hardy), Wm. Gulin, Row. Ward, Syno.  
 Wood, Wm. Jarrett, Nath. Spencer,  
 James Man.

**MR. ARTHUR ALLEN & MR. WM.  
 NEWSAM**, 432 acs., Surry Co., p. 654.  
 Beg. at Wm. Huniford's line, on E.  
 side the 3rd Sw. of Black Water; adj.  
 Capt. Cockerham & Mr. Barham; &c.  
 Granted to Wm. Porter 7 Aug. 1667.  
 deserted, & now granted by order, &c.  
 Trans. of 9 pers: Samll. Lovejoy, Robt.  
 Littleton, Fra. Dodkin, Abia. Hodge.  
 Wm. Snow, Rich. Bright; Tony. Com-  
 see, Stephen Negroes. (Note: The  
 Governour's name, & date left blank.)

**COL. ROBT. ABRAHALL**, 1000 acs.,  
 New Kent Co., NE side of Mattapony  
 Riv., 26 Sept. 1678, p. 654. Behind  
 Lind of Major Wm. Taylor & Mr. Edwd.  
 Diggs. Granted to Tho. Peck 8 June  
 1658, deserted, & now granted by order,  
 &c. Trans. of 20 pers: Fra. Wood, Fra.  
 Lacy, Eliz. Westbrook, Eliz. Hooke,  
 Rosamond Brett, Rachell Hardine, Wm.  
 Smith, Wm. Brand, Martin Morris,  
 Tho. Wheeler, Margt. Wms. (Will-  
 iams), Arch. Parker, Apr. Carr, Jno.  
 Simonds, Sarah —, Rich. Swinson,  
 Pat. Cassell, Samll. Sallenger, Wm.  
 Bray.

**MR. ANTHO. BUCKNER**, 2506 acs.,  
 Staff. Co., upon branches of Acquia  
 Run, 26 Sep. 1678, p. 655. Part of  
 15,750 acs. taken in partnership by sd.  
 Buckner, Renett, Bowly, Colficate &  
 Morris; upon the head of a valley, near  
 the Ridge, on NNW side of the maine  
 cunn of Acquia, &c. Trans. of 50 pers:  
 Jno. Barton, Hen. Forrest, Tho. Morris,  
 Jno. Waters, Wm. Salley, Robt. Collis,  
 Robt. Cole, Antha. Buckner, Geo. Car-  
 penter, Ja. Bardall, Mart. Ingram, Peter

Groves, Cha. Colthrop, Mary Salter, Wm.  
 Rogers, Robt. Frale (or Frahl), Mary  
 Buttler, Hen. Colthrop, Sit. Buttrum, Jno.  
 Wilford, Tho. Willes, Jno. Stratton, Ra.  
 Ingell (or Angell), Adam Curtis, Wm.  
 Simpson, Tho. Bray, Ric. James, Hum.  
 Brett, Sara Martin, Samll. Kenly, Robt.  
 Chambers, Samll. Pollard, Hen. Walton,  
 Mastra Orange, Hen. Dabson, Ja. Lan-  
 dall, Han. Sanders, Tho. Rivers, Jno.  
 Cogan, Jno. Rivers, Rog. Missey, Abra.  
 Harwood, Jone Stokes, Mary Jones, Ja.  
 Goffe, Ja. Baker, Tho. Lambert, An  
 Nevett (?), Edwd. Brookes, Wm.  
 Graves, Jone Fuch. (Note: Governour's  
 name omitted.)

**MR. ROBT. EVERETT**, 147 acs.,  
 Yorke Co., New Poquoson Pat., p. 655.  
 S. of Cheesman's Mill; adj. line of Mr.  
 Edmd. Cheesman, dec'd; by Denbigh  
 Path, &c. Trans. of 3 pers: Ann Tay-  
 lor, Geo. Sexton, Mary Clarke. (Note:  
 Name of Gov't. & date omitted.)

**MRS. JUDITH RANDOLPH**, 600  
 A., 14 P; in Bristol Pat., on N. side of  
 Swift Cr.; 28 Sep. 1678, p. 655. Being  
 all the land bet. her now (or new)  
 dwelling house & Timbasher, the Saw  
 Mill divid'd, & Hatcher's run; to head  
 of Mr. Randolph's putt, &c. Trans. of  
 14 pers: Wm. West, Jno. West, Jno.  
 Smith, Tho. Mason, Fra. Bumpas, Ann  
 Sanders, Margit. Grimley, Tho. Stafford,  
 Mary Woodward, Magt. Jeffrys, Tho.  
 Richards, Jno. Wright, Wm. Buttler,  
 Jno. Potter. (Note: Gov't's. name  
 omitted.)

**HUGH WILLIAMS & JOHN  
 OWIN**, 298 & 153 Acs., bet. Rappa, &  
 Potomeck Rivers; adj. Richd. Rosse,  
 &c; by a br. of Paspatancy &c; along  
 Fra. Hayls' land, &c. 26 Sept. 1678, p.  
 656. Trans. of 6 pers: Edwd. Bell,  
 Jns. Porten, Jno. Rogers, Wm. Radge,  
 Jno. West, Ja. Old.

**WM. SEARGANT & JOANE  
 CLARKE**, 1585.3 acs., Rappa, Co., on  
 NE side of Rappa, Riv., 26 Sept. 1678.  
 p. 656. Beg. by a Carr Path; nye Mat-  
 cox Path, to Capt. Lord; to Jno. Buttler  
 upon a br. of Rappa, Sw.; to Jno.  
 Bowlin; to Cha. Snead; by Capt. Wm.  
 Mesely, &c. Trans. of 32 pers: Tho.

including 34 acs. bet. Mr. Egerton &  
 Math. Godfrey, &c. Trans. of 4 pers:  
 Hum Smith, Elinor Smith, Wm. West-  
 brooke, Tho. Sandwith.

**JOHN DEGGE**, 1800 acs., Gloster  
 Co., Kingston Pat., 26 Sept. 1678, p.  
 658. Bounded by lands of Smithers,  
 Greggs, Ja. Foster, Wm. Smith, Pet.  
 Sterling, Mr. Hampton, & Mathew  
 Gayle; at the head of the Beaver Dams;  
 including 150 acs. called Lac-o'-Nack  
 & granted to Robt. Beverly 6 Nov. 1673,  
 Trans. of 36 pers: Jno. Williams, Mary  
 Supon (?), Rich. White, Mary Webb,  
 Eliz. White, Anna Gibson, Martha  
 Hunt, Sus. Powell, Rich. Powell, Mary  
 Benbridge, Ja. Turner, Jos. Manning,  
 (or Manning), Tho. Countlow, Tho.  
 Clements, Wm. Moore, Wm. Anson,  
 Wm. Baker, Wm. Davidson, Margit.  
 Osborne, Jona. Tucker (or Tasker),  
 Jno. Harris, Zach. Desetson, An. Aning-  
 ton (or Aitington), Samll. Verdy, Robt.  
 Packer, Wm. Daviss, Jno. Munn, Rich.  
 Young; Joseph & Richard Negroes;  
 Margit. Davis, Howell Jones, Robt.  
 Bunbury, Tho. Gardner, Jno. Smith, Fra.  
 Smith.

**ARCHABELL BROMLEY**, 500 acs.,  
 Gloster Co., Kingston Pat., 26 Sept.  
 1678, p. 658. 150 acs. granted to Wm.  
 Bedlam 1 July 1653, & bounded as in  
 that patent & a deed of sale from Coll.  
 Christ. Wormely & Frances his wife to  
 sd. Bromley; 350 acs. bet. Wm. Har-  
 bour & Hoine Harbour & the maine  
 bay; beg. at Geo. Peed's land; to John  
 Tillitt, & Gyles Vandecastell, &c.  
 Trans. of 7 pers: Tho. Burnett, Jno.  
 Dicks, Elinor Weaver, Phill. Stephens,  
 Jno. Craddock, Wm. Thompson, Hester  
 Buckinham.

**JOHN TILLET & GYLES VANDE-  
 CASTELL**, 25 acs., Gloster Co., King-  
 stone Pat., 26 Sept. 1678, p. 658. Run-  
 ning from Archabell Bromley to Home  
 Harbour; along the maine bay, &c.  
 Trans. of: Hum. Gwynn.

**WILLIAM BEARD (Berd)**, 380 acs.,  
 Gloster Co., Kingstone Pat., 26 Sept.  
 1678, p. 659. Beg. at Richard Langest,  
 near sd. Berd's house; to Col. Dudley;  
 near Jno. Waters' plantation; to C...

Ford, Jone Thresore, Ph. Pender, Wm.  
 Broadstreet, Gid. Frith, Eliz. Blumfield,  
 Richd. Jnson (Johnson), Jno. Thom-  
 son, Fra. Cellby, Ann Compton, Jno.  
 Roberts, Tho. Jones, Wm. Gear, Fra.  
 Simonds, Wm. Bayly, Tho. Buck, Ben.  
 Buck, Geo. Smith, Eliz. Jones, Ma.  
 Sutton (?), An Graves, Wm. Clifton,  
 Jno. Ford, Edwd. Lewis, Tho. Gollies,  
 Mary Tompson, Ja. Gresham, Jno.  
 French, Za. Eldritt, Tho. Fyoon, Wm.  
 Segior, Jno. Apleby.

**MR. JNO. BURCKETT & MR.  
 DAVID STERNE**, 853.111 acs., Rappa,  
 Co., NE side sd. River, 26 Sept. 1678,  
 p. 656. Beg. at land of Tobias Smith  
 in possession of Richd. Bray, to Peperick  
 Cr.; to line of Tho. Hopkins, dec'd, &c.  
 Due as marrying the sisters & heirs of  
 Peter Mills, dec'd, to whom 400 acs.  
 was granted 30 Sept. 1665; the residue  
 for trans. of 9 pers: Paul Seize, Wm.  
 Lanett, Jno. Jackson, Jno. Richardson,  
 Tho. Sanders, Tho. Waterton (or Water-  
 son), Jno. Harris, Wm. Birny, Wm.  
 Sinckler.

**EDWIN THACKER & CHICHELEY  
 CORBIN THACKER**, 844.3/8 acs., bet.  
 Rappa, & Potomeck Rivers; on a fr.  
 sw. of Rappa, Cr.; 26 Sept. 1678, p.  
 657. Beg. at John Buttler, Wm. Sear-  
 gan & Joane Clarke; &c. Trans. of 16  
 pers: Eliz. Larrett, Seayward Bearfield,  
 Jno. Goodman, Jos. Rufford, Reb.  
 Yates, Tho. Cooper, Jno. Oxly, Margt.  
 Massey, Jno. Dully, Wm. Hunt, Isa.  
 Davis, Mary Stratton, Fran. Bryant, Geo.  
 Palmer, Alice Hall, Roger Bagwell.

**LT. COL. JNO. ARMESTEAD**, 220  
 acs., Gloster Co., upon the head of the  
 Emost Riv. in Mobjeck Bay, 21 Sept.  
 1678, p. 657. Adj. Capt. Dudley (Dud-  
 ley). Granted to Dunkin Bohonno &  
 John Meekin 20 Dec. 1667, who assign-  
 ed to sd. Armestead; deserted, & granted  
 to Geo. Seaton, who neglected the pat-  
 enting thereof, & by order granted sd.  
 Armestead; trans. of 5 Negroes:—Jick,  
 Nancy, Enah, Manell, Hannell.

**WM. PORTEN**, 200 acs., Low, Norf.  
 Co., 27 Sept. 1678, p. 657. Beg. at  
 John Gaters; to Mr. Fegerton; near  
 Gwyn's land; by Newman's land; &

Jno. Bickner, Francis Holmwood, Jno. Temple, Jno. Williamson, Robt. Young, Richd. Bickner, Peter Ridley, Rebecca Smith, Wm. Semons, Robt. Reudman, Simon Williams, Jno. Paulin, Dorothy Stroakes, Eliz. Watkins, Sampson Elliott, Wm. Hewes, Susan Steele, Jno. Drayton, Ellen Thomas, Jno. Clarke, Mary Price, Peter Rogers, Richd. Hogsdon, Jno. Howles, Simond Bland, Ralph Elliott, Jno. Averie, Tho. Wood, Ja. Price, Cha. Cox, Tho. Darnell, Wm. Lambe, Ja. Kenold, Darby Swillivant, Robt. Mosse, Thet. Jones, Tho. Well, Tho. Cox, Margaret Humstead, Abra. Moore, Sar. Wild, Jno. Snow, Tho. Duke, Lidia Dix, Fra. Smith, Robt. Howkes, Jno. Thomas, Wm. Childes, Dixy Hare, Andrew Greene, Wm. Wilson, Canute Williamson, Peter Peterson, Wm. Sherman, Stephen Meadows, Wm. Robertson, Edwd. Travers, Timothy Wallington, Eliz. Sackler, David Marriot, Tho. Tunill, Stephen Fowell, Solomon Martin, Wm. Donolye (?), David Anderson, Hanna Knight, Eliz. Wilson, Jannett Brice, Tho. Reude, Wm. Harris, Susan Wells, Geo. Searles, Ann Middleton, Jno. Wood, Tho. Cadger, Alice Gardner, Mary Pope, Jno. Yates, Tho. Franklyn, Jno. Hannah, Tho. Hudson, Mary Collob, Tho. Jenson, Adam Fryer, Antho. Williams, Peter Mills, Peter Gray, Ad. Turner, Jno. Carter, & 16 Negroes.

MR. RICHD. BAILY, 1875 acs., Gloucester Co., S. side of Peancketank River, beg. at mouth of Hoccady's Cr.; 16 Nov. 1674, p. 547. By the Beaver Dams, to the going over of Snelling's Path; adj. Mr. Robt. Elliot; Tho. Grant; Mr. Wm. Elliot; his own land at the head of a valley of Allin's Cr.; & downe a br. divid- ing this & land of Robt. Beverly, formerly Col. Elliot's; &c. 600 acs., purchased of Col. Antho. Elliott; 882 acs., granted sd. Baily; 393 acs., now found adj., due for trans. of 8 pers.\*

CAPT. LAURENCE SMITH & CAPT. ROBT. BEVERLY, 6500 acs., Rappah. & New Kent Co.'s; adj. 4600 acs. of sd. Smith; beg. by the Beaver Dams or near head of the Ready Br., &c.; 16 Nov. 1671.

p. 547. Trans. of 130 pers: Hen. Bry. Math. Towers, Edwd. Gittes, Wm. Rowland, Jno. Conmark, Richd. Shay, Eliz. Harwood, Fra. Fox, Jerm. Parsons, Jno. Hall, Math. Robinson, Tho. Knight, Tho. Hopkins, Wm. Givon (or Guyor), Jno. Linkertorne, David Boutne, Xper Bicks, Wm. Holliday, Mich. Hookam, Jo. Eckat (or Erle), Ja. Couch, Jno. Yarrow, Hen. Chapman, Geo. Hawsone, Jno. Boyce, Jno. Smith, Rich. Williams, Jno. Gores (or Goods), Jno. Patten, Steph. West, Robt. Elson, Wm. Birdloe, Eliz. Knight, Elen Hitch, Ann Syra, M. Hurchson, Tho. Knell, Sam. Orkney, Geo. King, Richd. Presty, Tho. Mady, Susan Kerne, Eliz. Newry, Wm. Fuller, Ja. Newton, Oliver West, Edwd. Strong, Ja. Linsey, Jno. Perry, Arth. Wright, Jane Luse, Wm. Roberts, Amb. Neale, Phillip Carey, Jno. Douding, Ann Wheately, Wm. Howell, Xper, Lewis, Juane Maynards, Rich. King; 4 Negroes.

GEO. BATES, 412 acs., (Co. now given). . . Nov. 1674, p. 548. Granted to James Smith, dec'd., & escheated by inquisition, &c., under Tho. Ludwell, Esqr., Escht., &c. . .

THOMAS GRAVES & JEFFERY GRAVES, sonnes of Tho. Graves, dec'd., 340 acs., Gloucester Co., in Abbingdon (Par. ?), 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 548. Adj. Mr. Robt. Colemans; neere dwelling house of Jeffery Graves; neere the Gr. Roade to Tindall's point, &c. 200 acs., purchased by Thomas Graves, Senr., of Danll. Clarke; 240 acs., granted him 20 Nov. 1661, & the whole now due the above under the will of their father; & according to sd. will at their request & in their presence divided by Capt. Laurence Smith & Capt. Robt. Beverly.\*

DUNKEN BOHANNAN, 340 acs., Gloucester Co., in Kingstone Par., upon the E'most River; 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 548. Beg. at gart parting this & land of Jno. Newell, &c. Part of a gr. dec'd., granted to Mr. Wm. Armestead & due sd. Bohannan by assignment.

STEPHEN FENTRY, 300 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/

5, p. 549. Beg. upon Queen's Cr., adj. Mr. Jno. Curtis & James Lindsay. Part of a gr. dec'd. patented by Mr. Ja. Cary, & assigned by him.

DANIEL LANGHAM, 350 acs., Gloucester Co., Abbingdon Par., neere Mr. Robt. Colman; 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. Granted to Xper. Abbott 20 Jun. 1657, & due sd. Daniell, by marrying Mary, the dau. of sd. Abbott.

JNO. GUYTON, 313 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. 188 acs. as expressed in his former patent; 125 acs. adj. & adj. Mr. Jno. Armestead. Trans. of 3 pers.\*

JAMES LINDSAY (Lindsey), 390 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. On Queen's Cr., adj. Jacob Johnson; & Stephen Fentry. Part of a gr. dec'd., granted to Richd. Cary, who assigned to sd. Lindsey.

JNO. NEVELL, *Injunt.* 100 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. Adj. Dunkin Bohannan, on W. side of the E'most river; & adj. lands of Richd. Cary & Mr. Jno. Armestead. Due sd. Bohannan by purchase from Mr. Armestead, & due sd. Nevell as sonne & heire of his dec'd. father.

MR. MATHEW KEMP JUNR., 229 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 550. Beg. at the mouth of a br. deviding this & land of Mr. Tho. Palliser (or Talliser); by Col. Mathew Kemp's field close by the fence, & down Peancketank River, &c. Trans. of 5 pers: Jno. Stephens, Eliz. Packwood, Ann Sar-gant, Margrett Banks, Jno. Greene.

CAPT. LAURENCE SMITH, 330 acs., Gloucester Co., Abbingdon Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 550. Adj. Col. Ludlow, dec'd., Mr. Jno. Bamister, Abbott, Coleman & Edwd. Foster &c. to the hermes near Pine, &c. Trans. of 7 pers.\*

GABRIEL HILL, 250 acs., New Kent Co., (date blank), p. 550. Beg. in the forke of a br. of Axoll's (or Exoll's) Br., &c. 134 acs., granted sd. Hill 29

JOHN GREENE, 600 acs., Gloucester Co., Pesse Par., upon bis. of Potopouank Cr., 1 Mar. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. Mr. Dudley's line; his own; Samll. Clarke; Henry Hubert, &c. 350 acs., granted him 25 Aug. 1655; renewed 13 Jan. 1661; & 250 acs. found within, &c., due for trans. of 5 pers.\*

JACOB JOHNSON, 740 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., upon Queen's Cr., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. James Lindsey; along line made by Mr. Jno. Curtis; along the Roade to Mr. Wm. Elliott, Sent., to the Dirty Br., to Rich. Carey's; &c. 410 acs., purchased from Rich. Cary; 300 acs. for trans. of 6 pers.\*

COL. MATHEW KEMP, 573 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingstone Par., 26 Jan. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. Mr. Palliser, neare the Roade path; neere Col. Kemp's Quarter; to Joanna Pounall (or Toun-man ?) &c.; 400 acs., granted to Jno. Chapman 15 Sept. 1658 & sold to sd. Kemp; 173 acs. for trans. of 4 pers.\*

MR. GEO. CURTIS, 800 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingstone Par., on S. side Peancketank River, bet. Peancketank Cr., *adit* Col. Kemp's Cr., & Wading Cr., 26 Jan. 1674/5, p. 552. Adj. Col. Kemp, neere Wm. Marlow's fence; land of Mr. Tho. Palliser; by Lady Skipwith's land, &c. Purchased of Mr. Edwd. Wyatt, & further due for trans. of 16 pers.\*

RICHARD DAVIS, 370 acs., New Kent Co., in Stratton Major Par., 1 Mar. 1674/5, p. 552. Adj. land he lives upon; beg. in Arakico Sw., adj. Leonard Chamborlin; by David Prichard's Path; to Jno. Stringer, &c., 256 acs., adj. Capt. Jones; along Hanks' line, &c. Trans. of 7 pers: Richd. Davis, Tho. Burger, Jno. Waters, Izarell Wrenn, Barbara Hargrave, Jno. Williams, Xper. Hudson, Laurence Morton.



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## CAPTAIN THOMAS GRAVES AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS

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Few names are more familiar to the student of the early history of Virginia than that of Captain Thomas Graves, who came to Virginia in the Mary & Margaret, Captain Newport, and settled at Jamestown in 1608.

His wife, Katherine, (maiden name not known), and two sons, John and Thomas Graves, Jr., came at a later date.

He appears to have taken an active part in the affairs of the infant colony from the very beginning.

On one occasion, while on an exploring expedition with Captain John Smith, he was captured by the Indians and taken to Opechan-canough's town, where he was held for ransom.

Thomas Savage was sent by Smith to recover Graves. In this he was successful. Before securing Graves's release, however, some difficulty arising with the Indians, Savage and three others offered to fight thirteen of the Indians at once, but the latter declined the challenge.

Savage had come to Virginia with the first settlers of 1607, as a boy of thirteen years, and, in 1608, was exchanged as a hostage for Namontock, an Indian from Powhatan's tribe, and had remained some time with the Indians and learned their language, which enabled him afterwards to render much service to the Colony as an interpreter.

Pory, writing in 1624, says of Savage: "He with much honesty and good success hath served the publique without any publike recompense, yet had an arrow shot through his body in their service." (Va. Maga. of History, I, 443; Smith: History of Virginia, edition published in Richmond, Va., 1819, pp. 61-63.)

Governor Yeardeley writing to Sir Edwin Sandys soon after April 29, 1619, of affairs at Smythe's Hundreds, says:—

"There hath lately happened a misfortune done by him who Comanded there Mr Eps whom I found cheife in the busines at my coming Mr Hull and Mr Neman being dead, Mr Eps being a hopeful yong gentleman I constituted Captayne over the people and Comitted the busines wholly to his disposing in my absence and as he should receive directions from me, but so it fell out one the 30th of May last the one Capt. Stalling employed hether by Sir fferdinando Gorge, Coming to Smythes Hundred some difference fell betweene them and drunkenness wch of late hath bin to common stirring them farther to malice and blowes, so that Epps lett drive at Stalling with his sworde but scabbard and all, yett the blow was so fforcible that he cleft him to the scull and next day he died thereon, this matter is not yett tried in regard I have bin troubled with these buisnesses of Capt Argalls, in the meane he is Committed to the Provost Marshalls, and in his stead I have entreated Capt Graves an Antient officer of this Company to take charge of the people and workes." (The Records of the Loudon Company of Virginia, III, 121.)

Captain Thomas Graves was a member of the First Legislative Assembly in America and, with Mr. Walter Shelley, sat for Smythe's Hundred when they met at Jamestown, July 30, 1619. (Va. Maga. of History, II, 60, 70; Brown: Genesis of the United States, II, 904; Meade: Old Churches & Ministers & Families of Virginia, I, 130.)

"We have a few details relating to the appearance of this first Virginia Assembly. They sat with their hats on, as in the English Com-

mons, the members occupying 'the choir,' with the Governor and Council in the front seats. The Speaker Master John Pory, with clerk and sergeant, faced them, and the session was opened with prayer by Mr. Bucke, after which the Burgesses took the oath of supremacy." (Cooke: Virginia, 115.)

In 1622, a Thomas Graves is recorded as receiving the following patent for land:

"At a Quarter Court held for Virginia in the Forenoon the 20th Nov. 1622.

The Patente Appointed to be drawne upp against this Court were read and compared and beinge found agreeable to the former Presenties were referred to the Alternoone Court Confirmation Vizt: \*

52. A Patente to Thomas Graves of Dublin in the Realme of Ireland, Gent. \* \* \* \* \*

All of which have undertaken to transport 100 persons a piece to Virginia."

(Records of the Virginia Company, II, 132. Quoted by Alexander Brown in The First Republic in America.)

In 1623, Captain Thomas Graves was living in the Eastern Shore, as is recorded by Hotten:

"Feby. 16, 1623. The Living in Virginia. At the Eastern Shore, Thomas Graves." (Hotten, I, 188.)

