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Page 86. 7 May 1656. The Court granted judgment to Jno. Richards, merchant, upon his attachment for 20 hhds. of tobacco shipped abound the John & Katherine, Richard Dennis, commander,...is shipped by Wm. Thomas, deceased, the whereas the overseer in feoff interest pretends that fineness of the same was sweet scented and came above the common sort, the estate finding ...500 lbs. of tob. Judgment granted likewise against 16 hhds. tob. shipped by sd Thomas aboard the Pilgrime, James Wattkins, commander, marked "W" and the brand arrow with costs...

Vera: Robert Stanton.

Page 87. 24 May 1657. These presents bindeth me, Jno. Wilkinson, my heirs, etc. to pay or cause to be paid to Henry and John Richards, their Heirs etc., 634 lbs. of good tobacco without ground or seconds, with good caskes & caskes not to have Venders security 70 lbs. per caske to be paid at my now dwelling house before 10 of Oct. Next.

Signed: Jno. Wilkinson. Wit.: Ben Sidway.

Page 87. 2 July 1657. The Declaration of Mr. Thomas Warren, taken the 2 July 1657 that being at James Cittye in June last in Company with several gentlemen, Mr. Randall Holt of Hogg Island comeings into the Company and Hearing that the Quarter Court obtained a Reversion of an order passed in ad Courte, fell into a discourse of the proceedings of Courts, of the Difference of Opinions & much more to that effect and beinge agravated by one Thomas ap Thomas, who in complaint of some passages between them and Capt. Sidway this Deponent did reprove the sd Holt for speakinge somethinge to <u>sarglye?</u> of sd Company the sd Holt replied that he had sd nothing to the Deponent and asked whether he would stir settinge degge and ad further that there was none but owles and asked, knaves and regues of a Commission, Whereupon this Deponent called Witnesses thereof and left the Companye and further sayeth not.

Signed: Thos. Warren.

Page 87. 2 July 1656-7. To the Worshippful Court of Surry County Ct. The Sumble Polition of Sandall Hall, Showeth Life ye Politioner unforstanding yet has in accused for appointment approximation to he given out by the Politioner against the Warshipful Court why se Politioner entitely ye shall court, the waterman knoweth not of board will toward the Worshipful Court, or Momburg, But if the Politioner hath in the local kinds upoke abruptly in came the Worshipful Court the best attracted by yet was & In utterlye maknown Through ignorance done by the Pt. and in also Heartlye sorrye & Both Humpblye Submitt to the Censure of the Worshipful Court & ever pray. Presented and recorded 2 July 1656-7. Book of Orders.

Page 88. 26 June 1656-7. The Bullance of the Bookes of Maj. Jno. Westhorpe, deceased, left in the hands of Capt. Wm. Thomas at his goinge for England and now deceased unto Mr. Charles Sparrow, administrator of the sd Westhorpe by Mr. Thomas Jones feoffe in trust of the sd Thomas, deceased:

Thos. Gray Xpo. Greenfield Coll. Moulsworth W. Hanett Thos. Clarke Capt. Wm. Harris Howell Pryse The Steevenson Robt. Evens Wm. Walthall Wm. Gapinge Mr. Cocke Edward Fitsgarrett Ben Cartwright Capt, Bishopp Jno. Corker Geo. Varnam Capt. Peebles

Capt. Epps Capt. Marshall Wm. Rogers Coll. H111 Antho. Freyette? Da: Endicus Geo. Carefoot Capt. Sidway Herry Dame? Mr. Wyatt Jno. Baylie Wm. Radway Jno. Dibdell Jno, Garye Rich: Carter Griffeth Dickenson Segg Hanero? Mr. Richards

Wm, Wood	Ch. Sparrowe	
Jno. King	James Warrendine	
Mark Averye	Wm. Shogh?	
Wm. Agborowe	Jno. Graves by Morgan	
Wm. Sandes	Jno, Bannister	
Edw. Hichards	Jno. Huntley	
Garrett Howell	Wm. Webb	
Ralph Poole	Mr. Reynolds	
Mr. Hamline	Mr. Birde	
Francis Hogwood	Jno. Tayler	

The balance of the Acct. above specified and leonginge to the est. of Jno. Westhorpe, I Charles Sparrow doe acknowledge to have received of Thomas Jones being left feoffe in Trust of the est. of Wm. Thomas, deceased. 26 June 1656

Signed: Ch. Sparrowe.

Wit. Jno. Richards, Ben Sidway.

In final mettlement of this account Mr. Jno. Sadler and Mr. Michard Prime merchant were due rent received from Mr. Rice Hooe.

Page 89. 3 7br 1656. Martin Hammond Mells Coll. Thos. Swann cows, etc. Wit.: Wm. Marriott.
Wm. Jennings sold John Blackborne a cow.

Page 89. 8 Sept. 1656. The mark of Wm. Jennings. The mark of John Flood. Test.: John Gittinge.

Page 87 (aic). 2 Sept. 1656. Jane Blackborne, Relict and Admr. of Mr. Jnc. Blackborne, deceased, assigns to Robert Stanton her right & title to the bill of sale.

Wit, : Wm. Hall, Thos. Jones.

Page 90. 5 Nov. 1656-7. Those presents bindeth me, Job Beazley...to pay June Pumplin or hor helrs etc. 1500...

Signed's Job Dagaloy.

(9)), r Ojeh, Billi, Bold, Stanton.

Page 90, 40 Xbr 1656. Row, of Robert Standon First year's rest of a plantation where he now lives, in behalf of the orphest of Daniel Hetton, doe,, of which I am gwardian.

Signed: Ar. Jordan. Wit.: Geo. Jordan. Wm. Browne.

Page 91. 19 9hr 1656. Wee whose names unto subscribed, chosen arbitors between Capt. Geo. Jordan atty. of James Jauncey, merchant, who is atty. of Mr. Thomas Marsh, adar. of Mr. Thos. Jauncey, deceased, and Marye Ellunt, Relict of Richard Elunt, deceased...that Mr. Geo. Jordan having been possessed with all the estate of Richard Elunt in Virginia, which now can be found, and be delivered up by sd Marye on her oath...Capt. Jordan out of same forthwith to deliver to her 2 cows. 2 heifers, 1 maid servant, 6 bbls. of Indian corn, her bed and its furnishings, her wearing clothes, linens, and what property of herself...before January next, and the crop next ensueing...and Capt. Jordan defend her from harm etc.

Memo. That Wee...admrs. doe finde the whole estate of Richard Blunt, deceased, which he dyed possessed of properly to belonge to Thor Jauncey, deceased, the said Jauncey havinge disbursed abiut fower hundred pounds sterling upon that design of pd Hasty? And what awarde the Relict of Rich. Blunt, deceased, is done by the consent of the sd Capt. Jordan one of charitye & freelye toward her maintenance...having had that relation to the said Blunt and that latter payment above mentioned is likewise to be sattsfied out of the est, that shall be sould by the saids Capt. Jordan But by him to be reserved to her. 19 9br 1656.

Thos. Swann, Wm. Butler, Ben Sidway, Wm. Edwards.

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Page 235. 14 April 1661. Wm. Butler, planter, indenture with Richard Drew, planter, land on southwest of Swamp between John Drew and where Butler now lives, formerly belonging to "my father, Wm. Butler, deceased," Est., 29 Aug. 1643, adjoining Mr. Wm. Laurence.

Rec.: 3 May 1664.

Wit : Geo. Watkin, Joane Fones.

Page 235. 1 Aug. 1664. John Looke received of Mr. Geo. Jordan 1700 lbs. tob. for the future benefit of Rebecca Popham, and John Looke to record for said use of said Rebecca, my wife's daughter.

Rec.: 1 July 1664. Wit.: Geo. Watkins.

Page 236, 17 April 1664. Mary Sparrow's boy was drowned 11 May 1664. Sarah Sparrow, aged 17 years, sworn said that one and a half hours before sunrise saw a sloop laden with tobacco belonging to the Batchelor of Bristoll, Mr. David Warren being Commander of ye sloope, therewent in a small boat out from the sloop, two men belonging to ye sloop and one boy to carry out ye anchor One of the men going to heave ye anchor fell over board into ye water, they put an car unto him...but the man never rose again. The man in the small boat called to Mr. David Warren who was in the Cabin on board the sloope and told him he was lost, he answered, How so? Did you not seek means to save him? They made the small boat fast, but he never came to give any account. Arthur Allen, Will Cockerham, Dorothy Sparrow, Geo. Watkin.

Page 236. 11 May 1664. Wm. Strong and Henry Briggs are bound over to Court for good behavior.

Ed. Bushell, John Cittings.

Page 237. 4 Oct. 1662. Geo. Mansfield acquits Thos. Cullmer of all debts to Mr. Wm. Allen, Rowland Flayco.

Page 237. 1 July 1664. Wm. Morton of New England, of New London, Gent., have sold to Wm. Thompson of Surry County, Va., Minister of God's Word, for a considerable sum of money, a neck of land sittuate in New London, aforesaid disjoyning upon ye Creat River and was formerly in ye occupation of Richard Blondmore? Minnister of ye Parrish and from him purchased by me ye sd Morton and from me to Wm. Thompson. Wit.: Geo. Jordan, John Gittings.

Page 237. 17 April 1664. John Hilliard declares that the cattle in his possession & est, of my wife Jane Hilliard has no power to sell, or separate from a deed of gift from Wm. Thomas for the cow, the cattle are the increase, which remains in the custody of my brother, Thos. Hilliard. Wit.: Geo. Jordan, Will Mays.

Page 240. 30 Sept. 1664. Wm. Marriott goes on the bond of Thos. Lillicrop. the latter being allowed to carry no rapier, or weapon during the pleasure of the Court, and his good behavior.

Page 238, 20 June 1664. John Rawlings, of Martin's Brandon, for himself and Wm. Scarbrough hath surveyed and assigned all rights to Mr. Humphrey Allen in a certain patent of land.

Page 238. July 1664. Wm. Annam appoints his friend Wm. Caufield his atty. in all affairs pertaining to sd Annam (or Aynam?). Wit.: John Bookmister, Robt, Caufield.

Page 2160. 30 Sept. 1664. Walter Houlsworth, atty. for Edward Curtis, appts. friend Robert Dennis in a bill due from John Cittings.

Page 240. 30 Sept. 1664. Robert Dinnis put on good behaviour, asks for release.

Page 240. 30 September 1664. Gentlemen: This is to certify that Robert Castle hath put in sufficient Security in this County for what estate he shall receive belonging to Wm. Gray, orphant, of any person that shall deliver came. Signed: John Cockerham.

Page 241. 1 Aug. 1664. Wm. Thompson, of Surry County, Minnister of God's Word, orders his loving friend, Geo. Jordan, to receive, sue, and execute all business in Court or otherwise. Wit. : James Mills. Jame Flood.

Page 241. 9 Sber 1664. Bartholomew Owen sells to John Morecock a filly foale of one year, and has received satisfaction.

Page 241. 9 8ber 1664. Capt. Thos. Flood, and Benj. Harrison sells a grey mare to Nathaniel Stanton, Ed Bushell.

Page 242. 4 Oct. 1664. Petition of Robert Dinnis to the Court, stating that for a long time he has had hinderances and disturbances in Court of Coll. Jordan and that Jordan would not let him be put in Sec. for his predecessors Est., and demands reparation.

Page 242. 5 Sept. 1664. John Ludwell appoints Simon Simons atty, for him. Wit.: Wm. Cogill, John Bull.

Page 242. Sept. 1664. James Mills arrested by Mr. Jones of Jamestown, atty. at the suit of B. Faris? of Kickotan about a boat of negroes. Mr. Robert Spenser of Surry County to be bondsman for his Security, and makes over a certain parcell of goods to Spenser, Wit., Geo. Jordan, Geo. Watkins.

Page 243. 4 October 1664. An audit is made of what Mr. Parker has apid W. Yaten, sold to him at his going to sea.

Page 243. 4 July 1664. The corpse of an unknown young man was found at the Landinge of Mr. Benjamin Harrison, and it was necessary to bury him immediately. Jury saw the body. Foreman, Mr. Henry Brigs,

Mr. Mathew Battle Mr. Mathew Mason Thos. Webster Richard Attkin Wim. Pettypole Sam Carv Robert Cartwright Mr. Benj. Harrison Thos. Harker Mr. Wm. Norwood Maurice Burches? Frentris Hogwood, constable

Page 245. 2 Nov. 1664. John Corker, Gent., & Capt. Wm. Corker, sonne and heir of ye sd John Corker, assign all right and title in a Patent of Land ... except 50 acres formerly sold to Christopher Vaughan, between Spilltimber and Mill Swamp, and 40 acres more between se Swamp and Blande, unto Maj. Wm. Marriott.

Wit. Roger Preston, John Rawlings, Geo. Watkin.

Page 245. 10 9ber 1664. Richard Norman of Charles Cittye County, Martin's Brandon, planter, makes friend, Francis -(?)-, atty, to sue Marmaduke Baskwitz.

Wit. : Thos. Mudgett, Charles Gregory.

Page 244. 6 Sept. 1664. Thos. Wall, the sonne of Thos. Wall, of Southwarke Parish, Surry County, hath putt himself to Ralph Creed, carpenter, for five years,

Wit.: Francis Hogwood, Thos. Cary.

Page 246. George Blow, he moving, sells to Rowland Hudson William Handcocke land on east and southeast of Blackwater Swamp being at John Baison's marked trees to a bridge...to Mr. Thos, Warren's cart path. Wit.: Geo. Carter. Signed: Geo. Blow, Margritt Blow.

- Page 214. 1 April 1663. Indenture between Geo. Foster, planter, & Jno. Clemmens, both of Southwarke Parish, to Jno. Clemmens a parcell of land of 50 acres on the east side of Gray's Grock, bounding upon Reedy Branch to merked trees, formerly belonging to John Ivey, deceased.
 Wit, 1 Nathaniel Stanton, Geo. Blow.
- Page 215. 8 May 1663. Whereas Cecillye Dunstan, Widdow, late of the County of Surry, in her last Will & Test. ordered that a mare colt should be purchased for Susannah Robbinson, daughter of Andrew Robbinson, know all that I. Robert Carter, have sold to Feleg Dunstan and Halph Dunstan exors, of ad Cecillye Dunstan, for the use of Susannah Robbinson, one mare etc.
 Wit.: Alice Parke, Roger Potter.
- Page 216, 30 June 1663. Wm. Mills covenants with Francis Jones, to serve him two years, he to be taught the trade of cooper and to find him good just Diett, washing, Lodging and cloathing, and all else necessary for him. Wit.: John Leeke, Thos. Andrews, William Lea.
- Page 216. The following bound to the Court for their good behaviour:
 Jno. Gittings, Thos. Hunt Security. Wit: Hoel Pryse, Nath. Stanton.
 John LeGrade, Arthur Jordan & Robert Spenser Securities.
 Wm. Scarboro, Arthur Jordan & Robert Spenser.
 Eleanor, wife of John Rawlings, bound for appearance at the next Court.
 Anne & Robt. Dennis, bond for good behaviour; sec. Jno. Gittings, Hoel
 Pryse.
- Page 216. 2 7ber 1663. John Jennings' Petition to the Court that he has been accused of being uncivil to the Court, is heartly sorry and beseecheth pardon of the Court.
- Page 217. 4 Oct. 1663. Robert Stanton reports the finding of a large canoe, good and sound.
- Page 217. 4 9ber 1663. Robert Stanton Gives to Sarah Sparks one Red Heifor ...to first sonne of a husband she shall, or may marry, and her husband not to dispose of this gift; but after such a sonne is born, to give yearly an account of ad heifer & increase with the Court, and give bond accordingly to act for them & if ad first sonne should dye before he comes of age then to return to the accord, or third, in age therefrom; and if she never have any sonne then to her eldest daughter, and soe to the second & third in age therefrom; the same as for above sonnes, and this my act and deed. Robert Stanton.

 Wit: Mary Stanton, Joseph Fisher.
- Page 217. 1 August 1663. Mr. Thos. Marston give Security to the Court for the Estate he shall recive of Mr. Robert Stanton, belonging to Joseph Fisher & to deliver to him when he comes to age, without charges. Signed: Ono. Okeham.
- Page 217. 6 July 1659. Mr. Robert Stanton, Guardian of Joseph Fisher, orphant, agt. Richard Dibdell for 8000 Lbs. tob. & cash to give acct. in James Citty, the orphant being removed thither, and bond given by sd Robert Stanton, stands fully charged by himself of sd estate and made satisfactory to the orphant.
 Signed: Thomas Marsten, 24 7ber 1663.
- Page 218. 5 Jan. 1663. Ro: Stanton, late Glerke of Surry County, he moving, makes Capt. Wm. Browne, atty. and Deputy for goods, debts, etc. due to Surry County to him, and dispose to his best interest.

 Thos. Swann, Nath. Stanton.
- Page 218. 3 Nov. 1663. John Okeham had three letters, giving him power of Attorney, delivery to him by Coll. Flood, Mr. Rennolds and Wm. Stanton to Implead Tho. Newhouse at the Court and that they are in James Citty County recorded.

- Page 218. 5 9ber 1663. Thos. Hurt cannot appear in Court at the suit of Thos. Robinson, requests Wm. Cockerham to act for him. Wit.: Thos. Smith.
- Page 219. 3 day 9ber 1663. Execution being this day served upon my boddye in ye suite of Henry & John Richards for 2129 lbs. tob. etc. Signed: Burth. Owen. Wit.; Geo. Watkin, Nath. Stanton.
- Page 219. 6 9ber 1663. Bond of Wm. Strong & Thos. King, 5000 lbs. tob. to behave themselves to all his Majesties people and especially towards Edward Bushell.

Wit.: Roy Stanton.

- Page 219. Robert Hunt, cooper, petitions the Court on June 1662 for satisfaction of a debt due to him from Thos. Wynne's Est. Robert Hunt made barrells and caskes for Wynne, and was to have received compensation in Tob. and corn. Thos. Wynne died...(illegible)...and Robert Hunt desires that his estate make settlement.
- Page 220. 15 Jan. 1663. Court of Surry County, present:
 Coll. Thos. Swann Coll. Geo. Jordan
 Capt. Law. Baker Mr. Thos. Warren
 Mr. Jas. Mason

John Smith, servant to Mr. Wm. Norwood, having run away several times, his master desires that he be made to serve two months after the expiration of his time, and pay 200 lbs. Tob. Estimates cost of finding him to be about 250 lbs. tob.

Page 221. 5 9ber 1663. Said John Smith, desiring to live with Capt. Flood, and having run away several times, there is 8 months service due, and 18 months by indenture - in all 26 months. Wm. Norwood, at the earnest request of John Smith, cells we servant to Capt. Thos. Flood, 16 8ber 1663. Wit.; Geo. Jordan.

Page 221, 20 June 1663. Mr. John Corker sold land to Xpher Vahan and Henry Chaddock. Christopher Vahan assigns to Wm. Warrolew on 20 June 1663. Wit.: John Corker, John More.

Page 222. 24 Oct. 1663. A jury was impannelled to inquire into the death of a body washed ashore at Mr. James Mason's. It was found that the death came by drowning, in what manner, not known.

Peter Adams Rich, Clarke
Daniel Sturdivant George Denigon
Jno, Phillips Thos, Lane
Robt, Spenser Geo, Harrison
Jno, Dolly Jno, Birchell
Jno, Hancock?

- Page 223. 17 Nov. 1663. A difficulty between Mr. Robert Spenser, and Edward Petway, Pettway kept unlawful dogs that attacked Spencer's hogs, killed some, and others not found. Demands settlement in next Court.
- Page 223. 7 Dec. 1663. A bill of 300 lbs. tob. due to Jno. King. Wit. Geo. Manfield, Geo. Jordan, Edward Sanderson.
- Page 223. 2 Jan. 1663. Robt. sold Lake Mizle certain household goods to bind an obligation for which he is indebted.
- Page 223, 5 Dec. 1663. Thos. Harte appoints his friend Robert Spenser to confess judgment to Coll. Thos. Swann amt. due him by bill, at suit of Capt. Law. Eaker from Wm. Harc. Signed: Thos. Hartt.

Wit.: John Shepperd.

Page 363. 30 May 1670. John Tatem of Martin's Brandon in Charles Citty County, sells to John King of Surry County land on Upper Chippoakes Creek, extending north by the Creat Swamp and Deep Swamp between Tatem and King, was Henry Okeham's, to John Rawlings and by him sold to Dowling, and from Dowling to John Tatem.

3 Nov. 1663.

Wit., Thos. Winter, Jno. Shipham.

Page 364. 10 May 1670. James Watkin acquits Thos. Steevens of all debt. Wit., Thos. Busby, Ellis Watkin.

Page 364. 3 May 1670. Albert Albertson, Daniell Williams, guardian of Wm. Harris, an orphant, 2300 lbs. tobacco due at my plantation Sunken Marsh. Wit.: John Grove, Wm. Seward.

Page 365. 3 May 1670. Geo. Watkin sells to Robert Burgess 12 acres of land part of 300 acres known as Swann Bay, grant to Watkins, being at Burgess Tobacco House along the Creek.

Page 366. John Harloe, of Surry County, boatwright, and Mary, ye Helict of John Hux, a marriage about to be consummated between ad Mary and John on teh 25th of June. While a widdow had had certain estate, house and land, etc., in her own right, and her youngest son, John Hux, now John Harloe has no children, nor any considerable property to equal Mary's, Harloe will allow John Hux, at twenty-one years, 1700 lbs. of good tobacco above what comes from his own father's estate, etc. 18 June 1668.

Signed: John Harlos.

Wit.: Geo. Jordan, Wm. Marriott.

Page 367. 25 April 1670. Edward Barrett acknowledges a debt to Robert House.

Page 367. 15 May 1669. Indenture between Capt. John Grove and Mr. Robert Caufield, Churchwardens of Lawnes Creek Parish, with the consent of Capt. Law. Baker, and Mr. Arthur Allon, two of his Majestie's Justices, with the consent of the Yestry, bind Thos. Holt, son of Elizabeth Holt, to Geo. Wathin until he is twenty-one years old. 23 Aug. 1667.

Page 368. 15 April 1670. The General Court at James Citty: Present were:
Maj. Geo. Smith
Henry Corbyn
Theo. Bland
Coll. Willis

By order of the Court 29 March 1666 desire to learn the extent of damage, grant to Mr. Anthony Stanford agt, ye land of Fra. Newton called ye College and Mr. John Mohun to find ye value of the land by the year and what damage by gust in August what buildings erected by Stanford and Jury of the neighborhood impanueled by the Sheriff find ye value of plantation. Teste: Rich. Osborne.

