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Descendants of Robert Hill and Mary Webb of Isle of Wight County

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Starting Point

At client Jane Smith Hill's direction this study began with John Bennett Boddie's "17th Century Isle of Wight County," in which Robert Hill and his wife Mary Webb are mentioned several times.

The earliest mention of Robert Hill is the June 20, 1632 document in which Francis England is given 746 acres adjoining Captain Pierce for transporting 15 persons including Robert Hill, his wife Mary, John Powell, Eliza Webb, Sarah England, Edward Palmer, James Piland and his wife Alexandra.[1] Boddie also mentions a 1653 deed in which Sion Hill mentions his father Robert.[2] Client Jane Smith Hill engaged me to identify the children of this Robert Hill and his wife Mary Webb by conducting a thorough search of pertinent Isle of Wight County Courthouse records.

Summary of Findings

Although Robert Hill was transported to Isle of Wight County, Virginia in 1632 he did not live there long enough to leave any records. However, a survey of abstracts for southeastern Virginia revealed the fact that there is a 1678 will for a Robert Hill Sr.in Accomack County, Virginia. Accomack County lies on an island to the east of Isle of Wight, just a short sail away. There are also wills there for other Hills, most notably the 1697 will of Nicholas Hill, who may have been a son of Nicholas and Silvestra Hill, daughter of Edward Bennett. Nicholas Sr. may have been the brother of Robert Hill. (Boddie states that Silvestra's husband "left his will" in 1674 but does not say where he left it. I did not find it in Isle of Wight

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[1] Boddie, John Bennett, *17th Century Isle of Wight County, Vol. I* p.669.
[2] Ibid, p.584.

County records. We may find it in a neighboring county or in the Virginia Colonial Records.)

There is a William Hill present as an adult in 1672 in Surry County and he is clearly connected to the Isle of Wight County Hills, most notably to Robert Hill Jr., son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb and brother to Sion Hill. What the records below suggest: Anthony Spilltimber died in 1672. Luke and Deborah Mizell were the parents of Elizabeth Mizell, who married Robert Hill Jr. Luke and Deborah Mizell were also the parents of Mary Mizell who married Anthony Spilltimber and was deceased by 1673. **William Hill witnessed Anthony Spilltimber's will**. Anthony Spilltimber had a brother named John who died in 1677. Elizabeth C. Hill, probably the wife of Robert Hill Jr., took the inventory of John Spilltimber's estate. Tentative conclusion: this William Hill was probably the brother of Robert Hill Jr., but he may also have been a son. *What is not clear at this time is what, if any, relation this William Hill is to the William Hill who was born in Surry County circa 1740. More research is needed to determine this.

In 1655 in Surry County, Stephen Webb, likely a brother of Mary Webb, died leaving sons Robert and William Webb. Robert Hill was appointed guardian of Robert Webb. This demonstrates that the people we are trying to trace (Robert Hill, Mary Webb, and their children) were already in Surry County as early as 1655, which, although early, was still 20 years after Robert and Mary were transported to Isle of Wight County, Virginia from Britain. ***A search of Surry County records is needed if we are to locate and identify all of Robert Hill and Mary Webb's children.***

Other important findings include the presence of Robert and Sion Hill in Surry County, Virginia in 1704, as evidenced by the 1704 Quitrents List for Surry. I believe these are the sons of the Robert Hill who died in Accomack County, Virginia in 1678 but cannot know until I can access his will. Surry County abstracts indicate that Sion had land transactions there as early as 1679, which would have been just about the same time his father Robert appears to have died. Robert Hill Jr. was married to a woman named Elizabeth Meazle, daughter of Luke Meazle.

There is a clear connection between Robert Hill and Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County. This connection is familial and involves the Baker surname. Ralph Hill, deceased by 1720, was married to a woman named Hannah and in 1685 deeded land to Laurence Baker. Ralph Hill was certainly of the appropriate age to be the son of Robert Hill since he was an adult in 1685, but nothing in Isle of Wight County records tells us who Ralph's father was. The Virginia Colonial Records might be helpful to us in finding out more about Ralph.

There was an Edward Hill present in Surry County as early as 1655. It is not clear what, if any, relation he was to Robert Hill Jr. and his brother Sion Hill. However, Nicholas Hill, husband of Silvestra Hill and probably a brother of Robert Hill Sr., was also present in Surry County deeds in 1655. [See particulars in the photocopies that accompany this report.] It is my impression that early on, Hills owned land in both Isle of Wight and Surry County—meaning that one individual had land in both places at the same time.

In the 1730s and 1740s there was a Joseph Hill, a Thomas Hill and a Robert Hill living in Isle of Wight County, Virginia but I found no reference to the Robert Hill who died in the late 1600s in extant county records. As late as 1739 there was a Sion Hill receiving land in Isle of Wight County. Clearly this was not the man who identified himself as the son of Robert Hill in 1653. This Sion may have been a child of that Sion (whom we find listed with his brother Robert in the 1704 Quitrents for Surry County, VA) or he may be a nephew or grandson. Again, a search of the vast (but thankfully indexed) Virginia Colonial Records collection is advisable, as the origins of these men may be found there.[3]

Isle of Wight County Records

Probate Records

There are no will or estate records for any Robert Hill listed in the Isle of Wight will index. There are no entries for Sion Hill or William Hill either. There is only the will of Thomas Hill, which does not mention Robert Hill.

The Great Books

Isle of Wight Great Book 2 Part I contains the 1719/1720 will and inventory of Thomas Hill. No mention is made of Robert Hill in this will, therefore we cannot know from this record alone if Thomas was a descendant of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

P.680: January 25, 1724. Robert Hill and wife Tabitha Hill to Arthur Jordan, 145 acres on the south side of Founten's Creek (being the land Robert Hill now lives on.) [So there was another, younger Robert Hill in Isle of Wight in 1724. We cannot know from this deed if this was the son of our Robert, or an extended family relation.]

Deeds

[3] Please see photocopies for more on most of the Hills living in Isle of Wight County, VA from the 1730s forward. I only included the records that seem of significance to us in this report.

In the deeds found for the years 1720-1749 we find references to a Robert Hill as well as to Hannah, Joseph, Ralph, Richard, Silvestra, Snow, Tabitha, and Thomas. What we do not find are any references to the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Court Records 1647-1750

These records included guardian and administor accounts, minutes and orders. There were no references to any probate records or deeds involving the heirs of Robert Hill in these records.

Where to Go from the Isle of Wight County Courthouse?

Because the Isle of Wight County courthouse research yielded nothing about the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb I moved on to a search of Virginia abstracts, including Isle of Wight County. I included a search of Isle of Wight because there have been cases of records being accessed and abstracted years ago that have subsequently been lost. Then there is the matter of thoroughness—a check of existing abstracts helps to ensure that I did not miss anything in the courthouse search. One wonderful thing about the abstracts is that they are more thoroughly indexed so that ALL names in a transaction are listed, not just, as in the case of the courthouse indices, grantor and grantee, or devisor or devisee.

Methods

I collected records of all Hills in the area, as we might find clues there regarding the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb via these other Hills. For example, although we may not find a record stating family relationships, if we find a Hill owning a piece of land that adjoins Robert, we may be fairly certain that they are closely related, if not father and son then perhaps brothers. All of these are pieces we will need to solve the puzzle of the identies of the heirs of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Isle Of Wight County, Virginia Abstracts

Hopkins, William Lindsay, *Court Orders, Deeds, and Guardian Accounts 1740-1767*:
[For greater detail see photocopies.]

March 13, 1638. **Thomas Hill** trades land.
July 28, 1658. **Major Nicholas Hill** and John Snellock in land dispute.
Apr. 20, 1684. Thomas Hill witnesses 200-acre grant to James Gardner in Lower Parish.

1688. Bethial Cole (alias **Bethiall Hill**) late widow of Mr. Alexander Cole of the town of Salem in New England appoints power of attorney. [Interesting, as this is a New England connection. However, all this means is that Bethial's maiden name was Hill or she was once married to a Hill, likely before she was married to Alexander Cole. "Late" here means "lately: or "recently," not that she is deceased.]
1690. Silvestra Hill paid for female slave.
Dec. 26, 1692. **Thomas Hill** and Henry Applethwaite Sr. and Henry Applethwaite Jr. witness deed.
July 8, 1693. **Thomas Hill** witnesses deed.
Apr. 5, 1694. "Thomas Wickens to Henry Baker for 8,000 pounds tobacco ... 100 acres being part of the land George Archer sold Mr. **Robert Hill** and now is in the possession of said Baker." [Note: we know that Silvestra Hill, wife of Nicholas Hill, was connected to the Bakers. The above deed connects Robert Hill to Silvestra and Nicholas. It is possible that Nicholas was a brother or elder son of Robert Hill, but further records are needed in order to be certain.]
[1694?] **Silvestra Hill**, widow and mother of Martha Best the wife of John Best, deceased, states that Martha Best left her land to Mr. Luke Havill.
Sep. 12, 1695: **Sivestra Hill**, widow of Lt. Col. Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County to Lewis Burwell of York County, land "willed to me by my husband and located at the head of Lawnes Creek."
April 1, 1696. **Thomas Hill** witnesses bond.
June 3, 1696. Edmund Wickins fo Nansemond to Henry Baker of Isle of Wight: 100 acres in Isle of Wight, being land bought by said Wickins of Sion Hill. [We have now a connection between Robert, Sivestra, Nicholas, and Sion Hill via the Bakers. It seems Nicholas may well have been another child of Robert Hill.]
June 7, 1701. Articles of agreement between Mrs. **Silvestra Hill** of the Upper Parish and William Thomas of the same ... lease of some land for said Thomas' lifetime adjoining Mr. Day, the river and Mr. Thos. Elms.
Feb. 10, 1706. John Fiveash of Upper Parish and wife to Elias Hodge. 50 acres adjoining Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, Roger Hodge, and John Murray.
Sep. 8, 1707. Edward Hill witnesses deed between Robert Halsey of London to William Newberry of the City of London ... 400 acres in Rappahannock River.
Dec. 25, 1710. **Ralph Hill and Nicholas Hill** appoint Mr. Joseph Chapman as their attorney. [This tells us there was indeed a Nicholas Hill in Isle of Wight after the death of **Nicholas Hill Sr.**, husband of Silvestra Hill.
Oct. 26, 1714. Alex. Forbes, Clerk of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight County and Henry Baker, gentleman of Nansemond County, heir at law of Henry Baker of Isle of Wight who was the Executor of the last will of Mrs. **Silvestra Hill** late deceased., to Lawrence Baker of Isle of Wight ... 300 acres (being land Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, deceased, willed to the poor of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight on October 17, 1706.