The following references to Captain Thomas Graves have been preserved:

"A Court held the eight daye of February 1624

Present

Sir francis Wyatt Knight Gournor &c., Sr George Yardley Knight Mr George Sands Threar

Licut Peppett Sworne and Examined sayeth that he asked Capt graues why the Tobacco was soe badd, to wch he replied it was the best that he could gett, And that some of them said it was good enough to paye dewties, And that Mr How asked Capt graues how that Tobacco Cam to be so badd, he beinge soe Curious in the takinge of hitt Then Capt graves brought in A bundle of good Tobacco about 30 or 40 waigt, and said he paid that in him self for Mr How and John Wilkins, & This Examinat sayeth that he tooke exception against the rest of the Tobacco when he received it and said it would be burnt when it Cam to James Cyttie.

John How gent sworne and exam sayeth, affirmeth that he hard Licut Peppett take exception against the Tobacco before it cam aboard and that he said it would be burnt when it cam upp to James Cyttie."

(Minutes of the Council and General Court of Colonial Virginia, 46-47.)

A Court at James City the 11th of January, 1626

Capt John Martin sworne & examined sayeth that about 4 yeeres agoe Mrs Elizabeth Smallfey] being in England was as shee said, set on by ye Company, to deliver a petition to the king agst Sr Samuel Argoll to recover certain oxen of him wch hee had taken fro her in Virginia, hee the said Sr Samuel Argoll did soe cleere himselfe that shee asked him forgiveness at my Lord of Warwicks house: And then afterwards Sr Samuel Argoll told her that the said oxen were in Virginia & noe body could tell her better where they were then Capt Tho: Graues then lueing in Virginia.

A court at James City 8th february 1627

Capt Francis West Esqr Governour &c., Doctor Pott Capt Mathewes  
Mr Secretary Capt Tucker Mr ffarrar  
It is ordered that Capt Thomas Grayes shall have a Commission to  
Comaund the Plantation of Accawmacke.  
(Minutes of the Council and General Court of Colonial Virginia, 165.)

"By virtue of an Adventure of five and twentie pounds" Captain  
Thomas Graves received a patent for 200 acres of land, located in the  
Eastern Shore.

The document reads:

"To all to whome these psents shall come I John Pott Esqe Governour and Capt Generall of Virginia send greeting in or Lord God Everlasting Whereas by the orders and constitutions formerly made and established for the affairs of this Colony it hath been ordered and appointed that all devidents of lands any way due or belonging to any Adventurers or planters of what condition soever should be laid out and assigned to them according to the severall conditions in the same mentioned Now know yee that I the said John Pott doo with the consent of the Councill of State Give and graunt unto Capt Thomas Graies an Antient planter and to his heires and assignes for ever by these psents two hundred acres of Land as his first dividant and on a second division to be augmented and doubled to him and his said heires and assignes when hee or they shall sufficiently have peopled and planted the land situate and lying on the Eastern side of the shoare of the bay of Chesapeake and abutting Southerly on the Land of Capt Henry Fleete and thence extending Northerly along the bankes by the water side one hundred poles Westerly upon the said Bay and Easterly directly striking into the maine Woods The said two hundred acres accruing by virtue of an Adventure of five and twentie pounds paid by the said Thomas Graves unto Sr Thomas Smith late Treasurer for the Company of Virginia To have and to hold the said two hundred acres of land with the appurtenances and with his due share of all Mines and Mineralis there in contayned and with all rights and privileges of hunting fishing flowing and others within the premises and upon the borders of the same to the sole and expresse use benefit and behoofe of him the said Thomas Graves his heires and assignes for ever In as large and ample manner to all intents and purposes as is expressed in the said orders and Constitutions or by Consequence may justly bee Collected out of the same or out of his Majties Letters Pattents whereon they are grounded Yielding and paying for every fifty acres of land herein by these psents given and graunted yearly at the feast of St Michael the Archangell the fee rent of one shilling Provided alwaies that if the said Thomas Graies his heires or assignes doe not plante and seate upon the said lands within the time and course of three yeares now next ensuing the date hereof That then it shall and may be lawfull for any Adventurer or planter to make Choice of and seat upon the same In Witness whereof I the said John Pott have hereunto set my hand and the seale of the Colony the fourteenth day of March Anno Dom: one Thousand six hundred twentie and eight and in the fourth year of the reigne of or Sovereigne Lord King Charles of England &c and in the xxijth year of this Plantacon." (Patent Book No. 1, p. 72, Land Register's Office, Richmond, Virginia).

Portion of a document of record in the Public Record Office, London, England, entitled: "A Muster of the Inhabitants of the Eastern Shore, over the Baye, February 16, 1623. Capt. Thomas Graves, his Muster. Capt. Thomas Graves in the Mary and Margaret 1607," etc.

*Handwritten notes and signatures, including names like 'John Pott', 'Thomas Graves', and 'Mary and Margaret 1607'.*

In the winter of 1629-1630, the question of furnishing adequate protection for the Colony, was again brought before the General Assembly, which took action as under:

The General Assembly holden the 24th March, Anno Domini 1629-30.

#### Act II.

Matter of Fortifications was again taken into consideration, and Capt. Samuel Mathewes was content to undertake the raising of a fort at Poynt Comfort, whereupon Capt. Robert Felgate, Capt. Thomas Purfury, Capt. Thomas Graies, Capt. John Utey, Capt. Tho. Wiloby, Mr. Tho. Heyrick, and Leut. Wm. Perry by full consent of the whole Assembly, were chosen to view the place, conclude what manner of fort shall be erected, and to compound and agree with the said Capt. Mathewes for the building, raising and finishing the same. And whatsoever bargain or contract the said committee shall make concerning the same, the whole Assembly are content to ratify and confirme and performe. (Hening, I, 150).

"Captain Thomas Graves was Commissioner [Justice] for Accomac, 1629, and Burgess for the same in 1632." (Stanard: Virginia Land Patents, Va. Maga. of History, II, 70. See also Brown: Genesis of the United States).

Colonel William Claiborne, in his first expedition to Kent Island, Maryland, in 1631, took with him Thomas Savage, as interpreter, for which he paid him £1 16 shillings, August 12, 1631.

In November, 1631, Claiborne is recorded as purchasing from Captain Thomas Graves "2 lb of powder" for 5 shillings. (Maryland Historical Magazine, XXVIII, 32).

In the office of the Land Register are these two patents for land in Elizabeth City County, granted to Captain Thomas Graves and his son John Graves:

Capt. John West to Thomas Purifey, 100 acres, Nov. 28, 1635, Page 323. Eliz. City Co, adj. Thomas Oldis from John Neale. Due by assignment from Capt. Thos. Graves by order of court dated Feb. 29, 1631, same being due to sd. Graves as an ancient planter.

Patent Book No. 1.

(Nugent: Cavaliers & Pioneers, Vol. 1, 36.)  
443. Elizabeth City County, adj. Capt. Adam Thorogood, about a pole to the E. of the dwelling house of Oliver Vanneck. Due by descent from his father, Thomas Graves, who trans. at his own costs himself, his wife, 2 sons and 8 persons: Katherine Graves, John and Thomas Graves, Jr., Henry Singleton, Thos. Edge, Robt. Phillipps, Thos. Griggs, Thos. Phillipps, Frances White, Wm. Symbee, Joane Packett.

Patent Book No. 1.

(Nugent: Cavaliers & Pioneers, Vol. 1, 62.)  
Feb. 9, 1635, Hannah Scarbrough, of Acchawinacke, (Accomac) widow, sells to Captain Thomas Graves, Esq., one cow and calf.  
(Order Book No. 1, p. 30, Northampton Co., Va.)

"Captain Thomas Graves, Esq.," is recorded as being present as a Justice at a Court held for Accomac County, April 13, 1635, and at a Court held September 13, 1635, he was appointed a Vestryman of Hungar's Parish.

He attended a meeting of the Vestry held September 29, 1635, at which it was agreed to build a parsonage house upon the Glebe land by "Christyde."

The last reference to Captain Thomas Graves as living is in November, 1635, when he is mentioned as a witness to a deed from Ann Harmer, wife of Mr. Charles Harmer, to Robert Chapman, of Accomac. (Order Book No. 1, p. 2, Northampton Co., Va.)

At Accomac January Court, 1636, his name does not appear among those reported "present" or "absent."

He appears to have died at some date between November, 1635, when he witnessed the deed of Ann Harmer, and January, 1636, when the Accomac January Court was held, for under date of January 5, 1636, we find Anthony Willis suing Mrs. Graves:

January 5, 1636, Anthony Willis petitioned in Accomac Court against John Culpeper, servant to Mrs. Graves, for killing two hogs of said Willis which being examined and the depositions of John Hannaman and Robert Pistoll it is ordered that Mrs. Graves shall pay unto the said Willis one sowe of one year and one half old present payment, for default thereof said Culpeper to be whipped presently and have thirty lashes.

The meeting of the Vestry of Hungar's Parish held at Accomac, May 20, 1636, passed a resolution which reads:

Having taken into consideration the remote living of the members of this Parish from the Church. It is agreed that all such persons as live at the Old Plantation from the land of Mrs. Graves unto #

# the head of the sd Old Plantation Creeke that they shall # bodies be buried on the part of the land of Wilm Blower where Wilm Berriman liveth and likewise that they give notice unto the Ministers and provide convenient means for their coming there to bury the dead wch whoever shall refuse such decent and Christian like burial that then they are to stand censure of the Vestry. # hiatus in record book.

(Records of Northampton County, Virginia, transcript in Virginia State Library, page 56.)

From the above we conclude that Captain Thomas Graves, when living resided at the Old Plantation, on the shores of Cheseapeake Bay, in what is now Northampton County, Virginia.

Besides his sons, John and Thomas, he had at least one other son, Francis Graves, who was born in Virginia.

These references to Francis Graves are to be found among the records of Northampton County, Virginia:

"Court held at Accomac 6th day of May, Anno Domini 1639. Received by me Henry Penington the some of one hundred pounds of tobacco and a cove calf for the use of Francis Graves that is in full satisfaction for a parcell of land Henry Wilson bought that did belong unto Francis Graves, the cove calf and the tobacco being paid by Alice Wilson, widowe, and received the twenty eight day of Decem-ber, 1638. I say received by me.

Henry Penington.

Witness: William Berrymán."

(Order Book No. 1, p. 140, Northampton County, Virginia.)

Att A Monthly Cot. holden att Northampton the 28th day of November Anno. 1642

Argoll Yardley Esqre. Commander gnt.  
Mr: Phillip Taylor:  
Capt: William Stone  
Mr: John Neale  
Mr: Edward Douglas  
Capt: William Roe  
Mr: John Wilkins  
Mr: Stephan Charlton

A Certiff gted. unto Fra: Graves Orphant of Capt. Tho: Graves deceased

Rich. Camhoe  
Capt Tho: Graves  
Mrs. Ffrances Jefford

William Deacon  
Rich: Cox

(Order Book No. 2, 1640-45, p. )

No further reference to Francis Graves, Sr., has been found of record in Northampton County. He may have first removed to Elizabeth City County, where, as we have seen, his father and his brother, John, received patents for land, but owing to the loss of the greater part of the records of that county, nothing definite can be ascertained.

The next reference to him that has been found, is under date of 1672, when he received a patent for land in Rappahannock County:

To all &c. Whereas &c. Now know yee that I the said Sr William Berkeley Knt &c. Do give and graunt to Francis Graves 714 Acres of Land in the County of Rappah on the So side the River part on the branch of Gilsons Creeke and part in Hodgkins [Hoskins] Creeke which land boundeth as followeth beginning at Mr Beverleys Corner White Oake near Button bridge [Button Range] runing thence E. by S. 48 pole thence S. E. by S. 500 pole over the new Road to a poplar in a branch of Hodgkins [Hoskins] his Creeke thence So. W. by W. 156 pole thence So. 300 pole thence E. N. E. 100 pole thence No. N. W. 320 pole to the branches of Gilsons Creeke and thence from a Corner N. E. by E. downe by, in and along the Swamp to button bridge [Button Range] thence Southerly 20 pole where it first began, bounded on all sides, which land is due by and for the transportation of fifteen persons into the Colony whose names are under this Pattent. To have and to hold &c

Dated the Xth of October 1672 Ao Car. 2nd.

|             |              |              |               |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| John Oldis  | Sarah Warner | Thomas Hill  | Henry Milby   |
| Tho. Knott  | John Miles   | Mathew Lewis | Judith Abbott |
| Tho. Ichady | John Cooper  | Jno. Luke    | Nich. Deprize |
| Peter Dyos  | John Dearing | Robert Young |               |

(State Land Office, Richmond, Patent Book No. 6, p. 443).

It is not known positively that Francis Graves, Sr., settled in Rappahannock County at the date this patent was issued to him, but he certainly was living there in 1674, as on July 11th of that year he is recorded as a witness to a deed from Robert Moss to John Wood.

(Record Book 1671-1676, Rappahannock Co., p. 237).

He may or may not have been a married man in 1672, but, if married, there is no surviving record to show it. We do know, however, that by November 28, 1678, he had married a widow Jane Maguffey, or Davenport as the following will show:

Know all men by these presents that whereas I Francis Graves of Rappa County in Virginia, did make a verball promise to my now wife Jane before marriage to confirme the gift of two heiffers & a calfe to her three Children Doe therefore hereby (for the love and affection I have and beare unto the said Children John & Jane Moguffe and Elizabeth Davenport) freely give & grant to the Said John a certaine heiffer cald Rose marked wth two Crops & a hole in the Right eare And to the said Jane a certaine heiffer called nancy marked with two crops in both eares & swallow forks in both eares and to the said Elizabeth a cow calfe called tidy marked with a Slit in each eare, to them the said John Jane & Elizabeth wth the increase of the same (the male onely excepted) & to their heires & assignis forever, & I do warrant the

same to be free from the Clayme of any person whatsoever, as Witness my hand & Seal this 28th of Novembr 1678

Francis Graves Seale

Test.:

Phi. Pendleton  
her  
Mary E Butcher  
mark

(Record Book 1677-82, p. 200.)

It is possible that his wife, Jane, had been married only once previously and to Maguffey, and that the daughter Elizabeth, had married a Davenport.

Francis Graves, Sr., and his wife, Jane, had at least three children: Francis Graves, Jr., Richard Graves and Thomas Graves. Of the above children, Thomas died ca. 1742, as in O. B. 13, p. 123, under date of Feb. 15, 1742/43, upon the petition of John Graves, administration is granted him on the estate of Thomas Graves, deceased. Thomas Coleman goes security on his administrator's bond. William Upshaw, John Garnett, James Reynolds and William Reynolds or any three of them are ordered to appraise the estate, etc. (W. B. 6, p. 418). The inventory and appraisement of the estate of Thomas Graves, deceased, is returned and recorded March 15, 1742/43, by William Upshaw, John Garnett, and William Rennolds according to the order issued Feb. 15, 1742/43. (W. B. 6, p. 425). The final settlement of the estate took place July 16, 1745. (W. B. 7, p. 344). In this final accounting payments are recorded to Richard and Francis Graves, who may have been sons of Thomas.

As regards Richard Graves, son of Francis Graves, Sr., of Essex Co., O. B. 1708-1714, pp. 608-609, shows that on September 19, 1714, Richard Graves was living out of Essex County.

He may have been the Richard Graves\* whose will was probated in Craven Precinct, North Carolina, at September Court, 1730. (Grimes: Abstracts of North Carolina Wills, 140, and photostat of original will in the possession of the writer.)

In his will, which is dated April 11, 1730, Richard Graves makes bequests to his wife, Hannah, daughter, Mary Graves, son, Thomas Graves, son-in-law, Farnifold Green, James Green, and his (Richard Graves's) nephews, Richard and Francis Graves, "sons of my brother Thomas Graves, in Virginia." It seems probable that this is Richard Graves, son of Francis Graves, Sr., of Essex County, Virginia.

The date of death of Francis Graves, Sr., is not known. He certainly was dead by August 5, 1691, when his widow is mentioned in a document of record in Rappahannock County:

To the Sheriff of Rappa County or his Depy these  
Whereas divers complaints are made to this court that several runaway negro and mulatto slaves are in company together and have and still continue to do great mischief to the inhabitants of the southside of this county near or about the plantation of the widow Graves in the neck of land between Hoskins & Gilsons pocoson and in divers other places in this county we do therefore order and require you (in pursuance of the 16th act of Assembly held at James City April 16, 1691) that forthwith upon sight hereof (within your county) you will search and cause diligent search to be made after such negroes and other slaves offend-

\*Richard Graves was at various times a Justice of the General Court, Representative from Craven Precinct and Treasurer of the same, etc. (See Colonial Records of North Carolina.)



ing as aforesaid and them to apprehend and safely convey to their respective masters as the law of this colony in that case directs.

August 5, 1691.

(Order Book, Rappahannock County, 1686-92, p. 301.)

True to the traditions of Virginia widows, we find that in 1694, the widow of Francis Graves, Sr., had remarried to one John Doughty, a planter of Essex County, as we learn from this deed of gift:

Be it known unto all men by these presents that I John Doughty of Essex County Planter by reason of an intermarriage between me and the widow Graves do give unto the three children of Francis Graves namely Francis Richard and Thomas Graves as followeth

Item one Cow named Gowlden Locks with her female encrease marked with two Crops two underkeels and a nick in each underkeel, unto my son-in-law [step-son] Francis Graves and his heirs.

Item I give unto my other son-in-law [step-son] Richard Graves one cow named Good luck marked with two half spades taken at the upper side of the ear her and her female encrease forever

Item I give unto Thomas Graves one Cow Calle called Merygold marked two Crops and a hole in the left Ear her and her female encrease forever as Witness my hand this twenty second day of May 1694

Test

Chas. Rodes

his

John x Maguffey

mark

John D. Doughty

his

mark

Acknowledged in Court June 11, 1694.

(D. & W. Book 6, p. 296).

Of the three children of Francis Graves, Sr., and Jane, his wife, (Francis, Richard and Thomas Graves), we shall attempt to trace the descendants of but one, Francis Graves, Jr.

He was born probably in Rappahannock County, but surviving records do not disclose the date. From his will, we learn that his wife was Ann, but her maiden name has not been ascertained.

The records of Essex County furnish the following information concerning him:

On March 10, 1704, a presentment against him for not making Indian corn is dismissed, he being a tradesman. (O. B. 1703-1708, p. 69).

October 4, 1706, James Gouge, of Essex County, deeds to Francis Graves, of the same county, 124 acres of land in Essex County. (D. B. 12, p. 310).

September 8, 1707, Francis Graves, of South Farnham Parish, Essex County, conveys to George Lloyd, of St. Ann's Parish, Essex County, 125 acres of land in Essex County, adjoining land of said Lloyd, John Graves and others. (W. & D. B. 13, p. 248).

He is recorded as a witness to a power of attorney of John Whiteside, of Liverpool, England, dated October 20, 1707. (D. & W. B. 13, p. 122.)

October 11, 1708, he (with Jane Saunders and Thomas Munday) goes on the bond of Jane Saunders as administratrix of her deceased husband, Thomas Saunders. (Book 13, 1707-1711, p. 159).

September 8, 1709, as a resident of South Farnham Parish, Essex County, he sells to George Lloyd, of the same county, 120 acres of land in Essex County, adjoining John Graves. (D. & W. B. 13, p. 248).

He is sued September 19, 1714, by Roger Shackelford for the payment of sixteen pounds due on a protested bill of exchange (which had

been endorsed by Francis), for twenty-eight pounds, drawn about the year 1708, by his brother, Richard Graves, on Benjamin Bradly, the celebrated London merchant, who had extensive dealings with the Virginia planters. (O. B. 1708-1714, pp. 608-609).

August 16, 1726, he purchases from Richard Coleman, fifty acres of land in Essex County. (D. & W. B. 18, p. 213).

December 9, 1730, he is a witness to the will of Thomas Hipkins, of Essex County. (W. B. 5, p. 50).

March 4, 1736/37, he witnesses a deed from Andrew Phillips and wife, Sarah, of Essex County, to John Satterwhite, of King & Queen County, conveying 100 acres of land in Essex County. (D. B. 21, pp. 285-286).

As the inventory and appraisal of his estate (November 12, 1745) mentions, among other items, "A Sett of Troopers Armes," it seems probable that Francis Graves was a soldier of the Colonial militia. (W. B. 8, p. 121).

His son, William Graves, was a soldier in Captain John Latane's Company of Essex County Militia, in 1757. (D. B. 27, p. 308).

The will of Francis Graves, Jr., dated June 25, 1746, was entered for probate in Essex Court, October 18, 1748. He makes bequests to his wife, Ann Graves, and to six children: Jane Graves, Ann Graves, Clarer Higinbottom [Clara Higginbotham], Elizabeth Graves, Mary Graves and William Graves. (W. B. 8, pp. 90-91).

The following deeds are of record in the name of his son, William Graves:

July 7, 1750. William Graves, of Caroline County, to John Satterwhite, of the same county. Conveys the plantation that Francis Graves decd. and the sd. William Graves formerly lived on claiming a just quantity of 250 acres of land with ten acres adjoining thereunto that the said Graves lately purchased of James Rennolds, the above 260 acres being in the counties of Essex and Caroline. (D. B. 27, p. 135).

March 16, 1756. William Graves & Dorothy, his wife, of Caroline Co., to John Satterwhite, of the same county. Conveys 250 acres of land being the land and plantation that Francis Graves, decd. & the sd. William Graves formerly lived purchased of James Rennolds. (D. B. 27, p. 195).

Clara (Graves) Higginbotham was the wife of Captain Aaron Higginbotham, Sr.,\* who lived in that part of Goochland County which later became Albemarle County, and still later, Amherst County, where he died in 1785.

Aaron, Sr., and Clara (Graves) Higginbotham had six children, two sons and four daughters.

Their eldest daughter, Frances Graves Higginbotham, married her cousin, Lieut. Joseph Higginbotham Morrison, who had served in the War of the Revolution as Lieutenant in Captain Samuel Higginbotham's (his uncle's) Company, of Amherst County, Virginia, Militia.

Joseph Higginbotham and Frances Graves (Higginbotham) Morrison had seven children, three sons and four daughters.

In 1791, Joseph H. Morrison removed with his family from Amherst County, Virginia, to Elbert County, Georgia.

Their second daughter, Mary Dandridge Morrison, (1784-1839), married in Elbert County, Georgia, in 1805, James Reagan, Jr. (1780-1855).

\*The descendants of their son, Captain Aaron Higginbotham, Jr., are very numerous and comprise many men of prominence, among others, Dr. George Tully Vaughan, an eminent surgeon of Washington, D. C., and the late Judge Henry Constantine Shields, of Howard County, Missouri.

James Reagan, Jr., and Mary Dandridge (Morrison) Reagan had eleven children, seven sons and four daughters, of whom their eighth child Francis Washington Reagan, M. D. (1821-1865), married, in 1845, Sarah Cecilia Refo (1826-1910).

Their only child, Eugenia Octavia Reagan, (1846-1923), married, in 1867, General Thomas W. Sweeny, U. S. A. (1820-1892).

They had two children: Thomas Francis Sweeny and William Montgomery Sweeny.

William Montgomery Sweeny, eighth in descent from Captain Thomas Graves, married, in Elbert County, Georgia, in 1928, Mrs. Lenora Elizabeth (Higginbotham) Macfarlane, of Bedford County, Virginia, also eighth in descent from Captain Thomas Graves, being a great, great, great, granddaughter of Captain Aaron Higginbotham, Sr., and Clara (Graves) Higginbotham, of Amherst County, Virginia.

*Notes.*—The writer is indebted to Mrs. P. W. Hiden, Newport News, Virginia, through whose able and painstaking research it was possible to establish the Graves-Higginbotham connection.

For an account of the Higginbotham Family, see Higginbotham Family of Virginia, in *William & Mary Quarterly Historical Magazine*, XXVI, 3, 4; XXVII, 1, 2, 4.

\*See Volume III of this work, pp. 24-66.

## THE GRAVES FAMILY OF ESSEX CO.

By Mrs. P. W. HIDEN

The writer for some fifteen years has been working to assemble a proven genealogy of the Graves family in Virginia, connecting them indubitably with sturdy Capt. Thomas Graves, "an Ancient Planter." In her search, not wholly successful, the author has accumulated as a sort of by-product so much hitherto buried data that its publication seems desirable. The Graves families in the different counties will be treated from their first proven ancestor in an effort to connect them with Capt. Thomas.<sup>1</sup>

In an old number of the D. A. R. Magazine (Vol. 49, p. 396) is found this anonymous quotation so aptly descriptive of all genealogical effort: "I have gon and rid and wrote and search'd with my own and my friends' eyes to make what Discoveries I c'd therein. . . . I stand ready with a pencil in one hand and a sponge in the other to add, alter insert, expunge, enlarge and delete according to better information." Since there were Graves families living in Gloucester, New Kent, King William and King & Queen (counties fatal to genealogical hope), the writer has found this a very difficult task and will welcome any additional information.