Surry County - Inquiry taken of College on 17 May 1670, before Maj. Wm. Marriott, High Sheriff of the County by Virtue of an order of Court held at James Citty 15 April 1670.

Members of the Jury to find the true value of the whole plantation called College in $1666 \, i$

Geo. Watkin Aug. Runnicutt
Rich. Drew Rich. Jarratt
Matthias Marriott Ruch. Brigs
Daniel Williams John Salway
John Kindred Wm. Chambers
Wm. Butler Wm. Newman

The value of the plantation; three sixty-foot well plate tobacco house, one 50 ft. raftered house, one 40 ft. longe, standing upon ye ad 20 ft. house, one house called a Quarter, of 15 ft. longe standing upon ye ad Plantation to be worth 1200 lbs. of tobacco, or six pounds sterling, and

in ye year 1667 ye Gust did Destroy not only all ye houses standing upon ye sd Plantation, excepting two Dwelling houses now standing ye one thirty foote and ye other twenty foote & ye house called Quarter of fifteene foote, but did also blow downe and destroy most of ye Timber trees standing upon ye Plantation and these yet are standing desolate...and winshaken. Therefore we value ad Plantation as it now is att eight hundred pds. of tobacco, or four pounds sterling and ye forty foote tob, house now built by ye atty. of Mr. Stanford up ye ad Plantation, In witness thereof ye Sheriff and Jury have made Inquisition etc. 20 May 1670.

Page 369. 6 July 1670. Christopher Holleman of Isle of Wight County for a valuable consideration paid by Wm. Morris, 300 acres of land on Blackwater Swamp being one-half of ye divident of land of 600 acres adj. Thos. More. Wit.: John Bramston, Mildred Bramston.

Page 370. 5 July 1670. Jas. Rogers, Lawnes Creek Parish, tanner, by bond dated to Robert Spenser for 30 pairs of shoes 24th July next gave...bond for same.

Wit.; Elizabeth Grove, Sam. Swann, Wm. Sherwood,

Page 371. 15 April 1670. These are to Certify that ye Agreement between ye South Side of James River and this Parish is that sd South Side shall pay unto ye Parish of James Citty for ye yeare 1650 tenn pounds of topacco, and one bushel of corn per head and forever thereafter to remain in Parish by yourselves with no further payment at all to the Parish.

Rec. by Wm. Marriott. Wm. Berkeley.

Page 371. 6 7ber 1670. Wm. Warrilow, of Surry County, has sold cleared woodland, 50 acres formerly purchased of sd John Corker by Christopher Vahan and Henry -(?)-. 4 Feb. 1659, assigned to Wm. Warrilow by Vahan, was sold to James Allsop 15 Aug. 1670. Susannu, ye wife of Warrilow gives her consent.

William Warrilow, Susanna Warrilow, Wit, : Arnoll Cosignat, Hen. Dawson.

Page 375. 27 Oct. 1670. Edward Oliver acknowledges to have received of Thos. Clarke 250 acres of land and one cow to take up his bond with Benj. Harrison.

Richard Joanes.

Edward Oliver.

Page 375. 29 Oct. 1670. Deposition of Thos. More aged about 27 years or thereabouts, said Wm. Myles came to Deponent's house and inquired about a horse he had bought of Thos. Clay. Thos. Clay said at church he had sold to Wm. Holton.

Page 376. 29 Oct. 1670. Coll. Geo. Jordan, trustee of Will of Coll. John Flood, deceased...tobacco paid by John Kindred, planter, unto Mrs. Fortune Mills, ye late wife of Coll. John, she acquits to John Kindred land given in will of Coll. John Flood unto his daughter Jane and Walter Flood's divident, 300 acres. 25 July 1670.

Wit.: Robert Lee, Jno. Harloe, Wm. Sherwood.

Page 377. 24 Sept. 1670. Ind. Mrs. Jane Warren, Relict of Mr. Thos. Warren, late of Surry County, Virghia, deceased, of the one part, and Mathais Marriott, who hath married Aylse Warren, ye only sister by ye whole blood unto Wm. Warren, deceased, and sonne to ye aforesaid Thos. Warren. Witness that sd Jane Warren and Mathais Marriott are and have been at controversie and variance about ye division of of ye aforesaid Thos. & Wm. Warren estate. Now division shall be had and made between...Thos. & William's estates. Covenanted and agreed...First, Mrs. Jane Warren shall have her parte out of ye whole estate of above sd Mr. Thos. Warren his estate and sd Thos. Warren, sonne of above sd Thos. Warren and Jane his wife should happen to die before his sonne comes to age of 21 yeares, ye land which is given to him by his father's will, to full to Wm. Warren, ye youngest son of sd Thommas Warren and Jane his wife during his natural life and upon and when he dies, land to fall to Mathais Marriott and his heirs for the sum of 1667 lbs. of

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Page 247. 20 Jan. 1664. Richard Skinner appoints Mr. Edward Wilkins his atty.; Geo. Mansfield does the same.
Wit.; Francis England.

Page 248. 31 Dec. 1664. Thos. Bemis appts. Mr. Robert Spenser his atty.

Page 248. 11 Jan. 1664. Francis Hogwood acknowledges receipt of all debts and obligations from Wm. Rookings.
Wit., Geo. Watkin

Page 248. 4 Jan. 1664. Bd. Bushell sells to Capt. Wm. Corker a mare. Wit.: Richard Davis, Mary Bushell.

Page 248. 11 Jan. 1664. Samuel Plow sells to Wm. Marriott a parcell of land 350 acres. Plow bought it of Wm. Edwards and it was formerly Mr. Thos. Binn's land.

Wit. : Edward Pettway, Arthur Long, Aug. Hunnicutt.

Page 247. 20 Sept. 1664. James Mills gives bond to his wife, and Geo. Jordan.

Page 249. 11 Sept. 1664. Francis Mills, late of Surry County, Va., acknow-ledges a debt to the estate of his wife, Fortune Mills & Lt. Coll. Geo. Jordan, 500 lbs. sterling money of England, given as bond.

Whereas continued strife has arisen between James Mills and his wife, Fortune Mills, and also betwirt Geo. Jordan and James Mills all aforesaid relation to the house and land formerly belonging to Coll. John Flood situate in Surry County, Va. It is thought meete by the aforesaid as conducive to future peace and tranquillity of all...it is agreed...mutually that James Mills relinquish all right and interest he hath or may lawfully claim in any part of any parcell of land etc. formerly belonging to Coll. John Flood...and any goods, chattels etc. that his wife shall hereafter possess, during her life relinquishing all claim and title in furniture in said house by consent...the deed extends not to...houses and land given by said Coll. John Flood in his will.

Wit.: Mary Briggs, James Flood, Nath. Knight.

Mrs. Fortune Mills desired no maintenance out of James Mill's estate.

Mills made over to her what she received from Coll. John Flood.

Mit.: Nath. Knight, Jame Flood.

- Page 251. 3 Jan. 1664. Goods of Mr. Rowland Place were damaged in the ship Planters Adventure this present year. (List followed).
- Page 251. 24 Feb. 1664. Wm. Corker to pay to Mr. John Corker in a friendly sale 1000 acres in possession of his father Mr. John Corker, and to be delivered to Maj. Marriott as his assignee 1500 lbs. Tob. etc.
- Page 251. 6 Nay 1664. Thos. Reynolds appoints his wife, Jane, his atty. in a bill of sale to Peter Deberry.
 Wit.: Geo. Marshall, Robert Dennis.
- Page 251. 6 May 1664. Thus. Reynolds, and wife Jane, assigns all their rights and title in a bill of sale to Peter Deberry. Wit., Geo. Marshall, Robt. Dennis, Isaac Tatum.
- Page 252. 9 May 1664. These presents witness that we Henry Latyard and Hen: Chaddocke sell to John Brady a parcell of land and Coll. Swann as soon as this land is confirmed to us, ye so Latyard & Chaddock, from Doctor Reynolds.
- Page 252. 16 Dec. 1664. Pet. of Griffith Dickinson entreats friend Capt. Thos. Pittman to petition the Ct. in his behalf and grant and order against John <u>Dollyes?</u> Est.
- Page 252, 14 March 1664. John Newman, of the Parish of Stobunheath in ye County of Middlesex, Marriner, makes friend Henry Brigs his Atty. to

receive of Andrew Robinson of Chipoaks Parish 940 pounds of tobacco.

Page 252. 14 March 1664. Lott Richards of the Citty of Bristoll, mcht. having transported in ye ship called ye Rain Bow one servant named William Freeman about eleven years old, having no indenture for him, now assign him to John Barnes of Lower Chippoakes for full term of eight years from ye arrival of ship - to be free from Barnes 10 Feb. 1664, ye Barnes to pay ye servant expenses for eight years, clothes and other things according to custom of ye country.

Wit.: William Cockerham.

Page 253. 15 March 1664. Ind. 1 March 1661, between Thos. Harte, Surry County, and Edward Petway, 250 acres at the head of a Creek called Moole Neck.

Hec.: 15 March 1664.

Wit.: Will Corker, Robt, Spenser.

- Page 253. Aug. 1664. Wm. Heenes, Marriner, Boath Island, New England, sells to Wm. Thompson, Minnister, a Barke of which he has been master.
 Wit.: Geo. Jordan, James Mills,
- Page 254. 26 Xber 1664. Wm. Jordan sells to Hen. Briggs 2750 lbs. tob. Wit.: Nath. Knight, Foulk Moulson.
- Page 254. 8 Aug. 1664. Richard James & Margery his wife of Cussoff in the County of Hereford, Yeoman; Richard Watkin of Dorson, County of Harroford & Jane his wife; John Meredith, County of Radnor, and Marry his wife, did appoint Thomas Smith, of Dawson in the County of Herreford, aforesaid, yeoman, to be our lawful attorney in our names...an estate of land bequeathed unto us by John Modmore of Lyons Creek aforesaid, deceased, and by his Luct will & Test., and whereas the sd Thos. Smith had made sail of sd land unto Mr. Charles Barham of Lynes Creek by certain deed of writing 2 Feb. 1663 & wee the sd Richard, James and Margery his wife; Richard Watkin & Jane his wife; John Meredith and Mary his wife by deed of writing 8 day of August 1664, Ratified and confirmed the sale.

 Hichard James, Mergery James, John Meredith, Mary Meredith, Thomas Smith.

 Wit.: Wm. Trvin, Wm. Phillips, John Jannsey?

Page 254. 2 May 1665. 1, Was. Strong, substitute and appoint Luke Missell... to sell unto Ellis Vantor a Mill and appurtenances...
Wit.: Henry Sands.

Fage 256. 1 May 1665. Henry Clarke, Senior, Planter, of Hog Island, security of Henry Clarke, Junior, sells to Randall Holt a cow and cattle. Wit.: Thos. Amry, Ralph Dunstan. Thos. Clarke Assigns all rights in the patent to Jno. Rawlings. 2 Jan. 1665.

- Page 256. 15 March 1663. Sir Wm. Berkeley granted unto Thos. Clarke 50 acres of land being on the south side of James River on Upper Chippoakes Creek, formerly called Swan's Bay, N. W., on Main Creeke...to Capt. Bishop...to Mary Emmett land, being formerly granted to Wm. Gapin, deceased, now in possession of Thos. Clarke by marriage with the widow of Thos. Gapin.
- Page 257. 1 May 1665. Edward Webb, of Hog Island, Lawnes Creek Parish, sells to Capt. Wm. Brown certain livestock, the condition being that this is a security for a debt to Capt. Wm. Browne, attu. for Robert Stanton, for the sum of 3039 lbs. tob. snd caskes.

 Hec.: May 1665 by Randall Holt, Atty., for sd Webb.
 Wit.: Geo. Watkin, Nath, Stanton.

Page 267. 25 April 1665. A Jury Summoned to investigate the death of a servant boy who lived with Ralph Coats, found he died a natural death.

Daniel Upsheau Math. Marriott Rob. Spenser Aug. Spilltimber Page 267. 29 May 1665. Edward Wyatt, of the County of Gloucester, is indebted to James Mills, of Surry County and John Scott of Ashford, Long Island, 1000 weight of tob., and binds himself for this debt. The conditions are that Capt. John Scott, Esq., sold to James Mills two years of Edward Conquest, his time, to serve said Mills, and Mills to be instructed in the rudiments of navigation...Wyatt at his earnest request received of James Mills...not to let Conquest depart from Virginia.

Signed: Edward Wyatt.

Wit.: Cuthbert Potter, John Vinson.

Page 268. 20 July 1663. Indenture between Andrew Robinson, Surry County, and Ann, his wife, and William Cockerham and Charles Barham, Gent., for valuable consideration, 350 acres of land, patent to sd Robinson and Peleg Dunstan. Rec.: 19 Nov. 1666.

Wit. : Geo. Watkins. Rich. Poznes.

Page 269. 27 April 1666. John Tatem, of Martin 's Brandon, appoints Wm. Thompson, <u>ministem</u>, of Surry County, atty. for bill of sale by me to Francis Gray for 100 acres at the next court of Surry Co. Wit.: Wm. Hawlinson, Geo. Watkin.

John Tatem assigns all rights to Jno. Rawlings and Thos. Evans Jointly. Signed: John Tatem.

Page 269. 24 May 1666. John Burgess, of Lawnes Creek, Surry County, sick & weak, appoints his wife, Mary Burgess, atty., in a suit depending against him.

Wit. 1 John Gregory; Richard B ...?

Page 269. 8 Jan. 1666. Francis Mason, of James City, appoints his friend Richard Long? his atty.

Wit. : Andrew Robinson, John Hayward.

Page 270. 3 May 1666. Wm. Seward to Micholas Meriweather, James City Island in Virginia, 300 acres of land in Surry County commonly called the Indian Spring, being part of a greater quantity taken up by Thomas Swann, Junior, beginning at White Marsh and Indian Spring to Coll. Jordan's corner tree... to Ready Branch issuing out of the Main Branch granted to Wm. Seward by patent 29 September 1664, to him the sd Wm. Seward and by sd Wm. Seward to Nicholas Meriwether, and Wm. Seward's wife Elizabeth, in right of her one-third, etc.

Wit.: Roger Rawlings, Thos. Hart.

Page 271. 7 May 1666. John Clarke and Katherine his wife sell to Edward Browne 200 acres of land in Isle of Wight County, being one-half of a patent for 400 acres. 4 May 1665.

Wit.: Thomas Gualtney, Elizabeth Browne, Geo. Watkin.

Page 271. 3 July 1666. Bartholomew Owen sells cattle of Wm. Rose, Senior, and Ann Rose his wife for the benefit of Jane, William, Ann and Mary Rose, son and daughters of Wm. Rose & his wife Ann.

Rec.: 1666.

Wit.: Luke Mizelle, John Morecocke.

Page 273. 30 June 1666. Marye Gualtney, aged 48 years or thereabouts, saith that today five weeks or soe about. Goodman Bartly came unto her and said that his wife were not well, but when she came found that Ann Simpson had a female child, etc. Katherine Clarke, aged 36 years, also testified, and said that Goody Gualtney came to her before she was up, to tell her that Goody Bartlett's daughter had this child. Dorothy Bartlett, aged 50 years testified about this matter.

Page 275. 3 Feb. 1661. Court Met at Merchant's Hope. Present were:

Coll. Edward Hill Maj. Cen. Manwaring Hamond
Mr. Anthony Wyatt Capt. Jno. Epps

Capt. Robert Winne
Mr. Stephen Hamlin

Ordered that John Steevens pay within tenn days to Mason Battle 294 lbs. of tob. cash.

Test: Howell Pryce.

Page 274, 1 Nov. 1665. Indenture between John Corker, Gent., & Capt. Wm. Cockerham now living in James Citty County, and Mr. Wm. Marriott, of the other part, Surry County, for 24,5000 lbs. tob. all that land known as Ware Neck, or Southward houses, gardens, etc...upon Rolph's land...to the Creek...to Divall's Woodyard Swamp, S. by E. to Woods cart path to Mr. Warren's path, to Ware Neck path, to the Spilltimbers, west up Mill Swamp...along Besse's Swamp...1120 acres; 500 acres purchased by John Casey by Pat. Oct. 1639 & 650 acres pat. to John Corker 2 Dec. 1640.
Signed: John Corker.

Wit. : Rand. Holte, Charles Barham, Geo. Watkin, Wm. Corker.

Page 275, 4 Sept. 1666. Roger Potter to Thos. Pitman for the use of Joseph Wall, his son-in-law, one black heifer, delivered to Thos. Pitman. Wit, Will Corker, Chris. Mizell.

Page 275. 4 Sept. 1666. Mary Hill, orphant hath due her...when she came to age or married, five cows, if Daniell Roome, Marrying, to said Mary Hill doe acknowledge to have received of Mr. Henry Brigs the five cows. Daniell Roome.
Wit.; John Looke, Edmond Howell.

Page 275. 4 Sept. 1666. I, Francis Gray, did lett out ye Plantation that Hillyars live on, all right and title to Brother, Thomas Gray, as Thomas Gray lett it t Thos. Dickinson.
Wit: Geo. Watkin,

Page 276. 4 Sept. 1666. Mr. Peter Greene of Surry County, Va., and Wm. Cockin, of sle of Wight County, a parcell of wood land ground in the Lower Parish of Surry County, 100 acres, from the cart path to the saw mill which telongs to ki. Bushell, west along the swamp to Mr. Green's line, to the Great Swamp, commonly called Capt. Law. Baker's Swamp, to Mr. Barker's cart pathn to Wm. Cookin.

Signed; Peter Greene, Kathering Greene, William Cookin (Cockin).

Page 276. 2 May 1666. Robert Laine and Hannah his wife, sell to Thos. Taylor, Martin's Brandon, Charles City County, marriner, land, garden, etc. patent 15 March 1662, reserving to Nathaniel Knight one-half of the land purchased by him of the heirs of Coll. Flood, patent called Broad Neck, and assigned to Robert Laine, etc. Rec.: 4 Sept. 1666.

Page 277. 4 Sept. 1666. John Clarke, aged 30 years, or thereabout, sayeth that about the latter part of July, being at the house of Thos. Gualtney, two days before his death, and desiring said Gualtney to make a Will, and sett all things in order, ye so Gualtney answered ye Deponent I give to my sonne William Gualtney, ye horse, fole and bed I now lye upon & my land I know nobody can take it from him & all ye rest of my goods I give to my wife and leave att her Disposal and further sayeth not.

John Clarke.

Patrick Bertley age about 40 yeares, sworn said that being at the house of Thos. Gualtney ye Saturday before his decease Deponent said to him Now that Capt. Corker is here it is good for you to sett things to right and relieve your wife of a great deal of trouble, and Gualtney answered I leave to my wife's disposal, for her and her children, for I know she will be careful of hers as well as mine.

4 Sept, 1666.
Thos. Colt swore that he made a bequest to William and said wife should have the rest.

Page 277. 10 Nov. 1666, Roger Delk, of Surry County, and wife Rebecca, sell to Robert Kee of Isle of Wight a Parcell of land in Surry County adj. land sold to Thos. Adams, along creek to gum...to creek called lawnes Creek,

Page 322. March 1668. Wm. Porter and wife Elizabeth to Geo. Mansfield 300 acres of land adj. Philly-Humiford.
Wit., Jno. Grove, Nich. Hill.

Page 322: 23 April 1667. Wm. Porter had a patent from Wm. Berkeley for 600 acres of land adj. Huniford for the transportation of twelve persons.

Page 323. 2 May 1668. Phillip Hunniford and wife, Jane, sell 600 acres to Geo, Manfield. Wit.: Jno. Grove. Nich. Hill.

Page 323. 20 Feb. 1668. Thos. Flood, Corroner, for the time being, two men drowned watering a horse. Jury members were:

Wm. Rose Robt. Warren Fra. Gray Rob. Lee Fra, Hogwood John Bird John Meare

Page 324, 4 Feb. 1668. Indenture between Samuel Plow and his wife Mary and Wm. Marriott, being a grant to Mr. Wm. Enwards he sold to Blow, adjoining Mr. Binns at Reedy Enanch and Crouches Creek.

Rec.: 9 March 1668.

Wit. | Wm. Browne, Thos. Flood.

Page 325. 2 Feb. 1668. Indenture between Katherine Green and John Salway. Katherine Greene, relict of Peter Greene, there being a debt of Peter Greene to John Salway - where Katherine Greene now lives, 200 acres of land on the south side of James River, west side at head of Pawnes Creek adjoining Hill and Hichard Drew land at Baker's mill.

Wit. Rob. Babb. Clerke: Ellis Ventor.

Page 326. 7 Dec. 1668. Jane Tucker, Relict of Samuel Tucker. Her husband sold land to Maj. Nicholas Hill, of Isls of Wight County. Rec. 1 20 Dec. 1668.

Wm. Harris, Thos. Lockett, Henry Randolph, Notary, statement that she was his wife, and probated his will.

Page 327. 4 Oct. 1667. Wm. Webb, of Tewkesbury in Cloucester, shoemaker, appoints his friend Lott Rocketts of ye City of Bristoll, due from Plantation in Virginia.

Wit. Rich. Hill, Conway Whitehorn, Thos. Newsum, Henry Peyton, Justice of the Peace.

Page 327. Jan. 1668. Est. of Andrew Robinson, by Thos. Binns.

Page 327. 20 Jan. 1668. Mr. Welbeck to implead Marshall Macanna, desires for Mr. Somers to satisfy him. Wit.: Robert Wilde.

Page 328. George Hopewell, merchant, of Exon, Maj. Nich. Hill Atty.
Wit.: Thos, Lillicrop, Rich. Jarrett, John -(?)-.

Page 328. 22 Aug. 1668. Wm. Shorte to his brother Thomas Shorte land adjoining Thos. Busby's land etc. Wit.: Thos. Greene, Jno. King.

Page 328, 4 May 1668. John Warren, sonne of Robert Warren of Surry County, to James Riddick, formerly was exor. of "my father's estate." I have received full satisfaction.
Signed: John Warringe.

Wit. Ed Bushell, John Mabery.

Page 329. Elizabeth Shorte and Wm. Shorte of Surry County, sell to Geo.
Midleton of Charles Citty County, a parcell of land one divident at Swamp.
Wit.: Wm. Marriott, Wm. Simmons.

Page 329. 22 Aug. 1668. Wm. Shorte, he moving, sells to Thos. Greene 100 acres of land on the S. E. side of Western Branch of Upper Chippoakes Creek, Patent 7 Jan. 1649 to Wm. Shorte.

Rec. 1 4 May 1668.

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- Page 330. 27 Feb. 1668, Wm. Shorte sells to Wm. Heath 50 acres of land at the head of Western Branch of Upper Chippoakes Creek, where Heath now lives. Wit.: Wm. Marriott.
- Page 331, 17 Feb. 1659. Indenture between Geo. Carter and Mrs. Aylse Parke both of Lower Chippoakes, Surry County, and Peter Adams land called Fig Tree, now in possession of Chambers and Wm. Newsum.

