Lib.r A. f.84. Adam Stancliffe being present at the same time, Deposeth the same

Test. Robert Clarke Clk.

Sept. 7.th Anthony Rawlings maketh Claime of the Estate of Richard Cox Deced and desired Letters of Administration to be granted unto him of all Lands Goods Chattles belonging unto the said Richard Cox according to his last will and Testament —

Ordered that the said Anthony Rawlings Have Letters of administration Granted to him forthwith the will being proved by ye testimonies aforesaid. —

September 7.th The will of Richard Cox approved by Anthony Rawling and the administration committed unto the said Anthony. having made Oath to bring in Inventory within 10 Dayes and acco.t after the first of December next. Unless further time Given by the Govern.r and to Cause the Estate to be praised by the Oath of 2 men —

Sept. 11. Thomas Greene Esq.r Gov.r of this Province authorized Rob.t Clark to take the depositions of Ellis Beach and George Manners to Praize the Estate of Richard Cox deced. —

Sept.r 11. George Manners and Ellis Beach hath Taken Oath to Praise the Estate of Richard Cox lately deced. —

7.th May 1649.

93 In the name of God amen 1648 I John Thomson do make my Will and Testament in the yeare of our Lord 1648 —
It. first I bequeath my Soul unto God and my body to be buried in the Earth. It. I give unto George and his wife and James Walker — Plantation and all that I have and unto David Pritchard a barrell of Corn It. I give cloke and Mace my old coate and the shirt I have on. — It. I owe Mr. Matrum 60.lb. of Tobacco. It. I owe to Walter Beans some certain Tobacco but I know not what it is. It. I make George Ackrick and James Walker my True and lawfull Exec.rs. when my debts is paid Desiring God to be mercifull unto me and to forgive me my Sinnes as witness my hand the 19.th day of Feby 1648. —
Witness David Pritchard Cross Mace his Mark. Jo: Thomson
May 6. 1649. Cross Mace at the request of James Walker and George ackrick Examined and deposed Saith, that the above specified will is the true and last will of the John Thomson as he verily believes and that he was present when the said John Thomson Signed his will with his own hand either 3 or 4 dayes before his death and that he the said John Thomson although at that present he was weak in body yet was he in perfect Memory at the Signing thereof

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Lib.r A. f. Jurat coram me: William Brotton. The mark of Cross Mace.

Cclob: 14 95. The last Will and Testam.t of William Cox deceased.

In the name of God amen.

I William Cox being sick in body but perfect in Memory, Thanks be to God, Doe make this my last Will and Testament. —
First I bequeath my Soul to God, and my body to the Ground to be buried in a decent Manner, and for my Worldly Estate I dispose of in manner following, after my Debts are Satisfied.
Imp. I desire that both my Shallops with all the rigging belonging to them both, Except the Sailes of the Small Shallop one bull and one ox to be Sold at an outcry to the payment of Such Debts due to Capt.n Vaughan as he can make Justly appear from me. —
It. I give all my female Cattle to my Children, that I am now possest withall, to be Equally divided between them.
It. I give to my Wife all the male Cattell I have or that shall fall between this and the time my Children be of age for the bringing of them upp.
It. I give all my Land upon the Isle of Kent unto my Son.
It. I give all my Hogs and Houshold Stuff in General unto my Wife.
I Desire that Capt.n Giles Brent and Mr. Francis Brooke will be this my Last will possessed Witnesse my hand this first of October 1647. William Cox.
Witness Richard Willan
John. Signum
Cego.

128 The 18.th day of octob.r 1647.

Jan 26.

In the Name of God amen. I Francis Cox of the Island of Kent in the Province of Maryland in the Parts of America Gentlewoman being of Sound Memory and Sound Thanks be to God therefore Doe make and ordain this my Last will and Testament in the Manner and form following.
First I bequeath my Soul into the hands of Jesus Christ my Redeemer from whome I received hope through his Merits, and the Merrits of his Passion to obtaine remission of my Sinnes, and Salvation of my Soule at the day of my Birth
2.dly I give my body I bequeath it to the Earth from whence it was Taken and to receive decent and Christian burial according