Mr. W. M. Sweeny having by hitherto unpublished data established descent from Capt. Thomas<sup>1</sup> Graves thru his son Francis,<sup>2</sup> the writer will now discuss this descent more fully. She would first gratefully acknowledge her indebtedness to Mr. Sweeny for many courtesies and suggestions that directed her thoughts into new channels. The fact which had escaped all other searchers, namely, that Capt. Thomas<sup>1</sup> had a son Francis,<sup>2</sup> is solely Mr. Sweeny's discovery. (W. & M., 2nd series, Vol. 15, pp. 385-394.) \*

Capt. Thomas<sup>1</sup> Graves, the sturdy and capable progenitor whom Mr. Sweeny has described to us, must have been on his arrival in 1608 in the prime of youth else he could hardly have survived his experiences. We would place his birth therefore as about 1580. He represented Smythe's Hundred in the first House of Burgesses 1619, was Burgess from Accomack 1630 and 1632, and from the fact that he is on Jan. 9, 1634-5 designated as Esquire must in the meanwhile have been a member of the Council. (Accomack Rec. 1632-40, p. 30.) From the patent granted John<sup>2</sup> Graves in 1637 (Nugent's Cavaliers and Pioneers, Vol. 1, p. 62) for land due by "descent from his father," we consider John<sup>2</sup> the oldest son and born not later than 1616. Since neither wife nor children appear with Capt. Thos.<sup>1</sup> in the Muster taken after the massacre, we infer that Katherine, his wife, and sons John<sup>2</sup> and Thomas<sup>2</sup> came over later. John<sup>2</sup> established himself in the upper end of Elizabeth City Co., very close to York in which county his descendants are later found, and Thomas,<sup>2</sup> the second son established himself on Timberneck Creek in Gloucester (Nugent, Cavaliers & Pioneers, Vol. 1, p. 416). Francis,<sup>2</sup> the youngest son, was born in Virginia, probably around 1630, since he was still a minor and described as "orphan of Capt. Thomas Graves decd." in 1642. From this date until 1672 we have no information about Francis,<sup>2</sup> tho a careful search of Northampton Records might yield a few items. It is likely from the associates his family chose that he spent sometime in Gloucester before settling in Essex. It is also most probable that he had lived in Essex before patenting land there and that the 714 a. he patented October 10, 1672 (S. I. O. 6, p. 436), "on the south side of the river, part on the branch of Gilson's Creek and part on Hoskins Creek adjoining Mr. Beverley's corner," represented a choice of location rather than just the re-

\*See pp. 732-742, this volume.

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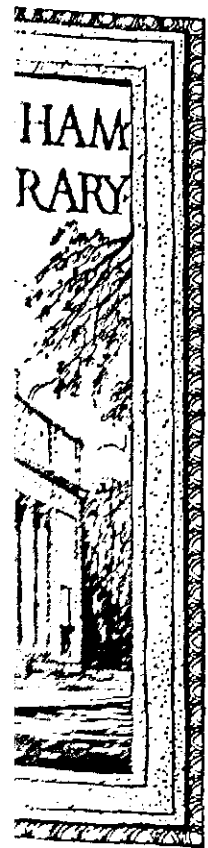
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To put the point briefly, Virginia was founded upon many different hopes for profitable undertakings—some of them commercial, some agricultural, and some industrial. The records show an early interest in several extractive industries, including mining, not just for gold but for copper and iron as well. First instructions for trade with the native Indians reveal an immediate concern for the establishment of good relations with them and for laying in a good stock of Indian corn as a food reserve, but they show too a concern for the policies that would shape the development of a wider trade. Provision in the charter, and in the instructions of the royal council, for the creation of individual estates according to the laws and customs of England, not to mention the guarantee of full legal rights for the inhabitants of the colony and for their children, leave no more room for speculation as to the intended permanence of the settlement than there is doubt as to the expected diversity of its economic activity. But for the time being, first things must take first place. Until it had been demonstrated that Virginia could provide profitable freightage for the ships of England, her future rested upon an insecure foundation. Hence, the initial emphasis on the type of activity which promised the more immediate or the greater return.

Newport's fleet of the *Susan Constant*, the *Godspeed*, and the *Discovery* sailed for Virginia in December 1606. While the adventurers waited for his return and report on the first discoveries, the Spanish ambassador excitedly reported to Spain that the English intended to send two vessels to Virginia each month until "they have 2,000 men in that country." Actually the plan seems to have been quite different. Lord Chancellor Egerton is reported to have declared in 1609: "We . . . thought at first we would send people there little by little." Whatever the plan, this was the practice. Newport's total complement in the first fleet was 160 men of whom 104 remained in the colony. He was back at Plymouth by late July 1607, and from Plymouth he came on to London in August. For cargo he carried clapboard,

and his sailors had picked up so much sassafras root that the leaders of the colony feared that the market for this established staple of the American trade might be ruined. He brought with him also ore which he hoped an assay would prove to be gold, and he declared the country to be rich in copper. With some exaggeration, he announced explorations "into the country near two hundred miles" and the discovery of "a river navigable for great shippes one hundred and fifty miles." The adventurers responded by sending him out again, in October 1607, with 120 prospective settlers and what would be greeted in Jamestown as the first supply.

All told, Captain Newport would make five round trips between England and Virginia before ending a career that included service of the Muscovy Company by dying on the island of Java as an agent of the East India Company. He has found no important place in the American tradition, partly because Captain John Smith, the Virginia colony's first historian, took care to see that Captain Newport did not have a hero's role. But those of us who would understand the context in which our history first developed will do well to consider the career of Christopher Newport.

In carrying out the second supply, which reached Jamestown in September 1608, Newport had aboard 70 new colonists, including two women and eight Polish and German experts in the manufacture of glass, tar, pitch, and soap ashes. He had a broad commission for completing the exploration of the James River above the falls that much later would fix the site of Richmond, and for determining the fate of Raleigh's lost colony. He found no answer to that riddle, which remains to our own day an intriguing mystery; indeed, he seems not to have found the time for any real investigation of the problem. As a result, he brought back only rumors of four survivors living on the Chowan River. The instruction gains its chief interest from the suggestion it conveys of a renewed interest on the part of the adventurers

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MR. RICHD. BAILY, 1875 acs., Gloucester Co., S. side of Peancketank River, beg. at mouth of Hoccady's Cr.; 16 Nov. 1674, p. 547. By the Beaver Dams, to the going over of Snelling's Path; adj. Mr. Robt. Elliott; Tho. Gaunt; Mr. Wm. Elliott; his own land at the head of a valley of Allin's Cr.; & down a br. dividing this & land of Robt. Beverly, formerly Col. Elliott's; &c. 600 acs. purchased of Col. Antho. Elliott; 882 acs. granted sd. Baily; 393 acs. now found adj., due for trans. of 8 pers.\*

CAPT. LAURENCE SMITH & CAPT. ROBT. BEVERLY, 6500 acs., Rappa, & New Kent Co.'s; adj. 4600 acs. of sd. Smith; beg. by the Beaver Dams or near head of the Ready Br., &c.; 16 Nov. 1674,

p. 547. Trans. of 130 pers: Hen. Bry, Math. Towers, Edwd. Gittes, Wm. Rowland, Jno. Conmark, Richd. Shay, Eliz. Harwood, Fra. Fox, Jerm. Parsons, Jno. Hall, Mach. Robinson, Tho. Knight, Tho. Hopkins, Wm. Givir (or Guyor), Jno. Linkehorne, David Bourne, Xper Bicks, Wm. Holliday, Mich. Hookam, Jo. Ecali (or Erle), Ja. Couch, Jno. Yarrow, Hen. Chapman, Geo. Hawsone, Jno. Buycce, Jno. Smith, Rich. Williams, Jno. Gores (or Goods), Jno. Patten, Steph. West, Robt. Elson, Wm. Birdline, Eliz. Knight, Elen Hitch, Ann Syra M. Hutchison, Tho. Knell, Sam. Orkney, Gen. King, Richd. Presly, Tho. Madly, Susan Keine, Eliz. Newry, Wm. Fuller, Ja. Newton, Oliver West, Edwd. Stroffe, Ja. Linsay, Jno. Perry, Arrh. Wright, Jane Lusc, Wm. Roberts, Amb. Neale, Phillip Cary, Jno. Douding, Ann Wheatly, Wm. Howell, Xper. Lewis, Joane Maynards, Rich. King; 4 Negroes.

GEO. BATES, 412 acs., (Co. not given). Nov. 1674, p. 548. Granted to James Smith, dec'd., & escheated by inquisition, &c., under Tho. Ludwell, Esqr., Esch'r., &c. . .

THOMAS GRAVES & JEFFERY GRAVES, sonnes of Tho. Graves, dec'd., 440 acs., Gloucester Co., in Abbingdon (Par. ?); 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 548. Adj. Mr. Robt. Colemana neere dwelling house of Jeffrey Graves; neere the Gr. Roud to Tindall's point, &c. 200 acs. purchased by Thomas Graves, Senr., of Danl. Clarke; 240 acs. granted him 20 Nov. 1667, & the whole now due the above under the will of their father; & according to sd. will at their request & in their presence divided by Capt. Laurence Smith & Capt. Robt. Beverly.

DUNKEN BOHANNAN, 340 acs., Gloucester Co., in Kingstone Par., upon the E-most River; 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 548. Beg. at gut parting this & land of Jno. Newell; &c. Part of a gr. delevd. granted to Mr. Wm. Armestead & due sd. Bohannon by assignment.

STEPHEN FENTRY, 300 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/

p. 549. Beg. upon Queen's Cr. adj. Mr. Jno. Curtis & James Lindsay. Part of a gr. delevd. patented by Mr. Ja. Cary, & assigned by him.

DANIEL LANGHAM, 350 acs., Gloucester Co., Abbingdon Par., neere Mr. Robt. Coleman; 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. Granted to Xper. Abbott 20 Jan. 1657, & due sd. Danil, by marrying Mary, the dau. of sd. Abbott.

JNO. GUYTON, 113 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. 188 acs. as expressed in his former patent; 125 acs. adj. & adj. Mr. Jno. Armestead. Trans. of 3 pers.\*

JAMES LINDSAY (Lindsay), 390 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. On Queen's Cr. adj. Jacob Johnson; & Stephen Fentry. Part of a gr. delevd. granted to Richd. Cary, who assigned to sd. Lindsay.

JNO. NEVELL, Infant, 100 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 549. Adj. Dunkin Bohannon, on W. side of the E-most river; & adj. lands of Richd. Cary & Mr. Jno. Armestead. Due sd. Bohannon by purchase from Mr. Armestead, & due sd. Nevell as sonne & heire of his dec'd. father.

MR. MATHEW KEMP JUNR., 229 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 550. Beg. at the mouth of a br. dividing this & land of Mr. Tho. Palliser (or Talliset); by Col. Mathew Kemp's field close by the fence, & down Peancketank River, &c. Trans. of 5 pers: Jno. Stephens, Eliz. Packwood, Ann Sergeant, Margaret Banks, Jno. Greene.

CAPT. LAURENCE SMITH, 330 acs., Gloucester Co., Abbingdon Par., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 550. Adj. Col. Ludlow, dec'd., Mr. Jno. Banister, Abbott, Coleman & Edwd. Foster &c. to the heimes nest Pine, &c. Trans. of 7 pers.\*

GABRIEL HILL, 250 acs., New Kent Co., (date blank), p. 550. Beg. in the forke of a br. of Axoll's (or Exoll's) Br., &c. 134 acs. granted sd. Hill 29

Nov. 1665; 116 acs. adj. sd. land which he lives upon; beg. by Cole's Br., upp the Spring Br., neere his plantation; to Sorrell's Br., by Axoll's Sw., &c. Trans. of 3 pers: Wm. Greenfeild, Eliz. Lunkford, Rich. Mallhorne.

JOHN GREENE, 600 acs., Gloucester Co., Person Par., upon hrs. of Popopotank Cr., 1 Mar. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. Mr. Dudley's line; his own; Sumil. Clarke; Henry Hubert, &c. 350 acs. granted him 25 Aug. 1655; renewed 13 Jan. 1661; & 250 acs. found within, &c., due for trans. of 5 pers.\*

JACOB JOHNSON, 740 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingston Par., upon Queen's Cr., 6 Mar. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. James Lindsey; along line made by Mr. Jno. Curtis; along the Roud to Mr. Wm. Elliott, Senr.; to the Dirty Br., to Rich. Carey's; &c. 440 acs. purchased from Rich. Cary; 300 acs. for trans. of 6 pers.\*

COL. MATHEW KEMP, 573 acs., Gloucester Co., Jingsome Par., 26 Jan. 1674/5, p. 551. Adj. Mr. Palliser, neere the Roud path; neere Col. Kemp's Quarter; to Joanna Pounall (or Tounall ?) &c.; 400 acs. granted to Jno. Chapman 15 Sept. 1658 & sold to sd. Kemp; 173 acs. for trans. of 4 pers.\*

MR. GEO. CURTIS, 800 acs., Gloucester Co., Kingstone Par., on S. side Peancketank River, bet. Peancketank Cr., *alias* Col. Kemp's Cr., & Wade Cr., 26 Jan. 1674/5, p. 552. Adj. Col. Kemp, neere Wm. Matloe's fence; land of Mr. Tho. Palliser; by Lady Skipwith's land, &c. Purchased of Mr. Edwd. Wyatt, & further due for trans. of 16 pers.\*

RICHARD DAVIS, 370 acs., New Kent Co., in Scatton Major Par., 1 Mar. 1674/5, p. 552. Adj. land he lives upon; beg. in Ankieco Sw., adj. Leonard Chamberlin; by David Pichard's Path; to Jno. Stringer, &c., 256 acs. adj. Capt. Jones; along Hanks' line, &c. Trans. of 7 pers: Richd. Davis, Tho. Burger, Jno. Waters, Izarell Wienn, Barbara Hargrave, Jno. Williams, Xper. Hudson, Laurence Morton.

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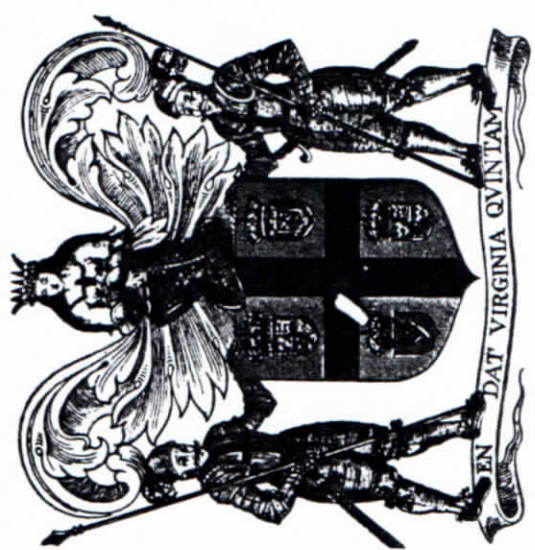
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In 1619, a year marked by several important events in the Colony, including the assembling of the first General Assembly, the London Company adopted a "Cote for Virginia". The coat-of-arms has been a puzzle and source of speculation to every historian and has been sometimes confused with the proper seal of the Colony itself. It is found as a book plate or frontispiece in nearly all of the printed acts and official proceedings of the Colonial government. It appears in Smith's *Generall Historie of Virginia*, editions 1624 and 1632; in Beverley's *History of Virginia*, in several issues of the *Virginia Gazette*, and in Stow's *Survey of London*, published in 1633. It was changed slightly from time to time to make the quarterings agree with the arms of the different reigning houses, and after the union of England and Scotland "quarum" succeeded "quintum" in the motto. The illustration is from the title page of *Merchants of Virginia* in the Virginia State Library.

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## ANCIENT PLANTERS

1607

John Dodds. In the *Susan Constant*, April, 1607. Aged 36. Mentioned in the "Journal of the Council and General Court"\*, p. 165, Jan. 11, 1626/7.

John Laydon (Leyden), Aged 44. In the *Susan Constant*. He married Ann Burras, Mrs. Forrest's maid, who came in the Second Supply (the *Mary Margrett*), 1608. This marriage was the first solemnized in English America. "John Leyden \* \* \* Ancient Planter," patent, Dec. 2, 1628, p. 18. See also patent, May 5, 1636, p. 38\* due for the per. adventure of himself & his wife, being Ancient Planters, before the govm't of Sir Thomas Dale."

1608

Henry Bagwell (Robt. Bagwell's Muster). Aged 35. In the *Deliverance*, 1608. Mentioned in the JCGC, p. 180.

Nathaniel Cawsey (Causer), of Causer's Care. In the First Supply, 1608 (The Muster states "In the *Phoenix* in 1607"), Thomasine his wife in the *Lyon* in 1609. Nathaniel Cawsey was Burgess in 1623-4 for Jordans Journey, and Convention, 1627. See patent of John Cawsey, Feb. 7, 1634.

Phetriplace Close (Clause), Came to Virginia in the *Siarr*. "Ancient Planter," patent, Dec. 2, 1628, p. 11. See also p. 10. Burgess "Denby, and to Waters Creek," in 1632; Mulberry Island, 1629.

Francis Chapman. In the *Siarr*.

Raleigh Crawshaw. Member of the London Company, Came to Virginia in 1608, "Of Kiccoughan, Ancient Planter who hath remained in this country fifteen years compleat and performed many worthy services to the Colony," patent, Dec. 12, 1625, p. 2.

Henry Dawkes. "An Antient Planter," For his Bill of Adventure, 12 lbs. 10 shill., July 14, 1608, see patent of his son William Dawkes, "of Verinas," Sept. 7, 1632, p. 15.

Thomas Godby. Aged 36. In the *Deliverance*, 1608. "An Ancient Planter," patent, Dec. 1, 1624, p. 5.  
For an account of his killing see JCGC, March 1628, pp. 190-191.

Capt. Thomas Graves. Came to Virginia in the *Mary & Margrett* in 1608. Burgess, Smythes Hundred, in 1619. Capt. Thomas Grayes commissioned to command the Plantation of Accomack, 8 Feb., 1629, JCGC, p. 165, Thomas Grates, "Ancient Planter" patent, March 14, 1628, p. 13.

Thomas Gray. "an Ancient Planter at or before the time of Sir Thomas Dale," patent, Aug. 27, 1635, p. 31.

William Julian. Aged 43. In the *Hercules* in 1608, "Yeoman & ancient Planter. of Kiccoughan," Patent, Sept. 20, 1624, p. 5.

\*From this point "The Journal of the Council and General Court will be indicated by the abbreviation "JCGC." The age entered after a planter's name in the Muster of 1624/5 shows his age at the time of the Muster and not at the time of his arrival in Virginia.

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"Ancient" Thomas Savage, Came in the *John and Francis* in 1608, at the age of 13. Wife Hannah, patent, Dec. 12, 1627, p. 9. Her husband referred to as "late of Accomack" in patent, Aug. 24, 1635, p. 30.

Richard Taylor. Aged 50. In the *Mary Margrett*, Sept., 1608. Member Convention, 1625; Burgess, 1627/8.

Lt. Edward Waters, of Elizabeth City, Gent. Aged 40. In the *Patience* in 1608. Patent, Aug. 14, 1624, p. 4 and Oct. 20, 1628, p. 12. Member Convention 1625; Burgess, 1627/8.

Robert Wright. Aged 44. Came in 1608 "An old planter," patent, Sept. 11, 1626, p. 8, sawyer \* \* \* moved to James City," see JCGC, p. 137.

1609

Wm. Baker. In the *Jonathan*, 1609.

Reynold Booth. Aged 32. In the *Hercules*, 1609.

John Chandler (servant of Thos. Willoby). Aged 24. In the *Hercules*, 1609. Thos. Gates. In the *Swan*, 1609.

Elizabeth Joones (servant of Thomas Dunthorne). Aged 30. In the *Patience*, 1609.

Robert Partin. Aged 36. In the *Blessinge*, in June 1609. Patent, Nov. 24, 1639, p. 76. Wife Margaret mentioned in JCGC, p. 150.

John Powell, of Newport News, "Yeoman & Ancient Planter," patent, Sept. 20, 1624, p. 5. In the *Swallow*, 1609. Burgess, Sept. 1632 "From Waters Creek to Marie's Mount."

Sir George Yeardley, Kt. Governor. In the *Deliverance*, 1609. Temperance, Lady Yeardley. In the *Faulcon*, 1608.

1610

William Askew. Aged 30. In the *Prosperous* in May, 1610.

William Bayley, of West Shirley Hundred. Aged 41. In the *Prosperous*.

Richard Biggs. Aged 41. On the *Swann* in August, 1610. Member of the Convention, 1625. In JCGC, referred to as "of West & Shirley hundred late deceased"; wife Sarah; son Richard.

William Bouldin (Boulding), of Elizabeth City. Came in 1610, with his wife Mary; "Yeoman & Ancient Planter," patent Jan. 20, 1628; Mary Bouldin "An Antient Planter," patent Jan. 12, 1625/6, p. 6. Thomas Boulding. In the *Swan*, 1610. Aged 40. Patent, Sept. 27, 1638, p. 98.

Richard Boulton. Aged 28. In the *Mary & James*, 1610.

Henry Coltman. Aged 30. In the *Noah*, August, 1610.

William Cox. Age 26. In the *Godspeed*.

Elizabeth Dunthorne. Aged 38. In the *Tryall*, 1610. "an old planter, wife of Thomas Dunthorne, of Kiccoughan in the Corporation of Elizabeth City," patent, Sept. 20, 1624, p. 6. Will of Elizabeth Dunthorne probated 31 Oct., 1626, JCGC, p. 123.



John Fludd (Flood), Gent., of James City. Came in the *Swann* in 1610. Burgess for Flower Dew Hundred in 1629/30; for Westover and Flower Dewe Hundred, 1631/2 and 1632; and for James City in 1642/3, 1648, 1652, 1653/4. Captain and later Colonel. John Flood, an ancient planter, 7 June, 1680, p. 227, Vol. II.

Thomas Garnett. In the *Swan*, 1610. Servant of Capt. Wm. Powell. See "Journal of the House of Burgesses," I, p. 12.

Robert and Susan Greenleaf. In a patent of Thomas Markham, p. 54 "right of his wife Susan the relict of Robert Greenleaf \* \* \* being an ancient planter before the govt of Sir Thomas Dale."  
Robert Greenleaf. Aged 43. In the *Tryall*, 1610. Mentioned in JCGC, Jan. 9, 1626/7, p. 129.

Samuel Jordan, of Jordans Journey, Charles City, Gent., "who hath abode ten years complete," as stated on Dec. 21, 1620. See Land Book VIII, p. 125. He represented Charles City in the Assembly of 1619. Referred to in JCGC, Sept. 12, 1623, p. 76.

Sisley (Cicely) Jordan. In the *Swann* of August 1610. Widow of Samuel Jordan at time of the Muster of 1624/5.  
 She afterwards married Councillor Wm. Farrar.

Albiano Lupo, Gent., "Ancient Planter and of Kiccoughan," patent, Sept. 1, 1624, p. 5. Will probated Oct. 9, 1626, see JCGC. Aged 40. In the *Swann*.

John Lytefoote, of James City, Yeoman "who came in the *Seaventure* with Sir Thomas Gates," patent, Aug. 14, 1624, p. 5. He left his estate to Wm. Spencer by a noncupative will, see JCGC, Jan. 21, 1628/9.

Alexander Mounthey, of Kiccoughan "Yeoman and Ancient Planter," patent, Sept. 20, 1624.  
 Aged 33. In the *Mary James*, 1610. Of Pierceys Hundred in 1624-5.

Capt. William Pierce. In 1623, captain of Governor Wyatt's guard and lt.-gov. of James City. Prepared in 1629, in England "A Relation of the Present State of the Colony of Virginia, by Capt. William Perse, an ancient planter of twenty years standing there." Capt. Pierce came with Sir Thomas Gates. Appointed to the Council in 1631. Member of the Convention, 1625. Patent, Dec. 16, 1645, p. 149. His daughter Jane was the third wife of John Rolfe.

John Proctor, of Proctor's Creek. In the *Seaventure*. Wife Mrs. Alice Proctor, allowed administration of her husband's estate, July 3, 1627, JCGC, p. 150.  
 Samuel Sharpe. In the *Seaventure* with Sir Thomas Gates. Burgess for Charles City in 1619, and for the "Neck of Land" (Sergeant Sharp) in 1629.

John Sleight. Aged 42. In the *Tryal*, 1610.

Thomas Stepney. Aged 35. In the *Swan*, 1610.  
 John Taylor. In the *Swan*, 1610. "Of Newport News, Yeoman & Ancient Planter," patent, Sept. 10, 1624, p. 5 "In Court, 28 Nov., 1633 \* \* \* his whole devent \* \* \* granted him to take it up where hee shall find convenient." In JCGC, p. 73, is found deposition of a John Taylor, aged 37, date June 23, 1625.