 Rec.: 17 Oct. 1668.
 Wit.: G. Watkin, Ann Churchman.
- Fage 332. 1 May 1669. Henry Francis of Surry County appoints John King his atty. in a judgment for 500 lbs. tob. debt to Rich. Welbeck. Wit. James Elson.
- Page 332. 25 April 1669. Mary Skinner, wife of Richard Skinner, deceased, acknowledges receipt from her husband's estate what John Burgess, deceased, did give to her daughter, Susannah Burgess, etc.
- Page 332. 20 April 1669. Patrick Bartley formerly had 100 acres, which did escheat to his Majestie from Henry Meddows and Bartley dying intestate ye heirs and Borothy Bartley, Relict, Petition for the grant of land to her heirs.
- Page 333. 31 May 1669. Patrick Bartley had 100 acres of land at the time of his death on Blackwater River, Patent 20 May 1666.

 Signed: Thos. Warren, Wm. Marriott, Ed. Petway, Mathias Merriott, Rich. Drew, Rich. Harris, Wm. Newsome.
- Page 334. Wee, Charles Amry and Robt. Spenser and Wm. Oldis of Lawnes Creek Parish, trustees of the Est. of Capt. Wm. Cockerham, deceased, to the Court of Surry County, 60 lbs. of tob., all the estate and tuition of his two sons, William and Thomas Cockerham, and pay William and Thomas their full shares of their deceased father's estate, cattle, etc., when of age. No date.

Signed: Charles Amry, Robert Spenser, Wm. Oldis. Wit.: Will Sherwood, Geo. Watkin.

Page 335. Know all these presents that wee Charles Amry of Lawnes Creek Parish, Surry County, merchant, Wm. Oldis of same Parish and County and Edward Travis of James Citty Island are bound and obliged to Robt. Spenser of Surry County for 10,000 lbs. of tob. to be paid Robt. Spenser or to his atty. admr. 13 May 1669.

The conditions of this are that Robt. Spenser, special trustee request and desires ad Charles Amry bound on penalty of 60,000 lbs, tob. to the Court of Surry County for the estate of Wm, Cockerham, deceased, and Amry is to indemnify to Spenser also Trustee of the goods and chattels lands from all troubles by reason of delivery of the estate of Wm. Cockerham, and tuition of William and Thomas Cockerham, his sons.

Wm. Sherwood, Geo. Watkin.

- Page 336. 4 May 1669. Thos. Binns, sick with distemper, is unable to appear at Court in case against Wm. Marriott and Coll. Jordan's business against himself.
- Page 337. 5 July 1669. Thos. Pitman, lame and unable to attend court, makes his wife, Mary Pitman, his atty. to confess judgment to Wm. Marriott and Ed. Bushell for 640 lbs. tob.
- Page 330. 22 Dec. 1668. Sir Wm. Berkeley, Gov. of Va., officially appoints the following as Commissioners of Surry County., to be always in full power

- Page 11. 2d 7bor 1679. Capt. Ni. Wyatt's of Chas. Gity Co. bond as Exor. Wm. Rookings, dc., 50,000 lbs. logall tob. with Will'm Simons & Wm. Carponter security.
 - Wit.: Robert Ruffin and Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.
- Page 12. Index pages have been bound wrong. E. T. D.
- Page 13, May 1679. Jno. Watkins qual. as admr. of Henry Watkins, dec.; bond 40,000 lbs. legall tob. with Wm. Newsum security.
 Wit.; Will. Foreman & John Thompson.
- Page 14. 26 May 1679. Bond of Wm. Gray for 80,000 lbs. legall tob. with Robert Ruffin & Wm. Newsum of Lawnes Creek Parish to deliver to Wm. & Mary Chambers, orphans of Wm. Chambers, dec., their portion of Est. of their late Father when they come of age.
 Wit., Jno. Price, Fra. Mason, Wm. Edwards.
- Page 15. 5 May 1675. Jury to continue until next Court. Mr. Wm. Rookings, foreman, 1.

 Mr. Richard Drew, 2.

 Jumes Murray, 4.

 Tho. Lane, 6.

 Edwd. Warren, 8.

 Robt. Cartright, 10.

 Jno. Brady, 12.

 Rockings, Mr. War. Court. Mr. Wm. Rockings, Mr. Rockings, Mr. Richard Harris, 3.

 June Burler, 5.

 Jno. Dunford, 7.

 Sam'll Plow, 9.

 Thos. Grews, 11.
- Page 16. 16 June 1679. Mary Gray qual. Admx. of Fra. Gray, deced., with Roger Potter & Geo. Foster surety; bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob. Wit.: Tho. Jordan & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Court.
- Page 16. 16 June 1679. Sion Hill qual Admr. Mary Davies dece'd; Bond, 40,000 lbs, tob. with Geo. Williams & Geo. Foster surety, Wit.; Robort Ruffin & Wm. Edwards Cl. Cur.
- Page 17. 1 July 1679. John Barnes qual. Admr. Edward Bridgeman dec. Bond, 40,000 lbs. tob. with Robert Caufield Surety. Wit., Fra. Mason & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.
- Page 18. 1 July 1679. David Andrews, Jr., qual. Admr. John Flood, dec. Bond, 50,000 lbs. tob., with Tho. Ironmonger & Geo. Foster surety. Wit.: John Thompson & Wm. Edwards Cl. Cur.
- Page 18. 1 July 1679. William Hunt qual Admr. Judah Parker dec. Bond, 50,000 lbs. legal tob. with Wm. Carpinter & Will Nance surety. Wit.: Tho. Pittman, Sr., Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.
- Page 19. 1 July. Joane Adkins qual. Admr. Richard Adkins, dec. Bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob. with Jno. Warren and Thomas Catten sureties. Wit.: Wm. Nance & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.
- Page 19, 1 July 1679, Sion Hill qual, as admr. Jno. Spilltimber dec'd, Bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob., with Joseph Rogers and Jno. Phillips surety. Wit., Benja, Harrison & Wm. Edwards. Cl. Crt.
- Folios are numbered beginning here.
- Fol. 1. 5 March 1671 and recorded the 8th. Phillip Hunniford of Isle of Wight Co., Va., cooper, for love and affection to Lovinge Neece Charles Williams son to my well beloved brother, Rice Williams, dec'd, gives 100 acres of land at the Blackwater extending from N. side of land Joseph Wall lately purchased of me & part of my patt., dated 14 May 1666.
 Wit.: Christo. Holiman, Antho. Evans, Wm. Sherwood.
- Fol. 2. 5 March 1671, and recorded the 8th. Phillip Hunniford as above for consideration of Henry Goard of Launes Creek Parish, Surry Co., Planter, sells 100 acres of land at Blackwater in Surry Co. on N. side of land this day sold to Need Chan. Williams, son-in-land to said Goard, part of land by

- Patt, 14 May 1666.
 Wit.: Christopher Holiman, Anthony Evans, Wm. Shorwood.
- Fol. 3. 22 Jan. 1671. John Dunstant sells Wm. Smith a mare named Tibe, Ackn. 5 March 1671. Rec. 8 March 1671. Wit.: John ffrestone, Wm. Edwards.
- Fol. 3. 22 Jan. 1671. Reed, of Patrick Lesley for 569 lbs. tob. in cask in full of all demands of portion of my wife, Anne, to Arthur Jordan. Wit.: Wm. Walward, Tho. Moore.
- Fol. 3. 2 March 1671. Rec. 8 March 1671. Power of atty. from James Reddick of Surry Co., Planter, to John Salway of same Co. to Implead Jno. Dunstan. Wit.: Tho. Baker, Joh. Baker.
- Fol. 3. 17 Dec. 1671. Jno. Salway of Lawnes Creek Parish, sells Wm. Sherwood 200 acres of land on S. side of James River on W. side head of Lawnes Creek adj. May Hill, Richd. Drew by cart path betwixt Capt. Baker's & the new mill same obtained by a deed 2 Feb. 1668 by Katherine Greene, dec., or by indenture 31 Oct. last from Jno. Dunstan & Mary Redick, co-heirs of Peter Greene, dec. (mentions James Raeddick & Mary his wife & Joh. Dunston.) (Possession delivered in Mansion House of sd Plantation).

 Wit.: Joseph Antrabus, Walter Bartlett, Tho. Lillicrop, Wm. Cockin.
- Fol. 5. 20 Feb. 1671. Wm. Sherwood: letter fro John Scott. States that Capt. Cokerham sent a bill for 1 H H D. bread, was landed at Major Coffeldor's Landing came not on board to pay & next year when I came into ye Cuntery he was desired. Pow. atty, to collect. Mr. Robt.Coffelder informed me he heard Capt. Cokerham acknowledge, etc., when he lay sick etc. Will satisfy you at my coming next year, Geo. Watkins, Clerk.
- Fol. 6. 7 May 1672. 24 year of Ruign of Charles II. Jon. Junstan of Lower Chippoukos, Surry Co., planter, to Arthur Long, planter of sume co., sells all interest in proell of land in Lyons Creeke Psh. which Thos. Clarte purchased of Ralph Dunstan & Hester his wife 1 Sept. 1660, left me by my trother Poleg after the decesse of my brother Ralph Dunstan without Ishew by will of my father John Dunstan.

 Wit.: Cha. Barham, Ran, Holt, Wm. Sherwood.

 Geo. Watkins. Clerk.
- Fol. 7. 11 March 1671. 23 year of Reign of Charles II. Nico. Perry of Chas. Citty County by late marriage with Elesabeth Hutton, daughter of Daniel Hutton, dec., was tenant in dower of land whereof wife stood seized by Mr. Arthur Jordan her guardian indemnified & for leasing land especially from Richard Avery to whom I lett part of same before my said wife died sells all right therein to Arthur Jordan.

 Wit.: Geo. Jordan, John Danby.

Pow. Atty. to Mr. Rich, Welluck to acknowledge in Surry Court, Same witnesses.

- Fol. 9. 15 April 1672. Land Grant Wm. Berkeley to John Davies & Charles Duthace in Rt. of their vives 100 acres formerly granted to Tho. Boswell, Jr. & lagely Escheated. (Endorsed John Davies and William Duthace their pattent for 100 acres of land in Surry Co.)
- Fol. 10. 4 May 1672. Assigned by John Davis, Mary Davis, and Diana Duthace to Richard Briggs of Surry Co., planter.
 Wit.: Law. Baker, Nich. Hill.
 Pow. Atty. Mary Davis, wf of Jno. Davis of Isle of Wight to Capt. Law.
 Baker, Gent. of Surry Co. to acknowledge it in court.
 Wit.: Nic. Hill.
- Fol. 10. 7 May 1672. Wm. Hare makes our 8 head cattle in open court to Capt. Charles Barham & Mr. Arthur Longe, security for orphants estate of George Carter, deceased.

extreme lameness she can in noe wise waite on the court. Wit., N. Wyatt, Wm. Rookings.

- Page 26. 28 April 1673. 20th year of Lord King Charles II, Wm. Hux of Surry County in Va. sells Mr. David Andrews of same Co. 25 acres land in said Co. adjoining lands of said Androws, beginning at Buckmaster's landing at the creek, thence up Buckmaster's run, thence to valley that comes to Thomson's 'levell, etc., to great Hickory in sd Valley marked 4 ways etc. Wit. Wm. Thomson, John Moringe.
- Page 26. 6 Jan. 1672. 24th year of Lord King Chas. II, Thos. Busby sold Tho. Hyard 100 acres in Surry Co. bounding on Reedy Branch to Mr. Joh. Barker's line, thence down to the Southern Run along by Michell Micane's etc. to mouth of Reedy Branch begun...as by my pattent, Ackn. in court on 6 May 1673.

Wit .: Tho. Parker, Wm. Shorte, Tho. Bird.

- Page 26. 6 May 1673. Wm. Shorte of Southwarke Parish, Surry Co., Planter, & Mary Shorte his wife sell Joh. Lindford of Chas. Citty Co., planter, 100 acres on western run which part is Chas, City & Surry Cos, beginning at head of tract Wm. Shorte formerly sold Geo. Middleton & is now purchased by sd Lidford & so S. to utmost bounds of land of Wm. Shorte. Wit., Thos. More. Wm. Seward. Wm. Sherwood.
- Page 27. 6 May 1673. Joh. Clarke receipt to Wm. Newsum acknowledging receipt in full of Estate left me by my deceased father, Richard Clarke.
- Page 27. 6 June 1673. Warrant issued by Tho. Swann to High Sheriff of Surry Co. for that Wm. Sherwood, sub Sheriff, complains that Joh. Price of this Co., planter, hath several times assaulted him & on 19 May last past pursued him with intent to do him bodily harm etc., sd Pryse is a common Quarreler and fighter & a Maineteyner of quarrells and affrays at Co. F. and other publique mooting in this county to arrest to court to be held on Monday the 16th this Instant June.
- Page 27. 23 August 1671. Bond of Timothy Walker to Mr. Antho. Stanford of London, Mercht., for 2 # 16 s. sterling. Wit. : Math. Wilkinson, Joh. Mohum.
- Page 27. 26 May 1673. Inquisition on Plantation now in possession of Mathew Swann Att. Lower Chipaoks in Surry Co. Sworn before Capt. Chas. Barham, High Sheriff of value of plantation less by reason of lease by Capt. John Grove dec. to Gec. Domingo etc. of land 30 acres on which Mat. Swann now lives -- not above 15 acres plantable land for corne or tob. -- noe timber trees fit for bords, poles or stakes--1000 lbs. tob. verdict.
- Page 27. 26 May 1673. Jury of men near Lower Chippoakes...one other of the Jury hath not assented 500 lbs. tob. More.

John Kilpatrick James Murray Wm. Hancoke Wm, Hare Rob. Spenser David Williams

Asters? Humnicutt Wm. Chambers Charles Amry John Kindred John Burnes Artmur Long Page 28. 16 June 1673. To Mr. Garwin Corbin, March, in London, from William

- Berkeley--did last year charge bill of exchange on ye for 50 # sterl, payable to Coll. Thos. Swann if not paid pay him for his order--also another bill of this date for 61 # 16 s. 8 d. Bill follows assignment by Tho. Swann of last bill to Mr. John Beale or his order.
- Page 28. 4 May 1673. Maryland, for 26 # Sterl. bill signed "ye loveing friend Thomas Howell to Coll. Joh. Owen in Crutched friers over against ye lumpe to pay to Coll. Tho. Swann of James River in Virginia in the county of Surry assigned Virginia, 24 June 1673, by ye friend Tho, Swann to Mr. John Beale.

- Page 28. 5 May 1673. "Sr. Ye loveing friend & Servant Thomas Howell," from Raltimore County in Maryland to "My Honerd friend Collonell Thomas Swann in Surry County in Virginia," "Yours by Mr. Wm. Smith I have rec'd" Wm. Smith talked with ye negro bought him at high rate as he ran away etc. as he ye min Willett & if I hears of Hamleton either in Deliware or New Yorke I will lease him etc.
- Page 28. 31 March 1673. Bill signed "Ye loveing Brother Abraham Rowse for L 24 sterl.; addressed to Mrs. Judith Adrian widdow ye backside of ye Royall exchainge as Kensington--to be paid to Coll. Tho. Swann, Esqr. "A second bill recorded, dated 14 June 1673, signed exactly as above for £ 11.9.0 sterl.: addressed to Mrs. Judith Adrian Liveninge att Kinsington neare Londone." Both of above assigned by Tho, Swann to Mr. John Beale 24 June 1673.
- Page 29. 2 Sept. 1673. John LeGrand of Southwark Parish, Surry Co., Va., Planter, sells Wm. Sherwood of Lawnes Creek Parish, Surry Co., Va., Gent., 180 acres on which I lately dwelt att or neare Upper Chippoakes adj. the S. E. line of Mr. Simond's land W.S.W. upon land of Henry Francis S.E. upon S.W. branch of Burchan Swamp, etc. Wit. : John Parker. George Proctor.
- Page 29. 1 Aug. 1673. Wm. Thompson, Clerk, and Katherine Thomson his wife to Joh. Salway hath of Surry Co. for 6000 lbs. tob. sell that parcel of land comonly called Christo, Lewis nigh the Church at the head of Gray's Creek guessed to be about 70 acres bounded E. by line of marked trees running through Andrew's his old field. Southerly by the swamp which parts ad land from Joh. Whitson's land, Wh. is bounded with a valley running betwixt Wm. Foreman's & the said land N. with young buke Mizell's line of marked trees. Wit.: William Corker, Wm. Parker, Geo. Watkins, Mathias Marriott, Tho. Andrews.
- Page 30. 14 Aug. 1673. Richard Tias solls Joh, Salway (both of Surry Co.) For a valuable sum 100 acros in Surry Co. migh Gray's Crock same on which Tias now doth live bounding on land Salway lately bought of Mathias Marriott westerly, being 1/2 of land taken up by one Twy? & by sd Twy? sold to Tias, the other 1/2 comenly called Capt. Wm. Corker, bounds according to patent. Witness to possession gives Stephen Sheafe, Tho, Tias-Rich, Tias also assigns all his interest in the other 100 acres of above devidend specified to be called Capt, Corker's for above amount to sd Joh, Salway same date, same witnesses.
- Page 30, 23 July 1673. Mat. Marriott & Alice Marriott his wife sell Joh. Salway for "a Certain piece of land & 10,000 lbs, tob, & caske & more" all that tract of land on which he now lives which was "formerly in possession of $^{
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 m T}$. Tho. Warren, comonly called Smith's Forte & Saynes" being 400 acres or above bounded on Gray's Creek, son widdow Gilbert's land & Wm. Marriott's land E. with Rich. Tias his land bounding on the Swamp beyond Stephen Allen's N. Mr. Barrett's land, the whole devident being on S. side of James River in Surry Co., Va., the land which Mathias Marriott hath in pte, payment for aforesd land lyoth in Surry Co. & formerly belonged to Kett Lewis & sold sd Salway by Mr. Wm. Thomson.

Wit .: George Proctor, Wm. Thomson. Possession given 30 July 1673. Wit .: Samuell Plowe, Roy Williams.

- Page 31, 23 July 1673. Jno. Selway & Eliza Selaway his wife sell Mathias Marriott, same described on p. 20. Same witnesses at last above.
- Page 31. 2 Sept. 1673. Lease; 25 year of King Chas. II. Wm. Hare of Lawnes Creek Psh., Surry Co., Va., carpenter, & Mary Hare his wife late Admx. of her late husband Ger. Carter, dec., & Wm. Oldis of sd psh, and co., planter; whereas Geo. Carter was in his lifetime possessed in fee of a tract of land in lower Chippeaks in L. C. P., Surry Co., comonly called Carter's land, containing over 100 acres, and by his last will gave sd Mary his wife 1/2

Page 144. 7 4br. 1677. Deposition of Rowland Davies concerning Robert Kae touching his Tithables. Kae had four men servants called James Johnson, Jno. Collins, Evan Humphrey, and John Esquire, also one negro woman called Judy, and Kae himself and myself (being Davies) and Kae a son called Robert Kae.

Roger Delke, about 48 years, testified to the same.

Page 144. 4 8ber 1677. Thos. Watson, aged 30, testified about Owen Myrick, at the house of Fra. Mason. Thomas Gibbons, aged 30, testified also.

Page 145. 15 Nov. 1677. Wm. Gray and John Gray of Surry County, Joint heirs of Thomas Gray, their Brother, deceased, for 4000 lts. tobacco sell to Thomas Swann, Esq., 100 acres of land at Smith's Fort Creek, or Gray's Creek.

Wit. : Thos. Busby, Robert Penny.

Page 149. Deposition of Alice Marriott, aged 32 years, about a conversation with Wm. Freeman, Lawrence Meazle, Katherine Witherington, and Thos. High, in which Coll. Swann was called "Old Rebell, or Traytor" etc. Katherine Witherington, aged 31, swore to same, as did also Lawrence Meazle, aged 26 years.

Page 149. 6 Feb. 1676. List of pardoned Rebells in the "Late Disloyal Rebellious Collony," etc.

Walter Vahan William Jones Ni. Johnson Jno. Hunnicutt Ja. Forbes Richard Green? Stephen Lewis Jno. Clements Jno. Skinner Thos. King Wm. Newitt Wm. Heath Thos. Senior Jno. Garvett Samuel Plowe Juo. Pulystone Geo. Williams Rob. Evans Wm. Blunt Edward Pettway Mayow? Magnus The. Cibbons Alex. Spenser Cor. Cordonpaine Wn. Bugby Hen. Baker Geo. Proctor John Shelton Fra. Evans Robt. Judkins John Phillips, Sr. Samuel Judkins Edmund Howell Wm. Pettway Edward Davis Thos. High Jonas Bennett Geo. Harris Stephen Allen Thos. Pittman. Sr.

Page 150. 16 9ber 1677. John Gary, of London, moving, appoints Benjamin Harrison of Surry County of James River in Virginia his true and Lawful Attorney to collect debts.

Signed: Tim Briggs, Notary Publique.

Wit. : Henry Briggs, John Warner, Timothy Walker.

Page 150. 15 Sept. 1679. Christopher Foster, aged 27, makes deposition that he was at Coll. Swann's house the same day ye late Gov. Sr. Wm. Berkeley sallied out of townej Coll. Swann, thinking ye county in some danger, sent Deponent to Mr. Busby's to see if any Guards were kept there and wanted to speak to Busby, but found only Mrs. Busby at home, a woman, two men, and Wm. Pickerell, a lame man, etc.

Page 151. 20 June 1677. Robert Welbeck of great Marlowe, Buckinghamshire, apothecary, makes Wm. Browne, of James River, in Va., Gentlemen, his Attorney to collect money, etc., in Virginia.
Wit,: Samuel Looke, Robert Mitford, Thos. Grewe.

Page 154. 14 day of 9ber 1677. John Bird appoints his wife, Ann Bird, his Attorney.

Wit, & Samuel Mathows.

Page 154. 15 9ber 1677. Richard Hill constitutes Elias Osborne his lawful Attorney.

Wit. : Kerper? Miller, Hannah Pickerell.

Page 15). 15 9ber 16??. Mm. Kitto, aged 38, swore that Susannah Jones, widow of said Jones, before her death was at the home of the Deponent and said that if she did not go to liver with Henry Baker, she must perish for her son, Mi. Johnson, "grutched ye victuals she ate," etc. Therefore she would give what she had to Henry Baker and leave her child, Alice, to sd Baker.

Dorothy Killo, aged 34, swore to same.

