shall permit them to leave her or Consent to their departure leaving them in that case to her discretion (and prudence. Lastly in Case my said Wife shall marry (and take another husband I will that such husband doe give security to see this my Will performed (and to pay my Children their severall shares of my said personall Estate, according as before is provided In Testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand (and Seale this 5th day of May 1688

Sealed signed and published in presence of us
Robert Carvile
Thomas Stroud
Sylvest Bryant
Thomas Ⓒ Price
his marke

John Parsons (Sealed)

July 9th 1688.

Then came before me Henry Darnall Esq. one of his Lordships Judges for Probate of Wills &c Robert Carvile Gent. one of the Witnesses to the aforegoing Will of John Parsons (and upon his oath declared that he saw the said John Parsons signe seale and deliver and declare the aforegoing writeing to be his last Will and Testament

Henry Darnall

In the name of God Amen the 30th day of August 1687. John Vynor of Talbott County in the Province of Maryland being sicke and weake of body but of a sound and perfect memory praise be given unto Almighty God for the same and knowing the uncertainty of this Life on Earth, and being desirous to sette things in Order do make (and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme following viz.

Imprs. I commend my soul to Almighty God my Creator assuredly believing that I shall receive pardon (and remission for all my sins (and be saved by the precious death (and merritts of my Saviour and Redeemer Christ Jesus (and my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be buried in such decent (and Christian manner as to my Executor hereafter named shall be thought fitt and Convenient (and touching such worldly Estate as the Lord hath lent me my will and meaning is the same the same shall be employed (and bestowed as hereafter by this my Will is expressed. –

Item I give (and bequeath unto Nicholas Bishop the younger one heifer. –

Item I give unto John Dely one Cow. –

Item I give (and bequeath unto Josias Crouch all all the rest of my goods (and chattells with my whole crop (and Chest with all that therein is axes howes together with all debts due and owcing to me wh doe hereby make and ordaine my whole and Sole Executor of this my last will and Testament, In Testimony I have hereunto sett my hand and seale the day (and year first above written

signed sealed in presence
Joseph Hunniwill
William Letticth
Nicholas ⅋ Bishop

signed and
John ⅏

On the back of said Will was Endorsed as followeth. –

Talbott Ss. – Joseph Hunniwill William Letticth (and Nicholas Bishop the Witness to this Will came before me this the fourth day of October Annoq. Domini 1687. and took their Corporall oath that they and every of them did see John Vynor signe seale and deliver this annexed Will for the use of Josias Crouch. –

Jurat Coram me

James Murphy

Richard Weasleline (and Nicholas Bishop took their Corporall oath before me upon the Holy Evangelist to appraise all the Goods Chattells Debts (and Credits of the said John Vynor late deceased so farr forth as shall come to their sight knowledge or possession the 4th day of October 1687.

Jurat Coram me

James Murphy

In the name of God Amen the twentieth Eight day of October 1687 according, to the Computacon of the Church of England I Thomas Seward of Maryland in the County of Kent being of perfect memory (and remembrance praised be God doe make (and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner (and forme following First I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my maker hoping that through the merritts death (and passion of Jesus Christ my only Saviour (and redeemer to receive free pardon (and forgiveness for all my sins and for my body to be buried in Christian burriall at the discretion of my Executrix hereafter nominated Item I give (and bequeath unto my well beloved wife Lucy Seaward the plantacon that she liveth upon she (and her heires forever (and do make and ordain to be my whole & sole Executrice my Will is that my

Item I give & bequeath unto my sonne Thomas Seward the plantation with Thomas Hynson now liveth upon being three hundred acres called by the of the Spread Eagle. Item I give & bequeath unto Charles Hynson sonn off Thomas Hynson one hundred & fifty acres of Land lying all the head of Morgans Creeke going by the name off Sewards Hope to him and his heires forever. –

Item I give (and bequeath unto Thomas Merly sonne of Nicholas Merly one hundred & fifty acres of land belonging to the same Tracht of Charles Hynson him and his heires forever, and for the rest of my personal Estate for to be equally divided betwixt my wife Lucy Seward and my sonne Thomas Seward (and doe make my sonne att age att sixteene years. If any of those Legatees should dye without issue then the said Land is to be returned to my well beloved wife Lucy Seward or her heires Thomas Smith (and Josias Lanham to be my Executrix assistans and my sonns trusty as Witness my hand and seale the day & yeare above written

signed sealed & delivered in the presence of us
William
Edward Richardson
Elizabeth Pearle

his
Thomas TS Seward (Sealed)
marke

On the back of S. Will was endorsed as followeth. –

April the 19th day 1688. –

Then came before me the Evidence of the within Will and tooke oath upon the Holy Evangelist that this was the last Will & testament of Thomas Seward late deceased. as Witness my hand the day (and yeare above written. –

In. Hynson

As also the appraisers Josias Lanham (and Thomas Smith being sworn the yeare & day above written

In. Hynson

Evidence
Wm Cramp
Edw: Richardson