The last will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley being in perfect health memory and weake in Body Committh his Soule to God and his Body to a decent Burial

Imprimis I give and do my Brother ffrancis Billingsley all my Books for Keeping of Sheep; and all my Coopers Books and his tooles of all my plaines and Groves and my Cross Saw; And to John Crosse I give a paire of Crooked Shears and to my Daughters Elizabeth and Sarah Billingsley three hundred Acres of Land Lyeing in Chiganotomaroe River called by the name of Billingsleys chance adjoyning to Land of Henry Cooper to them and their heires and to my Daughter Mary Billingsley I give One hundred Acres of Land Lyeing in the same River called by the name of Billingsleys Folly to her & her heires for ever; and to my wife Elizabeth Billingsley I give the said House in till my Sonne Thomas Billingsley be at the age of Eighteene yeares and then he is to possess the p[ar]t land w[i]th the rest of his estate but if it happen my wife Eliz: be then a widow she shall have her third of the p[ar]t land during her Widowhood; but if my Sonne Thom: aforesd happen to dye in his minority then my wife shall enjoy all his Seate of land during her life called by the name of Jamoth and after her death it shall be owned to the eldest male issue of my Children; and I the p[ar]t Billingsley do engage my wife Elizabeth to give out of the Remaining part of my estate to my three children to say Thomas Sara & Mary Billingsley three mares Colts w[i]th in Eighteene moneths after my decease w[i]th three Cattle to Runne on for the benefit of my three children above p[ar]t and for all the Remaine of my estate after my Debts and funerall charges being payd I give to my wife to bring up and to maintaine

my Children till they are at age and then to give them all four Thomas and Elizabeth Sara and Mary Billingsley each of ye afore: apprentice not to forme and four yeares peece but such forew: as the children like of or each of them afore that be and hereunto apprentice w[i]th the children shall choose. And I make my wife Elizabeth Billingsley my full and lawfull Executrix and desire and desire do be my Overseers my Brother ffrancis Billingsley and Richard Cooper Doctor John Standfsby and John Crosse to aide and assist my wife in this my last will and Testament and I doe Impower my wife w[i]th Consent of these my Overseers that assist my children have two children apprentice that then the first shall not be kept no longer then the age of three yeare and then to be disposed of and sold for Tobacco or money and that to be put out to use for the benefit of these my children at 8 or 10 in the hundred according as the overseers think Reason it and that the overseers give an Account to the Court every yeare of proceedings according Reason Witnesse my hand and Seale March 12th 1633

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of: David Morgan

Thomas Billingsley (Seale)

Walter: Warkins his mark

Ann M Morgan her mark

On the Backside of the foregoing last will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley was this written (viz)

March 12th 1633/34 Came Walter Warkins and David Morgan both living in Calvert County and took their oaths upon the Evangelists that this w[i]th in written paper to be the last will and Testament of Thomas Billingsley late of Calvert County deceased and John Standfsby and John Crosse both of Calvert County Gent Overseers and took their oaths as appraisers of the estate of the p[ar]t Thomas Billingsley deceased before me Edward Blount (Seale)