Page 155. 18 March 1676/7. The following testified that the dead body of Mary Gasgoville, servant to Jno. Salway, found in the Marsh at Gray's Creek, drowned herself. Signed by:

Wm. Blunt Jno. Smith
Jno. Clements Alex. Spenser
Thos. Kinge Jno. Vinson
Henry Watkins Henry Baker
Stephen Aston Edward Pettway
Edmond Howell Jno. Smith
Thos. Pittman, Sr. James Forbes

Page 155. 16 9ber 1677. Deposition of Thomas Shrewsby, aged 44, in regard to being forced from his habitation; went to John Rutherford's. John Rogers, and Mr. Wm. Rockings, who were then Chief Commander. Mr. John Salway's house was locked, but opened by John Rutherford, Jno. Rogers, and others, entered and drank wine, etc. Mic. Witherington, aged 30, testified to same.

Page 156. 13 April 1676. Capt. Robert Spenser ordered the body of Ann Amy, wife of John Amy, found dead by the Swamp side near her home to be viewed. Signed: Robert Ruffin Hen. Hunnicutt

Hobert Ruffin Hen. Hunnicutt
Wm. Powsum Timothy (Walker?)
Joseph Rogers Wm. Chamble
Polog Unnstone Alchard Prime
Jno. Kindred Thos. Lane
Ralph Houlston Wm. Baiden
Jno. Hodge

Page 156. 4 Aug. 1677. John Senior sells to Wm. Edwards land adjoining Fra.

Wit.: Francis Everist, Wm. Thompson

Page 157. 3 9ber 1677. Stephen Lewis sells to Wm. Edwards a Molatto boy, Kiketan, seven years old, for 1000 lbs. of tobacco. Wit,: Jno. Phillips, Nicholas Johnson, Lewis Williams.

Page 157. 14 9ber 1677. Septhen (sic) Lewis sells to Wm. Edwards 50 acres bought of John Price, Price bought of Thos. Senior, 1674. Sold by John Price and wife Mary to sd. Lewis.
Wit.: Robert Spenser, Robert Ruffin.

Page 158, 10 9ber 1670. Julian Allam and Herbert Ferrell sell to Stephen Lewis a horse; Stephen Lewis sells to John Edwards. Wit,: Wm. Edwards, Tho. Hone?

Page 158. 5 Nov. 1677. Gov. Herbert Jeffries for the better Administration of Justice in the county, etc., to appoint Inferior Courts of Justice and Commissioners for the same. On the 28 June 1642, Commissioners were appointed for every county for keeping monthly courts, and since continued.

On the 2 March 1661, it was said eight men, the most honest and Judicious in the County, eight, or four of them a Quorum, etc. Some to be empowered out of Court to act and do all such things as by ye Laws of England and to be done by Justices of the Peace thereof. These take the oath of allegiance. Now two more persons to be added.

Lt. Col. Geo. Jordan

Capt. Lawrence Baker

- Page 172. 7 May 1678. Thos. Sowerby gave John Collier son of John Collier, deceased, a yearling, and wants it recorded.
- Page 172. 14 Sept. 1677. A contract of marriage between Jno. Rawlings and Mary Collier.
- Page 173. 7 May 1678. Indenture between Richard Blow and Robert Caufield for 5000 lbs, tobacco, land on Blackwater called "Blow's Land." Wit., Jnc. Goring, Jnc. White.
- Page 175. 7 May 1678. Deposition of Jeremiah Ellis, aged 35 years, sworn said that Henry Francis, the younger, was born in the year 1660 in November.
- Page 175. 7 May 1678. Deposition of Robert Howes, aged 64 years, that Henry Francis was born the same year that the king was proclaimed.
- Page 176. 7 May 1678. Indenture between Wm. Harris, the only son of Thomas Harris, of Surry County and Thomas Jarroll, for 1500 lbs. of tobacco sells 100 acres of land on...College Run...bounding on the head line of William Newsum, and Robert Ruffin in Wm. Newett's line, etc.
 Wit. Robt. White, Jno. Goring, Jno. White.
- Page 178. 8 May 1678. Herbert Jeffries, Gov. of Virginia, a Proclamation, or letter states that Capt. Arthur Allen and Mr. Robert Caufield as Members of a Court, held at Southwarke for the county of Surry, had opposed the order that Capt. Swamm should be High Sheriff of the County, and "Filled the eares of the People in a full Court with Amasion't and doubt but drew the rest of the Commissioners to Comply with them," which...was a bad example, etc., and suspends Robert Caufield and Capt. Arthur Allen from sitting in the Commission or any other Majesterial authority, etc. Swann's Point 8 May 1678.
- Page 180. 16 Feb. 1677. James Barrett, of James Citty County, son and heir of Capt. William Barrett, sells to Maj. William White, of James Citty County, Land granted by Patent to "My said father," 2000 acres in Surry County on Crouches Creek.

 Wit.: Sherwood, Enoch Woodward, Henry Bates.
- Page 181. 1 March 1677. Indenture between Thomas Blunt and Richard Wachington of the one part, and John Goreing of the other part. Whoreas Charles Ford was in his lifetime and at his death, in possession of 250 acres of land, 50 acres held of the King by Patent 19 May 1638, James Citty...at Dancing Point...upon Col. John Flood, lately in possession of Nath. Knight, dec'd., granted to Charles Ford, the first Proprietor, Charles Ford died without a will and land escheated to the King...went to Thos. Blunt and Richard Washington then orphans and sons-in-law unto Charles Ford, and now to Jno. Goring.
- Page 182. 20 April 1678. Indenture between Robert Burgess, blacksmith and Mr. John Mooring and Mr. Geo. Proctor of Surry County, Robt. Burgess having been kept in prison in said county...at entreaty of Burgess, Geo. Proctor and John Mooring became bound to Capt. Arthur Allen for payment of same etc., etc., and Robert Burgess was delivered out of prison with consent of Ann, his wife, sells all that land where Burgess now lives on Chipoakes Creek, 112 acres, houses, building, etc., to Jno. Mooring and Geo. Proctor. Signed: Robt. Burgess, and Ann Burgess.
 Wit.; John Weaver, Jno. King. 17 July 1678.
- Page 183. 5 March 1677. Depositions of Wm. Simmons, aged 29, that he was at the house of Henry Francis and was requested by him to go to Thomas Bentlie's etc. Deposition of Wm. Lucas, aged 23, to the same. 5 March 1677.
- Page 184. 12 7ber 1678. Mary Clutterbuck of the Island of Barbadoes, in America, widdow, appoints...her friend, Thomas Jordan of Virginia, Cent., her attorney to receive from John Whiddom, otherwise John Whitney of Virginia debts. etc. Wit.: Ni. Meriweather. John Parrocke, John Watkins

Page 185. 8ber 1678. James Stringfellow owes debt. Appoints his friend Jno. Phillips his Atty.
Wit.: Lewis Williams,

- Page 186. 10 Aug. 1678. Indenture between John Barker, Sr., of Martin Brandon in Charles City County, planter, of the one part, and Benjamin Harrison of the other part, land in Surry County at the head of Chipoaks Creek, where he formerly lived. Pat. 18 Dec. 1662, 1800 acres for 16,000 lbs, of tob. Signed: John Barker, Ann Barker.

 Wit.: Elias Osborne. Jethro Barker.
- Page 187. 12 7ber 1678. Mr. Edward Bland, merchant, Lawnes Creek Parish, in Va., had certain possessions, whereas after the death of Edward Bland, Mr. Theodorick Bland, late of Westover in Charles City County, one of His Majesties Commissioners of State of Virginia, afterwards deceased, and Theodoric Bland, by power from John Bland and Co., calling to account all who were indebted to Edward Bland in America, and England, John Barker, Sr., purchased of Theodorick Bland 1800 acres of land, and was confirmed to Benjamin Harrison by John Barker and Ann, his wife.

 Wit.: Wm. Simmons, David Phillips, Henry Francis, Humphrey Folph?
- Page 190. 5 9ber 1678. George Branch, Jr., of Isle of Wight Co., Va., planter, marrying Mrs. Susannah Corker, daughter of Capt. Corker of the county of Yorke, deceased; Whereas Wm. Corker by a deed of gift, 20 Nov. 1673, confirmed to Mrs. Eliza White and Mrs. Mary White, sisters, land in Surry County, which land was to be equally divided between Elizabeth and Mary White as directed in the deed. Now, since the gift, Eliza is deceased and her father desired the bequest to second daughter. Susannah "my now wife" and Robert Spenser, Cent., married sd Eliza White and now is to have half the estate.

Wit.: John Goring, George Proctor.

- Page 191. 5 9ber 1678. George Vahan gives a heifer to his son Stephen Vahan by deed of gift.
- Page 193. 5 9ber 1678. Capt. Wm. Corker, dec'd., gave to John Vinsent 50 acres of land in Surry County on Johnsychawkin Swamp. Now George Branch, Jr., and Susannah his wife, one of the daughters and coheirs of sd William Corker, deceased, confirms to John Vinsent the 50 acres aforesaid.
 Wit., Robort Sponsor, Ni. Moriwenther.
- Page 194. 15 9ber 1678. Jno. Flood marrying Mary Creeds received full satisfaction of John Warring for his wife's estate, and acknowledges it, and acquits Warring.

 Signed: Jno. Flood.

Wit.: Jno. Rawlings, Ar. Jordan.

- Page 194, 30 Dec. 1678. Thos. Sowerby, Jno. Watkins, Sam Judkins and John King, Grand Jury, present to the Court, Thos. Hunt and Robert Lee for not attending church. Also Thomas Senior, Edward Davis, Jno. Hewliston, Nich. Johnson, Robt. Evans, Walter Vawhan, Richard Tyas, Jr., preferred by Tho. Crews. Martin Thorn, Nich. Wilson, Math. Swan, Robert Kae, Grand Jury in the Lower Parish, present not attending church: Jno. Bynam, John Shepheard, Danlel Wade a vagrant and not settled and not attending church.
- Page 194. 23 Jan. 1678. Will of Mary Simmons deceased, presented in Court by Maximiliam Mansfell.
- Page 195. 6 Jan. 1678. Francis Taylor, lame for 32 days, desires Mr. Osborne to appear for him in court with a sait against Coll. Swann.
- Page 196. 14 Feb. 1678. Petition of Daniel Wade, of Abingdon Parish, Gloucester County, free planter, unto Rt. Hon. Sir Wm. Berkeley, Capt. Gen. of Virginia, stating that at a General Muster in said County, 3 Feb. 1672, and in service, his gun exploded and he lost one of his hands and (is) incapable of service; desires release from service and of paying

Thos. High Thos. Binns

Henry Baker James Warren

Page 229. 17 Feb. 1678/9. Power of Atty, branted to Sarah Bland before Nicholas Hayward, Notary in London; she wife to John Bland, merchant in London, Sarah Bland now bound from London to Virginia and principally Mr. Bernard Sykes and Mr. Dodd and take in...Plantations of Bartlett Kin, Herring Creeke Mill, Jordains, Westover, Upper Chipoaks, Sunken Marsh Plantation, Basses Vhoice, James Towne Lott, Lawnes Creek and all other land and Plantations due, owing, or belonging to sd. John Bland, etc., etc., administrator on Theodorick Bland, late of Bartlett Upon James River in Charles City County, Va., merchant, deceased.

Wit.: Anthony Fenn, Robert Mittford, Edward Montaigne, Thomas Tanner, Humph. Hegynison?

Page 230. 6 Oct. 1679. Sarah Bland, Atty, and wife of John Bland, confirms to Walter Bartlett all purchases made by him from Giles Bland.
Wit.: Robert Caufield, John Mower.
Confirms to Edward Tanner, likewise. 4 9ber 1679.
On back of this deed was written warrant of Atty. to Richard Clarke, Sheriff,

Page 233. 26 9ber 1679. Charles Moryson writes to his friend, Mr. Robert Caufteld, merchant, excusing himself for not writing from Col. Bridger's concerning Mr. Goring's estate. Said he forgot, being just leaving the country, full of troubles and distractions, as he was bound for New Yorke with the Indyans wch came from Barmudus, who I am commanded to carry to the abovesaid place, etc." He stated that he wished Caufield to secure the Rapier, Pistolls, and Holsters he had lent Mr. Goring, etc. Signed; Ch. Moryson.

Page 235. 6 May 1679. Acct. of Est. of Jno. Barton, deceased.

Page 236. 9 9ber 1679. On the back of a Patent for 250 acres of land granted to Robert House, dated 14 March 1666, is written that Robt. House, Sr., for 4000 lbs. of tobbacco, paid by John Warren, sells to John Warren, his heirs, etc.

Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Jeremiah Ellis.

to acknowledge the indenture.

Page 236. 18 Dec. 1679. A Jury was summoned at the house of Henry Clarke, in Hog Island, to inquire into the death of a child, being left alone fell into the fire.

Timothy Easell, Sr. Wm. Prosser Walter Eartlett Henry Clarke Thos. Edwards Charles Amry Edward Tanner George Easell Jason Skinner Jno. Barnes Wm. Hancocke Owen <u>Mise?</u>

Page 238. 4 9ber 1679. Thos. Busby explains that on the 20 June 1677 he sold an Indian girl of nine years as a slave to Wm. Duke. Wm. Duke died before the sale was consummated and Wm. Archer married the Relict and administratrix of Wm. Duke. He confirms the sale of the Indian girl, Bess, to Wm. Archer.

Wit. 1 John Tirrey, Dorothy Tirrey.

Page 239. 15 Dec. 1679. Fra. Lord, of the Parish of Wallingford, in James Citty County, etc.....whereas Edward Gunnell owned 1426 acres of land in Surry County, by Beaver Dam Swamp...was Patent from Sir Wm. Berkeley 8 9ber 1670, and sold to Wm. Stento, 731 acres and Wm. Stanton died before acknowledging the deed, although in his Will he gave the land to his wife, Dorothy, and Fra. Lord, having married sd. Dorothy has become the rightful owner of said land as Wm. Stanton had sold the 713 acres to Henry Eriggs, and confirms to Henry Briggs the same etc.

Signed: Fra. Lord.

Wit.: Jno. Hamelin, Robert Netherland.

Page 241. 31 May 1678. On the back side of a lease of 50 acres of land, leased by Andrew Robinson to Jno. Clay for 99 years, dated 1 March 1661, was written that Roger Archer married the Relict and Executrix of Mr. Ino. Clay, late of Isle of Wight County, exor. of Mr. John Clay, Sr., deceased, sells to Mr. Arthur Allen of Surry Co., all their right and claim to the 50 acres.

Signed: Robert Archer, Mary Archer. Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Fra. Mason.

Page 243. 15 Dec. 1679. Wm. Sawards, Atty. for Thos. Robley, states that Henry Willis ones him eight barrels of corn, but is privily departed out of the country, attaches Henry Willis' Est. This est. of Henry Willis in the hands of Joseph Malden.

Signed: Wm. Foreman, Baycliffe.

Page 246. 28 9ber 1679. Ind. between John Bynum and Richard Jordan, Land on which John Bynam bought of George Blow, 600 acres. Signed: John Bynam, Rose Bynam. Wit.: Richard Jordan, Jr., Richard Lane, Rich. Blow.

Page 248. 6 Jan. 1679. Francis Taylor makes Richard Ruffin his Atty.

Page 248. 1 Jan. 1679. Elizabeth Rochell makes Jno. King her Atty. to get an order against Capt. Nicholas Wyat, exor. of William Rockings, deceased, in Surry County for money due her late husband, deceased. Wit. Wm. Phillips, John Willson.

Page 248. 29 Dec. 1678. Jno. Baxter, of Charles Citty County, appts. Jno. King his atty. between himself and Edward Farned in Surry County Court. Wit.; Margaret Ellis, Luke Meazle.

Page 248. 25 9ber 1679. Thos. Robley makes Mr. Wm. Edwards his Atty, to collect money in Surry County.
Wit.: Robert Penny, James Ellis.

Page 248. 5 Jan. 1679. Owen Myrick appoints his wife, Mary, his Atty.

Page 249. 12 Dec. 1679. Edward Farned appts. Elias Osborne his Atty. Signed: Wm. Crabb. Wit.: Benj. Harrison, John Tirrey.

Page 250. 27 Feb. 1679. William Lyle, of Southwarke Par., married Judah, only daughter of Rowland Hudson, of Lawnes Creek Parish, deceased, and now sells to John Smith and to his heirs land purchased by Rowland Hudson and Wm. Hancocke of George Blow and Margaret, his wife; deed dated 7 May 1664, and by sd. Hancocke to the heirs, etc., of Rowland Hudson; deed 27 April 1667, and now sold to John Smith.

Signed; Wm. Lile, Judia Lile.

Wit: Thos. Pittman, Sr., John Gaiffing? Rec.: 2 March 1679.

Page 250. 2 March 1679. Ind. between Richard Blow of Blackwater in Surry County, and Micholas Seesam (Sessoms), 100 acres of land on Green Swamp. Wit.: Ni. Smith, Sion Hill.

Page 252. 31 Oct. 1677. Ind. between Robt. Parke, Clarke, and Mary, his wife, and Wm. Gray for a grist Water Mill, "Bushell's Mill," and ground on which it stands, etc.

Rec.: 10 May 1680.
Wit.: Fra. Taylor, John Mathyson, Will. Evans.
On the back of this deed was an assignment by Wn. Gray to Robert Kae of Isle of Wight County, and Mi. Willson of Surry, 23 Aug. 1679.

Page 255. 27 May 1680. Jasper Gransome appoints his wife Elizabeth his Atty.... Signed: Jas. Gransume. Wit.: Bartholomew Figgers, Wm. Hunt.

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- Page 255. 14 May 1680. Elizabeth Gransome appoints Thos. Jordan her Atty.
- Page 255. 28 May 1660. Mr. Robert Caufield is appointed High Sheriff of Surry County, by Henry Chickley.
- Page 256. 10 May 1680. Gov. Thos. Culpeper makes Proclamation empowering all Civill Magistrates and Militia to execute their respective powers and commands as given them by Rt. Hon. Sr. Henry Chickley, His Majesties Deputy Governor. etc.
- Page 257. 30 July 1680. Ind. between Wm. Harris, only son of Thomas Harris, late of Lawnes Creek Parish, Surry County, deceased, and Mary his wife, and Thomas Jarrell...100 acres of land a lease for $98\frac{1}{2}$ years (7 May 1678) now makes void the lease and they sell Thomas Jarrell 120 acres of land part of 850 acres, formerly granted to Thos. Harris, deceased. Pat. 13 Feb. 1657, etc.

Wit.: Robt. Ruffin, Wm. Newsum,

- Page 258. 19 July 1680. Phillip Shelly married Ann Mason, acknowledges to have received of Jno. Sugar as marrying ye Relict and extx. of Thos. Clay, deceased, due to Wm. Shelly by a bond of Thos. Claye in the Clerk's office of Surry County, and is satisfied; acquits Jno. Sugar from same.
- Page 259. 6 July 1680. John Smith, Lawnes Creek Parish, and wife, Mary, sell to Thos. Barrow 150 acres of land, conveyed by Wm. Lyle and wife Judah, sd. Fra. Mason's land and Jno. Bynam in Green Swamp.
 Wit.: Ni. Smith. Will Seward.
- Page 260. 6 July 1680. Thomas Pittman, Sr., makes a deed of gift to Wm. Pittman, son of Thomas Pittman, Jr.; gift is a heifer.
- Page 261. 3 June 1680. Peter Field of Hemrico County appoints Elias Osborne his Atty, to prosecute Thos. Pittman at court in Surry Co. Wit, 1 Thos. Jordan, Will, Simmons.
- Page 261. 25 May 1680. I, Jnc. Epps, exec. of my father, Jnc. Epps, deceased appoints Elias Osborne his attorney.
 Signed: John Epes.
 Mit.: N. Wyatt. Wm. Harrison.
 - Page 264. 8 7ber 1680. Ann Dennis makes over to her son-in-law, Abraham Evans all her right in 60 acres of land sd Evans is now possessed with, part of a parcel of land I bought of John Legran...adj. Jno. Harris, Wm. Simmons, and Jeremiah Ellis.

Wit.: Jeremiah Ellis, Elizabeth Simmons.

- Underneath a conveyance of land sold by John LeGrand to Ann Dennis on 1 March 1671, recorded in Surry County 9 May 1672, was written, Ann Dennis sells to Wm. Lucas one-half of abovesaid land.
- Page 265. 4 8ber 1680. Nicholas Hoskins has privately departed the county, owes Robt, Caufield, who attaches the est.
- Page 271. 30 Aug. 1670. Ind. between Charles Barham, of the one part & Joseph Rogers of the other part, land granted Capt. Cockerham and to Barham by Joint Patent, 14 May 1666. "Pocatinck."
- Page 272. 9 Oct. 1680. Ind. between Thos. Senior and Thos. High for 113 acres of land granted to Thos. Senior by Patent 20 April last past, Wit. Mary White. Fra. Mason.
- Page 272. 30 8ber 1680. Ind. between Wm. Sherwood, of James Citty Co., and wife Ratchell and William Carpinter, of Surry County, land where John Le Grand formerly lived and Wm. Sherwood purchased of Le Grand, 180 acres. Wit.: Robert Jones, James Bibgley.
 - On back of this, Ratchell Sherwood empowers her nephew Maj. Samuel Swann to acknowledge the deed as her voluntary act.