William Tucker, Aged 36. In the *Mary and James*, 1610. Member of the London Company in 1620. Burgess, 1623/4. Appointed to the Council, 1626. Convention, 1625. Patent to "Capt. Wm. Tucker Esq. of Council of State" June 1, 1633, p. 16; July 14, 1626, p. 27. Many references in JCGC. Will, London, Feb. 17, 1644.

Amyle Wayne, Aged 30, In the *Swan*, August, 1610.

Capt. Francis West. Aged 36. In the *Mary Ann Mergett* in 1610. Brother of Thomas Lord De La Warr. Councillor. Deputy Governor from Nov. 17, 1627 to March 5, 1629. Referred to as "late deceased" in a patent of Nicholas Reynold, Dec. 25, 1636. West came first in 1608.

Thomas Willoby (Willoughby). Came to Virginia in 1610, aged 9. Lt. and Capt. Commissioner for Elizabeth City, and in 1639 presiding justice of Lower Norfolk. Burgess, 1627/8; Upper Part of Elizabeth City, 1629/30; 1631/2. Appointed to the Council in 1639. A number of patents issued in his name. In Lower Norfolk Co., Aug. 16, 1638, a commission of administration was granted to Mr. Tho. Willoughby on the estate of his father Capt. Tho. Willoughby, deceased in England.

## 1611

Ensign Isaak Chaplaine, of Chaplaine's Choice. In the *Starr*. Burgess, 1623/4; member of the Convention, 1625. In JCGC, under date of Dec. 8, 1628. "John Chaplaine of Chaplaines choice shall have a commission of administration \* \* \* goods of Ensigne Isaak Chaplaine \* \* \* supposed to be cast away upon the sea."

John Downeman. Aged 33. In the *John and Francis*. Member of the Convention, 1625. Justice and Burgess, Elizabeth City, 1629.

William Fairfax, "An Ancient Planter \* \* \* who hath remained 8 yeares in the Country \* \* \* Margery his wife an old planter," patent, Feb. 20, 1619/20, p. 109.

Robert Fisher. In the *Elizabeth*.

John Gundry, of Elizabeth City, Labourer, "an old planter who hath remained 8 yeares compleatt in this country to the Company upon the common land the full time of his service," patent, Dec. 6, 1628. Aged 33. In the *Starr*. Mary Gundry, in the *George*, 1616.

Olivet Jenkines, of Warwicksqueete "His personal adventure in the Shipp *Starr*, at the first coming of Sir Thomas Dale," patent, Aug. 26, 1655. Jenkines' wife is mention in JCGC, Sept. 17, 1627, p. 132.

William Morgan alias Brookes. Aged 30. In the *Starr*. See patent of John Powell, p. 89 and patent, Aug., 1642, p. 131.

William Perry. Came to Virginia in 1611. Burgess, 1627/8; "Paces Paines and Smythe Island," 1629/30; "Capt Perry's down to Hogg Island, 1631-2." Councillor. Will, Aug. 5, 1637, see patent of Henry Perry, p. 128. Izabella Perry (Capt. Perry's wife), "An Ancient Planter," patent Nov. 30, 1628, p. 10, widow of Richard Pace, "Ancient Planter."

Miles Prickett. Aged 36. In the *Starr*. Named in a patent of Robert Salford, Sept. 20, 1624, p. 5, and in a patent of Ensign Thos. Willoughby, Nov. 17, 1628, p. 10.

Mr. Robert Salford. Aged 56. In the *John and Francis* in 1611. Wife Joane "an antient planter." In the *Elizabeth*, 1611, John Salford in the *George*, 1616. Aged 24. Patent, Dec. 1, 1624, "his sister Sarah decd, an Ancient Planter," p. 4. "Mr. Salford" was a Commissioner of the Eliz. City Court, See JCGC, Aug., 1626.

John Smith, Burrows Hill. James City, In the *Elizabeth*, 1611. On Jan. 12, 1625/6 a John Smith paid his rent in the form of "2 Kapones" to Mr. John Burrows, see JCGC, p. 89.

John Smith, Planter, of Warwicksqueake, "his personal adventure in the Shipp the *Starr* at the first coming of Sir Thomas Dale, patent, Aug. 26, 1633, p. 17. (NOTE.—A John Smythe was Burgess for Pace's Paines in 1629.)

Thomas Sully (Suller), Yeoman "being an Ancient Planter," of Elizabeth City, patent, Nov. 30, 1628, p. 10.  
Aged 36, In the *Swan*, 1611.

## 1612

Adam Dixon, Yeoman, patent, Sept. 8, 1627, p. 8. Master Caulker, Came in 1612. See "Records of the Virginia Company," Vol. II, p. 43, Wife Agnes and daughter Elizabeth mentioned in JCGC, p. 103.

Pharoah (Farrar) Flinton, Gent. "An Ancient Planter of Kiccoughtan," patent, Dec. 1, 1624, p. 4. Aged 36. In the *Elizabeth*. Joane Flinton, in the *Elizabeth*.  
From the "Records of the Virginia Company," Vol. II, p. 16 it appears that Flinton, "a Surgion," appealed for restoration of lands given him by Sir George Yeardley. In a patent of Richard Johnson, Isle of Wight County, March 13, 1641, p. 128, Flinton is mentioned.

## 1613

John Claye, of Charles City. In the *Treasurer*, 1613. "an old planter before the govt of Sir Thomas Dale," patent, July 13, 1635, p. 27.

Susan Collins (wife of John Collins), In the *Treasurer*, 1613. Mentioned in JCGC, June 4, 1627, p. 149.

John Hatton, Aged 26. In the *Treasurer*, 1613.

Thomas Lane. Aged 30, In the *Treasurer*, 1613.

Francis Mason, Aged 40, In the *John and Francis*, 1613, with wife Anne and daughter Anne. Lt. Francis Mason, patent Aug. 31, 1642, p. 134; Sept. 29, 1643, p. 151.

Christopher Safford. In the *Treasurer*, 1613.

Henery Williams. In the *Treasurer*, 1613.

## 1614

Theophilus Beriston. Aged 23. In the *Treasurer*.

## 1615

William Burchitt. Aged 25. In the *Susan*, 1615. Servant of Capt. Epes, Eastern Shore.

Henery Turner. In the *John and Francis*, 1615.

## 1616

John Banum (Bainham), of the County of Elizabeth City, Aged 54. In the *Susan*, 1616. Patent p. 4, Will mentioned in JCGC, Feb. 9, 1628/9, p. 185; widow Elizabeth. His daughter and heir, Mary Baynham married Richard Tisdale. See patent of Thomas Taylor, Oct. 25, 1645, p. 925, See also mention of Sergeant Richard Tisdale in patent of Edward Sparshott, Charles City County, 25 July, 1638 p. 581.

Francis Cole. Aged 27. In the *Susan*.

Clement Evand (servant of Susan Bush). Aged 30. In the *Edwin*, 1616.

Thomas Farmer. Aged 30. In the *Tryall*, 1616.

William Gany, of Elizabeth City, Aged 33. In the *George*, 1616.

Nicholas Hodgskines. Aged 27. In the *Edwin*, 1616. (Hoskines), Yeoman, of Accomac, patent, Feb. 3, 1626/7, p.

Elizabeth Lupo. In the *George*.

Cornelius Maye, Aged 23. In the *Providence*, 1616.

Susan Old, "Cozen of Richard Biggs." Aged 10. In the *Marygold*.

William Parker. Aged 20. In the *Charles*, 1616. For a William Parker of "Merry Point" see JCGC, March, 1628, p. 190.

Mr. Abraham Piercey (Percy), "Cape-merchant," Came in the *Susan* in 1616. Burgess, 1622; councillor, 1624. Died about 16 Jan, 1628, JCGC, p. 165, He married Frances, widow of Capt. Nathaniel West. His daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens, patent, Sept. 28, 1637, p. 484.

William Sparkes. Aged 24. In the *Susan*, 1616.

Thomas Spelman, Aged 24, In the *George*, 1616. "Gent, of Kiccoughtan," Dec. 1, 1624, p. — Died in Truro, Cornwall circa 1627.

Thomas Turner, "Cozen of Richard Biggs." Aged 11. In the *Marygold*.

Thomas Thornbury. Aged 20. In the *George*, 1616.

Richard Yonge. Aged 36. In the *George*, 1616.

#### ANCIENT PLANTERS, THE EXACT YEAR OF WHOSE COMING CANNOT BE DETERMINED

Lt. Giles Allington, of Kiccoughtan. "Ancient Planter," patent, Dec. 1 1625, p. 4. A commission of administration on the estate of Lt. Allington was granted to Capt. Robert Felgate, 8 June (?), 1629. See "Journal of the Council and General Court of Virginia," p. 197.

William Andrews, Planter, of Accomac, Came before 1616. Patent, March 14, 1628, p. 13 and June 25, 1635, p. 23. Lt. Col. Eastern Shore militia. Will, Feb. 20, 1654.

Thomas Bagwell, "an Ancient Planter," patent, May 12, 1638, p. 87. Burgess for Pasbehay in the Corporation of James City, in 1629.

Cheney Boyes (Boyse), of Charles City, "an Ancient planter before the time of Sir Thomas Dale," patents May 31, 1636, p. 40 and p. 68. Burgess for Shirley Hundred Island, 1629 and 1632.

Thomas Baywell, "a planter in the time of the govt. of Sir Thomas Dale." patent, Nov. 7, 1635, p. 32.

William Capps. "Ancient Planter." Represented Kicotan in the Assembly of 1619. Member of the Council, 1627.

Edward Clarke, "an Antient Planter in the time of the govt of Sir Thomas Dale," see patent of Nathaniel Clarke, p. 49.

James Davis, Gent. Came to Virginia before 1616 as did his wife Rachel. He died before March 6, 1633. "an Ancient Planter." See patent of his son Thomas Davis, of Warwick, March 6, 1633.

Mary Flint "ancient planter, now wife of Thomas Flint Gent. of Warwick River," patent March 14, 1628.

Edward Grendon. Came before 1616. Named in a patent of George Sandys, p. 4, Burgess for "Ye Plantations over against James City," 1823/4. For reference to the will of Mr. Edward Grendon, dec'd, see JCGC, p. 179. Dec. 9, 1628.

Capt. Thomas Harris. Aged 38, In the Prosperous in May ——. "An Antient planter and Adventurer in the time of Sir Thomas Dale his Government." Burgess. Henrico. 1623/4, 1639, 1646, 1652, 1653, 1656/7.

Bartholomew Hoskins, "An Ancient Planter whoe came over into this Country before the departure of Sir Thomas Dale," patent, Nov. 3, 1624, p. 7. Burgess, Lower Norfolk County, 1649, March 1651/2, 1652, 1654, 1655/6.

John Johnson, of James City, "Yeoman and Ancient Planter," patent, Jan. 12, 1624/5, p. 4. Named in Travis Patent, Jan. 25, 1637/8, p. 83.

William Lansden "Yeoman & Old Planter," of Kiccaughtan, in the Corporation of Elizabeth City, patent, June 5, 1624, p. 46.

Francis Paul. See patent of Thomas Paule, of James City, May 25, 1637, p. 58. "His late father Francis Paule as being an Ancient planter in the time of Sir Thomas Dale his govt."

Martha Key "Ancient Planter," patent Dec. 2, 1628, p. 10. Thomas Key "Antient Planter," in the *Prosperous*, June 1619. Burgess for Denbigh, 1629/30.

John Ward, "an ancient Planter in the time of Sir Thomas Dale." See patent of James Place, June 1, 1636, p. 52 "in right of his wife Elizabeth." Patent March 21, 1635, p. 19.

Capt. Ward represented Capt. Ward's plantation in the Assembly of 1619.

Henry Williams, "an Ancient planter in the time of Sir Thomas Dale." Patent, Accomack Co., Sept. 6, 1636, p. 375.

in the tenure of Capt. Clement Dilke, S. W. upon land of John Home (?) & S. W. upon the maine land. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 86.

JOHN HOME (or Howe—name altered), Gent., of Accomack, 30 acs. with all howses &c., abutting N. on a Cr. parting the same from the land belonging to the late Company & granted by lease to Capt. Clement Dilke, S. on a Cr. dividing this from the land belonging to the place of Secretary, W. on the mouth of the maine Cr. towards the bay of Chesepiacke & E. upon land now in the tenure of Robert Browne. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 87.

WILLIAM HARRIS, Planter, of Warwick River, 100 acs. about 2 mi. below Blunt point, abutting W. on a Cr. parting same from land of Richard Tree, Ely. along the maine river &c. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 88.

LT. THOMAS PURFURY, 100 acs. within the precincts of Eliz. City, abutting W. on a Cr. which divides the same from the feilds called fort Henry, E. 50 po. unto the ground in like manner granted unto Christopher Calthropp, Gent., S. on the maine river &c. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 88.

WILLIAM COX, of Eliz. City, Planter, 100 acs. within sd. precincts, abutting E. on land of Dictoris Christmas, Planter, extending towards ground now granted to Christopher Calthropp, Gent., S. on the maine river &c. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 89.

CHRISTOPHER WINDMILL, Planter, of Eliz. City, 60 acs. within sd. precincts, abutting Sly. on the plantation commonly called the Indian howse thickett & formerly in like manner granted unto Lt. Thomas Flint, N. on ground of Jonas Stockden, Minister, dec'd., & W. upon Southampton Riv. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 90.

WALTER HEYLEY, an Ancient

Planter, 50 acs. within the precincts of Eliz. City, abutting S. on ground of Jonas Stockton, Minister, N. towards the head of Southampton Riv. &c. Lease, as above. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 91.

ROBERT MARSHALL, Planter, 10 acs. within the Island of James City, W. on land of Mary Bayly, E. on land of Thomas Passmore, Carpenter, S. on the highway adj. to the Marshes of Goose hill & W. upon the highway parting the same from land now in the occupation of Elmer Phillippis. 20 Sept. 1628, p. 92.

LT. EDWARD WATERS, 100 acs. within the precincts of Eliz. City, being part of the Strawberry banckes, abutting E. on Thomas his Cr. towards the part of Buck Roc, W. along the banke of the river, S. upon the maine river & N. with a direct line up into the maine land. Lease, as above. 20 Oct. 1628, p. 93.

CHRISTOPHER WINDMILL, Planter, 50 acs. within the precincts of Eliz. City, S. on a Cr. which goeth toward the land of Walter Heley, W. on Southampton Riv. & E. on the maine land. Lease, as above. 30 Nov. 1628, p. 93.

WILLIAM HARRIS, Planter, of Warwick River, 50 acs. about 2 mi. below Blunt point, W. upon land of sd. Harris, extending E. 25 po., S. on the maine river & N. into the maine woods. Lease, as above. 20 Nov. 1628, p. 94.

WILLIAM COOKESEY, Planter, of Warwick Riv., 150 acs. on the E. side of Blunt point Cr., N. upon a Cr., S. 75 po. to land of John Layden &c. Lease, as above. 2 Dec. 1628, p. 95.

NICHOLAS ROE, Planter, 43 acs. within the precincts of Eliz. City, W. on the long creek parting this from land of Giles Jones, S. 25 po., E. upon Point Comfort Cr. & W. upon the maine land. Lease, as above. 2 Dec. 1628, p. 96.

*By the Govern<sup>r</sup> and Capt Gener<sup>l</sup> of Virginia*

To all to whome these p(re)sents shall come I John Pott Esqr. Governor and Capt. Generll. of Virginia send greeting in our Lord God Everlasting Whereas by an order of Court made the twelfth day of January one Thowsand six hundred twentie six It was thought fitt and accordingly ordered that such servants tenants and planters as have noe land belonging unto them by Adventure purchase or otherwise should have a Competent quantitie of ground graunted unto them in convenient and secure places Now Know yee that in consideration hereof I the said John Pott doe by these psents wth the consent of the Councill of State graunt devise and to farme lett unto \* \* \* To have and to hold the said \* \* \* acres of land wth the appertences unto the said \* \* \* his Executors Admrs. and assignes from the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle now last past for and during the terme of tenn yeares from thence next ensuing fully to bee Compleate and ended. Yeilding and paying therefore yearlye unto the rent gatherers appointed for the publique use at the feast of St. Thomas the Apostle three pound weight of good and Merchantable Tobacco. Provided alwaies that the said \* \* \* his Executors or assignes shall alwaies during the said terme sufficiently people and plant the said land that thereby the place may bee better strengthened and secured. In Witness &c. (P. B. 1, p. 97).

*By John Pott*

ROBERT SWEETE, Gent., of Eliz. City, 150 acs. lying below Waters Cr., abutting W. on land graunted to Robert Hutchins, Marriner, Ely. by the water-side, S. upon the maine river & N. upon the maine land. 14 Mar. 1628, p. 70. Due for trans. of 3 pers: Himselfe in the Neptune in 1618, John Rutherford in the Warwicke 1621 & William Weaver in the John & Francis 1623.

WILLIAM ANDREWES, Planter, of Accomack, 100 acs. on the Easterne shoare of the bay of Chesepiacke, 14 Mar. 1628, p. 71. N. upon Capt. William Epes, S. towards the pursimmond ponds, W. upon the maine baye. Trans. of Robert Owles & John Holmes whoe came in the Southampton 1622 at the charges of William Ferrer, Esqr. & made over to sd. Andrewes by Act of Court 3 Mar. 1628.

THOMAS GRAIES, (or Graves), Ancient Planter, 200 acs. on the E. side of the Shoare of the bay of Chesepiacke butting Sly. on land of Capt. Henry Fleete, extending Nly. along the water side & Wly. on the bay. 14 Mar. 1628, p. 72. Due by vertue of an adv. of 25 Lbs. paid to Sir Thomas Smith, late Treasurer for the Co. of Va.

MARY FLINT, Ancient Planter, now wife of Thomas Flint, Gent., of Warwick Riv., 100 acs. in the Corp. of Eliz. City, commonly called Foxhill, being a neck of land abutting Ely. on the Cr. parting same from Point Comfort Island, 14 Mar. 1628, p. 73. Due as her first per. devtd.

ZACHARIAH CRIPPS, of Warwick Riv., 100 acs. lying at the mouth of sd. Riv., Sly. upon Saxons gaole, Nly. towards land of Lt. Gilbert Peppitt, dec'd., Ely. upon the maine river & Wly. upon a Cr. parting same from Colsonns Island. P. 74. (Date not given). Trans. of Thomas Dryhurst & Mathew Lyving whoe came in the Neptune 1618 at the charge of Capt. Samuell Mathews & made over to sd. Cripps by Act of Ct., 5 Mar. 1628.

THOMAS DELAMAJOR, Joyner, of James City, a small slipe of land lying at Goose hill within the Island of James City, conteyning 3 acs., abutting W. upon land of Dame Elizabeth Dale, E. upon Goose hill Marsh, S. towards the maine river & N. on the Island. Lease: 10 years. 14 Mar. 1628, p. 97.

ROGER SAUNDERS, Marriner, of Accomack, 50 acs. upon the E. shoare of Chesepiacke Bay, abutting S. on ground of John Blore, dec'd., now in

Roger Wright, Alice a maid servt., Edward Agar, Eliza. Machin.

**CAPT. THOMAS PURIFYE**, Esqr., 100 acs. Eliz. City Co., 28 Nov. 1635, p. 323. N. W. upon a Cr. next upon the fort feild, S. upon the maine river, E. upon Thomas Oldis & N. E. upon land of John Neale. Due by assignment from Capt. Thomas Grayes as by order of court 29 Feb. 1631, to whom it was due for his per. devident as being an Ancient Planter.

**BRIDGES FREEMAN**, 150 acs. James City Co., 1 Dec. 1635, p. 324. Bounded to the Nwd. of the W. upon Chichahominy Riv., to the Swd. of the E. into the maine woods close by a Cr. side next adj. to a sunken marsh, being a point of land. 50 acs. for the per. adv. of his wife Bridgett Freeman & 100 acs. for trans. of his brother Bennett Freeman & 1 servt. named Ellis Baker.

**MR. WILLIS HEYLEY** (Hely—Heley), Minister, 250 acs. in the Parish of Mulberry Island, 8 Dec. 1635, p. 325. Beg. at a place called the Ottedams abutting upon land of Mr. Thomas Harwood, now in the occupation of Daniell Lane, on the N. side towards the Mills, S. E. towards land of Capt. Flint on the S., the lands of Mr. Thomas Nowell on the W. & adj. land formerly granted sd. Heyly. Due for the per. adv. of his wife Mrs. Elianor Heyly & his brother Robert Heyly & trans. of 3 pers: Roger Holliock, John Chawke, Mable Busher.

**CHRISTOPHER BRANCHE**, 250 acs. Henricoe Co., 8 Dec. 1635, p. 326. At Kings land over against Arroehattocks, E. upon the maine river, bounded with the second Cr. on the W., adj. S. upon land of John Griffin, now in the tenure of sd. Branche, & thence Nly. towards land of Thomas Sheffield. 50 acs. for his owne per. adv. & 200 acs. for the trans. of 4 pers: John Gibson, John Macham, William Butler, Wm. Possell

**MR. ROBERT CAVE** (or Cane), 200 acs., 18 Dec. 1635, p. 327. Bounded Wly. upon Mr. Wilkeson, Nly. upon the Cr., Ely. alongst that Cr. & Sly. into the maine land. 50 acs. for his owne per.

adv. & 150 acs. for trans. of 3 pers: Joseph Richards, Morgen Huett, Samuell Ellis.

**CAPT. ADAM THOROGOOD** (Thorowgood—Thoroughgood), 600 acs. 18 Dec. 1635, p. 327. Lying N. upon the first or second little Cr. upon the Ewd. side of Lynn Haven alias Chesopeian Riv., Ely. into the maine land, Sly. up the maine river of Lynn haven & Wly. upon same. Trans. of 12 pers: Robt. Whetle, Choyce Johnson, Elisa. Lawcon (or Lawton), Tho. Methell (or Mechell), Jon. Phillipps, Jon. Crabb, Robert Bennett, Edward Blake, Jon. James, Edward Williams, Edward Strong, John Burges.

**MR. JOHN FELGATE**, 1200 acs. upon Checquers neck, 23 Dec. 1635, p. 328. N. N. W. upon the river, & from the Landing place the body of the land lyeth S. E. into the woods. Trans. of 24 persons.\*

**JOSEPH SAMON**, 150 acs. in Nanzemund Riv. on the S. side, adj. land of Georg Fawdon, 14 July 1635, p. 329. Beg. at a point which butteth upon a red Clift on the N. side marked on a h<sup>l</sup>cke wallnutt tree with JS & soe running up the river. 50 acs. for his per. adv. & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 pers.\*

**ELIZABETH PACKER**, (or Parker), Widdowe, 200 acs. in Varinaes, Henricoe Co., 12 Feb. 1635, p. 330. Between land granted to William Dawkes on the E. & the Gleab land on the W., abutting on the Long feild towards the maine river, Sly. Nly. into the woods & S. W. adj. (land) in the tenure of the sd. Elizabeth. 100 acs. in right of her first husband William Sharpe, an Ancient Planter in the time of Sir Thomas Dale, & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 servts. called Gilbert Platt & John Newman.

**BRIDGES FREEMAN**, 100 acs., 1 June 1635, p. 331. Upon the Ely. side of Chichahominy Riv. within the mouth, next adj. land in the tenure of sd. Freeman & Francis Fowler only a cr. & a marsh parting the same, Wly. upon the same river & Ely. into the maine woods. Trans. of 2 pers. Under this record appears the following: "Hen. Scott Rich-

ard &c. certified to bee servant by Capt. Urye & Thomas Smith."

**SAME**. 800 acs., yeare 1635, p. 331. On the Wly. side of Chichahominy Riv. Opposite land granted to sd. Freeman & Francis Fowler, pointing S. E. up the maine river & extending N. W. along the Cr. into the woods next adj. unto the place comonly called Jurying point. Trans. of 16 pers: David Minter, William Wilshire, Jon. Bing, David Jones, Wm. Nutt, Fr. Aldrige, Mathew Williamson, Katherine Leonard, Jerimiah Stone, Eliza. Hart, Richard Saunders, Tho. Smith.

**JOHN GARYE**, 300 acs. on S. side of Nanzemund Riv., 13 Feb. 1635, p. 332. Neare adj. land of Joseph Samon, S. E. into the woods, N. W. upon the river, N. E. & S. W. along the banke of the maine river 150 po. up the river towards land of Daniell Tuggins. Trans. of 6 pers.\*

**BENNETT BLEWITT**, 50 acs. Warricksqueick Co., at the mouth of sd. Cr., 15 Feb. 1635, p. 333. N. W. upon sd. Cr., running S. W. up into the woods &c. Due for the per. adv. of his now wife Elizabeth Blewitt.