May 24, 1717. Lawrence Baker to Alexander Forbes, Clerk ... 300 acres devised to him by the will of Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, deceased, for use of the poor of the parish.
Apr. 7, 1720. Laurence Baker, legatee of Henry Baker dec'd, late of Isle of Wight County to Nathaniel Burwell, gentleman of Gloucester County, 40 acres at the head of Lawnes Creek (being land that **Ralph Hill and wife Hannah Hill** on Jan. 16 1685/6 did grant to said Henry Baker) and bounded by Mr. Geo. Hardy's Mill. Witnesses James Ransome and Amaydiah Cosby.
Apr. 25, 1722. Churchwardens acknowledge the gift of Mrs. Silvestra Hill through Henry Baker, Gentleman of Nansemond County.

Later Isle of Wight Records

1738, DB 5:226. From James Wilson of NC to John Moreland of Isle of Wight Co., VA for 27 pounds, all that messuage, tenement, and appurtnenances in Isle of Wight and which was formerly leased to Nicholas Wilson, father of the said James Wilson, as by Isle of Wight deeds dated September 1, 1680 from **Ralph Hill and Hannah his wife** for 99 years. The land is bounded by the head of Lawnes Creek, the 9old field, the mill cart path towards the Church unto Col. Bacon's like. To have and to hold for the term of the said lease, which is to be 42 years from next September 1, said Moreland paying yearly 1 peppercorn at the feast of St. Michael if the same be demanded.
1742. **Joseph Hill** listed in estate of Joseph Bridgers.

Quit Rents List of 1704

These records are not housed in any County courthouse, but are part of the Virginia Colonial Records. There is a single **Robert Hill** listed here, and he owns 200 acres in **Surry County**. In this same list, "**Syon" Hill** is listed with 300 acres in Surry County. I expect that Robert and Sion are brothers, the sons of Robert Hill by Sion's own admission in 1654 Isle of Wight deed cited by Boddie. There are no other Hills listed on the 1704 Quitrents list. There was clearly a later Sion Hill living in Southampton County, Virginia in the 1750s, see Southampton County Records, below. Southampton was formed from Isle of Wight in 1749. A part of Nansemond Count was later added to the newly formed Southampton County.

Hill References in Secondary Sources for Southside Virginia

William and Mary Quarterly

The William and Mary Quarterly articles involving the Hill surname are of great value in that the authors examined records from not only Isle of Wight County but also Nanesmond, Surry, and other area counties. Please bear in mind that I

have not verified any of the information below in the public records, therefore it can only be considered secondary source material.

Source: Isle of Wight County VA - Records; William and Mary College Qrtly, Vol. 7, No. 4, P. 250-296

(1) In the list of wills at Bristol published by the British Records Society are named the wills of John Day (1615), Thomas (1645), Sibill (1672), Mary (1679), Mary (1709), William Day (1717), John (1714). An abstract of the will of Thomas Bland, of London, gent., 26 Aug., 1674, names his dau. Sarah Day, the wife of Joseph Day, and grandson Joseph Day. The abstract of the will of Thomas Bland, of London, merchant, 25 Nov., 1700, names sister Sarah Day and my brother's two daus, Sarah and Margaret Bland. New Engl. Hist. and Gen. Register, Vo. 48, pp, 113, 114. It is probable that Joseph Day was somehow related to James Day, of Isle of Wight. **Mary Hill** m'd, first,
Thomas Bland (dead before 1676); second, Luke Croply. (See Richard Bennett's will in Appendix.)

p.252: . . . worthy ffriends Mr. Micajah Perry, Mr. Thomas Lane, Mr. Richard Perry, &c., to dispose of &c. I give and bequeath to my sonne James Day my watch, my silver headed cane, my seal and coat of armes and my Rapier; **Aunt Mrs. Silvestra Hill**, Brother and Sister Chapman, Brother and Sister Swan; to Mrs. Isabella Haveild, Mr. Jno. Haveild, Major Henry Baker, Major Henry Tooker, major Arthur Allen 20s. a peice to buy each of them a Ring. Wife Mary Day. Dated 10 Aug., 1700; proved 9 Jan.,
1700-1. By codicil he mentions "his ever honored mother Mrs. Mary Cropley," (1) and bequeaths to her 10 pds. sterl.

p. 254: Will of **Mrs. Silvestra Hill**: To my loving friend **Mary, wife of Henry Baker**,(1) the land I now dwell on known by ye name of ye Rocks and all ye rest of the land within that neck of land, that is to say the plantations of Andrew Griffin, Sarah Guilford, John Bidgood, William Thomas and Benjamin Folder now dwell on the said land containing 550 acres, more or less, for said Mary's actual life, and after her decease, to my goddaughter Mary, the daughter of Henry and Mary Baker; all my land without the neck of land whereon I now dwell, that is to say the plantation that Richard Wrenn and Francis Wrenn now dwells on, containing 350 acres, more or less, with the housing, orchards, &c., to be sold by my exor., and the produce sent to England and returned in goods to be disposed of and distributed to such poor people as de properly belong to and dwell in the upper parish of this county; legacies of negroes and money to Elizabeth, the

(1) In **Surry records** this Henry Baker is named in 1676 as "kinsman" of Capt. Lawrence Baker, of Surry. At Bristol may be found the wills of Edward Baker (1597), Richard (1598), Cecily (1614), James (1622), Thomas (1622), John (1624), Joan (1632), George (1635), Thomas (1643), John (1675). Arthur Allen, of Surry, the emigrant, married Alice Tucker, sister of Daniel Tucker. His son, Major Arthur Allen, Speaker of House of Burgesses, married Catharine, dau. and heiress of Capt. Lawrence Baker. Major J. F. Crocker writes: "------ I find it stated by Dr. Semmes J. Baker in his account of the Baker family --- descended from Henry Baker --- made Fb. 4, 1847, that 'the last of the name and family on James River was Lawrence Baker, who had a handsome seat directly on the river a few miles from Smithfield, now in the possession of Dr. Dick Cocke or some of his family. **You will thus see that Henry Baker derived this place, called, I think, "Shoal Bay," from Silvestra Hill. He devised it to his son, Lawrence Baker, who sold it to Nathaniel Burwell on May 24, 1717."**

p. 255: Will of Humphrey Marshall: Gr'sons Humphrey Scutchins, Joseph Scutchins, dau. **Mary Hill**, dau. Anne Applewhait, gr'son Thomas Applewhaite; legacy to Thomas, son of Elizabeth Thomas, John Thomas; my 3 daus. Sarah, Mary, and Anne, dau. Sarah Scutchins, son-in-law Henry Applewhaite and Coll. Sam. Bridger, Exors. 18 Dec., 1711.

p.260 **Silvestra Hill deeds to Lewis Burwell, of York Co., her life interest in the plantation where her late husband, Lt. Coll. Nicholas Hill, lived, a little above Lawn's Creek. 1695.**

262: **Ralph Hill**, of Prince George Co., Va. and **Nicholas Hill**, of Norfolk Co., son and heir of said Ralph, and grandson of **Majr Nicholas Hill**, deceased. 1710.

Pages 263-4: Henry Baker, heir at law to Henry Baker, exor. of **Mrs. Silvestra Hill**, 1714. Henry Baker, gentleman, of Nansemond, and Alexander Forbes, clk, of the Upper parish, having been constituted vendors authorized to sell a tract of land donated by Mrs. Hill to the poor of the parish, and having on their petition to the General Court been liberated
from the disposal of the effects of sd land, the churchwardens of the parish accept from ye said H.B. and A.F. the sum of 26500 pds of tobacco as the whole full price of the said land, &c. 21 April, 1720. [Major J.F. Crocker, of Portmouth, writes: "Alexander Forbes (rector of the old Bay church) conveyed to **Thomas Hill** May 17, 1717 (Deed Book II., page 92), 300 acres of land at or near Rock Wharf, on James River, which was a part of the land which **Silvestra Hill** derived from her father, Edward Bennett (see patent to Nicholas Hill, about1666), and which she devised by her will to be sold, and the proceeds to be used for the poor of the parish, and which was sold by Henry Baker and Alexander Forbes as special commissioners, and which was bought by Lawrence Baker, son of Henry

Baker on October 16, 1714 (Deed Book I., page 310), and which Lawrence Baker conveyed to Alexander Forbes May 24, 1717 (Deed Book II., page 86), and which Alexander Forbes conveyed to **Thomas Hill**, as above stated by deed of May 27, 1717. This **Thomas Hill's** will was admitted to record on July 25, 1720, being dated 23 May, 1719. His will mentions wife Mary, children Thomas Hill, Joseph Hill, Mary Hill, and Ann Hill. This Joseph Hill married Frances Woodley, daughter of John Woodley, son of our immigrant ancestor, Andrew Woodley, who settled in Isle of Wight in 1690. **Elizabeth Hill**, daughter of the said **Joseph Hill** and Frances Woodley, married John Harrison, whose daughter, Elizabeth Hill Harrison, married her cousin's grandfather, Andrew Woodley, who was a son of John Woodley, who was a son of Thomas Woodley, who was the son of Andrew Woodley, the immigrant. **Thomas Hill**, the son of the aforesaid Thomas Hill, was clerk of the vestry of the Old Bay church, and when in 1724, after the death of his father, he made a visit to England, before starting he communicated his intention of making the visit to the vestry, as the old vestry book shows. On his return he again assumed the duties of clerk of the vestry. The land aforesaid, after the death of **Thomas Hill, Sr.,** was processioned in the name of **his widow, Mary Hill, until her death, about 1735, and then it was processioned in the name of the son Thomas Hill, who died about 1739, leaving a son Thomas Hill."]**

Page 273: At a Court held, &c., June 5th 1777. Ordered that charles Fulgham be appointed a Captain of the Militia of this county to the Company whereof **Joseph Hill** was Captain, who has resigned: That Thomas Wrenn be appointed an ensign to the said Company. Jethro Gale, Sheriff.

Page 298: **Majr Nicholas Hill & Sylvester**, his wife, Sept. 30, 1664, 750 acres Being the moiety of 1500 acs of land appertaining unto the said Sylvester and her Sister, who were daughters & Coheirs of Mr. Edward Bennett, decd, … by James river, &c., by the river side in a valley near a place called the Rock.

P.303: **Major Nich Hill**, Mar. 26, 1670, 670 acres At the Blackwater, Begg near Parson's bridge on the beaver dam branch at a pin in George More's line.