- Page 273. 25 8ber 1680. On Complaint of Jno. Clarke, the Estate of John Miller, departed out of the county, is attached.
- Page 274. 7 April 1680. Ind. between Thos, Busby and wife Susannah, and Daniel floom for land on Chipoakes Creek, adjoining Wm. Short, 100 acres. This sale, later disputed, because the land was claimed to be in a tract belonging to Wm. Bird of Martins Brandon, deceased. Paid Thos. Bird the difference.
- Page 275. 12 9ber 1680. Robert House's patent, dated 14 May 1666, was conveyed to Jno. Warren, and John Warren conveyed it to Owen Myrick. Signed: Jno. Warren, Mawdlin Warren. Wit.: Wm. Thompson. Elias Osborne.
- Page 276, 29 Oct. 1680. Deed of gift of a heifer from Hannah Holton to her godson, Edward Browne,
- Page 276. 9ber 1680. Jno. Pittford stated that Jno. Atkinson, godfather to Sarah Pittford, gave her a cow and a calf. Jnc. Pittford acknowledges the receipt of it.
- Page 278. 4 Jan. 1680. Maj. Samuel Swann, and wife Sarah, sell to Roger Williams, 248 acres of land, a Patent to Swann, 18 ber(?) 1668.
- Page 279, 7 Jan. 1678. Wm. Sherwood and Thos. Moore became security for the payment due the orphans for the payment due the orphans of Peter Bagley, and John Litford, who married the Helict of said Bagley, did...bind over all his rest estate, and the land of Lidford, deceased, escheated. Now, the orphan Peter Bagley, Jr., gives power Attorney to Hugh Bagley, his brother, to possess themselves of the est., which John Litford possessed and they will recover 250 acres of land in Surry County.
 Wit.: Robert Kae, Ro. Evans, Walter Bartlett.
- Page 279. 15 March 1680. Edward Norwood appoints Elias Osborne his Atty. Richard Case. Thos. Howe.
- Page 279. 24 Jan. 1680. Thos. Hunt appts. Elias Osborne his Atty.
- Page 279. Susannah Busby, wife to Thos. Busby, makes Charles Gardner her Attorney.
- Page 280. 1 May 1680, Roger Williams, and wife Mary, sell to Richard Blow 60 acres of land bought of Maj. Samuell Swann and Sarah his wife.
- Page 282. 16 April 1681. Arthur Allen and Wm. Newsum sell to Jno. Leer, of Nansemond County, 432 acres of land on Blackwater River. Katherine Allen, and Ann Newsum, wives to the above men, relinquish their dower. Wit. 1 Wm. Swett.
- Page 283. 3 May 1681. William Shivers acknowledges receipt of all his estate from his Guardian, Mr. Wm. Carpinter.
- Fage 28). 28 Feb. 1680. Elinor Eliote appoints Elias Osborne her Atty. Thos. Wallis, Thos. Marshall.
- Page 283. 19 May 1681. Owen Myrick makes Elias Osborne his Attorney. Lancelot Beck, Thos. Wallis.
- Page 286, 15 June 1681. Jno, Vincent makes deed of gift to Francis Sowerby, orphant of Francis Sowerby, deceased, of a cow calfe.
- Page 287. 15 June 1681. Thos. Wiggins withdraws his account with Elinor Elliott.
- Page 287. 5 July 1681. George Lee, once resident of Surry County, is now in James Citty County. Any business with him will be done at James Towne, in James Citty County.

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-1684 Miles

tobacco paid by Wm. Hunt, two necks of land on the N. E. side of Gravelly Run Branch, 100 acres bounded by Gravelly Run Bottom, to Thomas Piddenton, to Round Island, to land of Wm. Knott, being part of a divident where I now live, with houses, etc.

Thos, Piddenton, Thos. Hux. Wife relinquishes her dower.

- Page 312. 6 7ber 1682. Wm. Chivers indenture and Bill of Sale, planter, for 1750 lbs. of merchantable tobacco paid by Thos. Piddenton, cooper, one neck of land, containing by estimation 100 acres on the south side of Gravelly Runn Bottom Branch, including all the land without the said branch run, extending to Mr. Benj. Harrison's line...to Wm. Knott's line, part of a divident where I now live, 100 acres with houses, orchards, etc.

 Wm. Rose, Edward Pettway.

 Wife relinquishes dower.
- Page 313. 5 day 7ber 1682. On the back side of a conveyance of land from Jno. Smith to Thos. Mathas, 3 Jan. 1680. Rec.: 19 Jan. 1680, was written Conveyed to Alexander More, or his heirs, 5 day 7br 1682.

 Test.: Nich. Smith, Peter Michell.

 Signed Thomas Mathas (or Mather).
- Page 313. On the back side of a conveyance of land from Jno. Smith to Alex. More, Mary, wife of Jno. Smith, Relinquished her dower. Dated 3 Jan. 1680.
- Page 313. 7 7ber 1682. This day appeared in Court Mary, wife of Alex. More, and relinquished her dower in a deed of land sold by her husband to Hen. Baker.
- Page 313, 5 day 7ber 1682. Alex. Moore to Henry Baker. Sammel Thompson, Richard Andrews.
- Page 314. 10 May 1682. Ind. between Hezekiah Bunnell, of Surry County, and Richard Jones of Martin's Brandon, Charles Citty County, with the consent of Jane, his wife, 150 acres of land bought from Jeremiah Ellis 31 Xber 1677, for 3400 lbs. of good tobacco. Nich. Smith, Walter Flood. 5 7ber 1682. Signed: Hezekiah Bunnell, Joane Bunhill.
- Page 314. 5 7ber 1682. Edward Pettway sells to his daughter Joyce Fiveash, a parcell of land, 50 acres, part of the land I live on at the head of Crouch's Creek and Hogpen Swamp, to Henry Hart's land.
 Thomas Edwards, William Edwards.
- Page 315. 5 7ber 1682. Biward Pettway to son Wm. Pettway, sells 80 acres part of the land I live on, beginning at the head of Thunderbolt Valley... to the land of Henry Hart, to Great Swamp, to branch of Grouch's Creek. Thomas Edwards, William Edwards.
- Page 315. 5 7ber 1682. Alex. Moore, of Surry County, Virginia, to Thos. Mather of the same county, a parcell of land formerly taken up by Maj. Marriott, lying upon Nicholas Sessums on the Swamp, to the mouth of Bold Robin's Branch, for 99 years, for a valuable consideration. Nick. Smith, Thos. White.
- Page 316. 6 7ber 1682. Hobert Caufield, and Eliza, his wife, for 4400 lbs. of tobacco sell to Joseph Wall a tract of land on the Main Blackwater Swamp, 2250 acres, granted by patent to Caufield...to land granted to Thos. Warren, south by Blackwater, west by Deep Branch, 500 acres more or less. Ro. Caufield, Eliza. Caufield. Philip Shelley, Edward Pamoest?
- Page 318. 7 9ber 1682. John Rogers, Sr., appoints his wife, Mary Rogers ye elder, his lawful attorney to collect his debts etc. Josiah <u>Hacume?</u>, John Rogers, Younger, Jnc. Rogers, Jr., made oath to same.

Page 319. 7 9ber 1682. Roger Gilbert, of Surry County, Colony of Virginia, planter, sells to Alex. More of said County, half of my land at the head of Gray's Greek near the mouth of the Swamp called Warrelow's Swamp and the land of Sam. Thompson.

Wm. Thompson, Saml. Thompson, Katherine Thompson.

Page 319. 7 9ber 1682. Alex. Moore assigned to Jno. Thompson.
Alexander Moore, Mary Moore,
Hen, Baker, John Giles.

- Page 319. 12 Xber 1682. Robert Burgess of Upper Chipoakes appoints Elias Osborne his Attorney in a suit between me and Mr. Rumbell. 7 9ber 1682. Bartholomew Figgers, Jno. Battell.
- Page 319. Owen Myrick appoints Elias Osbourne his Lawful atty, in a suit against Ralph Poole. 6 6ber 1682.
- Page 320. 7 9ber 1682. Roger Gilbert, planter, sells to Micholas Witherington for 4000 lbs. of tobacco, 75 acres of land lying between Gray's Creek ...the Upper Parish, one-half of a greater quantity...the other moiety already disposed of to Ellexander More, adjoining certain land known as Smith's Fort, the which land is in possession of Joseph Malden, from Smith's Fort to the adjoining line, the whole tract sold by me to the above mentioned Ellexander More, and the said Nicholas Witherington, the first above mentioned 75 acres to be possessed by Nicholas Witherington with manor dwelling house and orchard, etc.

Wit., Rich. Clarke, Robert Penny, Thos. Waller, Ri. Lane.

Page 320. 7 9ber 1682. Roger Williams for 4500 lbs. of Tobacco paid by Jno. Collins sells him a parcell of land containing 200 acres, part of the land I bought of Maj. Samuel Swann, 4 March 1680, the other part by me sold formerly to Richard Blow, this being the whole of the before mentioned parcell of land bought, except Blow's, is bounded by a patent for the whole, by me assigned to said Collins (Blow's only excepted) to Jno. ollins.

Will Evans, Wm. Edwards
Mary, wife of Roger Williams, relinquishes her dower.

Page 321. 3 9ber 1682. Indenture between Thos. Weller of Surry County, and Richard Lane of the other, for 210 acres of land in the Lower Par. of said county, 420 acres lately taken up by said Waller on the North side of Deep Branch, West to Robert Caufield's South to Thomas Waller, East to John Binum.

Signed: Thos. Waller, Mary Waller. Wit.: John Coker, Wm. Pitman, Richard Jordan, Sr.

Page 321. 4 9ber 1682. Lancelott Beck appointed Thomas Jordan his Attorney against Jno. Smith Elias Osbourne and Whatever Mr. Thomas Jordan shall act or doe in my behalf shall stand.

Jno. Rawling, Rich. Winder.

Page 322. 7 9ber 1682. Estate of Lt. Coll. Geo. Jordan. (Payments?) Dr. to:

Wm. Broadrib
Mr. Arthur Jordan
Mr. Robert Ruffin
John Miniard
Richard Hide
Maj. Francis Epps
Alex. Spenser
Rob. Coleby
Capt. Clemons
Mr. Henry Briggs
Thos. Cotton
Mr. Robert Caufield
Wm. Hall
Jno. Watkins
Maj. Arthur Allen

Geo. Hogwood
Wm. Jordan children
Capt. Roger Jordan
Mr. Thos. More
Benj. Harrison
Fra. Gray
Mr. Hobson and Broadrib
(schoole)
Contra by appmt.
Wm. Clarke
Mr. Jos. Malden
Capt. Wyatt
Mr. Walter Flood
Wm. Blackburn
Mr. Wm. Thompson

- Armold, of Chickahominy in James Citty County, Va., and in his Will of 14 Aug. 1679, left said plantation to her for life, and at her death to me and my heirs. My attorney to see after this. 3 July 1683.

 Wm. Chischester, Robert Ruffin, Will Evans, Thos. Arnold.
- Page 330. 27 April 1683. Indenture between Wm. Chivers of the Lower Parish, planter, sells for 3500 lbs. tobacco, 200 acres of land to Thomas Sidway, adjoining the land sold to John Hux...Arthur Allen survey, part of where I live. 3 July 1683.

 Elizabeth Shivers relinquished her dower.
- Page 330. 27 April 1683. Geo. Dowing appoints Elias Osbourne his attorney.
- Page 331. 6 June 1683. Thos. Cole of James City County appoints his friend Thomas Jordan his attorney to bring to judgment Thos. Clarke of Isle of Wight in court, 6 June 1683. Signed: Thos. Cowle.
- Page 331. 3 July 1683. Indenture between Sam Thompson who married Mary, only daughter of Maj. William Marriott, deceased, and Thomas Mathas of the other part, land adjoining Nicholas Sessums, 150 acres at Sessums Swamp, etc. Thos. Flood, Wm. Thompson.
- Page 334. Geo. Blake, the elder, about 46 years old, deposes in a law altercation between Bichard Andrews and Christopher Smith.
- Page 334. Geo. Blake, the younger, aged 22 years, deposes to same.
- Page 338. 6 9ber 1683. Wm. Harris, of Lawnes Creek Parish, only son and heir of Thomas Harris of the same Parish, deceased, and Mary his wife of the one part, and Robt. Ruffin of the other part, for 400 lbs. of tobacco sells 20 acres, part of 850 acres of land granted to Thomas Harris, deceased, by patent dated 13 Feb. 1657...on Sunken Marsh adjoining Thos. Jarrell...to Carter's land, etc.

 Wm. Harris, Mary Harris.

Wit.: Wm. Newsum, Thomas Jarroll.

- Page 338. 6 9ber 1683. Henry Hart acknowledges to have received of his father & guardian, Wm. Newsum, his part of father and Uncle Jno. Shepard's estate due by will or otherwise, Robert Buffin.
- Page 339. 6 9ber 1683. Daniel Roome and Margarett his wife give to Thomas Farmer 50 acres of land.
 Walter Flood, Jennit Jordan.
- Page 339. 15 8ber 1683. John Clarke indebted to Hoger Puleston.
- Page 340. 7 Jan. 1683. Philip Randolph sailing in his boat in haste to get to Nansemond tomorrow his ketch laden, should be ready to saile, sends papers and desires Mr. Flood to appear in person for him, if not get Thomas Jordan.
- Page 341. 12 Xber 1683. Launcelott Beck makes complaint of John Dun, formerly an inhabitant of this county, is privately departed out of the country and is indebted to Beck.
- Page 341. 1 Jan. 1683. Micholas Mason makes his wife Mary his attorney. Henry Clarke, Wm. Holt.
- Page 342. 1 Jan. 1683. On the back of a patent of land granted to Jno. Rogers, 14 May 1666, was written: John Rogers, Senior, of Surry County, with consent of his wife, Mary Rogers, and 1000 lbs. of tobacco, sells 200 acres to Edward Grantham, 23 9ber 1682.

 Thos. Jordan, Chris. 'atum,

- Page 342. 15 Dec. 1683. On the back of sale of 150 acres of land sold by Bartholomew Owen and Joane, 6 7ber 1674, was written: Wm. Foreman for 2800 lbs. of tobacco assigns all right, title, and claim, to Richard Jordan. Will Browne. 15 Dec. 1683.

 Roger Potter, John Clough.
 Wife Hester relinquishes dower.
- Page 342. 27 Xber 1683. Wm. Chivers of Va., planter, Surry County, sells to Jno. King all the divident of land adjoining land lately sold to Thomas Piddenton...Benjamin Harrison land down to Dibdall's path. Wm. Knott, Geo. Nicholson, Rich. <u>Dualos?</u>, Wm. Chivers, Elizabeth Chivers.
- Page 343. 1 Jan. 1683. Wm. Chivers for 1100 lbs. of tobacco sells to Hezekiah Bunnell, planter, 50 acres of land Upper Sunken Marsh, Surry County, to Wm. Blackbourn's, etc.

 Richard Moonk, Jno. King, Richard Winclos?
- Page 343. 8 Dec. 1683. Samuell Swann, for 1550 lbs. tobacco, sells to Thos. Jordan a house at Warenoke formerly belonging to Thos. Swann, now in possession of Thos. Jordan, and land belonging at least one-half acre belonging to said house, extending west to Samuel Thompson to Mill Swamp except dower to Madam Mary Swann.

 Sarah Swann's consent. John Ironmonger.
- Page 344. 5 7ber 1683. Wm. Baldwin of the Upper Parish and Elizabeth his wife, and Joseph Foard, part of a patent of 275 acres dated 20 April 1682, 80 acres of land in the Lower Parish of Surry County, to Arthur Davis' line to sd. Wm. Balden, adj. Geo, Cripp's land, to Geo. Harding's line. Elizabeth Balden relinquishes her dower.

 Know that I, Elizabeth Baldwin, wife of Wm. Baldwin, of Isle of Wight County, appoints Wm. Evans Attorney to acknowledge deeds of sale for land of her husband sold to Joseph Foard and Thomas Smith of Isle of Wight both dated 5 9ber 1683, to Joseph Foard 80 acres, to Thos. Smith, 70 acres. Elizabeth Balden, Jno. Gray, Robt. Brocke. 27 Xber 1683.
- Page 345. 5 9ber 1683. Ind. between Wm. Baldwin of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight and Elizabeth his wife to Thos. Smith, 70 acres a patent of 275 acres 20 Aprill 1682 & on Main Blackwater River adj. Arthur Davis & Capt. Lawrence Baker, deceased. Jos. Foard, William Evans.
- Page 345. 26 Feb. 1684. Ind. 25 Jan. 1660 between Alice Parks and George Carter, her son, of Lower Chipoaks, Surry County, to Aug. Hunicutt, 400 acres of land, 300 acres bounded as follows, east upon Mr. Dunstone...Mr. Pettway's door, for 99 years. Aylce Parks, Geo. Carter. G. Watkins, Matthew Townes.
- Page 3/46. 4 March 1683. Wm, Howgood of Southwarke Parish, Surry County, acknowledges to have received of Jno. Warren his whole estate of all kinds and quality, etc.

 Wm. Howgood, Ben. Harrison, Thos. Hux.
- Page 347. 4 March 1683/4. George Branch, ye Younger, and Susannah his wife, sell to Mr. Henry Baker, merchant, 120 acres of land on Blackwater in Surry County, on the south side of Cypress Swamp.

 Thomas Thropp, Joseph Rogers.
- Page not given. Robert Kae had a grant of 300 acres of land on the East side of the Third Swamp of Blackwater in the Lower Parish of Surry County, in Robert Flake's line to Arthur Allen's corner for the transportation of six persons with names in records beneath the patent, 12 70er 1662.

Rec. teste: Nich. Spenser, Sec., 20 Apr. 1682. Hen. Chicheley. On the back of the patent, Robert Kae, Sr., and Robert Kae, Jr., of the Isle of Wight County assign to Jno. Pittford of Surry County this patent of 300 acres of land. 4 March 1683/4.

Richard Beighton, John Parson, John Parson, Jr.



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- Page 20. 16 July 1683. Wm. Newman, Math. Swann are bound to the Court for 10,000, 16 July 1681. Wm. Williams, orphan of Lewis Williams is bound to 'Wm. Newsum until he is 21 years old, 16 July 1683. Wit.: Robert Ruffin, Wm. Edwards.
- Page 21. John Dunsfield owes the Court. Richard Robinson, Orphan of Andrew Robinson, bound to John Dunfield untill he is 21 years old.
 Wit.: Roger Potter, Samuell Thompson.
 Signed: John Dunford.
- Page 21. 12 July 1683. Sion Hill, Geo. Williams of Surry County, bound to the Court. Sion Hill to pay the orphan of Lewis Williams, deceased, the portion of her late father's estate when she is of age, and to teach her the Christian religion.
- Page 22. 3 July 1683. John Targett, Geo, Foster of Surry County. Then to pay to Stephen Vahan, orphan of Walter Vahan, deceased, his part of his father's estate,
 Witt Wm. Simmons, Wm. Biwards.
- Page 23. David Andrews, Jr., Geo. Fisher, Thos. Ironmonger are bound for 60,000 lbs. tob, to pay to Geo. Hogwood, orphan of Francis Hogwood, deceased, his part of his father's estate. Will. Evans, Wm. Edwards.
- Page 23. 1 Sept. 1683. Thos. Tias, Wm. Simmons, Jas. Ellis are bound for 20,000 lbs. to pay to Walter Holdsworth what is due from his late father, deceased. Wit: John Sharp, Owen Mirick.
- Page 24. 14 Sept. 1683. Edward Rowell, Wm. Foreman, Charles Williams, to pay to Samuell, Elizabeth, Mary, Susannah, orphans of Samuel Cornell, deceased, their part of their late father's est., when of age. Wit: Wm. Edwards.
- Page 25. 8 June 1681. Will. Foreman, Lt. Coll. Wm. Browne, 10,000 lbs. of tob. Wm. Hare, orphant of Wm. Hare, is bound to Wm. Foreman; nine years bound out. Wit: Sam. Swann, Wm. Pollard.
- Page 26. 2 7ber 1683. Thos. Sowerby, Wm. Foreman. Thos. Sowerby to teach Jno. Collier, orphant of John Collier, the Christian religion.
 Wit.: Elias Osborne, Wm. Edwards.
- Page 26. 26 Ster 1683. Wm. Gray, Wm. Edwards to deliver to Edward Amry, orphant of Thomas Amry, deceased, his part of his father's estate.
- Page 26. Samuel Thompson, Wm. Edwards, Thos. Sowerby, admrs. of the estate of Wm. Dorch, deceased.
 Wit.: Wm. Thompson, Wm. Malden.

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- John Dolling, Susan Featherstone. Made: 6 June, 1713. Prob.: 15 Feb., 1715. Book 6, p. 260.
- MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- To son, Francis Maybury, land bought of John Freeman and recorded in Charles Citty County, and land bought of Thos. Busby, and recorded in said county. To son, George Maybury, 125 acres of land on Horn Branch of Three Creeks. To sons, Charles and Hanchey Maybury, 400 acres of land on Fountain Creek, to be equally divided. To daughter, Ann Peoples, one ewe. To daughter, Mary Fox, one ewe. To daughter, Judith Maybury one ewe. To wife, Elizabeth, the Indian slaves Robbin and Jack, and the rest of my estate, and makes her Exerx. Wit: Thos. Wynne, Henry Bedingfield, Robert Wynne. Made: 22 March, 1711/12. Prob.: 18 June, 1714. Book 6, p. 106.
- MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- Wife, Eleanor, Exerx. Mentions sons, William and Francis. Wife to have Plantation for life, then to son Francis. William to have land on Three Creeks, Isle of Wight Co., and 250 acres in Surry Co. 12 Jan., 1728. Prob.: 19 Feb., 1728. Wit: Chris Tatum, Hancha Maybury. Book __, p. 892.
- MAYO, James: Est.- By Henry Harrison. 14 Feb., 1725. Signed: Robt. Hicks, Arthur Kavenaugh, Thos. Avent. Bk. 7, p. 395.
- MEADE, William: Est.- Honour Meade (wife) and John Pulister, & Wm. Jackson, administrators of Est. of William Meade. 6 June, 1696. Signed: John Edwards, Ann Edwards. Book 5, p. 95.
- MEAZEL, Luke: Est.- On back of the Inventory was written that Elizabeth, wife to Robert Hill, appeared in Court and swore to Inventory. 6 Oct., 1694. Signed: Robert Hill, Eliza. Hill. Book 5, p. 7.
- MEAZLE, Luke: Nuncupative Will. Bequest to daughter Elizabeth, after decease of wife. Mentions daughter, Sarah. 4 July, 1693. Wit: Thos. Smith, John Greene, Eliza. Binam. Book 4, p. 308.
- MEEDS, Honour: Est.- 12 May, 1711. By John Bruce. Signed: John Hancocke, Jonathan Cocke. Book 6, p. 57.
- MEGARETY, Patrick: Est.- Mary Megarety, admrx. 16 Feb., 1725. Signed: Nicholas Maget, John Newsum. Book 7, p. 625.
- MERIWEATHER, Francis: Est.- Nicholas Meriweather was granted administration on the estate of his brother, Fra. Meriweather. Signed: at James Citty by the Governor. 14 June, 1676. Book 2, p. 117.
- MERIWEATHER, William: Est.- Capt. Francis Clements and Elizabeth, his wife, and Nicholas Meriweather applied for administration on the estate. Elizabeth and Nicholas, sister and brother of said deceased. 21 April, 1695.
- MIDDLETON, George: Est.- By Katherine Middleton. 4 July, 1710. Signed: Robert Ruffin, John Simmons. Book 6, p. 19.
- MIDDLETON, Thomas: Est.- Wm. Edwards, Sheriff. 13 Sept., 1725. Signed: Richard Lewis, Charles Lucas, Jos. Nicholson. Book 7, p. 604.