**THOMAS NORMANTON**, 50 acs. Eliz. City Co., 1635, (no other date), p. 334. Between land of Robert Huett, beg. at a Swamp, running by the water side to the Indian Stone, up into the woods S.E. Due by deed of sale from John Ward, to whom it was due for trans. of 1 servt. by the name of Ann Ward.

**JAMES KNOTT**, 1200 acs. Eliz. City Co., 24 Mar. 1635, p. 334. N. E. facing upon Nanzemund Riv., S. into the woods, E. upon the second Cr. & W. by S. upon the third Cr. Due for the per. adv. of his wife Elianor Knott & trans. of 23 pers: Robert —, Henry Yates, Ellin Williams, Ann Crawford, Lewis Vaughan, Tho. Taylor, Tho. Broad, Jno. Horne, Franc. Bisley, Jno. Piper, Jon. Popeplewell, Tho. Brough, Richard Russell, Tho. Sparrow, Tho. Ferreby, Robt. Maxe, Robert Selby, Robt. Wooles, Rich. Wheeler, Ann Shaw & 2 Negroes.

**THOMAS NORMANTON**, 250 acs. Eliz. City Co., 11 Apr. 1635, p. 335. Nly. upon a br. of Harris his Cr., N. E. on the ground of William Hampton, S. W. to the end of Hampton Riv. & Sly. into the maine woods. Due by deed of sale from John Ward, 15 Feb. 1635, to whom it was due for trans. of 5 pers: Andrew Peterson, Jos. Browne, Eliz. Blackly, Eliza. Bently, Ann Ward.

**LT. JOHN CHEESEMAN**, 200 acs. Chas. Riv., 23 Apr. 1636, p. 336. E. Sly. upon Chesepeack bay, Nly. upon the back Cr., W. Nly. upon Cheesemans Cr. Trans. of 4 persons.\* Renewed in the name of John Hollis & Richard Bennett. Test: Tho. Cooke, Clr.

**THOMAS CAUSEY**, 300 acs. at the mouth of Appamattucks Riv. at the S. side, bounded W. upon a great Cr., S. into the maine woods, E. upon Castines feild Cr. 2 May 1636, p. 336. Trans. of 6 pers.\*

**THOMAS HARRIS**, 700 acs. called by the name of the long feild, with Swamp, Marshes & Creeks, 2 May 1636, p. 337. Beg. at a little Cr. over against Capt. Martins, bounded Nwd. on the back side of the Sw., Wwd. on the maine river, S. E. towards Bremoes devident. Trans. of 14 pers.\*

**RICE HOW** (Howe), 1200 acs. Chas. City Co., 2 May 1636, p. 338. Neare Martins brandon, W. upon the maine river to a Cr. parting the land of Martin Brandon & Capt. Wards land, S. upon Capt. Wards Cr., & E. into the woods along the maine river, all of which land is called Capt. Wards plantation. 100 acs. for the per. adv. of himselfe & wife & 1100 acs. for the trans. of 22 pers.\*

**WILLIAM NUSAM**, 550 acs. James City Co., 3 May 1636, p. 338. Towards the Sunken Marsh, Ely. upon a Sw., Sly. towards the lower Cr. & Wly. into the maine woods. 50 acs. for his owne per. adv., 50 acs. for the per. adv. of his first wife Penelope Ramsey, 50 acs. for per. adv. of his second wife Sarah Fisher, 50 acs. for per. adv. of his now wife Elizabeth Wilsonn & 350

Cr., E. by S. into the woods & up the maine Cr. S. by W. Trans. of 7 pers: Wm. Burges, Wm. Godfry, Wm. Holliday, John Garrett, Robert Bateman, John Grange, Nicholas Abdey.

**JOHN GRAVES**, 600 acs. Eliz. City Co., 9 Aug. 1637, p. 443. Neare unto the upper end of the back river, bounded upon Eastermost side of the land of Capt. Adam Thorogood, beg. to measure the breadth of 300 po. about a pole to the Ewd. of the now dwelling howse of Oliver Vanheck, runing W. S. W. up the river &c. Due in right of descent from his father Thomas Graves, whose trans. at his own costs: himselfe, Katherine Graves his wife, John Graves the pattente & Thomas Graves, Junr. & 8 pers: Henry Singleton, Tho. Edge, Robt. Phillipps, Tho. Griggs, Tho. Phillipps, Franc. White, Wm. Symbee, Jone Packett.

**HENRY POOLE**, Gent., 150 acs. Low. Co. of New Norf., 9 Aug. 1637, p. 444. Within the Territorie of Lyn haven, Nly. upon land late belonging to Henry Southerne, now in possession of Lt. Richard Popeley, Wly. upon the river, Ely. into the maine woods & Sly. upon the river. 50 acs. for his owne per. adv. & 100 acs. for trans. of 2 pers: Joseph Smith, James Cooke.

**LEONARD YEO**, 850 acs. Eliz. City Co., 9 Aug. 1637, p. 444. Upon the head of a br. of the old Poquoson Cr., S. E. upon land of Georg Hull & John Layden, Nly. upon the New Poquoson & Wly. upon the ridge of land. 50 acs. for his owne per. adv. & 800 acs. for trans. of 16 pers: Richard Gedley, John Moyes, Thomas Chapman, John Cole, Nathaniell Martin, Owen Haes (or Hues), 2 Negroes, Walter Bayne, Rowland Garrett, Nicholas Crouch, Thomas Lovell, John Spurway, Richard Stephens, John Oldis, John Cooper.

**WILLIAM PRIOR**, Gent., 600 acs. Chas. Riv. Co., 9 Aug. 1637, p. 445. Being a long sandy point to the Nwd. of Queens Cr., aboute 4 mi. from sd. Cr., N. upon a Cr., E. upon the maine river, & W. into the woods. Trans. of 12 pers: Robert Fossert, Stephen Benn,

Grace Amison, Abraham Keene, Walter Downes, Jon. Burch, Barnaby Barnes, Anthony Grimston, Tho. Wilkinson, William Peirce, Cornelius Swillivan, Thomas Attera. Note: This pattent surrendered & renewed in the name of Joseph Croshaw by Sir John Harvey. Test: Tho. Cooke, Cl.

**JOHN CHEW**, Gent., 700 acs. Chas. Riv. Co., 9 Aug. 1637, p. 445. Bounded W. by N. upon 500 acs. graunted to him 6 Aug. 1637, upon the maine river N. by E., upon a small baye S. by W. & upon the great baye E. by S. Trans. of 14 pers: William Winifrett, Geo. Goodwin, Thomas Tompkins, John Vaughan, Robt. Parr, Chri. Evans, Anna Waterman, Arnall Freeze, Walter Hazleward, Jon. Weston, Tho. Winard, 1 Negro woman, Jon. Chew 1622, Jon. Chew 1633.

**CAPT. FRANCIS HOOKE**, Esqr., 100 acs. Eliz. City Co., upon the Strawberry bancks, 9 Aug. 1637, p. 445. Upon a Cr. next the fort feild, S. upon the maine river, E. upon Thomas Oldis land & N. E. upon land of John Neale. The sd. land being in the tenure & occupation of Robert Partin & Gresham Covell. Due by assignment from Capt. Thomas Purifye, Esqr., to whom it was graunted by pattent.

Memord. It is agreed betweene Capt. Thomas Purifye, Esqr. on the one p(ar)te and Capt. Francis Hooke, Esqr. on the other pte that the said Capt. Thomas Purifye shall at all times hereafter upon demaund assigne sell & sett over to Capt. Francis Hooke his heires or assignes all his estate right title interest and Claime which hee hath in or unto one hundred acres of Land lying upon the Strawberry banckes now in the occupation of Robert Partin and Gressam Covell together wth his patent of the same free from all incumbrances and alsoe to deliver to Capt. Francis Hooke the possession thereof. In consideration whereof the said Capt. Francis Hooke is to give Capt. Purifye a bond for the paymt. of fower Thousand pounds of Tobacco in January next or threescore and tenn pouds sterl. in March next at the Choice of the said

Capt. Purifye for p(er)formance whereof the said (par)ties doe bind themselves each to other their heires Executors and Admirs. in the sum of one hundred pouds sterl. In Witness whereof the said pties have hereunto put their hands this 16th of May 1637. (Signed) Tho. Purifye. Signed & delivered in the presence of: Robert Evelin & John Redman. Page 446.

**CAPT. FRANCIS HOOKE**, Esqr. one of the Councell of State, 50 acs. Eliz. City Co., 10 Aug. 1637, p. 446. Comonly called Pascalls Neck, lying S. upon point Comfort Cr., E. upon Fox hill, W. upon the Indian Stone, N. into the woods. Due by assignmt. from Mary Beanstead, widdow of Thomas Beanstead.

**JOHN CHEW**, Gent., 500 acs. Chas. Riv. Co., 6 Aug. 1637, p. 447. Upon the maine Riv. N. by E., upon English his Cr. W. by N., upon Clarkson his Cr. S. by W. & upon a neck of land E. by S. Due according to aforesd. order for the adv. of himselfe & 9 pers.\* to the sd. Chas. River.

**WILLIAM PRIOR**, Gent., 300 acs. Chas. River Co., 11 Aug. 1637, p. 447. N. & E. upon the sd. Riv., S. by W. into the woods, E. by S. upon the devdt. of Capt. Richard Townesend & W. by N. upon his own devdt. Due according to the aforesd. order for the Adv. of himselfe & 5 pers. the first year to the sd. Chas. River: William Prior, Mrs. Margaret Prior, uxor, Tho. Dilloe, Jeffery Merchant, Georg Leigh, Rice Davis.

**BRIDGES FREEMAN**, 900 acs. James City Co., 11 Aug. 1637, p. 447. On Wly. side of Chichahominy Riv., opposite land graunted to him & Francis Fowler, pointing S. E. upon the maine river & N. W. along the Cr. up into the woods next adj. place comonly called Juring Point. Trans. of 18 pers: David Minton, Wm. Wilshere, Jon. Bridge, David Jones, William Nutt, Fr. Aldrige, Mathew Williamson, Katherine Leonard, Jeremy Stone, Eliza. Hart (first written Hunt), Richard Sanders, Tho. Smith, James Redgison, Eliza. Hodges, Mercy Seawell, Jon. Burden, Robt. Flood, Wm. Elkton.

SAME. 100 acs. James City Co., 12 Aug. 1637, p. 448. Upon the Ely. side & within the mouth of Chichahominy Riv., next adj. land in possession of sd. Freeman & Francis Fowler a Cr. parting the same. Trans. of 2 pers: Henry Scott & one Richard "testified to be his servt. by Capt. Uty."

**MARGARETT ROGERS**, Widdowe, 500 acs. in the upper Co. of New Norf., 14 Aug. 1637, p. 448. 300 acs. Nly. upon Crosse Cr., butting upon land lately belonging to Thomas Jorden, a small Cr. runing between, Sly. into the woods neare unto a path crossing the head of the Cr. 200 acs. adj. sd. land towards the reedy Sw, & runing Sly. into the woods. Due for trans. of 10 pers. at the costs of her late dec'd. husband Edward Rogers. Provided nevertheless that whereas the sd. Margaret Rogers is now with child by the sd. Edward Rogers that if the child be borne with life that then the inheritance of the sd. land to belong to sd. child. The following names appear: Joane Davis, Christ Thorpe, Nicholas White, John Bordman, Jon. Horns, Tho. Bulmur, Randall Jackson, Peter Earon, Eliza. Joanes, Francis Champins.

SAME. 200 acs. same county & date, p. 449. Lying in the Crosse Cr. 100 acs. adj. land lately belonging to Thomas Jorden, on the N. side of the Cr. & runing N. W. into the woods. The other 100 acs. on the S. side the Cr., joyning upon her own land. Due by assignment from Richard Freeland to her late husband. Provided &c. as above.

**RICHARD FREELAND** to **EDWARD ROGERS** assignment of the above tract, 9 June 1636, p. 449. Signed Richard (his marke) Freeland. Witness: Tho. Cooke, John Horne.

**HENRY HART**, 250 acs. James City Co., 15 Aug. 1637, p. 450. At the head & bounding upon the great Creek N. W., into the woods S. by E., upon a great Sw. N. W. Due for trans. of his wife Elizabeth Hart & 4 pers: Martin Ward, Phillipp Cleaver, Jone Walker, William Patrick.

**RICHARD YUELL**, orphan son of Mr. Tho. Youell, of Nomeny, 500 acs. Ely. upon Petomeck Riv. in the freshes & Sly. on land called Richard Holden's. 15 July 1657, p. 117, (174). Trans. of 10 pers: Edmond Ayres, Richd. Ayres, Eliz. Swaney, Tho. Pope, Hen. Joice (?), Anne Williams, Mary Ellice, Andrew Burchett (or Burchell), James Staple, Martha Wright.

**WILLIAM THOMAS**, 1000 acs. Westmoreland Co., 15 July 1657, p. 117, (175). On S. side of Petomeck Riv., beg. at Francis Jones corner & parallel to sd. River. Trans. of 20 pers: Fra. Low, Xph. Danfeild, Wm. Hutchins, Rob. Baymond, Wm. Salter, Wm. Smith, Barnaby French, Sam. Smith. Note: 600 acs. by certificate granted to Geo. Lob, who assigned to Jno. Wood & by him assigned unto sd. Thomas, the names being omitted to be inserted in the certificate.

**THOMAS ROWE**, 500 acs. upon Petomeck in the freshes, Sly. upon land of Walter Dun. 15 July 1657, p. 118, (175). Trans. of 10 pers: Hen. Cockert, Wm. Rose, Tho. Hart, Joane Wright, Peeter White, Edward Whitinge, John How, Edmond Williams, Wm. Clerke, Jeffery Moore.

**JOHN GOSNELL**, 500 acs. beyond land of Col. Speake in Petomeck freshes, above the doegs Iland &c., Ely. upon land called Newberry's. 15 July 1657, p. 118, (175). Trans. of 10 pers.\* The rights by assignment of Nich. Merywether being part of a pattent of 550 acs. purchased of John Williams, dec'd. This land was given by will of Jno. Gosnell to Elizabeth Ireland & renewed in her name 18 Mar. 1662.

**JOHN WOOD**, 500 acs., Ely. in Petomeck freshes beyond land of Col. Speake, above the Doegs Iland & S. Ely. upon Philpotts land. 15 July 1657, p. 118, (176). Trans. of 10 pers: Edd. Spicer, Nich. Titbury, Mich. Waterford, Hugh Jeffers, Bar. Stilt, Jeffery Speed, Rob. Fostly, Tho. Tiller, Jno. Mackmack, Marg. Merrick.

**ROGER WALTERS**, 300 acs. on S. W. side of Aquaconde Riv., called the

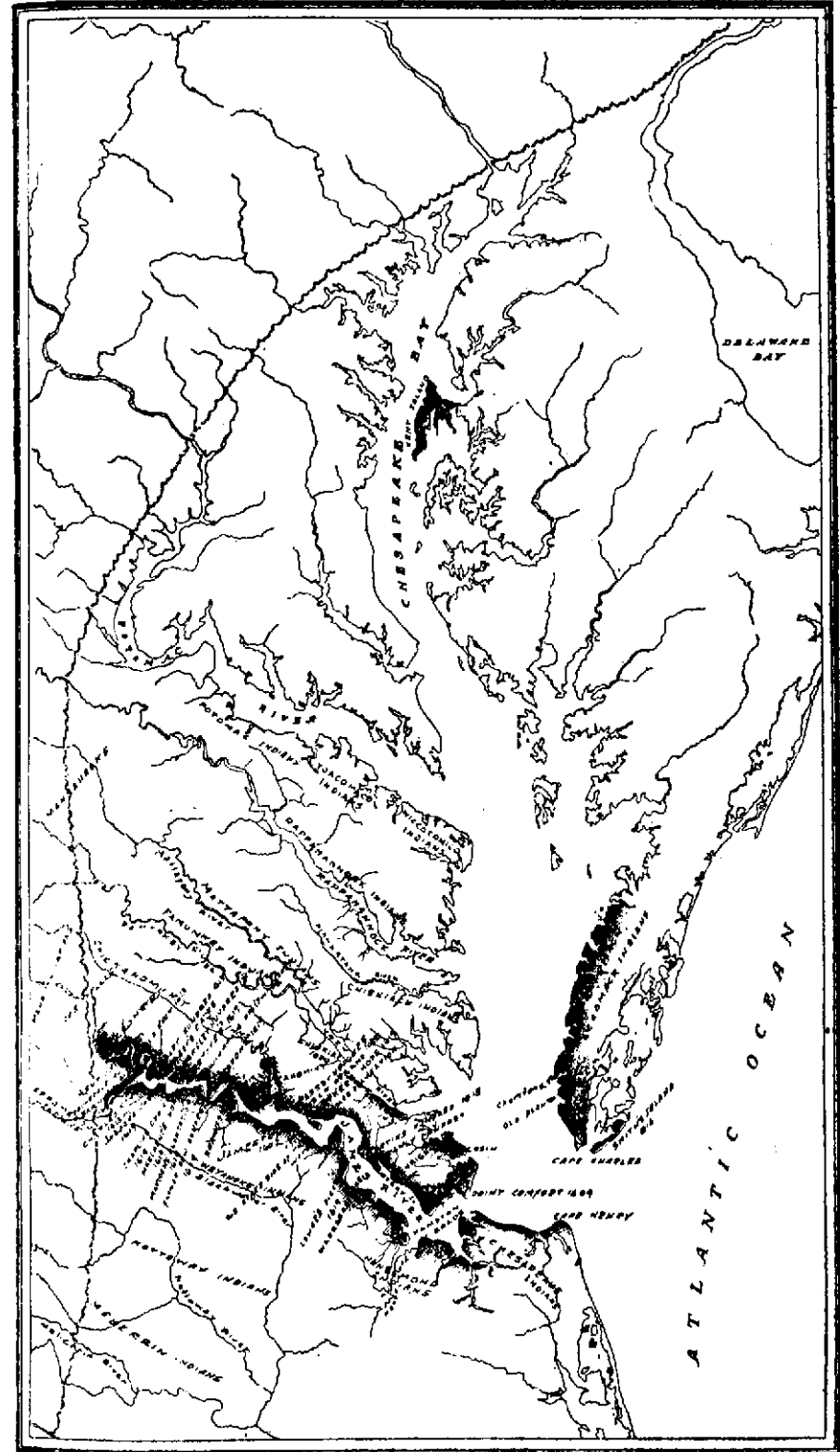
W. branch in Petomeck freshes, beg. where Mr. Vincent's land ends &c. 15 July 1657, p. 118, (176). Trans. of 6 pers: Joice Coventon, Andrew Moss, Hen. Walker, James Bowles, Richd. Perrin, Charles Howard.

**THOMAS MOLTEN**, 500 acs. upon a branch of Petomeck freshes, beyond Col. Speakes land above the Doegs Iland, S. Ely. upon land called Peeter Smith's. 15 July 1657, p. 119, (177). Trans. of 10 pers: Tho. Hartly, Jno. Greene, Wm. Moore, Alex. Herringe, Jno. Barber, Richd. Packer, Jno. Chadwick, Jno. Huckle, Eliz. Williams, Edwd. Gibbs.

**ROBERT BRADSHAW & JAMES CLOUGHTON**, 600 acs. above Puscato-way in Petomeck freshes, Ely. upon sd. River, & Sly. upon land called Mr. James Ashton's. 15 July 1657, p. 119, (177). Trans. of 12 pers: Tho. Mannor, Tho. Webster, Eliz. Phillips, Mary, John, & Mary, Eliz. Harford, John Butcher, Tho. Rogers, Tho. Dixon, James Lessell, Wm. Collings.

**JOHN TINGY**, 500 acs. Ely. upon Petomeck Riv. in the freshes & Sly. upon land of Edward Williams. 15 July 1657, p. 119, (177). Trans. of 10 pers: Isack Hart, Wm. Hatly, Mary Merredith, Nath. Hermy, Alec. Foy, Jeffry Munson, Tho. Dallison, John Hall, Dan Ross, Marmaduk Clanton.

**WILLIAM WALTHALL**, Merchant, 1600 acs. Henericoe Co., 4 Oct. 1657, p. 120, (178). Upon N. side of Appamattock Riv. in Bristol Parish. 550 acs. lying next above the land now in possession of Thomas Lyne, running W. N. W. &c., & E. S. E. on the Swift Cr; 250 acs. lyeth on the head of sd. tract of 550 acs; 850 acs. adj. said 250 acs., running N. W. thence N. E. on Ashen Swamp. 750 acs. by purchase from Mr. John Baugh & 850 acs. for trans. of 17 pers: Wm. Walthall, Anne Hughs, Joane Watts, Rob. Plaine, Geo. Dice, Ed. Markham, Jam. Ekin, Gab. Bolton, Edwd. Craford, Richd. Jamson, Joseph Parsons, Marg Heines, Eliz. Thomas, Hamond Woodhouse, Edwd. Atkins, Alice & Willm. Irish persons. Renewed 18 Mar. 1662.



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HENRY VINCENT, 500 acs. in the freshes of Patomeck Riv., on N. E. side of a creek opposite to Chingomuxon. 25 Sept. 1657, p. 141, (208). Trans. of 10 pers: Jno. Watson, Moses Hill, Rob. Bryan, Arthur Kinge, Tho. Morrice, James JnoSon. (Johnson), Henry Boswell, John Berry, Mary Berry, Ruth Mason.

CAPT. JOHN BLAKE, 150 acs. at the head of Parkers Cr., adj. land of Silvester Baker. 1 Apr. 1658, p. 141, (208). Trans. of 3 pers: Franciscoe a Negro, Francis Deplace, Jno. Carpenter. Renewed 30 Oct. 1662.

SAME. 400 acs. In Mathewes Cr., a branch of the S. branch of Nansamond Riv. 1 Apr. 1658, p. 142, (209). Trans. of 8 pers: Susan Ashly, Wm. Jones, Tho. Peterson, Mary Corbett, Wm. Daniell, Andrew Ston, Tymothy Jones, Wm. Norcott. Renewed as above.

SILVESTER BAKER, 250 acs., 1 Apr. 1658, p. 142, (209). Beg. at the head of Parkers Cr., joining his own land. Trans. of 5 pers: James Mote, Alexander Jemmission (or Jennison), Bryan Farrell, Margaret Farrell, Wm. Lowder. Renewed 18 Mar. 1662.

MR. THOMAS BRIDGE, 10 acs. Low. Norf. Co., 24 Nov. 1657, p. 142, (210). In Linn haven Parish, bounded W. S. W. with Mr. Hogskins Cr., N. W. upon land of Georg Ashwell & S. S. E. with Mr. Hogskins land. Trans. of 1 per.\* Renewed 18 Mar. 1662.

CAPT. EDWARD STREATER, 3000 acs. Westmoreland Co., 19 Mar. 1657, p. 143, (210). Upon S. side of Patomeck Riv. at the head of Niopsco Cr., N. E. upon Ochaquim Riv., S. E. to Freston pointe, to Mussell Island. Granted unto Elizabeth Burbage 30 Mar. 1655 but now deserted for want of seating & now granted for trans. of 60 pers: Miles Atkinson, Wm. Brickwell, Rich. Hogson, Thompson Symons, Wm. Massinborne, Eliz. Hooper, Jno. Ward, Jno. Debarr, Mary Benfor, Rob. Niccolis, Rich. Goodman, Jno. Throught, Wm. Higginbottom, Jno. Morgan, Bryan Harkin, Rich. Stanton, Donaugho Bryan,

Wm. Stephens, Wm. Sharpe, Eliz. Brooke, Dennis Shollman, Edwd. Jones, Edwd. Tanner, Roger Preston, Tho. Beedes, Robert Mason, Wm. Wildy (or Wildes), Andrew Bonny (?), Eliz. Ackers, Rob. Brenore, Wm. Mundy, Rowland Trevers, Edmond Methoe, Wm. Hurden, Clemence Herbert, Paul Waller, Garrett Sennett, Edwd. Legge, Wm. Paine, Roger Wilkins, Margaret Davis, Mary Leamore, Jno. Clerke, Jno. Henland, George Merritt, Rich. Browne, Rob. Younge, Tho. Ringe, Wm. Webb, Jno. Tunstead, Jno. Hackey, Fra. Stephens, Sam. Yates, Nath. Pally, Jno. Peury, Wm. Breeham, Wm. Greens, Richard Nelmes, Wm. Rayle, Wm. Clemence.

JOHN TEAGE & EDWARD MORGAN, 150 acs. on the N. side of Horne Harbour Cr., beg. on the river side at a former devdt. purchased by them of Lt. William Worlich. 16 Mar. 1657, p. 143, (211). Trans. of 3 pers: Jno. Peade, Richard Cherry, Wm. South.

THOMAS GRAVES, 55 acs. about a mile beyond the head of Timber neck Cr., Gloucester Co., 20 Mar. 1657, p. 144, (211). Beg. at a tree dividing this & land of Christopher Abbott, Trans. of 2 pers: Phillipp Stephens, Thomas Fear (or Feard).