Isle of Wight Co., VA, Wills, Deeds, Etc. 1, pp. 116-17
2 May-1 Nov 1667 Thomas Harris & Wife Alice To Giles Driver
Deeds of Lease & Release)

These presents witness that I Thomas HARRIS of ye Isle of Wight County for a valluable Considerac'on in hand rec'ed doe Assigne & make over unto M.r Giles DRYVER of the said County his Heires Ex.rs Adm.rs and Assignes all my Right Title Clayme & interest to the Bill of Sale within menc'oned for A Mill with all its priveledges and appert'ences, whatsoever therein expressed with

Warranty against all Claymes whatsoever as alsoe agent any Clayme or P'tence of Clayme now or hereafter to be made by me ye sd Thomas Harris my Heires or Adm.rs or any Person or Persons whatsoever by us or any of Our precurem.ts In witness hereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seal this 2.d day of May in the year of Lord 1667

Tho: Harris Sigill

Signed Sealed & d'd in ye P'sence of
Nich HILL
Josep RUDD J m'ke

Will of John Jennings: Sister Sarah Luck, son George, **mother Silvestra Hill**; bro. William Thomas. Dated 31 10th, 1695; pr. June, 1698. [This will suggests that Silvestra married a Jennings before she married Nicholas Hill. Her father was Edward Bennett; the fact that John Jennings called Silvestra his mother in his 1698 will must mean that she was married to a Jennings at some point.]

pp. 211-214. Richard Bennett, however, though obtaining large tracts of land in Maryland, lived most of his life and died in Nansemond, managing to keep in some sort of conformity with the Church of England, for Puritanism did not necessarily mean Congregationalism, or severance from the Church. His grandson, Richard Bennett, was the richest man in Maryland. His uncle, **Edward Bennett, of London, left two daughters, one of whom, Mary, married, first, Thomas Bland, of London; second, Luke Cropley. The other, Silvestra, married Major Nicholas Hill, who came to Virginia, and was one of the leading men of Isle of Wight county. Mary, a daughter of the first-named daughter, Mary Bland-Cropley, married James Day of Isle of Wight, Va., and Mary, a daughter of Silvestra Hill, the other daughter of Edward Bennett, married John Jennings, son of the clerk of the same name. [This record suggests that Nicholas Hill came from either England or Maryland. If it is true that Nicholas was related to Robert Hill, then this might be significant to this study.]

Among the interesting places, the plantation of Edward Bennett deserves notice. His personal share of land appears to have been fifteen hundred acres of land, and by a deed recorded in the secretary's office, dated April 8, 1663, this land was divided between his daughters, Silvestra, the wife of Major Nicholas Hill, and Mary, the wife of Thomas Bland. Silvestra's share was the upper moiety, and began at a locust post on the river side, and ran for length three hundred and twenty poles southwest into the woods, and for breadth three hundred and seventy-five poles up the river to a marked tree in a valley near a place called "The Rocks" (still known as such). Mary's share was the lower moiety. It began at the locust post on the river side, ran down the river by Felgate's Island, and bounded on Pollington's Point (Day's Point?), three lines of Peter Hull's land to a

branch of Hutchinson's Creek. Maj. Hill, in 1674, left this land to his son, George Hill, after the death of his wife, Silvestra. Silvestra Hill by her will left 550 acres of this land to Mary Baker, wife of Major Henry Baker.

p.228: Sisely Selden of Barnestable, in the Co. Devon, admx. Of John Selden, late Barnestable aforesaid, merchant, deceased, apoints Joseph Rudd of Barnestable to recover of William Burke of Chuckatuck, Virginia, merchant, &c., all goods &c. which goods were delivered by order of the sd. John Selden, my late husband, to Thomas Beaple of Barnstable aforesaid Mrchant and Robert Charton of the same mariner and by them left to the sd Wm Burke &c. for the use of my late husband &c. X the mark of Sisely Selden.

19 Sept. 1670: Hester Phillips, wife of Wm. Phillips, ordered 30 stripes upon her bare back till ye blood follow, and to ask forgiveness of all her offences, for scandalizing and abusing **Mrs. Silvestra Hill**.

Surry County Records

A look at Surry County records was in order since we know that Sion and Robert Hill, sons of Robert Hill Sr., were living there in 1704 according to the Quitrents list of that year. Below is a brief survey of extant abstracts for Surry County, VA.

Nov. 16, 1636. **Robert Webb, son of Stephen Webb,** was borne the 16th day of Nov. 1636. **William Webb** was born the 15th day of Feb. 1645. Being formerly in an old Bible and subscribed by he father's own hand. [There is only one reason for this to be in the public record—and that is to prove heirs.]
Jan. 22, 1655. John Dibdall, Clerk, to **Richard Hill**, a piece of land in Surry County,
*Feb. 1655. Elizabeth Banister, **Robert Hill**, and Charles Borecraft upon petition of Robert Webb were appointed his guardians. They desire to be released. Witnesses William Buttes, Thos. Dimmet, Rice Williams. [Here we have reason to suspect that the Stephen Webb who died and left sons Robert and William was probably the brother of Mary Webb. Otherwise why would Mary Webb's husband Robert Hill be a guardian for Stephen Webb's son? Here we have a clear, documented link between the Surry County Hills and the Isle of Wight Robert Hill Sr. who married Mary Webb. That there is a William Webb present shows us that this given name, albeit common, was one used in the family of Mary Webb, wife of Robert Sr. It is then no surprise that a William Hill shows up in Surry County later on.]

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In 1655 we find William Webb along with John Spilltimber (see below) and Like Mizelle (father-in-law to **Robert Hill Jr**) listed in accounts of the estate file of William Thomas.

Jan. 13, 1656—**Matthew Hill** authorizes his friend Jno. Leads atty to confess judgment for debts.

Jan. 17 1656—It was ordered to audit and settle all accounts between Capt. Geo. Jordan and **Mr. Richard Hill**, deceased… a bill in the hands lf Mr. Jno Dibdall, also Mr. Jennings.

In 1656-7 both "**Col. Hill" and William Webb** are mentioned in the accounts of the estate of Maj. Jno. Westhorpe.

May 20, 1660—Ralph Creed sells to Thos. Chiffers 1,100 acres of land at the head of Sunken Marsh near Chippoakes, late in possession of **Richard Hill**.

Aug. 19, 1660---**Edward Hill** witnesses deed.

*October 14, 1667. William Webb of Tewkesbury in Gloucester [this is England, not VA], shoemaker appoints his friend Lott Rocketts of the City of Bristoll, due from Plantation in Virginia. [This has got to be a relative of Mary Webb.] Witness **Richard Hill.**

Jan. 6, 1668. Ellis Ventor, miller, sells to Roby Babb, clerk, an old mill house and land at Ware Neck that was granted by deed of John Corker and Dorothy, to Captain Webster. Wit.: Thomas Warren, **William Hill**.

*Feb. 2, 1668. Indenture between Katherine Green and John Salway. Catherine Greene, relict of Peter Greene, there being a debt of Peter Greene to John Salway—where Katherine Greene now lives, 200 acres of land on the south side of James River, west **side at the head of Lawne's Creek adjoining Hill and Richard Drew land at Baker's Mill.** [This is a very important deed in that we know that Silvestra and Nicholas Hill had land on Lawne's Creek; we know that Robert Hill Sr. and Nicholas were related by blood to the Bakers; and there is evidence that one of the male Hills married a Greene in Surry County early on. More about the latter below.]

April 1, 1671. A dead man found at the landing of Col. Thos. Swann, the coroner out of the County, an able young man drowned in the river. Witnesses included **William Hill**.

Dec. 17, 1671. John Salway of Lawnes Creek Parish sells William Sherwood 200 acres of land on the south side of the James River on the west side of Lawnes creek adjoining Maj. Hill, Richard Drew, but cart path betwixt Captain Baker's and the new mill—same obtained by a deed Feb. 2, 1668 by Katherine Greene,

deceased or by indenture from Jno. Dunstan and Mary Reddick co-heirs of Peter Greene deceased. (Mentions James Reddick and Mary his wife and John Dunstan. Possession delivered in mansion house of said plantation.) Wit. Jos. Antrabus, Walter Bartlett, Tho. Lillicrop, Wm. Cockin.

