Decemb[r] 4[th] day 1697

In Robert Day of Leonards Creek in Patuxent River in the
province of Maryland being Sick in body but of perfect
memory praised be god for the same do make Constitute
ordaine declare this my last Will & Testiment in manner
and Forme following. Revoaking & Annulling by these
all & every Testim[ts] or Testim[ts] Will or Wills heretofore
by me made or declared either by word or writeing and
to be taken only for my last Will & Testim[t] and
other. and now for the Settleing of my Temporall Estate
and such goods and Chattles as it hath pleased God
to bestow upon me. I do Ord[r] & Dispose the same
in manner & Forme following that is to say First
I will that all my Debts be divided according to my
Division. that is to say betweene my 3 Sons named
Viz. Robert & Daniel Day—

1[st] I Give and bequeath unto my Eldest Son Robert Day one Track of land Called Narrow Neck and be-
longing my two Sons Tho: & Daniel Day. the to hold
the part he now lives on to him & his heirs
for ever. and I give and bequeath unto my Son
Robert Day that Tract of Land that I now live on
to him and his heirs for ever Comonly known
by the name of Folsons—

2[ly] I Give and bequeath all my Personall Estate to
my Wife Eliz[a] Day and all the rest of my Children to be
Equally Divided betweene them after praisment and
they come to age or are Married. Tho. Day Rec[d]
I have my given him w[th] there Part & Fitting already
the other being seven in number namely
Rob[t] Daniel. Mary Eliz[a] Sarah Martha. & Darkey
Day To that is to Go. I sent to England as well
as other goods and Chatle to be Equaly devided a-
mongst them w[th] my Wife. and in Case any of my
Children should departe this life before I shall then their
part to go to the rest w[th] Equall Division—

3[ly] I leave my loveing wife my Exec[x] and my Son
Robert Day Exec[r] over my Estate to see that my Will
is fulfilled. Whereas my Sone Rob[t] Day is now Intent
to build one Sloope w[th] the assistance of my Brother
Hugh. the one halfe I give to my Sone Robert. and the
other halfe to be divided amongst the other of my Children
and lastly I appoint my Friend Daniel Rawlins. and my
Brother Thomas Simmons my Overseers to see my
family do the thing that is right one amongst

the other

the others as Witness my hand and Seale the day and year
above Written—
Signed Sealed and delivered
in the presence of
his marke
Dan[l] D Simmons

Robert Day (Seale)

his Marke
Hugh [illegible] Whitehead

marke
Eliz[a] ~ Simmons —

On the back of the s[d] Will was thus Endorsed—

Memd[m] the 18[th] 1697—
Came Hugh Whitehead and Elizabeth Simmons Witnesses to
the Will and made Oath that that Robt Day
Signe Seale and deliver the within Will as his Act &
Deed and that they likewise saw Daniel Simmons
one of the Witnesses who is dead Sett his hand to the
hand to it as Witness & to is dead As Witness my
hand and Seale the day and year above Written—

Rich[d] Keene Dep[t] (Seale)
Comiss[y] Calvert County—

In the name of God amen the 15[th] day of April
1697. According to the Constitution of the Church of England
Cornelius Watkinson of St Marys County being Weake of
body but of Sound and perfect memory Thanks be to god
therefore do make ordaine and Constitute this my Last
Will and Testim[t] in Manner and Forme following viz[t]

First— I bequeath my Soule into the hands of Almighty
God my Maker hopeing to be saved by the Meritorious
Death and passion of Jesus Christ my Only Saviour &
Redeem[r] and as for my body to be buried in Christian
burriall at the Discretion of my Ex[rs] hereafter named—

Item— I give to James Heath the Son of Henry Heath
in All faith parish One Cow Yearling—

Item— All the rest of my Goods Land whatsoever I give
to my Loveing Wife Edith Watkinson during her Natural life
bequeath it to Cornelius Watkinson the Sone of Peter
Watkinson of Accamack. I make and Ordaine my
Loveing Wife Eliz[a] Watkinson Sole Ex[x] of this my
Last Will