SAME. 240 acs. Same county, date and page, (212). On a swamp betwixt Severne & the Indian Path. Trans. of 5 pers: Edward Lasly, Sam. Claton, Phillipp Soloman, Judith Haselwood.

MR. HENRY CORBYN, 800 acs. Lancaster Co., 28 Apr. 1658, p. 144, (212). At the head of Moratticoe Cr. in Rappa. Riv., beg. at an Indian Path that goes from Moratticoe to Corotoman. Trans. of 16 pers: Edmond Benson, Stephen Webb, Richard White, Susan Burham, Penelope Staples, Jo. Richings, Diana Perkins, Jno. Freeman, Gillam Parrett, Mary Molden, Martha Ludgford, Thomas White, 2 Negroes.

COL. WILLIAM CLAIBORNE, 3 several parcels of marsh & sunken land on N. side York Riv., containing 1600 acs., adj. his plantation a devdt. of

Ramongack, 24 Dec. 1657, p. 145, (213). 600 acs. at lower end of sd. devdt., lying above Col. West', adj. S. on the neck where Wm. Hodgson now lives & bounded by the Riv. & lands of John Austin, Francis Burnell & Wm. Blackey; the second parcel is all the marsh called Tococomans, containing 500 acs., over against land lately George Lyddall's; & 500 acs. called Cohoke. Trans. of 32 pers.\*

SAME. 5000 acs. between Mattapony & Rappa. Rivers, on both sides of Pean-ke-tanck main swamp. Same date, p. 146, (213). Trans. of 100 pers.\*

CAPT. GEORG LYDDALL, 2390 acs. New Kent Co., 27 Dec. 1657, p. 146, (214). 1750 acs. behind land of Capt. John West called Chamockin, running to Croshawes extent; 640 acs. on S. side of Blacke Cr. behind land of Mr. Brookes. Renewal of patent for 1750 acs. granted him 25 Nov. 1654 & 640 acs. for trans. of 13 pers: Wm. Hill, Robert Harman, Francis Smith, Thomas Smith, Jno. Makepeace, Thomas Masque, Charles Havannest, Penelope Best, Michael Tacker, Roger Parker, Daniell Welch, John Davis, Tho. Jones.

WILLIAM PULLAM, 1000 acs. New Kent Co., 20 Jan. 1657, p. 147, (215). On S. side of York Riv. & N. W. side of Black Cr., beg. at Southermost cor. of land surveyed for Mr. Joseph Croshawe. Trans. of 20 pers: George Morris, Ellianor Morry, Jno. Brame (or Braine), Katherine Baker, Robert Tucke, Elias Williams, Humphry Jones, Mary Clerke, Ann Clerke, Rowland Powell, Elliz. Pullum, Tho. Blake, Judith Rowlett, Fran. Falkner, James Hulett, Stephen Rogeris, Vallentine Morgan, Wm. Syacknell, Rebecca Cole, Henry Clavill.

MRS. JANE CLAIBORNE, Spinster, 1450 acs. Northumberland Co., 10 Feb. 1657, p. 147, (215). On N. side of great Wictococomocoe Riv., Sly. upon land of Mr. John Bardon, Mr. Radford, dec'd., & William Downeinge (bought of Martin Cole, Jno. Edwards & others) & Ely. upon land of Roger Walters & John Motley. 750 acs. granted to Col. William Claiborne, Secretary, her father,

14 June 1653, & 750 acs. for trans. of 14 pers: Tho. Mow, Rich. Dobbins, Wm. Bingly, John Edgcome, Wm. Angell, Abra. Paternoster, Henry Bellamy, Walter Rich, Robert Norton, Kath. Silverton, Andrew Trelton, Edward Barnett, Rich. Albert, Tho. Minstrell.

MR. EDWIN CONNAWAY, & MRS. HANNAH MOUNTNEY, Widow, 1650 acs. Lancaster Co., 5 Feb. 1657, p. 148, (216). Near the head of Corrotoman Riv., S. W. upon land of sd. Conaway, a little below Moratticoe path, N. W. upon a branch dividing this from land of Mr. Dominick Theriott (Ferriott). Trans. of 33 pers: Henry Patten, Thomas Roffe, Griffin Thomas, Paul Harwood, Robert Wilson, Thomas Parrish, Robert Warts, Fortune Greene, Georg Hawkins, Alex. Mountney, Thomas Mountney, Jno. Mountney, Leonard Mountney, Edward Jno. son (Johnson), Bryan Harris, Roger Mountney, Rich. Rostall, Georg Hewes, Nicholas Battinge, Nicholas Perynt, Wm. Berryman, Tho. Howell, Mary Linsey, Mary Hall, Henry Paulle, Wm. Edwinn, Roger Winter, Geo. Shabin, Wm. Duce, Edwd. Goodwinn, Ann Boyle, Ann Lightfoole, Rich. Ashworth.

WM. WILDY, 1000 acs. on Wwd. side of Hopkins Cr. in Patomeck freshes. 27 Jan. 1657, p. 148, (216). Trans. of 20 pers: Tho. Radly, Thomas Chester, Jno. Withers, Dorathy Jones, Eliz. Cook, Tho. Hopkins, John Hopkins, Richard Walter, Isaack Hill, Eliz. Briggs, Jno. Morgan, Jno. Tally, Robert Digby, Mary Sadler, Elizabeth James, Katherine Chester, Roger Poyton, David Lewellin, Richard Luckett, Jno. Adlome (or Adcome). Note: This patent is taken up in the name of Georg Colclough.

MR. GEORGE COLCLOUGH, 2266 acs. Northumberland Co., 25 Jan. 1657, p. 149, (217). Beg. at the head of Bridges Cr., running to a creek issuing out of Patomeck Riv. known by the name of Herring Cr. &c. 600 acs. by patent dated 3 Sept. 1651; 850 acs. granted unto Elizabeth Hull, Widdowe, 21 Oct. 1643, by her sold to Thomas Broughton & Richard Lake, both of



Gaythers Cr., a branch of the S. br. of Eliz. Riv. (6 June 1654)

WM. SMITH, 300 acs. being a marsh known by the name of Ballase Marsh, Is. of Wight Co., at mouth of Hughes Cr. & running along James Riv. opposite to mouth of the Deep Swamp. (17 Mar. 1657) P. 63 (522).

THOMAS GRAVES, 55 acs. about a mile from Timber necke Cr., Gloster Co., a tree dividing this from land of Christopher Abbott. P. 63 (523). (20 Mar. 1657.)

20 Nov. 1661.

ISAAC RICHESON, 300 acs. Gloster Co, upon head branches of Atapota-moyes Cr., S.W. upon land of Samll. Sollis & E. upon land of John Day. P. 64 (523) (10 Oct. 1652.)

JOANE CARELESSE, 450 acs. at the head of the N. Riv. in Mockjack Bay, on N. side of a run dividing this from land of Richard Tomkins. P. 64 (523). (5 Oct. 1653.)

EDWARD DOBSON, 920 acs. on S. side of Seaverne in Mockjack Bay, beg. on Ewd. side of Burnt point, along trees of Mr. Ceely &c. to E. side of Cedar Is., encompassing the sd. island &c. P. 64 (524). (4 Apr. 1653.)

JOHN SMITHEY, 300 acs. on S. side of Garden Cr. P. 64 (524). (14 July 1655.)

JOHN CHAPMAN, 250 acs. Gloster Co., Kingstone Parish, upon S. side of Peanketanke Riv. on back of Mr. William Armsreads land, running to Coll. Gwynns marked tree &c. P. 64 (525). (15 Mar. 1657.)

JOANE CARLES (Careless) 200 acs. at head of the N. Riv. in Mockjack Bay, beg. at cor. tree of Andrew Careless' land. P. 65 (525). (Thomas Morgan 23 Nov. 1653, assigned to Richard Wilshin, who sold to sd. Careless.)

HENRY HUBERD, 250 acs. Gloster Co. in the forke of Poropotanke Cr., beg. at his own land, running to land of Mr. Knight &c. P. 65 (525). (17 Mar. 1655)

RICHARD CAREY, 350 acs. on W. side of easternmost river in Mockjack bay, beg. at marked tree of Wm. Armstead &c. P. 65 (526). (13 Oct. 1653.)

JOHN BOORUM (Borum), 400 acs. on Swd. side of Horne Harbour Cr. P. 65 (526). (Rich: Hull, 24 Nov. 1655, who assigned to sd. Boorum.)

PHILLIP HUNLEY, 300 acs. on W. side of Budden Cr. in Mockjack Bay. P. 65 (527). (11 June 1658.)

WILLIAM MACKENNY, 450 acs. on Ewd. side of the Easternmost riv. (Mockjacke Bay), beg. at tree of Philip Hunley, running to trees of Marke Foster &c. P. 66 (527). (Thomas Helliard, 3 Dec. 1652, assigned to John Singleton, who sold to sd. Mackenny.)

MR. MATHEW KEMP, 1100 acs. on N. side of Peanketanke Riv., beg. on E. side of the mouth of Blands Cr., running parallel to land of Perigreene Bland, dec'd., crossing branches of Bonners Cr. &c. to W. side of Gleabe land Cr., dividing this from land of Col. Jno. Matron, dec'd. &c. P. 66 (528). (Edmond Kemp, Gent. father of sd. Mathew, 4 Nov. 1656.)

MARKE THOMAS, 350 acs. on S. side of Horne Harbour Cr., marked trees dividing this & land of Mrs. Morrison, S.W. by Mr. Armstead's trees, over the creek to Mr. Hulls land, N.W. to trees of Henry Shingleton to cor. tree of John Teage & Edward Morgan. P. 66 (528). (John Bannister, Tho. Foote & John Borham, 25 Nov. 1653. Bannister & Borham wholly assigned to sd. Foot, who sold to John Thomas & due sd. Marke as sonne & heire.)

ROBERT LENDALL, 150 acs. on N. side of the E. Riv. in Mockjack bay, beg. at marked trees of Mr. Armstead. P. 66 (529). (18 Oct. 1652.)

RICHARD CAREY, 1000 acs. on Swd. side of Queens Cr. in Peanketanke Riv., running up Cr. dividing this from land of Conydeell. P. 67 (529) (13 Oct. 1653.)

THOMAS GRAVES, 240 acs. in a swamp betwixt Seaverne & the Indian path in Gloster Co. P. 67 (530). (20 Mar. 1657.)

COLL. HUGH GWYNN, 2000 acs. Gloster Co., P. 67 (530). 1700 acs. near mouth of Peanketanke Riv. & 200 acs. of Marsh beg. at Sandy Poynt that butts upon Cheesepiack Bay, extending up Millford haven Bay unto the Narrows where it is bounded by Sting Graye Bay &c. 300 acs. S. side of Gwynns Island &c. (17 Jan. 1642 & 6 Dec. 1652.)

JOHN MAN, 600 acs. on E. side of Easternmost Riv. in Mockjack Bay, beg. at Chesnut Cr., running to marked trees of Wm. Holden. P. 67 (531). (Thomas Todd, 5 Oct. 1653 & assigned to sd. Man.)

WM. SMART, 450 acs. in Winter Harbour, beg. at John Smith's land. P. 68 (532). (Thomas Todd, 20 Oct. 1652 & assigned to sd. Smart.)

ELIZABETH KEMP, 900 acs. New Kent Co., on N. side of Mattapony Riv., running S. to trees of Mr. Diggs. P. 68 (532). (Sir Grey Skipwith, 11 Oct. 1658 & assigned to sd. Kemp.)

HENRY SINGLETON, 400 acs. on Ewd. side of Easternmost riv. in Mockjack Bay, beg. at marked trees of Rich: Rapley (Ripley). P. 68 (532). (Wm. Leathermore, & John Thomas, 6 Dec. 1652, by Leathermore assigned to sd. Thomas, who assigned to sd. Singleton.)

WM. ROBERTS, 150 acs. on W. side of the maine swamp upon the head of Crany Cr., adj. land of Jeffrey Bew. P. 68 (533). (Wm. Cordery, 15 Mar. 1657, & by him assigned.)

SAME. 200 acs. Gloster Co., on N. side of Yorke Riv., N.W. side of Jones Cr., E. upon a white marsh. P. 68 (533). (29 Nov. 1652.)

NOTE.—Pages 69 to 74, inclusive, are missing in the old Book 3, and pages here given refer to the transcript in Book 4.

MRS. ANN BERNARD, 900 acs. Gloucester Co., 27 Nov. 1661, p. (534). N. side of York Riv., near the main swamp upon the head of Jone's Cr., along land of Hugh Dowding, N.N.W. &c. against land of Samuel Sollis, E. to Rappa. path &c. to land of William Thorne, assignee of Col. Richard Lee, Esqr. Renewal of her patent dated 26 Feb. 1653.

SAMUEL SOLLIS & ROBERT TOLLIVER, 900 acs. Gloucester Co., 27 Nov. 1661, p. (534). On S.E. side of Poropotanke Cr. 200 acs. upon N. E. side of a br. of sd. creek known by the name of Attapatomy Cr., next & adj. land of Oliver Green &c. 700 acs. upon S.W. side of a br. of a swamp of sd. Cr., which divides this & land of Isaac Richeson &c. Renewal of their pattennt dated 26 Mar. 1655. Note: Renewed in Tolliver's name, 1 Dec. 1662.

MAJOR THOMAS CURTIS, 730 acs. on N. side of Ware Riv. in Mockjack bay, 27 Nov. 1661, p. (535). Beg. on E. side of Browns bay &c. by marked trees dividing this & land of Mr. Thomas Boswell &c. Renewal of his patent dated 3 June 1657.

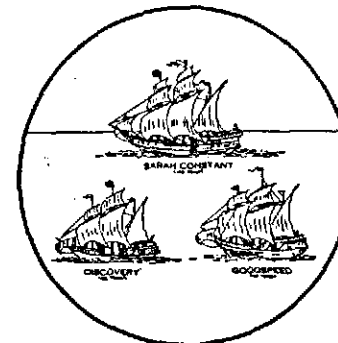
MR. THOMAS CURTIS, 1150 acs. upon Black Water Cr. in the North Riv. of Mockjack bay. 27 Nov. 1661, p. (535). Beg. on N.W. side of Phesant Cr., running N.E. &c. Renewal of his patent dated 20 Sept. 1652.

SAML. SOLLIS, son of Samuel Sollis, dec'd., 352 acs. Gloucester Co., 27 Nov. 1661, p. (536). Upon S.E. side of Poropotank Cr., upon N.E. side of a swamp dividing this & land of Isaac Richeson, along a br. of same dividing this & land of John Day, thence N.E. by N. &c. Granted Samuel Sollis, dec'd., 26 Mar. 1655, & now due the above-named as son & heir.

WILLIAM WATERS, 1200 acs. N'ampton Co., 20 Feb. 1661, p. (536).

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#### JOHN GRAVES OF NEW KENT COUNTY.

It is likely that John<sup>1</sup> Graves descended from the John Graves who in 1637 for his father Captain Thomas Graves decd. patented land in Elizabeth City County (Nugent: Cavaliers & Pioneers, Vol. 1, p. 43). Other patents in the same volume show that John Graves owned land near the line between Elizabeth City and York Co., in which latter county some of his descendants appear. The destruction of all New Kent records before 1865 and of early Elizabeth City Co. records prevent a positive statement of John's paternity.

He was born probably about 1680, for in St. Peter's Parish Register we find the birth of Elizabeth,<sup>2</sup> dau. of John<sup>1</sup> and Elizabeth Graves recorded as occurring Dec. 17, 170—, and on Oct. 23, 1710 Matthew son of John<sup>1</sup> Graves was baptized. Probably further record of the family was in the lost portions of the Register, for there was at least one other son, John<sup>2</sup> Jr.

In Goochland Rec. D. B. 3, p—, May 28, 1737 John<sup>1</sup> Graves and Elizabeth, his wife of Goochland sell to Wm. Barnett of the same 400 a. on Ballenger's Creek "called by the name of Graves's Indian Field and according to the bounds expressed in a patent for the same." Unfortunately the writer has not been able to find this patent. In Goochland D. B. 4, p. 248, Oct. 18, 1743 John Sanders bought from John<sup>2</sup> Graves, Jr. and Lucy his wife, all of Goochland, 350 a. "land left by Robt. Adams decd to his dau. Lucy as by his last will and testament will more fully appear." Matthew,<sup>2</sup> undoubtedly brother of John<sup>2</sup> Jr. m. Susannah, sister of Lucy Adams, as the following proves: Goochland Rec. D. B. 4, p. 118, March —, 1742 Matthew Graves and Susannah his wife sell to Henry Martin 400 a. on Lick-hole Creek patented Aug. 25, 1731 by Robert Adams and left in his will to his daughter Susannah, wife of the aforesaid Matthew<sup>2</sup> Graves; wit: Robert Graves, Charles Moorman Jr., Jas. Graves.

Both John<sup>1</sup> Graves, John<sup>2</sup> Jr., and Matthew<sup>2</sup> appear in the early Albemarle Rec. In the first order book 1744-48, we have the following: p. 60, July 25, 1745, Matthew<sup>2</sup> Graves appointed surveyor of the road from the Secretary's Ford to the 12 mile line in room of Chas. Lynch;

p. 62, Sept. 26, 1745 Robt. Adams sues John Graves, Jr. for debt. (Robt. Adams was bro. of Lucy the wife of John<sup>2</sup> Graves Jr.); p. 64, Sept. 26, 1745 John<sup>1</sup> Graves to be surveyor of the road from the mouth of Tye River to the branches of Harris Creek and all the tithables between Buffalo and Fluvanna Rivers except Chas. Lavender, are to assist him; (John<sup>1</sup> Graves must have lived in what was later Amherst Co.); p. 201, Nov. 13, 1746 Deed from John<sup>1</sup> Graves to Giles Allegre proved by the oath of John<sup>2</sup> Graves Jr., one of the witnesses; p. 203 Nov. 14, 1746 Giles Allegre gets an attachment against John<sup>1</sup> Graves, and John<sup>2</sup> Graves, Jr. as garnishee appears and declares he has no effects of said Graves in his hands; p. 384, June 10, 1748 Thos. Underwood, assignee of Chas. Tyler sues Matthew<sup>2</sup> Graves: In the D. A. R. Mag. Vol. 52, p. 356 the statement is made that in 1745 John Harvie was living at "Belmont" near Keswick, "a place he bought from Matthew<sup>2</sup> Graves." In D. B. 1, p. 366, Oct. 10, 1751 John<sup>2</sup> Graves (Note the "Jr." has been dropped, indicating his father was either dead or out of the county) and Lucy his wife sell land to Wm. Gouge of Hanover, and one of the witnesses is a Francis Graves. In Albemarle Rec. D. B. 4, p. 126, July 24, 1764 Mourning X Adams, the widow of Robt. Adams makes various gifts to her sons Robt. and James Adams, to her daus. Anna Sanders, Judith Clark, Mary Moorman, Elizabeth Moorman, and Aggy Ferguson, to the children of Susannah Graves, to daus. Lucy Graves, Anna Douglas and Sally Harris.

We seem to find no further trace of his family unless the Wm. Graves living in Amherst 1783 belongs to it. They probably went South.

The Adam Graves who m. Mary Holland May 4, 1769 (Douglas Register) may have been a son of John<sup>2</sup> Graves Jr. or Matthew<sup>2</sup> and named for his mother's people.

#### NOTES ON ROY, BEVERLEY, SMITH AND ALLIED FAMILIES.

By Mrs. J. E. WARREN, *Newport News, Va.*

(Continued from p. 105.)

To return to John and Dorothy Roy, it is not definitely known when they were married, not later than 1712, or where they resided in Caroline, probably very near the present village of Port Royal, as the following record from Journals of the House of Burgesses (1727-1740) seem to indicate. "Friday June 2, 1732. Ordered that it be an instruction to the Committee to whom it is referred to bring in a bill of the appointing several new Ferries, to add a clause to the Bill for appointing a Ferry from John Roy's Plantation in the County of Caro-

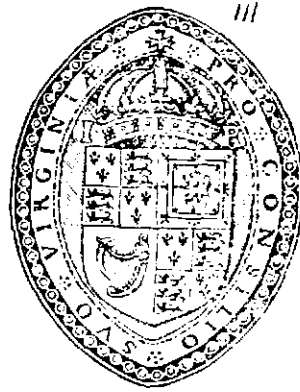
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patent for land on the Eastern Shore, 4 June 1635,<sup>18</sup> made a deposition 13 Aug. 1638,<sup>19</sup> and signed the "Engagement" concerning the change of government in England, 11 March 1651/2.<sup>20</sup> She did not live long after the marriage for her oral will was proved 22 Aug. 1650.<sup>21</sup> He patented 300 acres on the south side of Hungarts Creek, 6 March 1653/4, which he renewed 26 Nov. 1661, following the Stuart Restoration.<sup>22</sup> The will of Henry Armistadeding, 17 June 1663-28 Aug. 1663,<sup>23</sup> and the will of his (2) wife Alice, 6 April 1664-28 April 1664,<sup>24</sup> both mention his minor son Arthur.

Issue: [ARMITRADEING] 7. ARTHUR.<sup>3</sup>  
 4. NICHOLAS<sup>3</sup> GRANGER (Nicholas<sup>2</sup>, Nicholas<sup>1</sup>) married, by 8 Nov. 1663, Anne Dolby, daughter of Edward Dolby.<sup>25</sup> He moved to Sussex Co., Del., and on 22 May 1693, as of "the Territories of Pennsylvania," assigned to Henry Pike a part of the lease given to Nicholas<sup>2</sup> Granger in 1653/4, "excepting the Neck of Land whereon my Bro. John Granger now liveth."<sup>26</sup> The will of Nicholas Granger, yeoman, dated 19 March 1710, named his wife Ann and children.<sup>27</sup>

Issue: 8 Nicholas<sup>4</sup>, planter of Sussex Co., Del., left will dated 1 Feb. 1723/4,<sup>28</sup> married Frances —; 9. Hannah<sup>4</sup>; 10. Mary<sup>4</sup>; 11. Abigail<sup>4</sup>; 12. Sarah<sup>4</sup>; 13. Ann<sup>4</sup>.

7. JOHN<sup>3</sup> GRANGER (Nicholas<sup>2</sup>, Nicholas<sup>1</sup>), baptized 9 Oct. 1661,<sup>29</sup> lived on a portion of his father's lease. He married, by 1 Oct. 1683, Margaret, daughter of Edward Dolby.<sup>30</sup> He left will, 16 Jan. 1723/4-9 Feb. 1724/5,<sup>31</sup> which named his children.  
 Issue: 15. Dorothy<sup>4</sup>, married William Taylor; 16. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>, married Thomas Underhill; 17. (daughter)<sup>4</sup>, married — Duglis; 18. Margaret<sup>4</sup>, died by 14 Sept. 1736 when Amos Underhill was granted administration of her estate;<sup>32</sup> 19. Tabitha<sup>4</sup>.

18 Patent Bk. 1, p. 244.  
 19 Northampton Co. Orders, Wills, Decds &c 1632-40, p. 146.  
 20 See note 10.  
 21 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1645-51, p. 219.  
 22 Patent Bk. 4, p. 57 (511).  
 23 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1657-66, p. 91.  
 24 *Ibid.*, p. 99.  
 25 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1680-92, pp. 87-88.  
 26 Northampton Co. Decds & Wills 12, 1691-1707, p. 11. There is a marginal note: "The Lease of which this is an assignment in part attested to be Recorded Northampton Co. Wills & Inventories 18, 1732-40, p. 236. The inventory of her small estate, presented by John Savage 12 Oct. 1736 (*ibid.*, p. 243), is recorded in Northampton Co. Order Bk. 20, 1718-25, pp. 218-19.  
 27 Sussex Co., Del., Will Bk. A, pp. 76-77, without date of probate.  
 28 *Ibid.*, pp. 178-79, without date of probate.  
 29 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1657-66, p. 134.  
 30 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1680-92, pp. 88-90.  
 31 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills &c 1718-25, pp. 218-19.  
 32 Patent Bk. 1, p. 244.

8. ARTHUR<sup>3</sup> ARMITRADEING (Christian<sup>2</sup> Granger, Nicholas<sup>1</sup>) married, by 28 Aug. 1668 when they sold 300 acres patented by his father 6 March 1653/4,<sup>33</sup> Rose, daughter of Richard Kellam, who, 18 June 1673, conveyed land to Rose and her children,<sup>34</sup> when her father made his will.<sup>35</sup> Richard Garretson who left will, 23 Feb. 1708/9-6 Aug. 1717, naming her.<sup>36</sup>

Issue: [ARMITRADER]<sup>37</sup> 20. Henry<sup>4</sup>, accused 6 Jan. 1699/1700 of breaking the Sabbath,<sup>38</sup> held 175 acres in Accomack County, 1704, left will 13 Jan. 1734/5-6 March 1734/5,<sup>39</sup> married —, daughter of Edward Hitchins and his wife Elizabeth;<sup>40</sup> 21. Richard<sup>4</sup>, left will 24 Feb. 1755-25 March 1755,<sup>41</sup> married, by 13 March 1705/6,<sup>42</sup> Elizabeth (Chance, daughter of Henry and Margaret Chance.