Dec. 31, 1671. John Salway and Mary his wife to John Dunstan. Land where Salway now lives on south side of James River adjoining **Major Hill** and Richard Drew called New Mill.

~~~~~~~~~~~~~~Excursus: About Stephen Webb~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

From "Historical and Genealogical Notes;" Wm. and Mary Quarterly., Vol. 6, No. 2, p.129.

Merchant's Hope, in "Greater Weyanoke," down to Lower Chippoakes Creek. (Hotten, p. 270). The Surry records show that on February 18, 1642, George Powell, of the lower Chippoakes, leased to Stephen Webb, of same place, 300 acres -- 150 acres on James River, east upon lower Chippoakes Creek, called by the natives, Pettitake Creek, and west upon Mr. George Powell's land, and 150 acres upon James River, west upon Sunken Marsh and east upon Mr. George Powell's aforesaid, and south into the woods a mile, to hold for the lives of said Stephen Webb, Dame Clare, his wife, and Robert Webb, his eldest son, and the surivor or survivors of them, the said Webb, to build upon the said land a frame house 45 x 20 feet, with two chimneys and glass windows, and a cellar 15 feet square, the house to be ground-silled and underpinned with brick, and to plant one acre of said land with "all kinds of fruit trees that this country usually affordeth, that is to say, with apple trees, peach trees, cherry trees, apricockes, ffigs and pear trees, with a garden thereto adjoining." On July 1, 1656, Wm. Powell*, of Southwarke, in the county of Surry, in England, baker, administrator of Capt. Wm. Powell, "late of Chippoakes in the Collony of Virginia, his natural+ brother deceased, and heire unto George Powell, the natural sonne of the sd Capt. Wm Powell, late whilst he lived on Chippoakes afforesd, since also deceased, and William Parker of Leadenhall Street, in London, cheesemonger, and Ann his wife, grand-child of the said William Powell, acting by Ralph Dunston and Sam Henbye their attorneys, "sold to William Batt 800 acres of land, more or less, 600 acres lying in Lower Chippoakes on James River between Chippoakes Creek and Sunken Meadow (now College run), etc., and the other 200 acres on the eastward side of a little creek called Crouches Creek, over against James City, etc.* It would seem that Surry county received its name from

Capt. William Powell's family. In 1647 Southwark parish was formed of the district from College Creek to Upper Chippoaks (the creek at Claremont, sometimes called Cabin Point Creek); so it contained the plantation of Capt. William Powell on Crouch's Creek.

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*At this period it was not unusual to give the same name to two brothers, especially if their ages were far apart. [NCM's note: I think this is questionable.] agree

+The term "natural brother" was used in contradistinction to brother-in-law. It often occurs in combination with the word "lawful," viz., "natural and lawful brother or son."

Patents Issued during the Regal Government, from Wm. and Mary Quarterly., Vol. 9, No. 2

623. **Stephen Webb**, March 2, 1638. 250 acres. Lying near the head of Sunken Marsh East upon the land of Wm Nusam. Note - "This patt. is renewed by Stephen Webb & another former patt. of the 18 Septr. 1636 put into it & one hundred acres of land more added to them."

***March 30, 1672.** Will of Anthony Spilltimber. Wife Mary, daughter Pattie, brother John. Daughter Martha, minor. Executors wife and brother, John Spiltimber. Witnesses **William Hill**, Geo. Williams, John Brodie. [Here we have the first reference to a William Hill. This William is an adult in 1672 and so was born long before our William who was born circa 1740 in Surry County.]

1672 - 25 / 1647 born circa or later

***May 4, 1672**. Assigned by John Davis, Mary Davis and Diana Duthace to Richard Briggs of Surry County., Planter. Wit. Lawrence Baker, Nicholas Hill.. Power of attorney Mary Davis of John Davis of Isle of Wight County to Capt. Lawrence Baker, Gentleman of Surry County to acknowledge in court. Wit.: Nicholas Hill. [Here we have the "bridge" between Isle of Wight and Surry. Note also that BOTH Nicholas, husband of Silvestra Hill, and Sion Hill, son of Robert Hill Sr., are connecte to Mary Davis, and so are connected to one another. I do believe we will find that the elder Nicholas is a brother of Robert Hill Sr.]

***October 21, 1673**. Estate of Luke Mizell. John Smith, who married Deborah, widow of Luke, makes account of estate. **Account allowed by court for Skilltimber's child**. Balance of estate divided between John Smith and Luke Mizell, orphan. [Very important document, because taken with the other records above, it reveals that there was a William Hill connected in some way to the Spilltimber family. Note the Skilltimber connection to Luke Mizell, whom we know was the father of Elizabeth Mizell, wife of Robert Hill Jr., who was the son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb. When Luke Mizell died an allowance was

made for "Skilltimber's child." This suggests that Luke Mizell had a daughter who married a Spilltimber and was deceased by the time her father Luke died. We can tell this because the child received her share of her father's estate.]

December 1675. **Richard Hill** appoints his friend Jno King his attorney against William Rookings.

April 10, 1676. Deposition of Margaret Allen age 28 concerning Mr. **Richard Hill** and Mr. Lee. Deposition of Mary Fletcher, age 28 concerning **Mrs. Jane Hill, wife of Richard Hill.**

July 20, 1677. Estate of John Skilltimber. Eliza. C. Hill made oath of the inventory of John Spilltimber, Witnesses Gro. Proctor, Samuel Pla[?], Geo. Williams, Thos. King.

June 16, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator for Mary Davies, deceased. Geo. Williams and Geo. Foster securijng. Wits. Robert Ruffin and William Edwards clerk of court.

July 1, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator to Jno Spilltimber deceased with Jos. Rogers and Jno. Phillips securing, wits. Benj. Harrison and Wm. Edwards clerk of court.

June 7, 1679. **Sion Hill** administrator of Mary Davies.
June 16, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator for Mary Davies, deceased. Geo. Williams and Geo. Foster securijng. Wits. Robert Ruffin and William Edwards clerk of court.
June 16, 1679. Robert Ruffin declared that at the house of Lewis Williams of Lawnes Creek Parish, late deceased, eh heard Mrs. Williams say that her husband, before he died gave his son to Wm. Newsum and his girls to **Sion Hill**, and his wife and daughter-in-law, named Mary, to Mr. Thompson ...
July 1, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator to Jno Spilltimber deceased with Jos. Rogers and Jno. Phillips securing, wits. Benj. Harrison and Wm. Edwards clerk of court.
July 23, 1679. Will of John Smith. Bequest to son John Smith, witnesses William Thompson and **Sion Hill**. [Recall from above that John Smith married Deborah Mizell, widow of Luke Mizell and mother of Elizabeth Mizell Hill, who was the wife of Robert Hill Jr., son of Robert Hill Sr. and his wife Mary Webb.]
July 21, 1683. Sion Hill, Geo. Williams of Surry Co., bound to the court. **Sion Hill** to pay the orphan of Lewis Williams, deceased, the portion of her late father's estate when she is of age, and to teach her the Christian religion.
July 4, 1693. Will of Luke Meazle. Bequest to daughter Elizabeth. Luke also had daughter Sarah, named here. Witnesses were Thos. Smith, John Greene.

Oct. 6, 1694. Robert Hill and Eliza. Hill his wife witness inventory of Luke Meazle, deceased. [This Luke is the son of Luke and Deborah Mizell, above. Surely Elizabeth was Luke Meazle's daughter. Not state outright but strongly implied. I suppose it needs more evidence but I am comfortable with the assumption on a tentative basis.]
Jan. 5, 1702. Sion Hill witnesses will of William Forman.
Jan. 2, 1704. Robert Hill gives security for administrator of William Holeman, deceased.
July 25, 1714. Will of James Ellis. Bequest to John Hill, including "money due me in England." **Items to Sarah Hill, daughter of John Hill**. [See photocopies for additional details.]

~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~**Summary Break**~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

What we know from the above: Anthony Spilltimber died in 1672. Luke and Deborah Mizell were the parents of Elizabeth Mizell, who married Robert Hill Jr. Luke and Deborah Mizell were also the parents of Mary Mizell who married Anthony Spilltimber and was deceased by 1673. **William Hill witnessed Anthony Spilltimber's will**. Anthony Spilltimber had a brother named John who died in 1677. Elizabeth C. Hill, probably the wife of Robert Hill Jr., took the inventory of John Spilltimber's estate. Most telling, Sion Hill, whom we know to be the son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb because he identified himself as such in a 1655 deed, administers both the Mary Davis and the John Spilltimber estate. Tentative conclusion: This William Hill was probably the brother of Robert Hill Jr., but he may also have been a son. Moreover, all of these Hills are closely tied to Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb who arrived in Isle of Wight County from Britain in 1632.

Very important to the rest of our search are the Webb, Davies, Spilltimber, Mizelle and Smith connections. These connections will help us identify which Hills are "ours" or descendants of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

The above evidence demonstrates that **Robert Hill Senior** was indeed in Surry County some 20 years after his arrival in Isle of Wight County. It is therefore very likely that the **William Hill** we find born circa 1740 in Surry is one of his descendants. Richard, Edward, and William may have been brothers or may have been sons of Robert Hill Sr. A closer look at Surry County records and the Virginia Colonial Records is in order.
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Accomack County Records

Accomack County is a short sail away from Isle of Wight. The probate records below are of great interest because I suspect this Robert Hill is indeed the Robert who married Mary Webb, and this Nicholas is almost certainly the husband of Silvestra Hill. Why their probate records are in Accomack I am not sure, but retrieving these records is almost certainly the next step in finding out more about the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Probate Records

Hill, Abraham 1767
Hill, Elizabeth 1780
Hill, Henry 1688
Hill, Nicholas 1697
Hill, Richard 1694
Hill, Robert Sr. 1678
Hill, Tabitha 1717

Accomack County Tax Lists

1778:

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There were 1012 slaves, divided among 164 slave owners, of whom 44 owned tenor more. William Barlow 12, Jesse Barlow 11, Lawrence Baker, Esq., 37, Nathaniel Burwell 41, James Dering 17, Jesse Glover 12, Richard Hardy 21, Joseph Hill13, William Hollowell 10, Henry Harrison 13, Timothy Tyne 12, Samuel Wilson 17,Francis Wrenn 10, John Jennings Wheadon 36, Goodrich Wilson 20, Charles Burgess15, John Driver 10, Edmund Godwin 10, Ralph Gibbs 14, Brewer Godwin, gent. 30,Martha King 13, Joseph Lawrence 10, Tristam Norsworthy, Sr. 16, Tristram

TOMBSTONES AT HILL'S FARM, IN ACCOMAC COUNTY.
BY MARGARET SEYMOUR HALL.

Sacred to the memory of Thomas Bayly, Son of Edmund Bayly,
Grandson of Edmund Bayly, and great-grandson of Richard Bayly,
of Craddock. His mother was Rose, the daughter of Maddox Fisher,

of Northampton. He was born March 14th, 1737-'8, O. Stile and died ————(illegible).

In memory of Anne Bayly, wife of Thomas Bayly, Daughter of Richard Drummond and grand-daughter of Major Richard Drummond by his wife Patience, who was the daughter of **Richard Hill**, the proprietor and patentee of this plantation (Hill's Farm) in the year 1666. Her mother was Catharine, the daughter of Thomas Harmanson, of Northampton. She was born February 26th, 1742-'3, Old Stile, and died Sept. 8th, 1801, N. Stile. On her left lie her Father, sister and six of her children. Her second son was lost at sea, and left living Three sons and two daughters.

Lieut.-Col. Edmund Scarbrough had issue: Tabitha Scarbrough married Col. William Smart, who had issue: Tabitha Scarbrough Smart married **Richard Hill** of Hill's Farm, who had issue; **Patience Hill** married Major Richard Drummond, who had issue; Richard Drummond married Catharine Harmanson (daughter of Thomas Harmanson), who had issue; Ann Drummond married Thomas Bayly, who had issue; Edmund Bayly married Rachel Upshur, who had issue; Ann Upshur Bayly married William Digby Seymour, who had issue; Ann Upshur Bayly Seymour married Rev. Alfred Henno Ames, who had issue; Anne Seymour Ames, George Christian Ames.