- MILES, John: Est.- Alice Miles, admrx. of John Miles, deceased. 4 Jan., 1697. Signed: Hart. Ellis, Thos. Tynes. Book 5, p. 154.
- MITCHELL, Robert: Est.- Mary Mitchell, admrx. 21 Dec., 1726. Signed: John Brown, John Davis, Thomas Sessom. Book 7, p. 670.
- MIZELL, Luke: Est.- 21 9br, 1673. John Smith, who married Deborah, relict and Exerx. of Luke Mizell, makes account of estate. Account allowed by Court for Skilltimber's child. Balance of estate divided between John Smith and Luke Mizell, orphant. Book 2, p. 39.
- MONK, Richard: Leg.- Mentions wife, and son-in-law, Robert Hunnicutt. Appoints Oysteen? Hunnicutt and Robert Crafford overseers of will. Made 1 March, 1687/8. 29 May, 1688. Wit: Nicholas Smith, Robert Crafford. Book 4, p. 42.
- MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Alice Moore. 23 Nov., 1720. Signed: John Davis, Thomas Davis. Book 7, p. 348.
- MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Charles Kimball and Alice Kimball admr. and admrx. 16 Aug., 1727. Signed: Wm. Gray, LDeloney. Book 7, p. 751.
- MOORE, Tristam: Est. Late of Isle of Wight County. Boaz Little, and Ann Little, admr. 16 Feb., 1742. Bk. 9, p. 426.
- MOORE, William: Leg.- To son, William Moore all the Land from the upper side of Old Field, where Capt. Thos. Wynne formerly lived, to Capt. Robert Wynne's, and John Robards, etc. Mentions grandsons, William, Francis, Daniel, Richard Eppes and gives each a cow, and same to granddaughter, Sarah Eppes. To Grandsons, Robert Pettaway, Wm. Pettaway, John Pettaway, each a cow. To granddaughters, Ann & Selah Pettaway each a cow, also Granddaughter Phebe Pettaway. Daughter, Mary Pettaway & daughter, Elizabeth Pettaway. Daughter, Susannah Eppes. Mentions wife, Elizabeth Moore, and wife's seven children. Son, William & wife, exers. 4 April, 1744. 18 July, 1744. Wit: Chris. Tatum, Geo. Rives, Richard Rives. Book 9, p. 476.
- MORELAND, Bartlett: Leg.- To daughter, Mary Moreland, the land in York County that came to me by marriage with my first wife, and to be in care of Jane Hunniford, wife of Hugh Hunniford, untill eighteen years old. Mentions wife, Elizabeth, and two daughters, Mary and Lucy Moreland. Wit: Thos. Holt, Wm. Gray, Wm. Hurdle. Made: 9 July, 1725. Prob.: 18 Aug., 1725. Book 7, p. 595.
- MORELAND, Bartlett: Est.- Returned by James Vaughan, who married ye Exrx. of Bartlett Moreland's estate. 17 Sept., 1729. Signed: Henry Brown, Thomas Edmunds. Book 9, p. 971.
- MORELAND, Edward: Leg.- To eldest son, Bartlett Moreland 20 shillings. To wife, one negro. Bequests to son, Edward and Daughter, Mary. To daughters, Ann & Elizabeth a ring each. Mentions seven children: Thomas, Elizabeth, Mary, Ann, Edward, Martha and Katherine. Makes wife, Exerx. and gives to her and to the seven children all the estate in Virginia and elsewhere. Friends, Robert Ruffin and William

Poplar Creek in Brunswick County. If he die to go to John Barlow. Plantation where I live to my wife for her life, William to live there during her life at her death to be his property. Desires all rest of estate divided between wife and children. The men to divide are Richard Pace, Richard More and Thos. Avent. Estate in wife's hands until son, Wm. Barlow, comes of age unless wife marry, then estate be divided at once. Son, William Barlow and wife, Sarah, Exers. D.: 7 July, 1727. P.: 16 Oct., 1728. Wit: Thos. Avent, Richard More, Richard Pace. Book 7, p. 864.

- BARLOW, John: Est.- Thomas Avent, admr. 17 Sept., 1729. Wit: Richard Pace, Daniel Hix, Charles Steuart. Bk. 7, p. 969.
- BARLOW, John: Est.- Thomas Avent, admr. 16 Aug., 1738. Book 8, p. 881.
- BARNES, John: Leg.- What is due me from my kinsman, Robert Barham, ye son of Charles Barham late of Merch. Hundred, deceased, be paid Wife, Jane, and what I owe to any other person. To my son, John Tooke my gun. Remainder of estate to loving wife, Jane, and two daughters, Sarah and Susannah, to be equally divided between them. Makes wife Exerx. D.: 2 March, 1690-91. Prob.: 2 June, 1691. Wit: Sam Howlon, Arthur Allen, Thomas Binns. Book 4, p. 202.
- BARNES, John: Est.- Inventory of appraisement of Est. of John Barnes late of Lawnes Creek Parish, deceased, presented by Relict and Exrx., Jane. Sworn to by Henry Tooker. 4 July, 1691. Sworn as true 6 Sept., 1692 by John Tooke. Book 4, p. 277.
- BARROW, Thomas: Est.- Year 1690. Signed: John Thompson, George Williams. Book 4, p. 170.
- BARTLETT, Walter: Leg.- To daughter, Ann Moreland, live stock. Wife, Alice Bartlett, land where I now dwell and the plantation where Bishop lives, at her death to my grandson, Bartlett Moreland. If he die to his brother, Thomas Moreland, if he die to his brother, Thomas Moreland, if he die to his brother, John Moreland. Makes wife Exerx. 4 Feb., 1695. Probated: 5 Sept., 1699. Wit: Joseph Seat, William Bruton, John Greene, John Hancocke, Richard Morris. Book 5, p. 179.
- BATTELL, John: Est.- John Battell acknowledged receipt of his father, Mathew Battell's estate from Benjamin Harrison. 6 7br., 1681. Signed: Jos. Malden, Thos. Blunt. Book 2, p. 290.
- BATTELLE, John: Leg.- Daughter, Faith Battle place where Thomas Emry lives. Makes her Exerx. Has formerly disposed of property. 21 Oct., 1728. P.: 19 Feb., 1728. Wit: John Phillips, John Bee. Book 7, p. 894.
- BATTLE, John: Est.- By Faith Battle. 18 June, 1729. Book 7, p. 949.
- BATTS, William: Leg.- To wife the use of my plantation whereon I now live for her life, at her decease I give sd. plantation to my son, John, and his heirs. Gives wife negro for her life, at her death to my daughter, Martha and her heirs. Give wife household furniture and maintenance for years after my death. To son, William, the plantation I

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bought of Henry Taylor and negro and furniture, horse, etc. To daughter, Mary, one negro and feather bed and furniture. To daughter, Elizabeth, one negro and feather bed and furniture. To daughter, Martha, one large Bible and skillet. I give to my grandson, William Batts, feather bed and furniture and ten pounds cash when he is twenty one years old. To grandson, William Bain, a violin and forty shillings for schooling. All rest of estate I desire to be equally divided between my wife and son, William, Exers. 31 Dec., 1741. Probated: 17 Nov., 1742. Wit: Charles Binns, Henry Holt, David Drew. Book 9, p. 419.

- BEARD, Thomas: Leg.- William Rookings, gives him whole estate. 20 Sept., 1741. Probated: 17 Oct., 1749. Wit: John Harper, Ann Williams, Eliza. Dugall. Book 9, p. 618.
- BECKWITH, Elizabeth: Leg.- To goddaughter, Eliza Lucas, daughter to William Lucas a cow. 6 March, 1687. Bk. 4, p. 38.
- BEDINGFIELD, Henry: Leg.- To wife, Isabel, use of my estate for her life. To Son, Thomas, feather bed and furniture. To Son, Nathaniel, rest of estate. Wife, Isabel and son, Nathaniel, Exers. 30 Apr., 1747. Probated 15 Sept., 1747. Wit: William Willis, Peter Hawthorne. Book 9, p. 560.
- BELL John: Est. Estate appraised by Ann Bell. 17 June, 1713. Signed: Henry Hart, James Bruton. Book 6, p. 150.
- BELL, John: Leg.— All debts to be paid. I give to son, John Bell, all my land lying south of Spring Swamp 135 acres, with houses, orchards, etc. To son, Burrell Bell, five pounds current money, To son, Benjamin Bell, five pounds current money. To son, Balaam Bell, five pounds current money. To son, James Bell, the plantation I now live on, on North side of Spring Swamp 500 acres, with houses, orchards, etc. To my daughter, Ann Parham, five shillings. To my baughter, Hannah Thompson, five shillings. To my daughter, Mary Bell, fifty shillings, cow, furniture to be delivered to her when she is 21 years old or married. Rest and remainder of estate to wife, Hannah Bell, if she marry to go to children. Wife, Hannah, Exerx. 19 Apr., 1746. Prob.: 18 June, 1746. Wit: Silvanus Stokes, Edward Shelton, Charles Judkins. Book 9, p. 531.
- BELL, John: Est.- Signed: Ephraim Parham, Thos. Moore, Robert Wells. 19 June, 1750. Book 9, p. 649.
- BELL, Joseph: Leg.- Cousin, Burrel, 250 acres North side Spring Swamp. Brother, John, rest of estate and pay debts. (This will badly mutilated and illegible, first part not readable). John Bell names Exer. Wit: Gregory Panhup, John Clark. Book θ, p. 311.
- BELL, Richard: Leg.- Son, Wm. Bell, coopers and carpenters tools. Daughter, Mary Bell, pot and dishes. Daughters, Sarah Bell, Eliza. Bell, and Amy Bell, five shillings each. Son, Richard Bell, forty shillings. Son, Joseph Bell, forty shillings, Son, Benjamin Bell, forty shillings, Wife, Sarah Bell, rem. of estate for her life and make her Exer. 8 Nov., 1734. Prob.: 19 Feb., 1734. Wit: Thomas Edmunds, Bartholomew Figures. Book 8, p. 462.
 - BELL, Richard: Est.- Bal. due to Richard Bell. Sarah Bell, Exer. 21 Apr., 1736. Signed: Benjamin Cocke, Henry King.

- BELL, Wm.: Est.- John Bell, admr. 22 Apr., 1725. 18 Aug., 1725. Signed: Robert Watkins, Henry Watkins, Robert Judkins. Book 7, p. 596.
- BENNETT, Ann: Widow deed of gift to her son, William Rowland. 2 Mar., 1696/7. Book 5, p. 125.
- BENNETT, Jonas: Leg.- Southwark Parish. To godson, David Andrews, Jr., a yearling and a new Bible. To goddaughter, Sarah Bage, the same. To wife, Ann Bennett, whole estate and makes her Exerx. Wit: Richard Rose, Samuell Alsbrook, David Andrews. B May, 1696. 15 7br., 1696. Bk. 5, p. 110.
- BENNETT, Jonas: Est.- Appraised by George Foster, John Moring, William Foreman. Signed: Ann Bennett. 2 Mar., 1697/7. Book 5, p. 125.
- BENNETT, Richard: Est.- Benjamin Chapman, admr. 16 Dec., 1719. Signed: Wm. Foster, William Howell, Charles White. Book 7, p. 230.
- BENNETT, Richard: Est.- Benjamin Bennett, admr. 18 Feb., 1735. Signed: Capt. John Chapman, James Washington, William Evans, Thomas Bell. Book 8, p. 569.
- BENTLEY, John: Est.- Elizabeth Cling signed in court. 4 July, 1710. Signed: William Rookings, William Blackburne. Book 6, p. 27.
- BENTLEY, Thomas: Leg.- Bequest to Mrs. Elizabeth Harrison, wife of Capt. Henry Harrison, all my estate real and personal. Bequest to Elizabeth Simmons, daughter of Mr. John Simmons, ten pounds current money. Bequest to Thomas Alsobrooke horse and furniture. Henry Harrison, Exer. and puts wife in his care. 4 Dec., 1718. Prob.: 17 July, 1723. Wit: E. Goodrich, William Wynne. Book 7, p. 455.
- BERRY, Nathaniel: Est.- Signed by Eleanor Berry. 23 Aug., 1710. Signed: Edward Moreland, Samuel Cornwell. Book 5, p. 416.
- BERRYMAN, Ann: Leg.- To son, John Berryman, four head cattle. To two sons, John and Joseph Berryman, one-half of my hoggs and my Son, William Berryman, the other half. To son, Joseph Berryman, four head cattle. To son, William Berryman, all the remains of my cattle. To son, John Berryman, large pewter dish, Tankard and five new plates. To son, Joseph Berryman, the largest flat pewter dish and small deep dishes, etc. To daughter, Lucy Berryman, to daughter, Ann Berryman, to daughter, Margaret Berryman, all rest of estate. Sons, William, John, and Joseph Berryman, Exers. 11 Aug., 1748. Prob., 15 Nov. 1748. Wit: Joseph Edwards, John Edwards. Book 9, p. 590.
- BERRYMAN, Augustine: Leg.- To wife, Ann, household goods, etc.
 To son, John, cattle. Son, Joseph, mare and gun. Son,
 William, two cows and gun. Remainder of estate to wife and
 children equally divided among three sons and three daughters. Wife and son, John, Exers. 23 Oct., 1735. Prob.:
 21 Apr., 1736. Wit: Henry Mcdonnae, William Drew, John
 Thompson. Book 8, p. 580.

- BERRYMAN, John: Leg.- To wife, place we now live then to son, John, Son, Robert, where David Rice lately lived. Daughter, Elizabeth, not married to stay, if she desires, with Robert. "My six children and wife" the rest of my estate. 23 Aug., 1711. Probated: 25 Nov., 1711. Wit: Katherine Peacocke, Ann Hunnicutt, Samuell Hargrove. Book 6, p. 82.
- BERRYMAN, John: Est.- Katherine Berryman, Exerx. 19 Dec., 1711. Signed: John Bailey, Carter Crafford. Bk. 6, p. 89.
- BINNS, Charles: Leg. Son, Charles Binns, two small tracts of land, one bought of Thos. Moreland and the other of Joseph Delk and 100 lbs. current money and 15 lbs. per annum for schooling. Gives wife use of plantation for life then to son, Charles. After sale, at wife's death, proceeds to all children. Nephew, Thos. Binns, quardian to son Charles. If Thos. Binns die, then brother, Thos. Eldridge guardian to Charles. To daughter, Elizabeth Binns, one hundred pounds. Daughter, Martha, 100 lbs. Child in esse 100 lbs. if daughter but if boy 100 lbs. and land at wife's death in Blackwater in Nansemond Co. To nephew, Thos. Binns, wearing apparel. To Sally Binns, gold ring. To Sarah Lande, fifty shillings. To Jean Gwaltney brought up by me fifty shillings. To John Champion fifteen shillings. 16 Oct., 1749. Prob.: 20 Mar., 1749. Wit: William Batts, John Newsum, Jno. Harris, Jos. Newburn. Book 9, p. 626.
- BINNS, Thomas: Est.- 4 July, 1699. James Mason, Exer. Signed: William Newsum, William Chambers, Matthew Swann. Book 5, p. 181.
- BINNS, Thomas: Est.- 1 May, 1705. Ethelred Taylor, Eliza. Taylor, admr. William Gray, Robert Ruffin. Bk. 5, p. 331.
- BINNS, Thomas: Leg.- To wife use of plantation I live on during her life, after which to my son, Thomas Binns--and for want of such heirs to my daughter, Sarah Binns-and for want of heirs to my brother, Charles Binns. To my brother, Charles Binns, all my clothes. To goddaughter, Mary Price, five pounds to be paid to her when she is 12 years old. After debts are paid and funeral expenses, estate to be divided between my wife and children, share and share alike. Wife and Charles Binns, Exerx. 18 Oct., 1722. Probated: 20 Nov., 1723. Will presented by Jane Binns & Charles Binns, Exers. Wit: Thos. Holt, Charles Binns. Book 7, p. 484.
- BINNS, Thomas: Est.~ Jane Binns, Exerx. and Charles Binns, Exer. 18 Mar., 1723. Signed: Wm. Drew, Arthur Allen, Benjamin Edwards. Book 7, p. 512.
- BINUM, John: Est.- 28 Jan., 1716. By Robert Warren. Signed: Allen Warren, Wm. Foster, Zacharias Maddera. 20 Feb., 1716. Book 7, p. 44.
- BIRD, Thomas: Leg.- He is of Upper Chippoakes Creek in Southwark Parish in Surry Co. I give unto son, Thomas, one-half of my mill and 300 acres of land lying upon the Eastern most side of Southern Run when he comes of age, etc. and ye other half of my land, and the land and plantation belonging to it whereon I now live after the decease of his mother, go to him and his heirs, etc. and also I do give 2000 pounds of tobo. and caske and my silver bole and

- this inventory as true. Signed: Wm. Harvey, Adam Heath. 2 March, 1694. Book 5, p. 39.
- ELTON, Robert: Est.- Signed: Joseph Seale, Will. Hancocke, Edward Morland, John Page, Book 4, p. 308.
- EMERY, John: The wife of John Emery was Susannah Green, daughter of Richard Green, latter died intestate. Shown in deed to George Tortt, of Isle of Wight County. 16 Dec., 1713. Book 6, p. 169.
- EMERY, Thomas: Leg. To son, Benj. Emery, 150 acres of land on Western Run. To son, Green Emery, my first levy of land 100 acres, rugs, etc. cow and pewter, etc. To rest of children each a cow and calf when 21 yrs. old. To son, Thomas Emery, a gun, soward and cartouch box. Rest of estate to wife, Susannah. Makes wife Exerx. 6 May, 1734. Prob.: 17 July, 1734. Wit: Thos. Eppes, Jeremiah Ellis, Rebecker Ezelle. Book 8, p. 391.
- EMMERSON, John: Leg.- To Joan Seldon, when she is free a westcoate. To Wm. Browne, son of Major Browne, my Scimiter. To Lt. Coll. Geo. Jordan, Mr. Ben. Harrison, Mr. Arthur Jordan, Mr. Nath. Knight, Maj. Wm. Browne, Mr. Thos. Jordan, Mr. Walter Flood, Fra. Hagwood, Mr. Ni. Meriweather, Mr. James Jordan, Mr. Edward Baly, Mr. Robert Lee and Mr. Jno. Moring, to each one pair of gloves. Makes Mr. Christopher Foster, Exer. Bequest to Ann Sowerby. 25 Sept., 1676, Prob.: 18 May, 1677. Wit: John Moring, Jone Willson, John Emmerson. (Indexed "John Emerson") (Wife was Faith Emerson, p. 167.) Book 2, p. 123.
- EPPES, Daniel, Jr.: Est.- Mary Epps, administrator. 30 Mar., 1733. Signed: Wm. Shands, Thos. Hood, Robt. Doby. (In 1737 Francis Mabry and Mary Mabry, admrs.) Bk. B, p. 358.
- EVANS, Abraham: Lkg.- To son, John Evans, my Plantation whereon I now live with a certain parcell of land adjacent being all from ye Upper End of that Tract of land - near ve Horse Bridge over ye Swamp - 100 acres after decease to my wife, Elizabeth Evans, also my Plantation on Nottoway River and 130 acres belonging to it. To son, William Evans, land, part of land I live on -- Line near Horse Bridge to lower part - 50 acres. I give to Abraham Macklemore land at Nottoway River - 70 acres and adjoining the Plantation given to son, John, if he die without issue, to go to son, John Evans. To son, certain cows, etc. and to his two sons. To my wife, Elizabeth Evans, my Plantation and with houses, with privileges of 100 acres belonging for life, goods, chattels, etc. Son, John Evans, Exer. 4 August, 1708. Prob.: 18 June, 1712. Wit: Tho. Smith, Barthol, Andrews, Thos. Smith, Jr. Book 6, p. 105.
- EVANS, Anthony: Leg. To wife, Ann Evans, for her life my Plantation where I now dwell. 100 acres and the other half of said land, to my son, John Evans, at his mother's de~ cease to have the other half. To son, William, the same in manner and form as his Brothers. If son, William, have no heirs then to son, Anthony Evans. If he have no heirs to son, Benjamin Evans. Gives Son, John, gun and sword with E. E. upon the barrell. Rest of estate to wife, Ann. If wife marry children to be free at 17 years old. Wife, Ann, Exerx. 12 July, 1707. Prob.: 25 Feb., 1710. Wit: Thos. Waller, Alice Waller, Mary Waller. Bk. 6, p. 42.

EVANS, Benjamin: Leg. - To brother, John Smith, ye plantation I bought of my sister, Mary Evans, the sd. Plantation and Land thereto belonging and one negro at the death of my mother and everything else. 16 Apr., 1729. Wit: Jos. Washyer, Wm. Cripps, Book 7, p. 921.

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BVANS, John: Est. - Thos, and Mary Gwaltney, Exers. 15 Aug., 1733. Book 8, p. 315.

EVANS, Robert: Nuncupative Will. Gave his whole estate to Elinor Vahan and her child. Will proven 11 July, 1679, by oaths of James Ellis and Mary Skinner. 30 July, 1679. James Ellis, aged 27, deposed to this, Mary Skinner deposed the same. Book 2, p. 215.

EVANS, Robert: Est.- By Elinor Nichollson, 2 May, 1681. Stephen Vahan claims his part of estate of Robert Evans. If Stephen die, this estate to return to Elinor Nichollson, Book 2, p. 283.

EVENS, John: Leg.- Land and Plantation on the South Side of Seacocke Swamp to be sold by my Exer. as Personall estate. To wife, Mary Evens, best bed and furniture. To son, John Evens, small gun with letters I. E. and same on back of Sword. Makes wife, Exrx. and after debts and legacies paid my estate to be divided between my wife and three children. 24 March, 1726/7. Prob.: 19 July, 1727. Wit: John Phillips, John Smith. Book 7, p. 747.

EVIND, John: Est. - By Mary Evins. 18 Oct., 1727. Signed: Chas. Binns, Wm. Hart, Hugh Hunniford. Book , p. 758.

EWART, James: Est. - 18 June, 1735. Thos. Avent, Sheriff. Book 8, p. 504.

EZEL, George: Leg. - To Eldest son, George, my land leased to me by Adam Heath, lying and being in Charles Citty County near the head of Upper Chipoakes Creek, and horses, cows. etc., when he is 21 yrs. old. To Eldest daughter, Elizabeth, bed, blankets, etc., 3 pewter dishes and 3 plates to be given to her at 16 years or married. To daughter, Mary, pewter dishes, plates, etc. cows when 16 years old or married. To daughter, Lucy, cows, horses, pewter dishes, etc. when 16 years old or married. To daughter, Sarah, the same. To son, Timothy, furniture, beds, etc. when he is 16 years old. Wife, Elizabeth, Exerx. 24 Dec., 1692. Prob.: 11 Apr., 1693. Wit: John Pestell, John James. Book 4, p. 293.