1733-40, p. 187, but is not listed in the general index or that volume's index.  
 33 Northampton Co. Decds, Wills, &c 7, 1655-68, pt. 2, pp. 29-30.  
 34 Accomack Co. Decds, Wills &c 1715-29, p. 432.  
 35 Accomack Co. Decds, Wills &c 1715-29, pp. 288-89, decd of gift, 21 Nov. 1719, from Henry<sup>4</sup> to his son Arthur Armitradet for 170 acres given him by his father-in-law Edward Hitchins.  
 36 Accomack Co. Wills, Decds &c 1715-29, p. 61.  
 37 Lucy Ames Edwards, *Ames, Mans and Allied Lines* (n.p., 1967), pp. 225-27.  
 38 Accomack Co. Decds & Wills 1692-1715, p. 190.

GRAVES<sup>1</sup>

\*1. THOMAS<sup>1</sup> GRAVES came to Virginia in the *Mary and Margaret* and is listed among those arriving in the second supply, 1608.<sup>2</sup> Shortly after his arrival, while on an exploring expedition, he was taken captive by the Indians who held him in Opecanca-nough's town subject to an uncertain fate when a timely rescue was effected by Ensign Thomas Savage.<sup>3</sup>

An undated letter from Governor Yearley to Sir Edwin Sandys

1 *Brit. Genl.*, p. 903; William Montgomery (County, W(2) XXI, pp. 157-71, 256-70; Hidden, "The Graves Family of Spotsylvania County," T XIX, pp. 176-85. Since some of his Descendants," W(2) XV, pp. 385-94; Martha Woodroof Hidden, "The members of several branches of the family (Graves Family of Essex County," W(2) XVI, pp. 650-68; Hidden, "Three Rectors of Hungarts Parish and Their Wife," and "Addenda," W(2) XIX, pp. 34-41, 299-301; Hidden, "The Graves Family of York 3 *Ibid.*, II, p. 569.  
 2 Smith, *Tra.* I, p. 129; II, p. 445.  
 3 *Ibid.*, these branches are tentative concerning these branches are no longer extant, the relationships set forth lived in counties whose records are no longer extant, the relationships set forth

concerning Smythe's (Southampton) Hundred, written after 29 April 1619, recites circumstances of the affair between Capt. William Epes, Commander, and Capt. Stallings in which the latter was slain and the former placed under arrest, and states "I have entreated Capt. Graves, an Antient officer of this Co[m]pa[n]y to take charge of the people and the workes."<sup>4</sup> Capt. Graves was sent as one of two representatives from Smythe's Hundred to the first Representative Legislative Assembly which convened at Jamestown, 30 July 1619.<sup>5</sup>

As a member of the Virginia Company, Capt. Graves had agreed to transport 100 persons to Virginia and accordingly was allowed a patent for land, 20 Nov. 1622.<sup>6</sup> His grant for 200 acres "on the Easterne side of the Shoare of the bay of Chesepeacke [Eastern Shore] and abutting Southerly on the Land of Cap<sup>t</sup> Henry Fleete" is of record, 14 March 1628/9, and recites that the land was due him "by vertue of an Adventure" of £25 paid to "Sir Thomas Smith, late Treasurer for the Company of Virginia."<sup>7</sup>

Capt. Graves, referred to as Esquire in the Accomack-Norhampton County court records, was appointed commander of the "Plantation of Accawmacke" by the General Court, 8 Feb. 1627/8,<sup>8</sup> and headed the list of commissioners at the first extant court of record held for Accawmack, 7 Jan. 1633/4. He served as Burgess to the Assembly, 1630 and 1632, and was a member of the first vestry of the parish, 14 Sept. 1635.<sup>9</sup> His death occurred between Nov. 1635, when he was witness to a deed, and 5 Jan. 1635/6, when suit was entered against a "servant to Mrs. Graves."<sup>10</sup>

Thomas<sup>1</sup> Graves married Katherine — who, with his two sons, came to Virginia after 1616, as is shown in a patent granted to John<sup>2</sup>, 9 Aug. 1637, reciting that the 600 acres granted to him in Elizabeth City was "due . . . in Right of descent from his Father Thomas Graves, whoe transported at his owne proper costs . . . himselfe, Katherine Graves his wife, John Graves the pattentee and Thomas Graves, Junr. and eight persons."<sup>11</sup> Mrs. Graves was living at the "Old Plantation," 20 May 1636.<sup>12</sup>

Issue: 2. JOHN<sup>2</sup>; 3. THOMAS<sup>2</sup>; 4. ANN<sup>2</sup>; 5. VERLINDA<sup>2</sup>; 6. KATHERINE<sup>2</sup>; 7. FRANCIS<sup>2</sup>.

<sup>4</sup> *R. Va. Co.* III, p. 121.

<sup>5</sup> Leonard, p. 3.

<sup>6</sup> *R. Va. Co.* II, p. 132.

<sup>7</sup> Patent Bk. 1, p. 72-73.

<sup>8</sup> *MCCG*, p. 165.

<sup>9</sup> Leonard, pp. 9, 11; Northampton Co. Orders, Wills, Deeds 1, 1632-40, p. 58.

<sup>10</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 66.

<sup>11</sup> Patent Bk. 1, p. 443. The 50 acres assigned for each headright shows the persons were transported after 1616.

<sup>12</sup> Northampton Co. Orders, Wills, Deeds 1, 1632-40, p. 73.

2. JOHN<sup>2</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born by 1605, was in Accawmack by 19 Feb. 1634/5 when he sued John Parramore.<sup>13</sup> He owned 600 acres in Elizabeth City, as before stated, and to this land, which lay at the headwaters of Back River adjacent to York County, he subsequently added in two patents, 15 May 1638 and 29 May 1639, some 350 acres.<sup>14</sup> His death was noted 30 April 1640 when William Parry (Perry) of Kecoughtan gave bond to indemnify his former administrators William Cotten, William Stone and Capt. Roper.<sup>15</sup> The name of his wife is unknown.

Issue: 8. RALPH<sup>3</sup>; 9. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>; 10. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>; 11. Sarah<sup>3</sup>, married, by 1661, Thomas Dipnall, Burgess from James City County, 1654;<sup>16</sup> 12. (DAUGHTER)<sup>3</sup>.

3. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>1</sup>), planter of Timberneck Creek, Abingdon Parish, Gloucester, first patented land in that county 20 March 1657/8, being 55 acres "about a mile from Timberneck Creek" and 240 acres in a swamp "betwixt Seaverne & the Indian Path."<sup>17</sup> On 2 March 1656/7 he acquired 300 acres in Westmoreland County<sup>18</sup> and, 20 March 1661/2, 700 acres in Lancaster County on Corotoman River, which he sold, 14 May 1662, to John Edwards, surgeon.<sup>19</sup> On 6 March 1674/5 Governor Berkeley confirmed to "Thomas and Jeffrey Graves, son of Thomas Graves, dec'd., 440 acres in Abingdon Parish, Gloucester, near the dwelling house of said Jeffrey . . . due unto said Thomas and Jeffrey by the last will and testament of their dec'd father Thomas Graves, Sr."<sup>20</sup> The name of his wife is unknown.

Issue: 13. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>; 14. JEFFREY<sup>3</sup>; 15. (perhaps) WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>.

4. ANN<sup>2</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born 1620, married successively three ministers of Hungars Parish, Accawmack. She married (1), before 10 July 1637, the Rev. William Cotton, who on that date patented land in right of his wife Ann<sup>2</sup> Graves.<sup>21</sup> He left will, Aug. 1640-29 Dec. 1646, naming "Brethrin-in-Lawe Capt. William Stone and Capt. William Roper" as overseers.<sup>22</sup> She married (2), by

<sup>13</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 43.

<sup>14</sup> Patent Bk. 1, pp. 556, 655.

<sup>15</sup> Northampton Co. Orders, Wills & Deeds 2, 1640-45, p. 281. Parry named most of the same headrights claimed by John Graves in 1637 (see note 11), including Thomas Graves, Katherine his wife, John Graves and Thomas Graves, Junr., in a patent, 11 Nov. 1651, for 550 acres in Northumberland County (Patent Bk. 2, p. 349).

<sup>16</sup> Leonard, p. 32.

<sup>17</sup> Patent Bk. 4, pp. 63 (523), 67 (530).

<sup>18</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 86 (125).

<sup>19</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 129 (635); Lancaster Co. Record Bk. 2, p. 236.

<sup>20</sup> Patent Bk. 6, p. 548.

<sup>21</sup> Patent Bk. 1, p. 434.

<sup>22</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & 3, 1645-51, p. 55. See also Clara Ann Bowler, "The Litigious Career of William Cotton, Minister," *V LXXXVI*, pp. 281-94.

1642, the Rev. Nathaniel Eaton who came to Virginia from Massachusetts where in 1638 he had become the first master of the school that later became Harvard University.<sup>23</sup> In 1642 he assigned land at Hungars Creek due him by right of intermarriage with the "widdowe and relict of William Cotton, Clerke"<sup>24</sup> and by 1647 he had left the colony.<sup>25</sup> She married (3), as his (2) wife, the Rev. Francis Doughty, with whom Ann entered into a marriage contract, 8 June 1657.<sup>26</sup> He was formerly rector of Sodbury, Gloucestershire, and minister at Taunton, Mass., New York, and Flushing, Long Island.<sup>27</sup> He entered into an agreement with the commissioners and housekeepers of the Lower Parish of Northampton County, 28 Feb. 1654/5, and they accepted him as their minister.<sup>28</sup> By Oct. 1659 he had moved to Charles Co., Md., and by April 1662 to Rappahannock County where Doughty was minister of Sittenbourne and South Farnham parishes, 1662-68.<sup>29</sup> In 1668 John Catlett and Humphrey Booth referred to his "nonconformity & Scandalous living" in a petition to the Governor and on 13 March 1669/70, stating that he wished to "Transport myself out of the Colony of Virginia into some other country and clymate that may prove more favorable to my aged, infirm & decayed Body," Doughty conveyed to Richard Boughton of Charles Co., Md., 200 acres on the Rappahannock River for the use of his wife Anne, she being "unwilling to Depart the s<sup>d</sup> country, shee finding the same Best agreeing with her health, Besides her loathness and unwillingness to Bid Farewell to her more Deare & Beloved children, and to her Beloved kindred & Relacons, all or least most of them Residing in the s<sup>d</sup> Colony of Virginia and in the Neighboring province of Maryl'd."<sup>30</sup> She moved from thence to Charles Co., Md., where her will, 26 Dec. 1682-18 July 1683,<sup>31</sup> named six of her eight grandchildren and her deceased son Samuel<sup>3</sup> Eaton.

Issue: (by 1) [COTTON] 16. VERLINDA<sup>3</sup>; (by 2) [EATON] 17. Samuel<sup>3</sup>, lived at "Eaton's Delight," Charles Co., Md., left will dated April 1681;<sup>32</sup> 18. Nathaniel<sup>3</sup>, named by Verlinda<sup>3</sup> (Cotton) Burdett

<sup>23</sup> W(2) XIX, pp. 35-37; Edward Lewis Goodwin, *The Colonial Church in Virginia* (London, 1927), p. 266.

<sup>24</sup> Patent Bk. I, p. 823.

<sup>25</sup> Warwick Co. records, Earl Gregg Swem Library, College of William and Mary, in *The Virginia Genealogist*, I, pp. 54, 58.

<sup>26</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds & Wills 7, 1655-58, p. 48.

<sup>27</sup> *MHM* XXIII, pp. 155-57.

<sup>28</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & c. 1654-55, p. 117.

<sup>29</sup> *MHM* XXIII, pp. 158-62; Old Rappahannock Co. Record Bk. 1656-65, p. 256; Record Bk. 1668-72, p. 119; Goodwin, *op. cit.*, p. 265.

<sup>30</sup> V V, pp. 288-90.

<sup>31</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 4, p. 210.

<sup>32</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 13, p. 130. The will, which appointed his mother Anne Doughty as executrix, was

as brother in her deed of gift to her Burdett children, 24 June 1668.<sup>33</sup>

5. VERLINDA<sup>2</sup> GRAVES(Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married, before 1640, Capt. William Stone, who came to Virginia, 1628, as agent for his uncle Thomas Stone, and was commissioner of Accawmack, 1633, vestryman of Hungars Parish, 1635, and sheriff of Northampton County, 1646. He moved to Maryland about 1648 and in Aug. 1648 was commissioned Lieutenant Governor of that colony. It was during his administration that the Maryland Act of Toleration was passed. Deprived of office briefly in 1652 by Lord Baltimore's Puritan opponents, he was restored to his office and continued until 1654 when replaced by a board of ten commissioners who governed Maryland in the name of Parliament. In 1655 he fought an unsuccessful battle against the Commonwealth's Puritan supporters and on the restoration of Lord Baltimore's authority in 1658 he was named a member of the Council and served as justice of the Provincial Court.<sup>34</sup> His will, 3 Dec. 1659-21 Dec. 1660,<sup>35</sup> named his wife and children and "brother Sprigg," the husband of Katherine<sup>2</sup> Graves. The will of Verlinda<sup>2</sup>, 3 March 1674/5-13 July 1675,<sup>36</sup> named two of her children.

Issue: [STONE]<sup>37</sup> 19. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>; 20. Richard<sup>3</sup>, bequeathed by his father 500 acres of "Nangemy Manor", died before 11 June 1667 when his brother John was granted administration on his estate;<sup>38</sup> 21. Mathew<sup>3</sup>, bequeathed 500 acres of "Nangemy", deposed, 29 Jan. 1695/6, he was aged 38;<sup>39</sup> 22. JOHN<sup>3</sup>; 23. ELIZABETH; 24. MARY<sup>3</sup>; 25. Katherine<sup>3</sup>.

6. KATHERINE<sup>2</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married (1) William Roper, lieutenant and captain of militia, justice of Accawmack, 1637, and Burgess from Accawmack, 1637, and from Northampton, 1644.<sup>40</sup> He died between 28 Aug. 1650, when he attended court as a justice, and 30 Dec. 1650 when Mrs. Kathryn Roper, the relict of Capt. William Roper, deceased, was mentioned.<sup>41</sup> She

never admitted to probate. On 4 April 1684 Richard Boughton petitioned for administration in right of his wife Verlinda as next of kin (*ibid.*, 13, p. 106).

<sup>33</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. C-1, p. 271.

<sup>34</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary of the Maryland Legislators, 1635-1789*, 11 (Baltimore and London, 1985), pp. 788-89; John W. Raimo, *Biographical Directory of American Colonial and Revolutionary Governors, 1607-1789* (Westport, Conn., 1980), pp. 83-84.

<sup>35</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 1, p. 89.

<sup>36</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 2, p. 364.

<sup>37</sup> Harry Wright Newman, *The Stones of Poynton Manor* (n.p., 1937), p. 8.

<sup>38</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 2, pp. 156-57.

<sup>39</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 17, p. 116.

<sup>40</sup> Leonard, pp. 15, 22.

<sup>41</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & c. 1645-51, pp. 223, 236.

married (2) Thomas Sprigg, who deposed 14 Oct. 1665 he was aged 35 and 17 Sept. 1694 he was aged 64.<sup>42</sup> He was a justice of Northampton County, 1655,<sup>43</sup> and as Lieft. Thomas Sprigge signed the Northampton engagement to recognize the Parliamentary government of England, 26 July 1653.<sup>44</sup> He shortly afterward moved to Maryland where he was justice of Calvert County, 1658–74, and sheriff, 1664–65,<sup>45</sup> and later resided in Prince George's County, where he left will 9 May 1704–9 Dec. 1704.<sup>46</sup> Katherine<sup>2</sup> died before 1 Sept. 1668 when he married (2) Eleanor Nuttall.<sup>47</sup>

Issue: (by 1) [ROPER] 26. William<sup>3</sup>, given a calf in the will of his Godfather William Burdett, 22 July 1643;<sup>48</sup> 27. Verlinda<sup>3</sup>, to whom her mother, on the eve of her (2) marriage, made a deed of gift, 1 March 1650/1;<sup>49</sup> (by 2) [SPRIGG] 28. SARAH<sup>3</sup>; 29. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>.

7. FRANCIS<sup>2</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born about 1630, mentioned as "orphant of Capt. Tho. Graves," 28 Nov. 1642,<sup>50</sup> settled in Rappahannock County where he patented 714 acres "on the south side of the River upon the branch of Gilson's Creek," 10 Oct. 1672.<sup>51</sup> He married, by 28 Nov. 1678, Jane —, a widow, and that date deeded cattle "to her three children . . . John and Jane Moguffe and Elizabeth Davenport," according to a "verbal promise to my now wife Jane before marriage."<sup>52</sup> He died by 5 Aug. 1691 when a court order mentioned "the plantation of the widow Graves . . . between Hoskins and Gilsons pocoson."<sup>53</sup> His widow married (4) John Doughty of Essex County who, 2 May 1694, "by reason of an intermarriage between me and the widow Graves, do give unto the three children of Francis Graves, namely: Francis, Richard and Thomas Graves" certain cattle.<sup>54</sup>

Issue: 30. FRANCIS<sup>3</sup>; 31. RICHARD<sup>3</sup>; 32. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>.

8. RALPH<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (John<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born about 1625, married, by 1652, 8. Rachel<sup>3</sup> Croshaw (see CROSHAW), daughter of Maj. Joseph Croshaw of York County who, 26 Dec. 1654, "out of naturall affection" conveyed to Ralph<sup>3</sup> and Rachael Graves "the

<sup>42</sup> Maryland Provincial Court Liber FF, p. 91; Liber WRC #1, p. 696.

<sup>43</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & c 5, 1654–55, p. 143.

<sup>44</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & c 4, 1651–54, p. 189. He had previously signed, 11 March 1651/2, with the majority of Northampton County residents (*ibid.*, p. 188).

<sup>45</sup> *MHM* VIII, pp. 74–76.

<sup>46</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 3, pp. 443–44.

<sup>47</sup> *The Archives of Maryland*, V (Balti-

more, 1887), p. 34.

<sup>48</sup> Northampton Co. Orders, Deeds, Wills & c 2, 1640–45, p. 159.

<sup>49</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds, Wills & c 4, 1651–54, p. 14.

<sup>50</sup> Northampton Co. Orders, Deeds, Wills & c 2, 1640–45, transcript, p. 187.

<sup>51</sup> Patent Bk. 6, p. 443.

<sup>52</sup> Old Rappahannock Co. Record Bk. 1677–82, p. 200.

<sup>53</sup> Old Rappahannock Co. Order Bk. 1686–92, p. 301.

<sup>54</sup> Essex Co. Deeds & Wills 6, p. 296.

espoused of the said Ralph," 1000 acres in New Kent County on the south side of the Mattaponi River.<sup>55</sup> On 25 Feb. 1666/7 Ralph<sup>3</sup> was granted a certificate for 1500 acres for the transportation of thirty persons.<sup>56</sup> He died 9 May 1667<sup>57</sup> leaving will 5 May 1667–2 July 1667.<sup>58</sup> His widow married (2) Richard Barnes and died 20 April 1669.<sup>59</sup>

Issue: 33. Ralph<sup>4</sup>, married his first cousin 21. Unity<sup>4</sup> White (see CROSHAW), who qualified, 25 June 1694, as one of the administrators of his estate,<sup>60</sup> and married Thomas Cripps; 34. William<sup>4</sup>, born 2 March 1666/7;<sup>61</sup> 35. Ann<sup>4</sup>, buried 9 March 1668/9; 36. Mary<sup>4</sup>, buried 12 Sept. 1668; 37. (probably) Martha<sup>4</sup>, died 27 Dec. 1666.<sup>62</sup>

9. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (John<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) owned land in York County by 1652 and patented 80 acres there, 3 Oct. 1655.<sup>63</sup> He probably married Ann —, named as a headright with him in a patent issued 28 Aug. 1658.<sup>64</sup>

Issue: 38. Ann<sup>4</sup>, died by 10 April 1668.<sup>65</sup>

10. THOMAS<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (John<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) owned land in York County adjacent to that of his brother William<sup>3</sup>, 1652, and with Elizabeth, probably his wife, witnessed a deed in York Hampton Parish, York County, 1695.<sup>66</sup>

Issue:<sup>67</sup> 39. John<sup>4</sup>, born about 1667, of Stratton Major Parish, King and Queen County, 6 May 1704, when he bought 100 acres from John Claiborne, and, 23 Jan. 1705/6, when he bought an-

<sup>55</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills 1, p. 290.

<sup>56</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 4, p. 124.

<sup>57</sup> Bruton Parish Register.

<sup>58</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 4, p. 149.

<sup>59</sup> Bruton Parish Register.

<sup>60</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 10, p. 2.

<sup>61</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 6, p. 299.

<sup>62</sup> Bruton Parish Register.

<sup>63</sup> Patent Bk. 3, p. 147; Patent Bk. 4, p. 12 (19).

<sup>64</sup> Patent Bk. 4, p. 186 (274). He may be the William Graves who witnessed a deed of George Mason, 25 Dec. 1655 (Westmoreland Co. Deeds, Wills & Patents 1653–59, pp. 123–123a) and she the Ann Graves who witnessed a release of dower, 28 Feb. 1669/70 (Westmoreland Co.

Deeds, Patents & c 1665–77, pp. 104–104a). John Rice married the relict of Mr. William Graves by 24 Oct. 1680 (Westmoreland Co. Order Bk. 1675/6–1688/9, p. 193).

<sup>65</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 4, p. 178.

<sup>66</sup> York Co. Deeds & Bonds 1, 1694–1701, p. 26.

<sup>67</sup> Although no evidence has been found that Thomas<sup>3</sup> Graves had children, chronology and geography suggest that he is the most likely member of the family to be the father of John<sup>4</sup> Graves. See Charles H. Hamlin, "Genealogy of the Graves Family of Virginia," *The Virginia Gazette*, Williamsburg, Va., 28 Aug. and 4 Sept. 1959. John Bennett Boddie, *Southside Virginia Families*, I (Redwood City, Calif., 1955), p. 204, identified this John as 41. John<sup>4</sup> Graves but Hamlin's analysis of the extant records suggests this is highly unlikely.



other 400 acres of marsh land,<sup>68</sup> and of Spotsylvania County, 7 June 1737, when he petitioned to be levy free.<sup>69</sup>

12. (DAUGHTER)<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (John<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married — Grenther, as is shown in an item in the settlement of the estate of Ralph<sup>3</sup>: "to pd. his sister Grenther by Mr. Dipnall."<sup>70</sup>

Issue: [GRENTHER] 40. William<sup>4</sup>, died by 7 Sept. 1667.<sup>71</sup>

13. THOMAS<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married Mary —

Issue:<sup>72</sup> 41. John<sup>4</sup>, baptized 25 Jan. 1677/8, married Rebeckah —; 42. Robert<sup>4</sup>, baptized 14 Feb. 1682/3; 43. Mary<sup>4</sup>, baptized 19 Aug. 1685.

14. JEFFREY<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married Dorothy

Issue:<sup>73</sup> 44. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>, born 15 May 1681; 45. Jeffrey<sup>4</sup>, born 29 May 1683; 46. Sarah<sup>4</sup>, baptized 1 July 1688.

15. WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Thomas<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married Mary —

Issue:<sup>74</sup> 47. John<sup>4</sup>, baptized 2 Dec. 1686, died in infancy; 48. William<sup>4</sup>, baptized 29 April 1688; 49. John<sup>4</sup>, baptized 5 Jan. 1689/90.

16. VERLINDA<sup>3</sup> COTTON (Ann<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married (1) Thomas Burdett, with whom she entered into a marriage contract 1 Sept. 1658.<sup>75</sup> He was living 28 Nov. 1667 but died before 2 March 1667/8 when administration on his estate was granted to Virlinda Burdett, the relict.<sup>76</sup> On 24 June 1668, before her "intended marriage" to (2) Richard Boughton, Verlinda<sup>3</sup> made a deed of gift to her children by her (1) husband, naming them.<sup>77</sup>

Richard Boughton was commissioned Provincial Secretary, member of the Council and judge of the Provincial Court, 17 May 1666, and on 23 Dec. 1667 was named clerk of Charles Co., Md., serving until 1669. He was a member of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly from Charles County, 1669, was clerk of the Upper House, 1674–76, and of Anne Arundel County, 1674–82,

<sup>68</sup> King William Co. Record Bk. 1, pp. 195, 296.

<sup>69</sup> Spotsylvania Co. Order Bk. 1730–38, p. 501.