Tabitha Scarbrough, widow of Col. William Smart, afterwards married **Col. Edward Hill**, of Shirley. **Richard Hill** was brought to Northampton by Col. Scarbrugh (spelled thus in old record), and was for some time

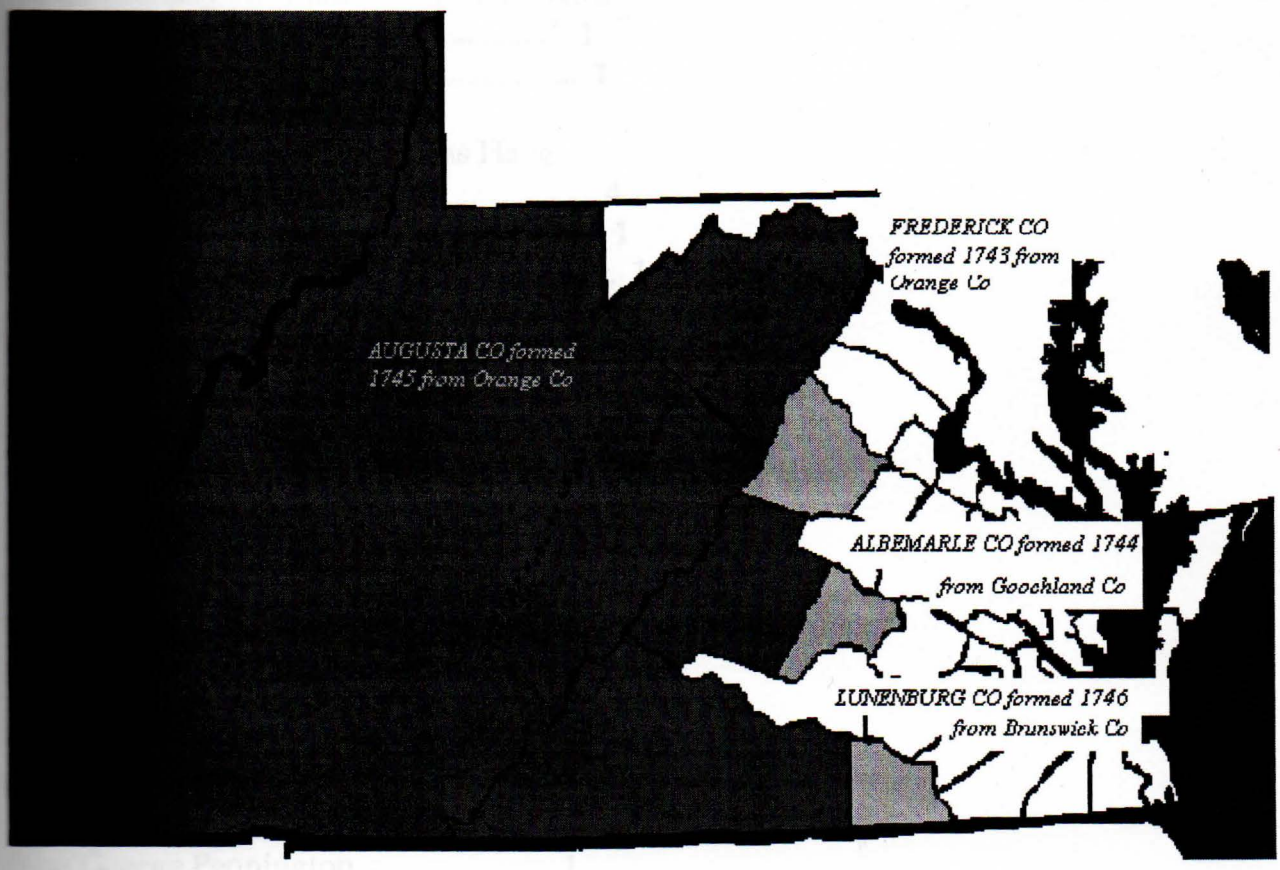
his business manager. Mary Persey (daughter of Abraham Persey and of Frances West, daughter of Nathaniel West, nephew of Lord De la Ware) married Thomas Hill in 1638, and had two children. (See Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Vol. 1, p. 188.) The widow, Mary Hill, married Col. Thomas Bushrod, of "Essex Lodge," York county, and John Hill was living on his farm at death. Catharine Harmanson was daughter of Thomas Harmanson, who was born in Brandenburg, Germany, 1631. See notice of Thomas Harmanson, aged 22, in an Act of Assembly naturalizing Thomas Harmanson, "a German, born in the Dominion of Brandedburg but now an inhabitant of Northampton county, professing the Protestant Religion." -- WILLIAM AND MARY QUARTERLY, VOL, 1, p. 192.

Rachel Upshur, the wife of Edmund Bayly, was daughter of John Upshur and Anne Emerson 1763-1805.

In Hotten's list is William Bayly of West-Shirley Hundred, born in 1583. Mary, born in 1600, was his wife. They came to Virginia in 1617, and had son Thomas, born 1620.

Possible Importance of Lunenburg County Records

I found a large number of Hills in neighboring Lunenburg County, Virginia. Below is map showing Lunenburg County around 1750 when William was just ten years old.



Lunenburg County Tax List For 1749 (From "Sunlight on the Southside.")

William Caldwell's List

Tithes

William Pickens 2
Morry Webb 1
Christopher Boulden 1
William Mayes 3

Edmund Gray
John Self, Overs. 7
John Bynum
John Bynum, Junr. 2
William Payne, Junr. 1
John Young 1
John Vernor 1
Joseph Williams 1
William Weakley
James Weakley 2
Richard Hill 1
Thomas Rice 1

For 1749—List Taken by Nicholas Haile
Nicholas Haile 4
John Richardson 1
Amos Richardson 1
John Hill
William Hill 2
[—]
John Lynas 1
Robert Hill 1
David Grifeth 1
[—]
Thomas Hall, Junr. 1
William Hill 1
[—]
Christopher Hudson 4
William Hill 7
Edward Ellis 1
Thomas Brunet 1
John George Pennington 1
James Stevens 1
Ephraim Hill 1
[—]
For 1750—List taken by William Howard

[—]
William Sandefor [?]
John Young
Samuel Young 3
Michael Peringer 1
David Allen 1

Field Farrar 1
Gilbert Eavens 1
James Smith 3
William Hill
Lewis Lanier 9
Hutchins Burton
[...]
Charles Smith 1
[...]
Thomas Moore 2
James Smith 2
[...]
Zakariah Baker 2
[...]
John Davis
Archible Gray
Wm. Davis 11

For 1750—List taken by Hugh Lawson

[...]
William Mize ..... 1 [Note: Read "Mizell."]
Thomas Jarrot 1
Thomas Wright 1
John Wright 1
Stephean Mize 1
Solomon Wright 1
James Mize 1
Jeremiah Mize
John Mize 2
Joshua Mize 1
[...]
Jacob Davis
(and slaves at "Mr. Jannings' quarter") 3
James Williams, sadler 1
[...]
John Phillips 1
[...]
John Green
William Green 2

For 1750—List taken by Abraham Martin

[—]

James Webb 2

For 1750—List taken by John Phelps

[—]

Wm. Perry 1
Richd. Hill
Wm. Hill 2
Henry. Hendrickson 1

[—]

Wm. Davis 5

[—]

Jos. [?] Rust 4
Jno. Hill 1
Jno. Lawson 1

Pittsylvania County

FIRST LIST OF TITHABLES OF PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA

YEAR 1767

The History of Pittsylvania County
by Maud Carter Clement

List of Tithables Taken by George Jefferson in Pittsylvania County
and Cambden Parish for the year 1767

Thom. Hill
William Hill

Robert Hill, Swinfield Hill Thomas Hill

Swinfield Hill

[Note: I believe these Hills to be at best peripherally related to the Hills in whom we are interested.]

Southampton County, Virginia Deed Book 2 - 1753 to 1760

Pages 315-316 Grantor: **SION HILL** Grantee: WILLIAM THWEATT

Pages 15-16: BENJAMIN ELLIS and wife MARY to WILLIAM ANDREWS dated 17 Dec 1753

207? acres on the north side of the Nottoway River adj. the west side of Indian Branch (sold by the Nottoway Indians to ROBERT HILL and from him sold to sd. BENJAMIN on 20 Oct 1738), S: BENJAMIN (signed) ELLIS and MARY (V) ELLIS, W: SAMUEL (signed) BLOW, JOHN (signed) INGRAM, JOHN (signed) SIMMONS, and ARTHUR (signed) ARRINGTON

Pages 294-295: JOHN COXEY and wife AMY of Brunswick County, Virginia to TIMOTHY THORN dated 10 Oct 1759

80 acres on the north side of the Maherin River adj. sd. THORN, sd. COXEY, and sd. River (WILLIAM BATTS of Prince George County conveyed by will to sd. JOHN CONEY), S: JOHN (signed) COXEY and AMY (signed) COXEY, W: HENRY (signed) **HILL, HENRY** (signed) APPLEWAITE, and JOHN (signed) RAWLINGS

**Pages 315-316: SION HILL and wife SARAH to WILLIAM THWEATT dated 5 Mar
1760

50 acres adj. sd. WILLIAM, JACOB HINES, Flat Swamp, and JAMES LUNDY, S: SION (signed) HILL, W: no witnesses. SARAH came to court to provide consent only.

Pages 316-317: JAMES BIRCHETTE to JOHN BRITT dated 5 Mar 1760
10 acres now in the possession of sd. BRITT adj. a river, S: JAMES (signed) BIRCHETTE, W: WILLIAM (signed) THWEATT, SION (signed) HILL, SARAH (signed) HILL, and JOHN (signed) BRITT

Further Research

1. Most important is the 1678 Accomack County will of Robert Hill. I am traveling to the Virginia State Archives in December and can retrieve it then. This record will cue us as to how to proceed in tracing the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.
2. A comprehensive search of Surry County records, beginning at the Virginia State Archives and finishing at the Surry County Courthouse if necessary, will bring the desire results and reveal the identities of the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.
3. A thorough search of the vast but abstracted and indexed Virginia Colonial Records is the last task and should provide all of the pieces of the puzzle.

Proposal

I am traveling to the Virginia Archives in December and could do the Accomack, Surry, and VA Colonial Records search then. (I do not require you to pay for travel expenses because another client is already paying for them. I estimate that this work will require about 20 hours of work from start to finish, with analysis and report time included. We might begin with ten hours and see how far that gets us. It could be that the Accomack and Surry County records will solve the puzzle and we do not need to look at the Virginia Colonial Records. If you would like me to proceed you may send a retainer for $300 for ten additional research hours. I will bill you for photocopies that exceed 20 sheets.

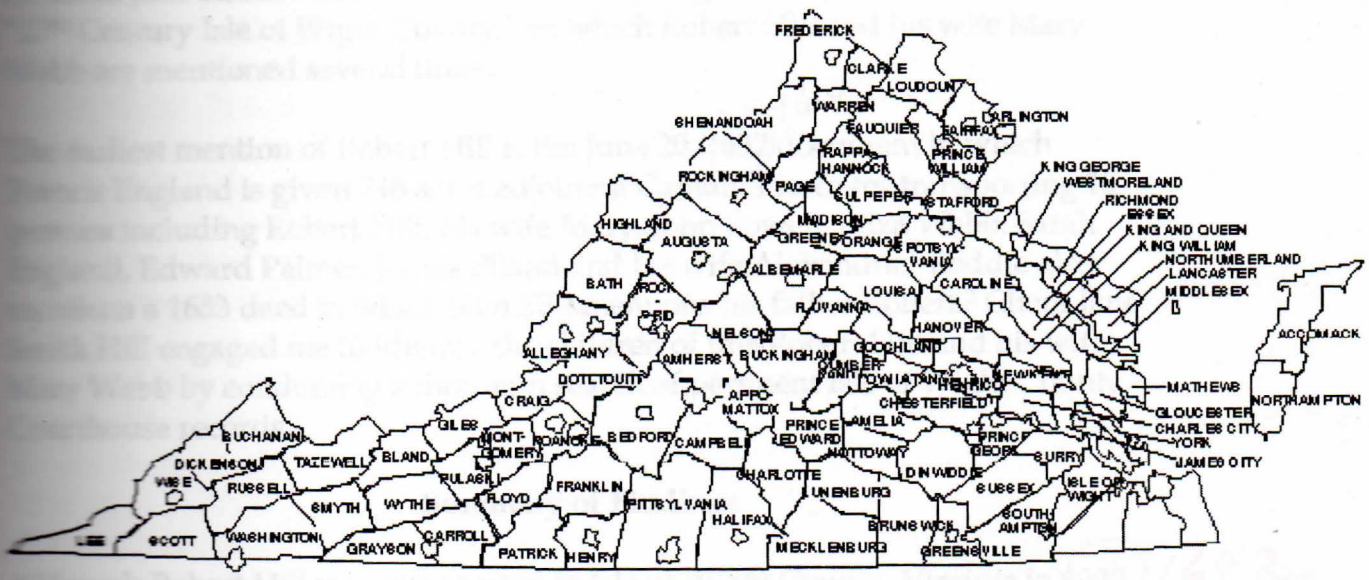
I look forward to any questions or suggestions you may have, and I thank you for entrusting your family research to me.

Nancy Carter Moore

Raleigh, North Carolina

Appendix I

Virginia Counties



NOTE: Virginia cities are outlined in red.

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service, University of Virginia

Descendants of Robert Hill and Mary Webb of Isle of Wight County

Starting Point

At client Jane Smith Hill's direction this study began with John Bennett Boddie's "17th Century Isle of Wight County," in which Robert Hill and his wife Mary Webb are mentioned several times.

The earliest mention of Robert Hill is the June 20, 1632 document in which Francis England is given 746 acres adjoining Captain Pierce for transporting 15 persons including Robert Hill, his wife Mary, John Powell, Eliza Webb, Sarah England, Edward Palmer, James Piland and his wife Alexandra.[1] Boddie also mentions a 1653 deed in which Sion Hill mentions his father Robert.[2] Client Jane Smith Hill engaged me to identify the children of this Robert Hill and his wife Mary Webb by conducting a thorough search of pertinent Isle of Wight County Courthouse records.

Summary of Findings

Although Robert Hill was transported to Isle of Wight County, Virginia in 1632 he did not live there long enough to leave any records. However, a survey of abstracts for southeastern Virginia revealed the fact that there is a 1678 will for a Robert Hill Sr.in Accomack County, Virginia. Accomack County lies on an island to the east of Isle of Wight, just a short sail away. There are also wills there for other Hills, most notably the 1697 will of Nicholas Hill, who may have been a son of Nicholas and Silvestra Hill, daughter of Edward Bennett. Nicholas Sr. may have been the brother of Robert Hill. (Boddie states that Silvestra's husband "left his will" in 1674 but does not say where he left it. I did not find it in Isle of Wight County records. We may find it in a neighboring county or in the Virginia Colonial Records.)

There is a William Hill present as an adult in 1672 in Surry County and he is clearly connected to the Isle of Wight County Hills, most notably to Robert Hill Jr., son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb and brother to Sion Hill. What the records below suggest: Anthony Spilltimber died in 1672. Luke and Deborah Mizell were the parents of Elizabeth Mizell, who married Robert Hill Jr. Luke and Deborah Mizell were also the parents of Mary Mizell who married Anthony

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[1] Boddie, John Bennett, *17th Century Isle of Wight County, Vol. I* p.669.
[2] Ibid, p.584.

Spilltimber and was deceased by 1673. **William Hill witnessed Anthony Spilltimber's will.** Anthony Spilltimber had a brother named John who died in 1677. Elizabeth C. Hill, probably the wife of Robert Hill Jr., took the inventory of John Spilltimber's estate. Tentative conclusion: this William Hill was probably the brother of Robert Hill Jr., but he may also have been a son. *What is not clear at this time is what, if any, relation this William Hill is to the William Hill who was born in Surry County circa 1740. More research is needed to determine this.

In 1655 in Surry County, Stephen Webb, likely a brother of Mary Webb, died leaving sons Robert and William Webb. Robert Hill was appointed guardian of Robert Webb. This demonstrates that the people we are trying to trace (Robert Hill, Mary Webb, and their children) were already in Surry County as early as 1655, which, although early, was still 20 years after Robert and Mary were transported to Isle of Wight County, Virginia from Britain. ***A search of Surry County records is needed if we are to locate and identify all of Robert Hill and Mary Webb's children.***

Other important findings include the presence of Robert and Sion Hill in Surry County, Virginia in 1704, as evidenced by the 1704 Quitrents List for Surry. I believe these are the sons of the Robert Hill who died in Accomack County, Virginia in 1678 but cannot know until I can access his will. Surry County abstracts indicate that Sion had land transactions there as early as 1679, which would have been just about the same time his father Robert appears to have died. Robert Hill Jr. was married to a woman named Elizabeth Meazle, daughter of Luke Meazle.

There is a clear connection between Robert Hill and Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County. This connection is familial and involves the Baker surname. Ralph Hill, deceased by 1720, was married to a woman named Hannah and in 1685 deeded land to Laurence Baker. Ralph Hill was certainly of the appropriate age to be the son of Robert Hill since he was an adult in 1685, but nothing in Isle of Wight County records tells us who Ralph's father was. The Virginia Colonial Records might be helpful to us in finding out more about Ralph.

There was an Edward Hill present in Surry County as early as 1655. It is not clear what, if any, relation he was to Robert Hill Jr. and his brother Sion Hill. However, Nicholas Hill, husband of Silvestra Hill and probably a brother of Robert Hill Sr., was also present in Surry County deeds in 1655. [See particulars in the photocopies that accompany this report.] It is my impression that early on, Hills owned land in both Isle of Wight and Surry County—meaning that one individual had land in both places at the same time.

In the 1730s and 1740s there was a Joseph Hill, a Thomas Hill and a Robert Hill living in Isle of Wight County, Virginia but I found no reference to the Robert Hill who died in the late 1600s in extant county records. As late as 1739 there was a Sion Hill receiving land in Isle of Wight County. Clearly this was not the man who identified himself as the son of Robert Hill in 1653. This Sion may have been a child of that Sion (whom we find listed with his brother Robert in the 1704 Quitrents for Surry County, VA) or he may be a nephew or grandson. Again, a search of the vast (but thankfully indexed) Virginia Colonial Records collection is advisable, as the origins of these men may be found there.[3]

Isle of Wight County Records

Probate Records