EZEL, George: Leg. - Son, George Ezel, ye Tract of land where he now lives and 10 shillings. To son, William Ezel, land I now live on and my Trooper's arms. To son, John Ezel, tract of Land on Meheria River in Brunswick County. To son, Edward Ezell, Tract of land on Reedy Branch. To daughter, Mary Ezell, side saddle and Bridle -- Rest of will mutilated. 20 Jan., 1730. Presented by Rebeckah Ezell. Proved by Thos. Cock and Jeremiah Ellis, Jr. Wit: Wm. Thorp. Book 8, p. 70.

EZELL, Michaell: Leg.- To son, Wm. Ezell, feather bed, mare, saddle and bridle and all rest of goods and chattels. I give one-half of aforesd. to my son, William; and the other half to my daughter, Elizabeth, and my son-in-law, John Atkinson, whom I nominate my Exer. 6 Feb., 1713/14. Prob.:

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- John Dolling, Susan Featherstone. Made: 6 June, 1713. Prob.: 15 Feb., 1715. Book 6, p. 260.
- MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- To son, Francis Maybury, land bought of John Freeman and recorded in Charles Citty County, and land bought of Thos. Busby, and recorded in said county. To son, George Maybury, 125 acres of land on Horn Branch of Three Creeks. To sons, Charles and Hanchey Maybury, 400 acres of land on Fountain Creek, to be equally divided. To daughter, Ann Peoples, one ewe. To daughter, Mary Fox, one ewe. To daughter, Judith Maybury one ewe. To wife, Elizabeth, the Indian slaves Robbin and Jack, and the rest of my estate, and makes her Exerx. Wit: Thos. Wynne, Henry Bedingfield, Robert Wynne. Made: 22 March, 1711/12. Prob.: 18 June, 1714. Book 6, p. 106.
- MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- Wife, Eleanor, Exerx. Mentions sons, William and Francis. Wife to have Plantation for life, then to son Francis. William to have land on Three Creeks, Isle of Wight Co., and 250 acres in Surry Co. 12 Jan., 1728. Prob.: 19 Feb., 1728. Wit: Chris Tatum, Hancha Maybury. Book __, p. 892.
- MAYO, James: Est.- By Henry Harrison. 14 Feb., 1725. Signed: Robt. Hicks, Arthur Kavenaugh, Thos. Avent. Bk. 7, p. 395.
- MEADE, William: Est.- Honour Meade (wife) and John Pulister, 5 Wm. Jackson, administrators of Est. of William Meade. 6 June, 1696. Signed: John Edwards, Ann Edwards. Book 5, p. 95.
- MEAZEL, Luke: Est.- On back of the Inventory was written that Elizabeth, wife to Robert Hill, appeared in Court and swore to Inventory. 6 Oct., 1694. Signed: Robert Hill, Eliza. Hill. Book 5, p. 7.
- MEAZLE, Luke: Nuncupative Will. Bequest to daughter Elizabeth, after decease of wife. Mentions daughter, Sarah. 4 July, 1693. Wit: Thos. Smith, John Greene, Eliza. Binam. Book 4, p. 308.
- MEEDS, Honour: Est.- 12 May, 1711. By John Bruce. Signed: John Hancocke, Jonathan Cocke. Book 6, p. 57.
- MEGARETY, Patrick: Est.- Mary Megarety, admrx. 16 Feb., 1725. Signed: Nicholas Maget, John Newsum. Book 7, p. 625.
- MERIWEATHER, Francis: Est.- Nicholas Meriweather was granted administration on the estate of his brother, Fra. Meriweather. Signed: at James Citty by the Governor. 14 June, 1676. Book 2, p. 117.
- MERIWEATHER, William: Est.- Capt. Francis Clements and Elizabeth, his wife, and Nicholas Meriweather applied for administration on the estate. Elizabeth and Nicholas, sister and brother of said deceased. 21 April, 1695.
- MIDDLETON, George: Est.- By Katherine Middleton. 4 July, 1710. Signed: Robert Ruffin, John Simmons. Book 6, p. 19.
- MIDDLETON, Thomas: Est.- Wm. Edwards, Sheriff. 13 Sept., 1725. Signed: Richard Lewis, Charles Lucas, Jos. Nicholson. Book 7, p. 604.

- MILES, John: Est.- Alice Miles, admrx. of John Miles, deceased. 4 Jan., 1697. Signed: Hart. Ellis, Thos. Tynes. Book 5, p. 154.
- MITCHELL, Robert: Est. Mary Mitchell, admrx. 21 Dec., 1726. Signed: John Brown, John Davis, Thomas Sessom. Book 7, p. 670.
- MIZELL, Luke: Est.- 21 9br, 1673. John Smith, who married Deborah, relict and Exerx. of Luke Mizell, makes account of estate. Account allowed by Court for Skilltimber's child. Balance of estate divided between John Smith and Luke Mizell, orphant. Book 2, p. 39.
- MONK, Richard: Leg.- Mentions wife, and son-in-law, Robert Hunnicutt. Appoints Oysteen? Hunnicutt and Robert Crafford overseers of will. Made 1 March, 1687/8. 29 May, 1688. Wit: Nicholas Smith, Robert Crafford. Book 4, p. 42.
- MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Alice Moore. 23 Nov., 1720. Signed: John Davis, Thomas Davis. Book 7, p. 348.
- MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Charles Kimball and Alice Kimball admr. and admrx. 16 Aug., 1727. Signed: Wm. Gray, LDeloney. Book 7, p. 751.
- MOORE, Tristam: Est.- Late of Isle of Wight County. Boaz Little, and Ann Little, admr. 16 Feb., 1742. Bk. 9, p. 426.
- MOORE, William: Leg. To son, William Moore all the Land from the upper side of Old Field, where Capt. Thos. Wynne formerly lived, to Capt. Robert Wynne's, and John Robards, etc. Mentions grandsons, William, Francis, Daniel, Richard Eppes and gives each a cow, and same to granddaughter, Sarah Eppes. To Grandsons, Robert Pettaway, Wm. Pettaway, John Pettaway, each a cow. To granddaughters, Ann & Selah Pettaway each a cow, also Granddaughter Phebe Pettaway. Daughter, Mary Pettaway & daughter, Elizabeth Pettaway. Daughter, Susannah Eppes. Mentions wife, Elizabeth Moore, and wife's seven children. Son, William & wife, exers. 4 April, 1744. 18 July, 1744. wit: Chris. Tatum, Geo. Rives, Richard Rives. Book 9, p. 476.
- MORELAND, Bartlett: Leg.- To daughter, Mary Moreland, the land in York County that came to me by marriage with my first wife, and to be in care of Jane Hunniford, wife of Hugh Hunniford, untill eighteen years old. Mentions wife, Elizabeth, and two daughters, Mary and Lucy Moreland. Wit: Thos. Holt, Wm. Gray, Wm. Hurdle. Made: 9 July, 1725. Prob.: 18 Aug., 1725. Book 7, p. 595.
- MORELAND, Bartlett: Est.- Returned by James Vaughan, who married ye Exrx. of Bartlett Moreland's estate. 17 Sept., 1729. Signed: Henry Brown, Thomas Edmunds. Book 9, p. 971.
- MORELAND, Edward: Leg. To eldest son, Bartlett Moreland 20 shillings, To wife, one negro. Bequests to son, Edward and Daughter, Mary. To daughters, Ann & Elizabeth a ring each. Mentions seven children: Thomas, Elizabeth, Mary, Ann, Edward, Martha and Katherine. Makes wife, Exerx. and gives to her and to the seven children all the estate in Virginia and elsewhere. Friends, Robert Ruffin and William

- Gray, Jr., trustees. Made 15 Dec., 1712. Prob.: 17 Mar., 1713. Wit: Roger Delk, Wm. Tanner. Book 6, p. 181.
- MORELAND, Edward: Est.- Geo. Reddick and Mary Reddick admrs. 19 Mar., 1717. Signed: Nich. Maget, Thos. Cocke. Book 7, p. 106.
- MORGAN, Elizabeth: Relict of Richard Morgan, deceased, she lately found dead in the house of Edward Napkin. 4 May, 1686. Signed: Jos. Wall, Thos. Pittman, Jr. Bk. 3, p. 55.
- MORRELL, Thomas: Leg. To wife, Elizabeth, the Plantation and Land where I live, south by the swamp, where Capt. William Browne's Mill stands..to Roger Gilbert's..north to Capt. Browne's, to Robert Judkins and Robert Watkins. After my wife's death, to son, William. To son, George, the Land called Runaway 40 acres. To son, Thomas, the remaining part of the land. To son, John a horse when 21 years old. To two daughters, Mary & Elizabeth, each five shillings. Made 5 May, 1719. Prob.: 17 June, 1719. Wit. Nich. Maget, Mich. Harris, Wm. Allen. Book 7, p. 190.
- MOSS, John: Leg.- To wife, Martha one negro, to John Moss at wife's death. To son, Henry Moss, pistolls, holsters, and Breast plate. To son, Thomas, my gun and sword. To son, John one horse. My whole estate to my wife and children. Makes wife, Exrx. Made: 11 Oct., 1734. Prob.: 19 Feb., 1734. Wit: John Mason, Wm. Moss. Book 8, p. 463.
- MUGGETT, Ann: Leg. Bequest to Phillip Shelley, Jr., and if he die to his youngest brother, John Shelley. Bequests to Elizabeth Sugar, and to granddaughter, Ann Shelley. Bequest to Phillip Shelley, Senior. Wit: Geo. Long, Thos. Partridge, Thos. Cooke. 4 Sept., 1689. Prob.: 1 July, 1690. Book 4, p. 144.
- MUNGER, John: Est.- Brother, Spenser, admr. and Thos. Taberer. 17 May, 1672. Book 2, p. 14.
- MUNGER, Nathaniel: Leg. To Mary Benitt 40 shillings etc. To Mary Roberts, clothing etc. To William Drew four pounds to educate godchildren two of Will Coging, one of Newitt Edwards, one of Ethill Stanley. Rest of estate to Priscilla Harrison, daughter of Will. Drew, and makes him Exer. Wit: Wm. Coging. Made: 26 May, 1731. Prob.: 21 July, 1731. Book 8, p. 119.
- MURRER, William: Est.- By Robert Jones, Exer. 20 June, 1716. Book 7, p. 20.
- NASH, William: Est.- Appraised by Jno. Clements and James Jones. 2 Mar., 1691/2.
- NASH, William: Inventory Est.- Jno. Thompson, admr. 3 Oct., 1696. Wit: John Clements, James Jones, James Ellis.
- NEWITT, Elizabeth: Leg. To daughter, Elizabeth Price for life, the plantation I live on, containing 86% acres, to be kept in good repair, and at her death to my grandson, Wm. Edwards; if no heir, to my granddaughter, Eliza. Edwards; if no issue to my grandson, Newitt Edwards. To Grandson, Newitt Edwards the plantation where Martin Johnson lives, 86% acres; if no issue, to go to my granddaughter, Elizabeth Edwards. To Wm. Newitt Edwards, son of Newitt Edwards

- one negro. To Griffin Windum, 630 lbs. of tobacco. To my two daughters Elizabeth and Frances 21 lbs. lls. to be equally divided, and they give a discharge to my grandson, Thomas Edwards that they never will trouble my Exer. for a legacy left them by my husband, Wm. Newitt, being for the same sum in Mr. Ball's hands, in England and that they enjoy the legacy left them by my husband, if they can recover it of Mr. Ball. To grandson, Wm. Edwards, after funeral & debts paid, one-half of my estate to be equally divided between my daughter, Elizabeth and her children; Daughter, Eliza. and her children. Daughter, Frances and her children. Son-in-law, Edward Drew, and Grandson, Thos. Edwards Exer. 2 Aug., 1717. Prob.: 18 Nov., 1719. Wit: Wm. Edwards, Martin Johnson, Wm. Price. Bk. 7, p. 225.
- NEWITT, William: Leg. To grandson, Newitt Edwards, the Land bought of Robert Warren, when Robert Foons' lease is out; if he die, to his brother, John Edwards; if he die, to William. Daughter, Frances. To Newitt Drew, land bought of James Briggs; if no heir, to go to another son that might be born to daughter, Frances; if not to Thomas Drew. To two daughters, property in England. Mentions wife, Elizabeth, and makes her Exerx. Wit: Thomas Lane, Edward Drew, John Clark. 18 Aug., 1710. Prob.: 25 Oct., 1713. Book 6, p. 161.
- NEWSUM, George: Est.- 6 July, 1697. Signed: Thos. Binns, James Mason. Book 5, p. 129.
- NEWSUM, John: Leg.- To son, William Newsum my Land and Plantation where I now live. To son, Joel Newsum, two negroes when he comes to 18 years old. To wife, Sarah, two negroes and remainder of my estate to my wife, and all my children. Sons, William & Joel to be of age at 18 years and to receive their est. Brother, William Newsum to sell one negro, and divide the amount between my wife and children. Wm. Newsum and Carter Crafford overseers of will. 15 Dec., 1723. Prob.: 15 July, 1724. Wit: Wm. Newsum, Wm. Holt. Book 7, p. 545.
- NEWSUM, John: Est.- By Sarah Ruffin, Exerx. 16 Feb., 1725. Signed: Joseph Allen, John Newsum.
- NEWSUM, William: Leg.- To my son, William, my Plantation and Land in Rich Neck, provided that said land be never assigned or sold for 21 years, etc. To son, John, my Land and Plantation that I bought of Mr. Harris, where I now dwell. To my two sonnes, Robert and Thomas all my Tract and Dividend of Land called Hopewell, to be equally divided-Robert to have choice, and my wish is that my three sons, last named, if one die to decend to the other. Gives negroes to son, Wm.; son, Thomas; daughters, Elizabeth and Ann, and to two eldest sons. Remainder of the estate to be divided between my wife and children. Sons, William and John, and wife, Anne, Exers. Friends, Mr. Fra. Mason and Mr. Robert Ruffin overseers of will. Wit: Matthew Swann, Henry Hart, Bray Hargtave. 10 June, 1691. Prob.: 5 Sept., 1691.
- NEWSUM, William: Est.- Due to George Foster, and Ann, his wife, and of ye Exers, of said deceased. 4 Mar., 1694. Fra. Mason, Jno. Thompson. Book 5, p. 48.
- NEWTON, Samuel: Leg. 23 of the 3rd month called May, 1702.
 To Mary Lucie, my grate Bible. To Arthur Allen, cows,

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History of the Primitive Fathers. Samuell Cornhill to be guardian of John Collins, orphant, until he comes of age, then pay him his estate, and the remaining two thirds part to Edman Hosier, in Talbot Court in grate Church Street, in London, the other third part, I bequeath to Mary Hart, widow, at the Sign of the Hart in Denmarke St., in Ratcliff, near London. Appoints Samuel Cornhill of Lawnes Creek Parish, weaver, sole Exer. Wit: Michael Ezell, John Greene. __March, 1703. Book 5, p. 298.

- NICHOLLS, Roger: Est.- July, 1708. By Sarah Nicholls, Wm. Chambers. Book 5, p. 395.
- NICHOLSON, Ann: Leg.- To daughter, Mary Allstin a gold ring.
 To daughter, Ann Rookings, gilded trunk, bodice etc. To my
 four children my money, to be equally divided 17 lbs. 10
 shillings, that I have liberty to dispose of by my marriage
 contract. Makes Thomas Allstin, Exer. Son, William Rookings, not of age. 28 Feb., 1719. Prob.: 15 Feb., 1720.
 Wit: Nath. Harrison, Elizabeth Fardon, Eliz. Harrison.
 Book 7, p. 299.
- NICHOLSON, George: Leg. To daughter, Agnes Farmer, one cow. To daughter, Jane, the land I gave to my grandson, Isaac Farmer. To son, Robert Nicholson, that 50 acres of Land which I bought of Thomas Collier for 99 years, and one cow. To my wife, Mary Nicholson, my Plantation where I live for her life and at her death to son, George with 15 acres I bought of Richard Jones, Jr., where my lot house and orchard now stand. down to the bridge, also cows, horses, etc. To wife, Household goods, and one-third of est.; the other two-thirds to three sons, George, Robert, and Parks Nicholson. The heirs to confirm a sale of land to James Binham land between Nottoway and Mahern Rivers, taken up with John Battwell. Wife, Mary and son, George, Exers. Wit: Maj. Francis Rea, Wm. Savage, R. Hall. 13 Feb., 1712/13. Prob.: 21 Nov., 1716. Book 7, p. 35.
- NICHOLSON, George: Leg. To brother, Parks Nicholson, the Land where I live, bed, cows etc. To brother, Robert Nicholson. To Richard Jones Jrs. eldest daughter, one cow. Makes Mother, Mary Nicholson, my Exerx. Wit: Henry Harrison, Thomas Clare, Robert Lanier. 6 Mar., 1719/20. 17 May, 1721. Book 7, p. 332.
- NICHOLSON, James: Leg.- To wife, Elizabeth for life my Plantation extending to Wm. Gray's line. To son, James the rest of the Plantation. To son, Benjamin Nicholson, the Plantation after my wife's death. Makes wife, Exerx. 6 Dec., 1722. Prob.: 17 July, 1723. Wit: Nich. Maget, Zacharias Maddera, Roger Gilbert. Book 7, p. 457.
- NICHOLSON, Robert: Leg. To granddaughter, Hannah, five pounds for her schooling. To son, Joshua, land purchased of Francis Oysten 180 acres also negroes, and 15 pounds for a gold ring. To son, John, three tracts of land; one purchased of Mr. George Lee; one purchased of my brother, George Nicholson; one tract purchased of Thomas Dunn 235 acres, also one negro and a gold ring. To son, Robert, the tract of land purchased of Robert Rivers 200 acres and negroes and gold ring. To daughter, Joyce, one negro and gold ring. Daughter, Elizabeth, one negro, forty pounds, money to buy each of my two youngest children gold rings. All of the remainder of money in America and England to

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wife and three sons, Joshua, John and Robert, equally divided. Makes wife, Exerx. Friends, Nicholas Cocke, Sampson Lanier, overseers of will. Wit: Gregory Rawlings, John Rawlings, Mary Rawlings. 29 Sept., 1719. Prob.: 17 Feb., 1719. Book 7, p. 244.

- NICHOLSON, Robert: Est.- Joanna Joyce Flood Exerx. 18 Aug., 1725. Book 7, p. 597.
- NORRIS, Mary: Est.- Mary Norris, late of this colony, died and left an estate. Madan Mary Swann has made suit for administratrix. Coll. Wm. Browns, Arthur Allen, Justices of the Peace, grant this. 5 July, 1681. Book 2, p. 287.
- NORTH, John: Leg.- Wife, Katherine North. Oct., 1673. Signed: Wm. Thomson, Fra. Mason. Book 2, p. 34.
- NORWOOD, William: Leg. To son, Edward Norwood, one shilling. To son, George, my now dwelling house and 100 acres of Land, horse, hoggs etc., on condition that son, George, comply with my request to my daughter, Sarah Norwood and not else. To son, Richard Norwood, a neck of Land called the Barren Track, with 80 acres of Land, to be separated from my other Land, to be run by Mr. Waller and Mr. Thos. Flood, also to Richard, horses, negroes, etc. To daughter, Elizabeth Franch, one large Pewter dish. To daughter, Lydia Sowerby, a flat handled silver spoon, and large pewter dish. To daughter, Sarah Norwood, one negro and a small silver cup, but her mother to have use of them for her life. To granddaughter, Elizabeth Branch one silver spoon she now hath. To daughter, Mary Norwood, one silver spoon, negro, and horse. All the rem. of est. to wife and four children, George, Richard, Sarah and Mary Norwood. Wife, Lydia, and son, George Exers. 6 June, 1702. Prob.: 7 March, 1703. Wit: John Shelton.
- OGBOURNE, John: Est.- Presented by Elizabeth Ogbourne, admrx. 16 Feb., 1719. Signed: Will. Harris, Joseph Delk, John Bruce, Book 7, p. 254.
- OLDESS, Wm.: Est.- Abate granted Tho. Edwards as marrying the Relict of Wm. Oldess, deceased. 15 June, 1677, on Oldess' Will. Book 2, p. 129.
- OLISS, Will: Leg.- To Roger Nicholas all my wearing apparel.
 To Edward Amry, the son of Thos. Amry, deceased, a horse.
 To wife, Elizabeth Oliss, the rest of my estate in and out,
 bills, bonds etc. of every kind. Wit: Alex. Richardson,
 Timo. Issiell. Book 2, p. 123.
- OLIVER, Edward: Est.- 26 Aug., 1676. Signed: Arthur Jordan, Wm. Carpinter. On back was written, Mandlin Oliver, Relict of Edward Oliver, certifies to the Inventory, 2 May, 1677. The above contents were presented by Jno. Warren, Husband of above Maudlin. 15 June, 1677. Book 2, p. 126.
- OLIVER, John: Est.- By Mary Oliver, his wife. 15 Dec., 1725. Book 7, p. 616.
- OWEN, Bartholomew: Est.- Signed Inventory by Jane Owen. 14 Feb., 1677. Wit: Wm. Fordman, Jno. Moring. Book 2, p. 163.
- OWEN, John: Est.- Roger Delk, admr. 6 Aug., 1740. Signed:

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- WARREN, Edward: Est.- Probated granted to Ni. Meriweather on the Will of Edward Warren, deceased, signed at James City by the Gov. 14 June, 1676.
- WARREN, Elizabeth: Leg.- To son, John Warren, 30 acres of land that runs up to Hall Cabbin. To son, Robert Warren, all the remaining part of my land. To son, William Warren, two sheep. To granddaughter, Mary Warren, a trunk. To grandson, Thomas Warren a featherbed etc. To son, Joseph Warren an iron pot. To grandson, James Davis, a cow. To son, Robert, all the remainder of the estate, and makes him Exer. Made: 21 Aug., 1724. Prob.: 21 Oct., 1730. Wit: Michale Harris, Allen Warren, Catherine Harris. Book 8, p. 60.
- WARREN, Jno.: Est.- By Mary Warren. Relict and Administratrix.
 Appraisement by James Reddick, Richard Briggs, Richard Harris. John Price sworn before Capt. Law. Baker. Presented
 3 9br, 1674. By Jno. Denfield, who married sd. Relict.
 Book 2, p. 64.
- WARREN, John: Est.- Com. of administration granted Mary Warren on the estate of her deceased husband, Jno. Warren. Signed at James Citty by the Gov. 18 June, 1675. Book 2, p. 82.
- WARREN, John: Est.- Sarah Warren, admrx. 9 Mar., 1731. Mich. Harris, Wm. Smith, Robt. Gray. Book 8, p. 168.
- WARREN, John: Est.- By Stevenson Buxton. 21 May, 1735. John Simmons, Jr., Thos. Eldridge, Jr. Book 8, p. 498.
- WARREN, Robert: Est.- Robert Warren, admr. 15 May, 1728. Nich. Maget, Gil. Gray, W. Gray, Jr. Book 7, p. 810.
- WARREN, Thomas: Leg.- To son, William Warren, where I live and the land between the two Swamps, 80 acres, after the death of my wife. To son, John Warren, the land called Rich Neck, where he now lives. To son, Joseph Warren my land lying upon Peterfells, and buck point, between Hog Pen Swamp and Wild Swamp, 90 acres. To son, Robert Warren, land between Hull Cabbin and shee cabbins, 40 acres. To wife, Elizabeth Warren, all the rest of my estate. Makes her Exerx., with son, William. Wit: Nich. Smith, John Deberry, Nich. Maget. Prob.: 16 Aug., 1721. Book 7, p. 362.
- WARREN, William: Est. 2 June, 1702. Prob. by James Warren, admr. Rich. Smith, Geo. Williams. Book 5, p. 260.
- WARRIN, Allen: Leg.- To son, Benjamin the Plantation I live on and all land, 100 acres; makes him Exer. Made: 15 Mar., 1737/8. Prob.: 16 Jan., 1744. Wit: Thos. Warren, John Warren, Thos. Barham. Book 9, p. 488.
- WARWELL, Thomas: Est.- Wife, Elizabeth, admr. 16 7br, 1675.
 Fra. Mason, Jno. Hunnicutt, Jno. Phillips, John Pulitson.
 Book 2, p. 87.
- WASHINGTON, Eliza: Est.- By Thomas Washington. 15 Oct., 1735. Pd. to Geo. Washington, John Washington, Thomas Washington, William Washington, Arthur Washington, Dau. Eliza. Lanier, Priscilla Lanier, Faith Baldwin, Mary Heart, Ann Steavens, bed to Thomas Steavens, son of Thomas Steavens, to Thomas Lanier, son of Robert Lanier. Book 8, p. 529.

