to him she admired he had no greater regard to the Credit
of her father than to keep Company with the wicked one Shippard
because it seemed like Introducing old John Brown as a Kinsman
a brother to him or words to that Effect at which Mr Chesebyne
seemed to be angry Cursed old Brown and Swore he did abominate
for Vinegar a Bitch as Mrs Shippard was to make a Ship off
She further declares that from the time she first see Mr
Chesebyne in the time of his Sickness (which was before his will
was made) Until a day or two before he dyed she never
heard him Speak rationally one Quarter of an Hour together
but seemed to be in a stupifyed doged Condition — That the day
before Mr Chesebyne dyed she askt him how he did to which he
answered very ill for Nature on which I Depended is Quite
Spent Doctors has been Negligent and the world and I must
part. That she sitting the night before he dyed on the bed by
Mr Chesebyne he askt for Several persons to which she answered
they were by the fireside then he askt for Mr Dillamy and
being askt what he wanted with him he replied ah Damoll
has fairly cheated me out of 5000 or 7000 of Pobs but said
he had not discovered it to him and if he had he believed
Damoll would have made him Satisfaction after which
discourse his boy Dunavan being at the foot of the bed
he sent him upon an Errand to Carry some drink into the
other room but the boy not Immediately going Mr Chesebyne
bid him begone and then desired this Deponent to Administer
as soon as he was dead for then she would know what was her

her Own. That she Verily believes Mr Chesebyne made this will
with Intent to make the world believe he had been Married
for he said Sent for her in haste and when she came would ask
no other Question than whether she thought he would dye
and that when he found death approaching he had desire
to make a new will because he then askt to have a new
one made. That the Sunday before he dyed Mrs Shippard
put on some cleane Linni and was going to attend Labour
in the same plantation and as she was passing the room where
this deponent was she this Deponent told her she was dressed
to which she the said Shippard replyed she had little reason
for to doe for her brother (Mr Chesebyne Meaning) was in a
violent passion and had Sworne to her that if he see the light
of another day he would lower her pride as much as ever he
had raised it for he would make this Negroe stye her up and
whip her. That when the Minister was administring the Sacra-
ment to Mr Chesebyne (which was Immediately after his will
was made) and having put the bread into his mouth Mr
Chesebyne chewed it a little and then offered to take it into his
fingers at which the Minister asked him whether he knew
what he did to which Mr Chesebyne replyed what shall I
swallow this for or (which shew is not possible) that he could
not swallow it that about four days before Mr Chesebyne
dyed he told this Deponent that the wicked one Shippard-