There are no will or estate records for any Robert Hill listed in the Isle of Wight will index. There are no entries for Sion Hill or William Hill either. There is only the will of Thomas Hill, which does not mention Robert Hill.

The Great Books

Isle of Wight Great Book 2 Part I contains the 1719/1720 will and inventory of Thomas Hill. No mention is made of Robert Hill in this will, therefore we cannot know from this record alone if Thomas was a descendant of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

P.560: January 25, 1724. Robert Hill and wife Tabitha Hill to Arthur Jordan, 145 acres on the south side of Founten's Creek (being the land Robert Hill now lives on.) [So there was another, younger Robert Hill in Isle of Wight in 1724. We cannot know from this deed if this was the son of our Robert, or an extended family relation.]

Deeds

In the deeds found for the years 1720-1749 we find references to a Robert Hill as well as to Hannah, Joseph, Ralph, Richard, Silvestra, Snow, Tabitha, and Thomas. What we do not find are any references to the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Court Records 1647-1750

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[3] Please see photocopies for more on most of the Hills living in Isle of Wight County, VA from the 1730s forward. I only included the records that seem of significance to us in this report.

These records included guardian and administor accounts, minutes and orders. There were no references to any probate records or deeds involving the heirs of Robert Hill in these records.

Where to Go from the Isle of Wight County Courthouse?

Because the Isle of Wight County courthouse research yielded nothing about the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb I moved on to a search of Virginia abstracts, including Isle of Wight County. I included a search of Isle of Wight because there have been cases of records being accessed and abstracted years ago that have subsequently been lost. Then there is the matter of thoroughness—a check of existing abstracts helps to ensure that I did not miss anything in the courthouse search. One wonderful thing about the abstracts is that they are more thoroughly indexed so that ALL names in a transaction are listed, not just, as in the case of the courthouse indices, grantor and grantee, or devisor or devisee.

Methods

I collected records of all Hills in the area, as we might find clues there regarding the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb via these other Hills. For example, although we may not find a record stating family relationships, if we find a Hill owning a piece of land that adjoins Robert, we may be fairly certain that they are closely related, if not father and son then perhaps brothers. All of these are pieces we will need to solve the puzzle of the identies of the heirs of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Isle Of Wight County, Virginia Abstracts

Hopkins, William Lindsay, *Court Orders, Deeds, and Guardian Accounts 1740-1767*:
[For greater detail see photocopies.]

March 13, 1638. **Thomas Hill** trades land.
July 28, 1658. **Major Nicholas Hill** and John Snellock in land dispute.
Apr. 20, 1684. Thomas Hill witnesses 200-acre grant to James Gardner in Lower Parish.
1688. Bethial Cole (alias **Bethiall Hill**) late widow of Mr. Alexander Cole of the town of Salem in New England appoints power of attorney. [Interesting, as this is a New England connection. However, all this means is that Bethial's maiden name was Hill or she was once married to a Hill, likely before she was married to Alexander Cole. "Late" here means "lately: or "recently," not that she is deceased.]
1690. Silvestra Hill paid for female slave.

Dec. 25, 1692. **Thomas Hill** and Henry Applethwaite Sr. and Henry Applethwaite Jr. witness deed.
July 8, 1693. **Thomas Hill** witnesses deed.
Apr. 5, 1694. "Thomas Wickens to Henry Baker for 8,000 pounds tobacco ... 100 acres being part of the land George Archer sold Mr. **Robert Hill** and now is in the possession of said Baker." [Note: we know that Silvestra Hill, wife of Nicholas Hill, was connected to the Bakers. The above deed connects Robert Hill to Silvestra and Nicholas. It is possible that Nicholas was a brother or elder son of Robert Hill, but further records are needed in order to be certain.]
[1694?] **Silvestra Hill**, widow and mother of Martha Best the wife of John Best, deceased, states that Martha Best left her land to Mr. Luke Havill.
Sep. 12, 1695: **Sivestra Hill**, widow of Lt. Col. Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County to Lewis Burwell of York County, land "willed to me by my husband and located at the head of Lawnes Creek."
April 1, 1696. **Thomas Hill** witnesses bond.
June 3, 1696. Edmund Wickins fo Nansemond to Henry Baker of Isle of Wight: 100 acres in Isle of Wight, being land bought by said Wickins of Sion Hill. [We have now a connection between Robert, Sivestra, Nicholas, and Sion Hill via the Bakers. It seems Nicholas may well have been another child of Robert Hill.]
June 7, 1701. Articles of agreement between Mrs. **Silvestra Hill** of the Upper Parish and William Thomas of the same ... lease of some land for said Thomas' lifetime adjoining Mr. Day, the river and Mr. Thos. Elms.
Feb. 10, 1706. John Fiveash of Upper Parish and wife to Elias Hodge. 50 acres adjoining Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, Roger Hodge, and John Murray.
Sep. 8, 1707. Edward Hill witnesses deed between Robert Halsey of London to William Newberry of the City of London ... 400 acres in Rappahannock River.
Dec. 25, 1710. **Ralph Hill and Nicholas Hill** appoint Mr. Joseph Chapman as their attorney. [This tells us there was indeed a Nicholas Hill in Isle of Wight after the death of **Nicholas Hill Sr.**, husband of Silvestra Hill.
Oct. 26, 1714. Alex. Forbes, Clerk of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight County and Henry Baker, gentleman of Nansemond County, heir at law of Henry Baker of Isle of Wight who was the Executor of the last will of Mrs. **Silvestra Hill** late deceased., to Lawrence Baker of Isle of Wight ... 300 acres (being land Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, deceased, willed to the poor of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight on October 17, 1706.
May 24, 1717. Lawrence Baker to Alexander Forbes, Clerk ... 300 acres devised to him by the will of Mrs. **Silvestra Hill**, deceased, for use of the poor of the parish.
Apr. 7, 1720. Laurence Baker, legatee of Henry Baker dec'd, late of Isle of Wight County to Nathaniel Burwell, gentleman of Gloucester County, 40 acres at the head of Lawnes Creek (being land that **Ralph Hill and wife Hannah Hill** on Jan. 16 1685/6 did grant to said Henry Baker) and bounded by Mr. Geo. Hardy's Mill. Witnesses James Ransome and Amaydiah Cosby.

Apr. 25, 1722. Churchwardens acknowledge the gift of Mrs. Silvestra Hill through Henry Baker, Gentleman of Nansemond County.

Later Isle of Wight Records

1738. DB 5:226. From James Wilson of NC to John Moreland of Isle of Wight Co., VA for 27 pounds, all that messuage, tenement, and appurtnenances in Isle of Wight and which was formerly leased to Nicholas Wilson, father of the said James Wilson, as by Isle of Wight deeds dated September 1, 1680 from **Ralph Hill and Hannah his wife** for 99 years. The land is bounded by the head of Lawnes Creek, the 9old field, the mill cart path towards the Church unto Col. Bacon's like. To have and to hold for the term of the said lease, which is to be 42 years from next September 1, said Moreland paying yearly 1 peppercorn at the feast of St. Michael if the same be demanded.
1742. **Joseph Hill** listed in estate of Joseph Bridgers.

Quit Rents List of 1704

These records are not housed in any County courthouse, but are part of the Virginia Colonial Records. There is a single **Robert Hill** listed here, and he owns 200 acres in **Surry County**. In this same list, **"Syon" Hill** is listed with 300 acres in Surry County. I expect that Robert and Sion are brothers, the sons of Robert Hill by Sion's own admission in 1654 Isle of Wight deed cited by Boddie. There are no other Hills listed on the 1704 Quitrents list. There was clearly a later Sion Hill living in Southampton County, Virginia in the 1750s, see Southampton County Records, below. Southampton was formed from Isle of Wight in 1749. A part of Nansemond Count was later added to the newly formed Southampton County.

Hill References in Secondary Sources for Southside Virginia

William and Mary Quarterly

The William and Mary Quarterly articles involving the Hill surname are of great value in that the authors examined records from not only Isle of Wight County but also Nanesmond, Surry, and other area counties. Please bear in mind that I have not verified any of the information below in the public records, therefore it can only be considered secondary source material.

Source: Isle of Wight County VA - Records; William and Mary College Qrtly, Vol. 7, No. 4, P. 250-296

(1) In the list of wills at Bristol published by the British Records Society are named the wills of John Day (1615), Thomas (1645), Sibill (1672), Mary (1679), [illegible] (1709), William Day (1717), John (1714). An abstract of the will of Thomas Bland, of London, gent., 26 Aug., 1674, names his dau. Sarah Day, the wife of [illegible] Day, and grandson Joseph Day. The abstract of the will of Thomas Bland, of London, merchant, 25 Nov., 1700, names sister Sarah Day and my brother's two sons, Sarah and Margaret Bland. New Engl. Hist. and Gen. Register, Vo. 48, pp. 113, 114. It is probable that Joseph Day was somehow related to James Day, of Isle of Wight. **Mary Hill** m'd, first, Thomas Bland (dead before 1676); second, Luke Croply. (See Richard Bennett's will in Appendix.)

p. 252: ... worthy ffriends Mr. Micajah Perry, Mr. Thomas Lane, Mr. Richard Perry, &c., to dispose of &c. I give and bequeath to my sonne James Day my watch, my silver headed cane, my seal and coat of armes and my Rapier; **Aunt Mrs. Silvestra Hill**, Brother and Sister Chapman, Brother and Sister Swan; to Mrs. Isabella Haveild, Mr. Jno. Haveild, Major Henry Baker, Major Henry Tooker, major Arthur Allen 20s. a peice to buy each of them a Ring. Wife Mary Day. Dated 10 Aug., 1700; proved 9 Jan., 1700-1. By codicil he mentions "his ever honored mother Mrs. Mary Cropley," (1) and bequeaths to her 10 pds. sterl.

p. 254: Will of **Mrs. Silvestra Hill**: To my loving friend **Mary, wife of Henry Baker**,(1) the land I now dwell on known by ye name of ye Rocks and all ye rest of the land within that neck of land, that is to say the plantations of Andrew Griffin, Sarah Guilford, John Bidgood, William Thomas and Benjamin Folder now dwell on the said land containing 550 acres, more or less, for said Mary's actual life, and after her decease, to my goddaughter Mary, the daughter of Henry and Mary Baker; all my land without the neck of land whereon I now dwell, that is to say the plantation that Richard Wrenn and Francis Wrenn now dwells on, containing 350 acres, more or less, with the housing, orchards, &c., to be sold by my exor., and the produce sent to England and returned in goods to be disposed of and distributed to such poor people as de properly belong to and dwell in the upper parish of this county; legacies of negroes and money to Elizabeth, the

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(1) In **Surry records** this Henry Baker is named in 1676 as "kinsman" of Capt. Lawrence Baker, of Surry. At Bristol may be found the wills of Edward Baker (1597), Richard (1598), Cecily (1614), James (1622), Thomas (1622), John (1624), Joan (1632), George (1635), Thomas (1643), John (1675). Arthur Allen, of Surry, the emigrant, married Alice Tucker, sister of Daniel Tucker. His son, Major Arthur Allen, Speaker of House of Burgesses, married Catharine, dau. and

[illegible] of Capt. Lawrence Baker. Major J. F. Crocker writes: "------ I find it stated by Dr. Semmes J. Baker in his account of the Baker family --- descended from [illegible] Baker — made Fb. 4, 1847, that 'the last of the name and family on James River was Lawrence Baker, who had a handsome seat directly on the river a few miles from Smithfield, now in the possession of Dr. Dick Cocke or some of his family. **You will thus see that Henry Baker derived this place, called, I think, "Shirl Bay," from Silvestra Hill. He devised it to his son, Lawrence Baker, who sold it to Nathaniel Burwell on May 24, 1717."**

p. 25: Will of Humphrey Marshall: Gr'sons Humphrey Scutchins, Joseph Scutchins, dau. **Mary Hill**, dau. Anne Applewhait, gr'son Thomas Applewhaite; legacy to Thomas, son of Elizabeth Thomas, John Thomas; my 3 daus. Sarah, Mary, and Anne, dau. Sarah Scutchins, son-in-law Henry Applewhaite and Coll. Sam. Bridger, Exors. 18 Dec., 1711.