- WASHINGTON, Elizabeth: Leg.- Son, George, pewter dishes and a silk handkerchief. To son, Richard, 3 ells of holland. To son, John, chest, jugs, etc. To son, Thomas, featherbed & furniture, chest of drawers, seal skin trunk etc. To son William Warren, 3 pewter dishes and 2 plaits. To son, James 3 cows, pot racks etc. To son, Arthur, one large Bible and Common Prayer Book etc. To daughter, Elizabeth Lanier, gold ring, cold still etc. To daughter, Priscilla Lanier, 40 shillings worth. To daughter, Faith Barker, large bason. To daughter, Ann, a book called "Christ's Famous Title", and a golden chain. Daughter, Mary Hart. Dau. Ann Washington. Son, Thos. Washington Exer. Wit: Benj. Reeks, Thos. Drinkard, Robt. Clary. Prob.: 21 May, 1735. Book 8, p. 496.
- WASHINGTON, Richard: Leg.- To son, George Washington, 300 acres of land on the west side of Nottoway Swamp., below John Barnes land, one negro, and livestock, for his life, then to son, Richard Washington, all land he hath in his possession, his full share of est. To son, John Washington, 150 acres of land at Pokefield Branch, and stock in possession, and two negroes. To son, Thomas Washington, the Land and Plantation where I now live, being at Blackwater Swamp, at foot bridge to widdow Evans.. to Pocoson .. to Mill Branch, not to sell or lease for seven years, and two negroes, and he to buy a negro for Ann Washington, also six leather chairs Horse Arms etc. To son, James Washington, 165 acres at Seacock Swamp, not to mortgage or sell for seven years. To son, Arthur Washington, all the remaining part of land below Thomas Washington, on Blackwater, 300 acres, not to sell or lease for seven years; also 200 acres between Geo. Washington and Flaggy Run, 6 leather chairs, and tables, chest, etc. also three negroes. Daughter Elizabeth Lanier, 200 acres of land on the west side of Mill Branch, where she now lives. To son-in-law, Sampson Lanier, 200 acres in Isle of Wight County on the east side of Flaggy Run, to Robt. Rix's line. To daughter, Priscilla Washington, negroes, horses, goods etc. To daughter, Ann Washington household goods etc. To daughter, Faith Barker, sheep etc. To daughter, Mary Hart, one negro; grandson, Thomas Lanier one negro; gr. sons, Arthur Sampson, Richard and Samuel each a cow. To grandson, John Washington 250 acres of land in Isle of Wight County at the mouth of Nottoway River. To Richard and Joseph Barker, each a cow. Wife, negroes, goods etc. Ch. - Geo., John, Thomas, William, James, Arthur, Priscilla, and Ann. John Simmons and Howell Edmunds overseers of will. Made: 9 Nov., 1724. Prob.: 19 May, 1725. Wit: Howell Edmunds, Dan. Eelbank, Richard Shaky. Book 7, p. 583.
 - WASHINGTON, Richard: Est.- 18 Aug., 1723. Elizabeth Washington choice for legacy. J. Simmons, Nich. Cocke, Jos. Nickolson. Book 7, p. 593.
- WASHINGTON, Richard: Est. Geo. Washington and Thomas Washington, Exers. 20 Mar., 1733. Benjamin Edwards, John Ruffin. Book 8, p. 361.
- WASHINGTON, Thomas: Est.- This est. lying in Brunswick County.
 Agnes Washington, admr. 20 June, 1749. Wm. Mosely, Benj.
 Mosely, Thos. Clanton. Book 9, p. 609.
- WASHINGTON, Thomas: Est.- 27 Jan., 1748. Edward Baily, Benj. Reeks. Book 9, p. 613.

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Chapter X

CUSTOMS AND MANNERS OF THE SEVENTEENTH CENTURY

HE records of Surry do not begin until 1652 and the records of James City County prior to that time are destroyed. Extracts from the records after 1652 show something of the customs, manners, religious beliefs and general conduct of the early settlers who came to this country to obtain a fuller measure of liberty. We can thus determine how far we have progressed. Then as now the harshness of the laws on one generation are modified in another. Sometimes reenacted they were enforced by other leaders and governors with great vigor. Even in our own times, from 1920 to 1932, no one was free to buy a drink of anything stronger than near beer. So we need not consider as very queer and harsh some of the customs and laws of those early times. "Eternal Vigilance is the price of Liberty." Today we not only have a multiplicity of laws but often a "duplicity" of them. The fewer the laws and regulations the more freedom of individual liberty. Nuisance laws are usually brought about by minority pressure groups contrary to the will of the majority.

The first General Assembly of Virginia passed a law requiring every citizen to attend divine services on Sunday. If one was delinquent the penalty was a fine of three shillings. This fine was reduced to one shilling in 1652. In 1675 the grand jury of Surry presented twentynine persons for violating the Sabbath by not attending their parish churches. They were Thomas Clarke, presenting himself; Nathaniel Knight, Henry Briggs, William Rookins, Barthalmew Owen, William Nance, Richard Parker, George Middleton, John Moss, Richard Tias, Thomas Senior, Edmond Howell, John Orchard, Old Mrs. Symonds, John Barker, Jr., William Short, William Harvey, William Draper, Edward Greene, Long John Phillips, John Hunnicutt, James Watkins, Adam Heath, John Miniard, Thomas Busby, Richard Royer, Thomas Bird, Daniel Williams, John Skinner. (Bk. 2, p. 83.)

On December 30, 1678, Thomas Sowerby, Samuel Judkins, John Watkins and John King, members of the Grand Jury, presented to the Court, Thomas Hunt and Robert Lee for not attending church. Also Thomas Senior, Edward Davis, John Rawliston, Nicholas Johnson, Robert Evans, Walter Vaughan, Richard Tyas, Sr. were presented by Thomas Crews.

Martin Thorne, Nicholas Wilson, Matthew Swann, Robert Kae, of the Grand Jury of the Lower Parish presented for not attending church: John Bynum, John Shepheard, Daniel Wade-not settled and not attending church. (Bk. 2, p. 194.)

Many of the above persons refused to pay tithes or attend church because they were Quakers.

Nowadays golf games on Sunday morning seem to prevent some persons from attending church, but in those days people lingered in taverns. Samuel Thompson, the son of William Thompson, a former . minister of Southwark Parish, and a Burgess and prominent citizen, like many of the prominent citizens of those days kept an "Ordinary" or Inn. In 1681 he gave a bond of a thousand pounds of tobacco that he would suffer no person, except his servants, to linger in his tavern on Sundays during the hours of Divine service in the parish church (1671-84, p. 52.)

Gifts of ornaments, costly cups and plates to churches during the seventeenth century were frequent. In 1674 Christopher Lewis bequeathed to the church warden of Southwark parish "a silver flagon of two quarts measure", to William Thompson minister "1500 lbs. of tobacco" and "desires to be buried in ye chancel of ye church and to have a tombstone over me and a funeral sermon" preached for which his executors are to pay. (1671-8, p. 34. Book 2, p. 36.)

Captain George Watkins, who died in 1673 "Desires to be buried in the chancel of the church at Lawnes Creek Parish as his predecessors have been in the chancel of the parish churches where they dwelt" and bequeaths a thousand pounds of tobacco to the church for the purchase of a piece of silver plate. (Bk. 2, p. 36.)

George Jordan who died in 1678 provided in his will that "on the 15th day of every October a sermon of mortality be had at my house, the day my daughter Fortune Hunt died. If the day came on Sunday, Holy Communion to be given. Whoever shall enjoy the land, be it one thousand generations, who so possesses the land shall perform both Sermon and Prayer," Also he bequeathed to the church a baptismal basin of silver valued at three pounds sterling. In accordance with a wish often expressed in the wills of those times he "desired to be buried by wife and children in Major Browne's orchard. (Book 2, p. 191.)

In 1662 two worthy citizens of Surry were required to "stroke the

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the Governor's thirst for revenge, and he carried on his series of trials and executions, only substituting civil trials for military court-martials on March 3d. During this period of executions, two Baconians from Surry suffered the death penalty. On March 16, 1676/7 John Whitson, and William Scarborough of Southwark Parish were convicted of "divers Rebellions Treasons and other misdemeanors", were sentenced to death, and shortly executed, their estates also being confiscated Minutes of the Council and Gen. Court, p. 459-60, Hening Statutes, II, p. 370). Whitson was the son-in-law of Capt. Robert Spencer, one of the Justices of Surry, and left an only daughter, Martha Whitson. Scarborough's widow married (2) Thomas Tyus (O. B. 1671-90, p. 194). He, also, left descendants in the county.

Another Surry man selected for special punishment by the colonial government was Arthur Long of Lawnes Creek Parish, Bacon's captain. Berkeley called an Assembly at Green Spring February 20, 1676/7, and Long was among those who, as a "notorious actor" in the rebellion. was selected for punishment not extending to his life (Hening Statutes, II, p. 371). Later the Assembly enacted "that Arthur Long of Surry county doe upon his bended knees, with a rope about his necke acknowledge his treasons and rebellion before the right honourable the governour and councell, and begg pardon for his life, and that in like manner he doe acknowledge his crimes in the county court of Surry, and that he be committed to safe prison untill he shall give good security for his future good behavior (id., pp. 379-80). We do not know when this sentence was carried out before the Governor and Council, but the Surry records show that it was done July 4, 1677 in the Surry County Court (Book 2, p. 133), as follows: "At a Court held for Surry County July 4, 1677, Arthur Long appeared in Open Court and made the following submission with a rope about his neck on bended knees. 'I, Arthur Long, that all bystanders may take notice of this my sincere repentance of my Rebellion, do here most humbly upon my knees with a roape about my neck implore pardon of God, My King, the Hon. Governor, Council and Magistrates of this his Majesty's country and humbly crave the benefit of his Majesty's most gracious Acts of Mercy and Pardon for my treason and rebellion. And this my submission and his Majesty's royall pardon to be granted me thereupon may be entered on record to make the same available to me, in the pleading thereof if occasion shall hereafter be. God Save the King, and Prosper the Governor and Majistrates of the County, with all happiness and Good

success." Another man, Anthony Hartland, was condemned by the General Court to make the same confession and do the same penance as Arthur Long before both the Surry and the Charles City County Courts (Hening II, p. 378). In addition he was fined 5,000 lbs. of tobacco. He seems to have been a Charles City man, however, and not a resident of Surry.

The colonial government seems not to have prosecuted the other two officers of Bacon in Surry, namely, Robert Burgess, Lieutenant, and William Simmons, Ensign, though both were later sued for depredations. The depositions of Elizabeth Blesley and Walter Taylor, given before, state that Robert Burgess was commonly called "Sert.", by which I suppose "Sergeant" is meant; but Arthur Allen in his suit brought against Burgess July 3, 1677 specifically states that Burgess bore the title of Lieutenant, and was Commander-in-Chief next to William Rookings (O. B. 1671-90, p. 145). Burgess was fined 8,000 lbs. of tobacco, the largest fine placed on any of the rebels, and was finally forced to mortgage his plantation to pay this debt. On April 20, 1678 Robert Burgess, blacksmith, and his wife Ann deeded to John Moreing and George Proctor, Gents., their plantation on Upper Chipoaks Creek with brick house and other edifices, in return for Moreing and Proctor going on Burgess' bond for a debt of 6,315 lbs. of tobacco to Arthur Allen, for which he had been kept in prison many months (Book 2, p. 182). Burgess died in 1683 leaving no children, though he mentions children of his brother Thomas Burgess (id., p. 332-3). William Simmons received a smaller fine and seems to have succeeded in paying it more easily. He was the son of Mary Simmons of Burcher Swamp, Surry County, whose will, dated April 16, 1677 and probated May 7, 1678, mentions her son William and granddaughter Mary, and leaves legacies to John Rutherford and Francis Gregory, both of whom were Bacon's men (Book 2, p. 172). William Simmons' son John and grandson Benjamin Simmons were Burgesses from Southampton County in the 18th century. Of the other Baconian leaders in the county, Joseph Rogers confessed some of his pillaging and was fined. He was a tanner, and appears to have left no descendants in the county. He may have moved to North Carolina some time after the Rebellion, as a Joseph Rogers appears there in the early 18th century. John Rutherford was another, like Burgess, whose sufferings were long drawn out. On March 5, 1677/8, being already in prison because of a judgment to Robert Caufield for depredations at the latter's house, the sheriff went to arrest him again to answer charges made against him by John Solway, but Rutherford refused to come to court, and was in his absence condemned, and fined again (O. B. 1671-90, p. 195; Bk. 2, p. 162). He must have submitted finally, however, and got out of prison, as in 1681 he signed the guardian's bond for Thomas Cockerham, orphan of Capt. William Cockerham. Rutherford, also, is said to have left descendants in the county. All the above men were from Southwark Parish, except Long and Rogers.

The less prominent Baconians, to the number of 40, laid hold of the King's pardon February 6, 1676/7, as indicated by the following record (Book 2, p. 149):

We whose names are hereunto subscribed having heard and read of his Majesty's gracious and most surpassing acts of Pardon and Mercy . . . do with all humility and earnestness implore and lay hold on his Majesty's most gracious act of pardon aforesaid . . . and in conformity to his Majesty's royal instructions (pray it) may be entered on record.

Surry County February 6th 1676

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_	Walter (V) Vahan	Robert (X) Evans	Thomas Pittman, Sen.
	Ja: Forbes	Thomas (X) Gibbons	John Hunnicutt
	John (X) Skinner	Henry (H) Baker	John Clements
	Thomas Senior	Robert Judkins	William (H) Heath
	George Williams	William Pettway	John Pulestone
	Mathew (M) Magnus	George (X) Harris	Edward Petteway
	William Rugbye	Ni (X) Johnson	Samuel Pearce
	Fra (X) Every	Stephen Lewis	William (W) Blunt
	Edmund Howell	William (W) Newett	
	Jonas (X) Bennett	George Proctor	Alex (A) Spencer
	William (X) Jones	John (X) Philips, Sr.	Cor (X) Cardenpaine
	Richard True	Edward (X) Davis	John Skelton
	Thomas (K) King	Stephen Allen	Samuel (X) Judkins
	John (X) Tarvett	ouplies filles	Thomas (H) High

Recorded Xbr 1st 1677, W. E. Ct. Clk.

It was delivered to me to be recorded by Captain Spencer 9 br 14, 1677

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Of the above 40 men, it is again noteworthy that practically all were from Southwark Parish. The 1675 list of tithables shows that 30

of them were positively Southwark men, 6 probably from Southwark judging by their surnames, 3 unidentifiable, and only one positively from Lawnes Creek Parish, namely, William Newitt. It looks as though Southwark was the stronghold of the Baconian movement, while Lawnes Creek tended to remain faithful to the Justices and the established government, though it can hardly be said that anyone in Surry County was an ardent partisan of Governor Berkeley. Most of the above men were small land-owners, several were freemen who worked on plantations belonging to others. Edward and William Petway were father and son. Robert and Samuel Judkins were brothers, and stepsons of the aged Thomas Pittman, Senior, who had been a Lieutenant in the county militia. George Proctor later became a Justice of the county, and had married the widow of Major William Marriott, a former Burgess. John Hunnicutt's wife was the daughter of Thomas Warren, prominent in the early history of the county.

Although the above forty men had submitted to Berkeley's government, and one of them, George Williams, served on a jury which later on condemned a number of his fellow Baconians, there was still rebellion in the hearts of many at the return to the old unjust state of affairs. On March 26, 1677 eight of the above men were put under bond to keep the peace, especially toward "ye Rt Honoble Sr Wm. Berkeley Knt Governor and Capt Genll of Virginia" (Book 2, p. 119). They were Thomas Pittman, John Clements, Edward Pettway, William Blunt, Thomas Gibbons, John Skelton, Matthew Magnus and Stephen Allen. John Clements, we have noted, was called a leader among the Baconians and was later sued for depredations. We have already noted Thomas High's criticism against Col. Thomas Swann in Feb., 1676/7, indicating a feeling that the Baconians had first been encouraged by the authorities, and then punished for their action. On Feb. 17, 1676/7 Elizabeth Regan, wife of Daniel Regan of Southwark Parish (whom we have not heard of previously as involved in the rebellion), was accused of having at several times and in several places "fomented" many Malignant & rebellious Words tending to sedition"; and the Court ordered Samuel Judkins, the Constable (himself a Baconian), to carry her to the common whipping place and give her ten lashes well laid on, on her bare back (O. B. 1671-90, p. 133). On September 4, 1677 Mary, the wife of John Skinner (one of the forty men above), was ordered to be given twenty lashes for "speaking words tending to sedition or mutiny, & in favour of the late rebellion"; and on the same

date, John Skinner, her husband, was ordered to be arrested for the same reason (id., p. 154-5).

Besides the above forty men and their leaders, Rookings, Long, Burgess, Simmons, Rogers, Rutherford, Whitson and Scarborough, the later suits and additional documents show us others involved in the rebellion, Richard Atkins, John Rogers, Sr. (an old man, probably identical with a John Rogers who was Burgess from the county in 1644 and 1645), Owen Myrick, Richard Steele, John Ironmonger, Richard Browne, Thomas Hyard (possibly identical with Thomas High) all from Southwark Parish, and Henry Goard and Robert Kay from Lawnes Creek. We learn of the last two men's connection with the rebellion, not from the Surry records, but from those of the colony. Soon after regaining power, Governor Berkeley issued a warrant to seize the estate of Robert Kay and bring his sheep to Green Spring, and there is on record the certificate of Samuel Swann, sheriff, that he did seize and inventory the said estate January 30, 1676/7 (Calendar of Transcripts, Va. Dept. of Archives, Sainsbury Abstracts, Vol. XVI, p. 110). In April, 1677 there is on record the complaint of Henry Gord to the Commissioners of Virginia against Capt. Roger Potter (another Surry man), Gaoler of the prison at Green Spring, for not suffering him to leave, where he had been confined for one month by the Governor (id., p. 239). Others who were at least sympathetic with the Baconians were Adam Heath, Edward Green and John Immers, who signed a document along with several old Baconians which was extremely obnoxious to the Assembly of October, 1677. Other more doubtful cases we have learned of from the depositions-young Robert Lee who on an errand for the Baconians, took Capt. Barham's horse; Henry Francis, who let him have the horse; William Kitto and Roger Rawlings, who ferried Bacon's men across to Jamestown at the siege; "Mr. Bishop", to whom Thomas High reported that Col. Swann sent a note; John Price, who was under a singularly lax imprisonment by Bacon's men at the Allen house; Walter Taylor who visited the rebels at "Bacon's Castle"; Thomas Watson who was present at Francis Mason's house when he claimed that Owen Myrick and Richard Steele were looting; Nicholas Witherington and Thomas Sowersby, who were present at the seizure of John Solway's house, the latter saying that he was "forced to go with the rebels"; possibly, also, Lieut. Thomas Busby, at whose house no guard was found in the critical days of mid-September and who agreed to pay Arthur Allen damages, along with a number of

Bacon's men, November 15, 1677 (O. B. 1671-90, p. 172), John Barker who agreed to pay Arthur Allen on the same date (id., p. 173), and even John Goring of Lawnes Creek, who was ordered to pay Robert Caufield 2,702 lbs. of tobacco May 1, 1677 (id., p. 137), although it is not stated that it was for damages done during the Rebellion. All these latter, however, are much more doubtful cases, and probably took no active part in the Rebellion.

Governor Berkeley's new Assembly met at Green Spring February 20, 1676/7, and Surry's representatives were William Browne and Benjamin Harrison, new Burgesses, but old Justices. The first act of the assembly was to pass an act of indemnity and pardon in accordance with the King's letters patent of October 10, 1676, but with twenty-five or thirty notable exceptions, among whom we have mentioned Rookings, Whitson, Scarborough and Long from Surry County. The next act was to abolish all the reform laws passed by "Bacon's Assembly" in June, 1676. However, some recognition of the need for reform was manifested (we suspect largely through the influence of the Royal Commissioners) by new laws making Members of the Council and ministers of the established Church pay levies; repealing the obnoxious amerciements, or taxes, on persons engaged in law-suits; and allowing six elected representatives of the people in each parish to sit with the vestrymen when parish levies were assessed. The Commissioners had brought orders from England, also, that the people of the various counties were to have the right freely to express their grievances and make formal petitions to the Assembly for remedial action. Thus we see that the influence of the Baconian movement was not entirely lost. Most of the counties availed themselves of this right at the new Assembly, though in a few (e.g., Westmoreland), the counties were so thoroughly under the thumbs of the oligarchy that the petitions did not really express the grievances of the people, and were rather ridiculous. This was not the case with Surry County, which handed in a lengthy set of "Grievances" as follows (Va. Mag. II, p. 170-173):

1. That ye last assembly continued many yeares and by their ffrequent meeting being once every yeare hath been a continual charge and burthen to the poor Inhabitants of this Collony; and that the burgesses of the sd Assembly had 150 lb tobacco per day for each member they usually continueing for three or 4 weekes togethet did arise to a great some, And that the said assembly did give to severall