<sup>70</sup> York Co. Deeds, Orders, Wills & c 4, p. 265.

<sup>71</sup> Bruton Parish Register.

<sup>72</sup> Abingdon Parish Register.

<sup>73</sup> *Ibid.*

<sup>74</sup> *Ibid.*

<sup>75</sup> Northampton Co. Order Bk. 9, 1657–66, p. 18.

<sup>76</sup> Northampton Co. Deeds & Wills 7–8, 1655–58, 1666–68, p. 31; Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 2, p. 304. The inventory of his estate (*ibid.*, pp. 445–50) included property at Accomack.

<sup>77</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. C–1, p. 270–71.

deputy commissary of the General Court, and was again clerk of Charles County, 1682–1689/90, but his opposition to the Revolution of 1689 virtually terminated his political career.<sup>78</sup> He married (2), by March 1694, Honor —, and died before 29 June 1706 when Samuel Boughton was granted administration of his estate.<sup>79</sup>

Issue: (by 1) [BURDETT] 50. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>, married (1) John Hamilton of Charles Co., Md., who died intestate before 4 April 1684,<sup>80</sup> and (2) 8. Richard<sup>3</sup> Chandler (see THOROWGOOD); 51. Frances<sup>4</sup>, married probably Col. Charles Ashton of Westmoreland County; 52. Parthenia<sup>4</sup>, left will 17 Feb. 1697/8–13 March 1697/8, Charles Co., Md.;<sup>81</sup> 53. Sarah<sup>4</sup>, married 10. Gerard<sup>3</sup> Fowke (see THOROWGOOD); by (2) [BOUGHTON] 54. Samuel<sup>4</sup>, whose estate inventory, 29 June 1714, was signed by Katherine Thomas and Virlinda Boughton as nearest kin;<sup>82</sup> 55. Verlinda<sup>4</sup>; 56. Katherine<sup>4</sup>, married Benony Thomas who left will 10 Oct. 1711–25 Feb. 1713/4, Charles Co., Md.;<sup>83</sup> 57. Mary<sup>4</sup>.

19. THOMAS<sup>3</sup> STONE (Verlinda<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) was named as eldest son and executor in his father's will and was a commissioner of Charles Co., Md., 1661. He married Mary — and left will 24 April 1676–5 Oct. 1676.<sup>84</sup> His widow married (2) John Blackfan who in his will, 31 Jan. 1676/7–12 March 1676/7, named William and Richard Stone,<sup>85</sup> and (3) Joseph Manning.

Issue: [STONE]<sup>86</sup> 58. Richard<sup>4</sup>, under 18 in 1676; 59. William<sup>4</sup>, of "Poynton Manor," deposed, 1 Aug. 1721, he was aged 55 and, 28 Oct. 1726, he was aged about 60,<sup>87</sup> was licensed to practice law, 1690, was clerk of indictments of Charles Co., Md., 1699–1704, member of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1704–07, justice of Charles County, 1715–29, and vestryman of Najemoy Parish,<sup>88</sup> left will 17 April 1730–12 Aug. 1731,<sup>89</sup> married Theodosia Wade, who left will June 1747–25 March 1749.<sup>90</sup>

<sup>78</sup> J. Hall Pleasants, ed., *Proceedings of the County Court of Charles County, 1666–1674 (Archives of Maryland, LX; Baltimore, 1943)*, pp. xv–xvii; *A Biographical Dictionary . . .*, I (Baltimore and London, 1979), p. 149.

<sup>79</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 19C, p. 75.

<sup>80</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 13, p. 106.

<sup>81</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 6, p. 75.

<sup>82</sup> Maryland Proprietary Inventories & Accounts 36A, pp. 55–56.

<sup>83</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 13, p. 678.

<sup>84</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 5, p. 94.

<sup>85</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 234.

<sup>86</sup> Newman, *op. cit.*, pp. 11, 14–15.

<sup>87</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. M–2, p. 138; Court Record P #2 [#35], 1725–28, p. 403.

<sup>88</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary . . .*, II, p. 789.

<sup>89</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 20, p. 221.

<sup>90</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 26, p. 111.

22. JOHN<sup>3</sup> STONE (Verlinda<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) chose his brother-in-law William Calvert as his guardian, 5 June 1667,<sup>91</sup> was a merchant and planter, justice of Charles Co., Md., 1670–94 and 1697, coroner, and sheriff, 1694–97, Indian interpreter, 1679, vestryman of Nanjemoy Parish, and member of the Associators' Convention of Charles County, 1689–92, and of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1678–88.<sup>92</sup> He married (1) Elizabeth —, (2) —, and (3), 1684, Eleanor Bayne, who was aged 6 in 1673 and 17 when she married, daughter of Walter and Eleanor Bayne. He left will 17 Sept. 1697–10 Aug. 1698.<sup>93</sup> His widow married (2), about 18 months after the death of her (1) husband, Hugh Tears, who left 300 acres to Eleanor and Elizabeth Stone in his will, 23 Jan. 1699/1700–20 Feb. 1699/1700,<sup>94</sup> and (3), 22 June 1700, John Beale.<sup>95</sup>

Issue: [STONE]<sup>96</sup> (by 1) 60. Thomas<sup>4</sup>, deposed 1 Aug. 1721 he was aged 44,<sup>97</sup> was a justice of Charles Co., Md., 1712–27, and member of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1715,<sup>98</sup> left will 25 May 1727–7 Nov. 1727,<sup>99</sup> married (1) — Hoskins, daughter of Philip Hoskins, and (2) Katherine —, who left will 31 Oct. 1750–4 Feb. 1750/1;<sup>100</sup> 61. John<sup>4</sup>, left will 27 Jan. 1702/3–1 June 1703;<sup>101</sup> (by 2) 62. Matthew<sup>4</sup>, of "Poynton Manor," Charles Co., Md., deposed, 14 Feb. 1728/9, he was aged 49 and, 23 July 1745, he was aged 64,<sup>102</sup> left will 7 Nov. 1748–10 Aug. 1750,<sup>103</sup> married Rachel Smoot; (by 3) 63. Walter<sup>4</sup>; 64. Eleanor<sup>4</sup>; 65. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>.

23. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> STONE (Verlinda<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) was

<sup>91</sup> J. Hall Pleasants, ed., *Proceedings of the Provincial Court of Maryland, 1666–1678* (*Archives of Maryland*, LVII; Baltimore, 1940), p. 199.

<sup>92</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . , II, pp. 783–84.

<sup>93</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 6, p. 153.

<sup>94</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 11, p. 189.

<sup>95</sup> *Maryland Provincial Court Judgments* WG 2[21], 1724–26, pp. 513–17, a suit regarding land inherited by Eleanor from her father and detailing her age at various times and her marriages. See also *Provincial Court Judgments* TB 2 [9], 1705–06, pp. 40–45.

<sup>96</sup> Newman, *op. cit.*, pp. 16–18. The children of the (3) marriage apparently all died young; Richard Beale, Eleanor's son

by her (3) marriage, was her heir at law (Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. L, pp. 117–18).

<sup>97</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. M–2, p. 137.

<sup>98</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . , II, p. 786.

<sup>99</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 19, p. 254. He was the grandfather of Thomas Stone, Signer of the Declaration of Independence.

<sup>100</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 28, pp. 26–27.

<sup>101</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 11, p. 361.

<sup>102</sup> Charles Co., Md., Court Record T #2 [#38], 1734–39, p. 538; Y #2 [#40], 1744–46, p. 400.

<sup>103</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 27, p. 367.

named as "eldest daughter" in her father's will. She married 23. William<sup>3</sup> Calvert.

Issue: see CALVERT.

24. MARY<sup>3</sup> STONE (Verlinda<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born 1642, married (1) — Thomas and (2), by 10 March 1674/5,<sup>104</sup> Col. Robert Doyne who died 23 July 1689.<sup>105</sup> He was sheriff of Charles Co., Md., at the time of his death. He married (2) Anne Burford, who married (2) George Plater<sup>106</sup> and (3) John Rousby.

Issue: (by 2) [DOYNE]<sup>107</sup> 66. Wharton<sup>4</sup>, died beyond the seas, under age; 67. William<sup>4</sup>, died under age; 68. Sarah<sup>4</sup>, named in will of Ann<sup>2</sup> (Graves) Cotton Eaton Doughty, 1682, devised 600 acres, "Saturday's Work," at Piscataway by her father, left will 16 April 1711–23 April 1723,<sup>108</sup> married William Hutchison of Prince George's Co., Md., who left will 13 Dec. 1708–23 April 1711;<sup>109</sup> 69. Verlinda<sup>4</sup>, married John Brown of Prince George's Co., Md.;<sup>110</sup> 70. Eleanor<sup>4</sup>, died 1705; 71. Mary<sup>4</sup>, on whose petition, 14 Sept. 1697, being past the age of 14, William Dent and William Stone were admitted as her guardians,<sup>111</sup> left will 14 Dec. 1734–24 Jan. 1734/5,<sup>112</sup> married, 1706, Nicholas Dawson, who resided at "Saturday's Work" and died before 27 June 1727 when Mary was granted administration on his estate.<sup>113</sup>

28. SARAH<sup>3</sup> SPRIGG (Katherine<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) married (1), by 20 Jan. 1680/1 when she consented to the sale of land to William Digges,<sup>114</sup> John Pearce, and (2) Enoch Coombs of Prince George's Co., Md., who died before 10 March 1726/7 when the inventory of his estate was made.<sup>115</sup> She survived him and died before 15 Dec. 1736 when the inventory of her estate was made.<sup>116</sup>

<sup>104</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. F–1, 1674–76, p. 90.

<sup>105</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. Q #1,

1689–92, p. 15. A memorandum of his will, made 20 July 1689 but never formally drawn, was presented by Richard Boughton, 24 July 1689, and Ann Doyne agreed to administer the estate. A deposition filed then reported a different disposition of his estate made four hours before he died, naming "Collo. William Digges, his Brother Joshua Doyne & his Brother John Stone" as executors (*ibid.*, p. 16).

<sup>106</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Inventories & Accounts* 15, pp. 31–35; *Testamentary Proceedings* 16, pp. 92, 201, 232.

<sup>107</sup> Charles Co., Md., Deed Bk. F–2, p.

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<sup>108</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 13, p. 320.

<sup>109</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 317.

<sup>110</sup> Somerset Co., Md., Deed Bk. IKL, p. 60.

<sup>111</sup> Charles Co., Md., Court Record V, 1696–98, p. 245.

<sup>112</sup> *Maryland Proprietary Wills* 21, p. 311.

<sup>113</sup> *Maryland Testamentary Proceedings* 28, p. 58.

<sup>114</sup> *Maryland Provincial Court Deed Bk. WRC* 1, pp. 189–90.

<sup>115</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. PD 1, p. 232.

<sup>116</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 371.

Issue: (by 1) [PEARCE] 72. John<sup>4</sup>, to whom his grandfather Thomas Sprigg deeded land 16 March 1700/1,<sup>117</sup> living 22 Sept. 1727 when his mother gave him a Negro and cattle,<sup>118</sup> married —; 73. Sarah<sup>4</sup>, left will 2 May 1755–28 May 1761,<sup>119</sup> naming children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, married (1), before 16 March 1700/1,<sup>120</sup> James Beall of Prince George's Co., Md., who left will 21 Nov. 1723–10 July 1725,<sup>121</sup> and (2) Dr. John Haswell.

29. THOMAS<sup>3</sup> SPRIGG (Katherine<sup>2</sup> Graves, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) was born about 1665. On 31 Oct. 1707 Charles Calvert of Stafford County, son of William and Elizabeth<sup>3</sup> (Stone) Calvert, appointed his "well beloved cousin Mr. Thomas Sprigg of Prince George's County," Md., to convey land for him.<sup>122</sup> Thomas<sup>3</sup> was a merchant and planter at "Nottingham," justice of Prince George's County, 1697–1704, vestryman of Queen Anne's Parish, representative in the Maryland Assembly, 1712–15, and was major and lieutenant colonel of militia.<sup>123</sup> He married Margaret, daughter of Edward and Honor Marriott (Mariartee) of Anne Arundel Co., Md.,<sup>124</sup> who survived him and on whose estate Osborn<sup>4</sup> Sprigg was granted administration 27 Nov. 1739.<sup>125</sup>

Issue: [SPRIGG]<sup>126</sup> 74. Thomas<sup>4</sup>, justice of Prince George's Co., Md., 1719–25, on whose estate his widow was granted administration 15 Nov. 1725,<sup>127</sup> married Margery Wight, who married (2) Col. Joseph Belt and left will 29 June 1772–27 Sept. 1783;<sup>128</sup> 75. Edward<sup>4</sup>, deposed 21 March 1747/8 he was aged 50 and 17 Sept. 1750 he was aged about 53,<sup>129</sup> died 30 Nov. 1751,<sup>130</sup> justice of Prince George's County, 1727–31, presiding justice, 1747–51, justice of the Provincial Court, 1732, member of the Maryland Assembly, 1729–51, Speaker of the House, 1742–51, vestryman and churchwarden of Queen Anne's Parish, and colonel of mili-

<sup>117</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. A, p. 361.

<sup>118</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. M, p. 252.

<sup>119</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Will Bk. I, p. 535.

<sup>120</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. A, p. 361.

<sup>121</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Will Bk. I, p. 140.

<sup>122</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. C, pp. 206a–207.

<sup>123</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . II, p. 765.

<sup>124</sup> *MHM* I, p. 381; II, p. 179.

<sup>125</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Original bonds, Box 10, folder 50, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>126</sup> *MHM* VIII, pp. 77–80.

<sup>127</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Original bonds, Box 6, folder 10, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>128</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Original wills, Box 14, folder 21, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>129</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. EE, p. 466; Deed Bk. PP, p. 88.

<sup>130</sup> *Maryland Gazette*, 4 Dec. 1751.

tia,<sup>131</sup> married (1), 26 April 1720,<sup>132</sup> Elizabeth Pile, and (2) Mary Belt, born 24 Dec. 1722, daughter of Col. Joseph Belt and widow of Edward Hall, who married (2) Thomas Pindle; 76. Osborn<sup>4</sup>, of "Northampton," Prince George's Co., Md., deposed 29 May 1745 he was aged 38,<sup>133</sup> died 7 Jan. 1749/50,<sup>134</sup> planter and merchant, vestryman and churchwarden of Queen Anne's Parish, 1733–45, member from Prince George's County of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1739–44, commissioner to erect the town of Bladensburg, 1742, sheriff, 1747–50,<sup>135</sup> married (1) Elizabeth —<sup>136</sup> who died 1726/7, and (2), 11 July 1727, Rachel Belt, born 13 Dec. 1711, daughter of Col. Joseph Belt;<sup>137</sup> 77. Priscilla<sup>4</sup>, married, 22 Aug. 1716,<sup>138</sup> Ralph Crabb, merchant of Prince George's Co., Md., vestryman of Queen Anne's Parish, 1716–34, churchwarden, 1730–31, justice, 1719–33, and member of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1719–33,<sup>139</sup> who left will 14–15 Dec. 1733–8 March 1733/4;<sup>140</sup> 78. Margaret<sup>4</sup>, left will 13 Sept. 1755–26 Nov. 1755,<sup>141</sup> married (1), 26 Sept. 1717,<sup>142</sup> Francis King, on whose estate she gave bond as administratrix, 15 June 1726,<sup>143</sup> and (2), as his (2) wife, Richard Keene, merchant of Prince George's Co., Md., who left will 25 May 1751–27 Aug. 1754;<sup>144</sup> 79. Eleanor<sup>4</sup>, married, by 25 Jan. 1716/7, Henry Wright;<sup>145</sup> 80. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>, left will 25 Nov. 1781–17 Nov. 1787,<sup>146</sup> married (1) Henry Wilson and (2), as his (3) wife, Turner Wootton, who resided at "Essington," Prince George's Co., Md., deposed, 20 April 1732, he was aged about 36,<sup>147</sup> was a merchant and planter, justice, 1732–39, sheriff, 1753–56, member of the Lower House of the Maryland Assembly, 1738–52, died 3 Nov. 1760,<sup>148</sup> administration on his estate being granted, 25 Nov. 1760, to William Turner Wootton.<sup>149</sup>

<sup>131</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . II, pp. 760–61.

<sup>132</sup> Queen Anne's Parish, Prince George's Co., Md., Register.

<sup>133</sup> Maryland Chancery Record 7 [IR #4], pp. 591–92.

<sup>134</sup> *Maryland Gazette*, 10 Jan. 1749/50.

<sup>135</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . II, pp. 763–74.

<sup>136</sup> Queen Anne's Parish Register.

<sup>137</sup> *Ibid.*

<sup>138</sup> *Ibid.*

<sup>139</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . I (Baltimore and London, 1979), p. 240.

<sup>140</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 20, pp. 923–25.

<sup>141</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Wills, Box

8, folder 42, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>142</sup> Queen Anne's Parish Register.

<sup>143</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Bonds, Box 6, folder 30, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>144</sup> Maryland Proprietary Wills 29, pp. 198–99.

<sup>145</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Deed Bk. E [old series], 1710–17, pp. 614–16.

<sup>146</sup> Prince George's Co., Md., Original wills, Box 16, folder 19, Maryland State Archives.

<sup>147</sup> Maryland Chancery Record 5 [IR #2], 1730–36, pp. 380–82.

<sup>148</sup> *A Biographical Dictionary* . . . II, pp. 911–12.

<sup>149</sup> Maryland Testamentary Proceedings 38, p. 23.

30. FRANCIS<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Francis<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), probably born in Rappahannock County, lived most of his life in Essex where he is mentioned, 8-9 Sept. 1709, as of South Farnham Parish when he sold 125 acres in St. Ann's Parish.<sup>150</sup> His will, 25 June 1746-18 Oct. 1748,<sup>151</sup> named his wife Anne and children.

Issue: 81. William<sup>4</sup>, of Caroline County, married Dorothy —;<sup>152</sup> 82. Clara<sup>4</sup>, married, before 1746, Capt. Aaron Higginbotham, Sr., of Amherst county who left will 19 Sept. 1778-3 Oct. 1785;<sup>153</sup> 83. Jane<sup>4</sup>; 84. Ann<sup>4</sup>; 85. Elizabeth<sup>4</sup>; 86. Mary<sup>4</sup>.

31. RICHARD<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Francis<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) had left Essex County by 1714, at which time he probably was engaged in coastwise trade for, about 1708, he had purchased one-half partnership in a sloop from Francis Shackelford.<sup>154</sup> Presumably, he is identical with the Richard Graves who was taxed for the first time in Craven Precinct, N.C., in 1715<sup>155</sup> and who in his will, 11 April 1730-Sept. 1730,<sup>156</sup> mentions Richard and Francis, sons of "Thomas Graves my Brother in Virginia." He represented Craven Precinct in the North Carolina Assembly, 1726.<sup>157</sup> He married Hannah (Kent) Smithwick Green, daughter of Thomas and Ann Kent and widow of John Smithwick and Farnifold Green, who survived him.<sup>158</sup>

Issue: 87. Thomas<sup>4</sup>, died about 1767, Craven Co., N.C., married Sara Turner;<sup>159</sup> 88. Mary<sup>4</sup>, married, after 1730, Richard Nixon, who represented Craven County in the North Carolina Assembly, 1742-45,<sup>160</sup> and left will 5 March 1745/6-June 1746.<sup>161</sup>

32. THOMAS<sup>3</sup> GRAVES (Francis<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), born about 1684, remained in Essex County and married, about 1708, Elizabeth Moody, born 1690, daughter of John and Mary Moody of Essex,<sup>162</sup> who relinquished her dower rights, 19 June 1739, in land deeded by her husband.<sup>163</sup> Thomas<sup>3</sup> died by 15 Feb. 1742/3 when John Graves obtained administration on his estate.<sup>164</sup>

<sup>150</sup> Essex Co. Deeds & Wills 13, pp. 248-50.

<sup>151</sup> Essex Co. Will Bk. 8, pp. 90-91.

<sup>152</sup> Essex Co. Deed Bk. 27, p. 136.

<sup>153</sup> Amherst Co. Will Bk. 2, p. 254; W(1) XXVI, pp. 265-68.

<sup>154</sup> Essex Co. Order Bk. 1708-14, pp. 608-09.

<sup>155</sup> *The North Carolina Genealogical Society Journal*, 1, p. 55. In 1719 he was charged with 1900 acres and with 1400 acres belonging to the orphans of Farnifold Green (*ibid.*, p. 59).

<sup>156</sup> Secretary of State records, North Carolina Archives, file SS Wills.

<sup>157</sup> *North Carolina Government, 1585-1979* (Raleigh, 1981), p. 35.

<sup>158</sup> *Journal of North Carolina Genealogy*, X, pp. 1379-83.

<sup>159</sup> W(2) XVII, p. 302.

<sup>160</sup> *North Carolina Government, 1585-1979*, p. 41.

<sup>161</sup> J. Bryan Grimes, *Abstract of North Carolina Wills* (Raleigh, 1910), p. 267.

<sup>162</sup> Essex Co. Will Bk. 6, 1735-43, pp. 157-58, will of John Moody, 10 Dec. 1735-20 March 1738/9.

<sup>163</sup> Essex Co. Deeds & c 21, pp. 422-25.

<sup>164</sup> Essex Co. Will Bk. 6, p. 418.

Issue: 89. John<sup>4</sup>, administrator of Thomas<sup>3</sup> and presumed to be a son;<sup>165</sup> 90. Richard<sup>4</sup>, named in the will of his uncle Richard<sup>3</sup> Graves; 91. Francis<sup>4</sup>, also named in the will of his uncle Richard<sup>3</sup> Graves.

<sup>165</sup> The previous identification of this John Graves as the John, born 10 Dec. 1712, died 30 March 1747, who married, 22 Nov. 1732, Susanna Dicken, born 14

June 1714, was questioned by Charles H. Hamlin, *loc. cit.*, who concluded that John Graves (1712-1747) was the son of 41. John<sup>4</sup> Graves and his wife Rebecca.

GRAY<sup>1</sup>

\*1. THOMAS<sup>1</sup> GRAY, "an ancient planter at or before the time of Sir Thomas Dale,"<sup>2</sup> 1616, was living at James City, 1623/4,<sup>3</sup> and was listed there in the muster, 1624/5, with his wife Margaret, son William<sup>2</sup>, aged 3 years, and daughter Joane, aged 6 years. He deposed 7 March 1653/4 that he was aged 60 years or thereabouts.<sup>4</sup>

On 12 Oct. 1626 Thomas<sup>1</sup> Gray appeared as a witness before the General Court at Jamestown.<sup>5</sup> His first patent, 27 Aug. 1635, for 550 acres on the south side of James River, "over against James City" and on Rolfe's and Cross creeks, included 100 acres as an Ancient Planter and 50 acres each for the transportation of his (1) wife Anis (Annis) Gray, his present wife Rebecca Gray and two sons William<sup>2</sup> and Thomas<sup>2</sup>, and adjoined a plantation already in his possession.<sup>6</sup> He added 400 acres of Grayes Creek by patent, 20 July 1639,<sup>7</sup> and an adjoining 100 acres on 7 June 1642.<sup>8</sup> Another 400 acres he had patented was lost for failure of planting and seating and repatented by Samuel Abbott, 10 April 1644,<sup>9</sup> but both this tract, by purchase from Abbott, and his July 1639 patent were included in a new patent for 800 acres, 14 March 1652/3.<sup>10</sup>

Thomas<sup>1</sup> Gray was probably dead before 2 Nov. 1658<sup>11</sup> when Francis<sup>2</sup> Gray transferred a patent to his brother Thomas<sup>2</sup>. On 11 May 1659 Luke Mizell testified in court that while he was servant to Tho. Gray, Sr., deceased, he "did often hear sd Gray and his wife say that [Thomas] Gates had given 50 acres to their son Thomas and daughter Jane."<sup>12</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Benjamin C. Holtzclaw, "Thomas Gray, Ancient Planter of Surry County, Virginia, and Descendants." *Historical Southern Families*, XVII (Baltimore, 1972), pp. 81-102; John Bennett Boddie, *Virginia Historical Genealogies* (Redwood City, Calif., 1954), pp. 309-13.

<sup>2</sup> Patent Bk. 1, p. 283.

<sup>3</sup> Hotten, p. 176.

<sup>4</sup> Surry Co. Deeds, Wills & c 1, 1652-72,

p. 41.

<sup>5</sup> *MCCG*, p. 119.

<sup>6</sup> Patent Bk. 1, pp. 283, 631 (repatent 26 May 1638).

<sup>7</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 669.

<sup>8</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 787.

<sup>9</sup> *Ibid.*, p. 950.

<sup>10</sup> Patent Bk. 3, p. 158.

<sup>11</sup> Surry Co. Deeds, Wills & c 1, 1652-72,

p. 121.