p. 26: **Silvestra Hill deeds to Lewis Burwell, of York Co., her life interest in the plantation where her late husband, Lt. Coll. Nicholas Hill, lived, a little above Lawr's Creek. 1695.**

262: **Ralph Hill**, of Prince George Co., Va. and **Nicholas Hill**, of Norfolk Co., son and heir of said Ralph, and grandson of **Majr Nicholas Hill**, deceased. 1710.

Pages 263-4: Henry Baker, heir at law to Henry Baker, exor. of **Mrs. Silvestra Hill**, 1714. Henry Baker, gentleman, of Nansemond, and Alexander Forbes, clk, of the Upper parish, having been constituted vendors authorized to sell a tract of land donated by Mrs. Hill to the poor of the parish, and having on their petition to the General Court been liberated
from the disposal of the effects of sd land, the churchwardens of the parish accept from ye said H.B. and A.F. the sum of 26500 pds of tobacco as the whole full price of the said land, &c. 21 April, 1720. [Major J.F. Crocker, of Portmouth, writes: "Alexander Forbes (rector of the old Bay church) conveyed to **Thomas Hill** May 17, 1717 (Deed Book II., page 92), 300 acres of land at or near Rock Wharf, on James River, which was a part of the land which **Silvestra Hill** derived from her father, Edward Bennett (see patent to Nicholas Hill, about1666), and which she devised by her will to be sold, and the proceeds to be used for the poor of the parish, and which was sold by Henry Baker and Alexander Forbes as special commissioners, and which was bought by Lawrence Baker, son of Henry Baker on October 16, 1714 (Deed Book I., page 310), and which Lawrence Baker conveyed to Alexander Forbes May 24, 1717 (Deed Book II., page 86), and which Alexander Forbes conveyed to **Thomas Hill**, as above stated by deed of May 27, 1717. This **Thomas Hill's** will was admitted to record on July 25, 1720, being dated 23 May, 1719. His will mentions wife Mary, children Thomas Hill, Joseph Hill, Mary Hill, and Ann Hill. This Joseph Hill married Frances Woodley,

daughter of John Woodley, son of our immigrant ancestor, Andrew Woodley, who settled in Isle of Wight in 1690. **Elizabeth Hill**, daughter of the said **Joseph Hill** and Frances Woodley, married John Harrison, whose daughter, Elizabeth Hill Harrison, married her cousin's grandfather, Andrew Woodley, who was a son of John Woodley, who was a son of Thomas Woodley, who was the son of Andrew Woodley, the immigrant. **Thomas Hill**, the son of the aforesaid Thomas Hill, was clerk of the vestry of the Old Bay church, and when in 1724, after the death of his father, he made a visit to England, before starting he communicated his intention of making the visit to the vestry, as the old vestry book shows. On his return he again assumed the duties of clerk of the vestry. The land aforesaid, after the death of **Thomas Hill, Sr.**, was processioned in the name of **his widow, Mary Hill, until her death, about 1735, and then it was processioned in the name of the son Thomas Hill, who died about 1739, leaving a son Thomas Hill."]**

Page 273: At a Court held, &c., June 5th 1777. Ordered that charles Fulgham be appointed a Captain of the Militia of this county to the Company whereof **Joseph Hill** was Captain, who has resigned: That Thomas Wrenn be appointed an ensign to the said Company. Jethro Gale, Sheriff.

Page 298: **Majr Nicholas Hill & Sylvester**, his wife, Sept. 30, 1664, 750 acres Being the moiety of 1500 acs of land appertaining unto the said Sylvester and her Sister, who were daughters & Coheirs of Mr. Edward Bennett, decd, ... by James river, &c., by the river side in a valley near a place called the Rock.

P.303: **Major Nich Hill**, Mar. 26, 1670, 670 acres At the Blackwater, Begg near Parson's bridge on the beaver dam branch at a pin in George More's line.

Isle of Wight Co., VA, Wills, Deeds, Etc. 1, pp. 116-17
2 May-1 Nov 1667 Thomas Harris & Wife Alice To Giles Driver
Deeds of Lease & Release)

These presents witness that I Thomas HARRIS of ye Isle of Wight County for a valluable Considerac'on in hand rec'ed doe Assigne & make over unto M.r Giles DRYVER of the said County his Heires Ex.rs Adm.rs and Assignes all my Right Title Clayme & interest to the Bill of Sale within menc'oned for A Mill with all its priveledges and appert'ences, whatsoever therein expressed with Warranty against all Claymes whatsoever as alsoe agent any Clayme or P'tence of Clayme now or hereafter to be made by me ye sd Thomas Harris my Heires or Adm.rs or any Person or Persons whatsoever by us or any of Our precurem.ts In witness hereof I have hereunto sett my hand & seal this 2.d day of May in the year of Lord 1667

Tho: Harris Sigill

Signed Sealed & d'd in ye P'sence of
Nich HILL
James RUDD J m'ke

Will of John Jennings: Sister Sarah Luck, son George, **mother Silvestra Hill**; bro. William Thomas. Dated 31 10th, 1695; pr. June, 1698. [This will suggests that Silvestra married a Jennings before she married Nicholas Hill. Her father was Edward Bennett; the fact that John Jennings called Silvestra his mother in his 1698 will must mean that she was married to a Jennings at some point.]

pp. 211-214. Richard Bennett, however, though obtaining large tracts of land in Maryland, lived most of his life and died in Nansemond, managing to keep in some sort of conformity with the Church of England, for Puritanism did not necessarily mean Congregationalism, or severance from the Church. His grandson, Richard Bennett, was the richest man in Maryland. His uncle, **Edward Bennett, of London, left two daughters, one of whom, Mary, married, first, Thomas Bland, of London; second, Luke Cropley. The other, Silvestra, married Major Nicholas Hill, who came to Virginia, and was one of the leading men of Isle of Wight county.** Mary, a daughter of the first-named daughter, Mary Bland-Cropley, married James Day of Isle of Wight, Va., and Mary, a daughter of Silvestra Hill, the other daughter of Edward Bennett, married John Jennings, son of the clerk of the same name. [This record suggests that Nicholas Hill came from either England or Maryland. If it is true that Nicholas was related to Robert Hill, then this might be significant to this study.]

Among the interesting places, the plantation of Edward Bennett deserves notice. His personal share of land appears to have been fifteen hundred acres of land, and by a deed recorded in the secretary's office, dated April 8, 1663, this land was divided between his daughters, Silvestra, the wife of Major Nicholas Hill, and Mary, the wife of Thomas Bland. Silvestra's share was the upper moiety, and began at a locust post on the river side, and ran for length three hundred and twenty poles southwest into the woods, and for breadth three hundred and seventy-five poles up the river to a marked tree in a valley near a place called "The Rocks" (still known as such). Mary's share was the lower moiety. It began at the locust post on the river side, ran down the river by Felgate's Island, and bounded on Pollington's Point (Day's Point?), three lines of Peter Hull's land to a branch of Hutchinson's Creek. Maj. Hill, in 1674, left this land to his son, George Hill, after the death of his wife, Silvestra. Silvestra Hill by her will left 550 acres of this land to Mary Baker, wife of Major Henry Baker.

p. 228: Sisely Selden of Barnestable, in the Co. Devon, admx. Of John Selden, late Barnestable aforesaid, merchant, deceased, apoints Joseph Rudd of Barnestable

[illegible] of William Burke of Chuckatuck, Virginia, merchant, &c., all goods &c. [illegible] goods were delivered by order of the sd. John Selden, my late husband, to [illegible] Beaple of Barnstable aforesaid Mrchant and Robert Charton of the same [illegible] and by them left to the sd Wm Burke &c. for the use of my late husband &c. X the mark of Sisely Selden.

[illegible] Sept. 1670: Hester Phillips, wife of Wm. Phillips, ordered 30 stripes upon her [illegible] back till ye blood follow, and to ask forgiveness of all her offences, for [illegible] and abusing **Mrs. Silvestra Hill.**

Surry County Records

A look at Surry County records was in order since we know that Sion and Robert [illegible], sons of Robert Hill Sr., were living there in 1704 according to the Quitrents [illegible] of that year. Below is a brief survey of extant abstracts for Surry County, VA.

[illegible] 16, 1636. **Robert Webb, son of Stephen Webb,** was borne the 16th day of [illegible] 1636. **William Webb** was born the 15th day of Feb. 1645. Being formerly in [illegible] Bible and subscribed by he father's own hand. [There is only one reason [illegible] this to be in the public record—and that is to prove heirs.]
[illegible] 22, 1655. John Dibdall, Clerk, to **Richard Hill,** a piece of land in Surry [illegible] County,
[illegible] 1655. Elizabeth Banister, **Robert Hill,** and Charles Borecraft upon petition [illegible] Robert Webb were appointed his guardians. They desire to be released. [illegible] Witnesses William Buttes, Thos. Dimmet, Rice Williams. [Here we have reason to [illegible] suspect that the Stephen Webb who died and left sons Robert and William was [illegible] probably the brother of Mary Webb. Otherwise why would Mary Webb's [illegible] husband Robert Hill be a guardian for Stephen Webb's son? Here we have a [illegible] clear, documented link between the Surry County Hills and the Isle of Wight [illegible] Robert Hill Sr. who married Mary Webb. That there is a William Webb present [illegible] shows us that this given name, albeit common, was one used in the family of [illegible] Mary Webb, wife of Robert Sr. It is then no surprise that a William Hill shows up [illegible] in Surry County later on.]

[illegible] In 1655 we find William Webb along with John Spilltimber (see below) and Like [illegible] Mizelle (father-in-law to **Robert Hill Jr**) listed in accounts of the estate file of [illegible] William Thomas.

[illegible] Jan. 13, 1656—**Matthew Hill** authorizes his friend Jno. Leads atty to confess [illegible] judgment for debts.

Jan. 17 1656—It was ordered to audit and settle all accounts between Capt. Geo. Jordan and **Mr. Richard Hill,** deceased... a bill in the hands lf Mr. Jno Dibdall, also Mr. Jennings.

In 1656-7 both **"Col. Hill" and William Webb** are mentioned in the accounts of the estate of Maj. Jno. Westhorpe.

May 20, 1660—Ralph Creed sells to Thos. Chiffers 1,100 acres of land at the head of Sunken Marsh near Chippoakes, late in possession of **Richard Hill.**

Aug. 19, 1660---**Edward Hill** witnesses deed.

*October 14, 1667. William Webb of Tewkesbury in Gloucester [this is England, not VA], shoemaker appoints his friend Lott Rocketts of the City of Bristoll, due from Plantation in Virginia. [This has got to be a relative of Mary Webb.] Witness **Richard Hill.**

Jan. 6, 1668. Ellis Ventor, miller, sells to Roby Babb, clerk, an old mill house and land at Ware Neck that was granted by deed of John Corker and Dorothy, to Captain Webster. Wit.: Thomas Warren, **William Hill.**

*Feb. 2, 1668. Indenture between Katherine Green and John Salway. Catherine Greene, relict of Peter Greene, there being a debt of Peter Greene to John Salway—where Katherine Greene now lives, 200 acres of land on the south side of James River, west **side at the head of Lawne's Creek adjoining Hill and Richard Drew land at Baker's Mill.** [This is a very important deed in that we know that Silvestra and Nicholas Hill had land on Lawne's Creek; we know that Robert Hill Sr. and Nicholas were related by blood to the Bakers; and there is evidence that one of the male Hills married a Greene in Surry County early on. More about the latter below.]

April 1, 1671. A dead man found at the landing of Col. Thos. Swann, the coroner out of the County, an able young man drowned in the river. Witnesses included **William Hill.**

Dec. 17, 1671. John Salway of Lawnes Creek Parish sells William Sherwood 200 acres of land on the south side of the James River on the west side of Lawnes creek adjoining Maj. Hill, Richard Drew, but cart path betwixt Captain Baker's and the new mill—same obtained by a deed Feb. 2, 1668 by Katherine Greene, deceased or by indenture from Jno. Dunstan and Mary Reddick co-heirs of Peter Greene deceased. (Mentions James Reddick and Mary his wife and John Dunstan. Possession delivered in mansion house of said plantation.) Wit. Jos. Antrabus, Walter Bartlett, Tho. Lillicrop, Wm. Cockin.

Dec. 31, 1671. John Salway and Mary his wife to John Dunstan. Land where Salway now lives on south side of James River adjoining **Major Hill** and Richard Drew called New Mill.

~~~~~~~~~~~~~~Excursus: About Stephen Webb~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

From "Historical and Genealogical Notes;" Wm. and Mary Quarterly., Vol. 6, No. 2, p.129.

Merchant's Hope, in "Greater Weyanoke," down to Lower Chippoakes Creek. (Hotten, p. 270). The Surry records show that on February 18, 1642, George Powell, of the lower Chippoakes, leased to Stephen Webb, of same place, 300 acres -- 150 acres on James River, east upon lower Chippoakes Creek, called by the natives, Pettitake Creek, and west upon Mr. George Powell's land, and 150 acres upon James River, west upon Sunken Marsh and east upon Mr. George Powell's aforesaid, and south into the woods a mile, to hold for the lives of said Stephen Webb, Dame Clare, his wife, and Robert Webb, his eldest son, and the surivor or survivors of them, the said Webb, to build upon the said land a frame house 45 x 20 feet, with two chimneys and glass windows, and a cellar 15 feet square, the house to be ground-silled and underpinned with brick, and to plant one acre of said land with "all kinds of fruit trees that this country usually affordeth, that is to say, with apple trees, peach trees, cherry trees, apricockes, ffigs and pear trees, with a garden thereto adjoining." On July 1, 1656, Wm. Powell*, of Southwarke, in the county of Surry, in England, baker, administrator of Capt. Wm. Powell, "late of Chippoakes in the Collony of Virginia, his natural+ brother deceased, and heire unto George Powell, the natural sonne of the sd Capt. Wm Powell, late whilst he lived on Chippoakes afforesd, since also deceased, and William Parker of Leadenhall Street, in London, cheesemonger, and Ann his wife, grand-child of the said William Powell, acting by Ralph Dunston and Sam Henbye their attorneys, "sold to William Batt 800 acres of land, more or less, 600 acres lying in Lower Chippoakes on James River between Chippoakes Creek and Sunken Meadow (now College run), etc., and the other 200 acres on the eastward side of a little creek called Crouches Creek, over against James City, etc.* It would seem that Surry county received its name from Capt. William Powell's family. In 1647 Southwark parish was formed of the district from College Creek to Upper Chippoaks (the creek at Claremont, sometimes called Cabin Point Creek); so it contained the plantation of Capt. William Powell on Crouch's Creek.

*At this period it was not unusual to give the same name to two brothers, especially if their ages were far apart. [NCM's note: I think this is questionable.]

+The term "natural brother" was used in contradistinction to brother-in-law. It often occurs in combination with the word "lawful," viz., "natural and lawful brother or son."

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623. **Stephen Webb**, March 2, 1638. 250 acres. Lying near the head of Sunken Marsh East upon the land of Wm Nusam. Note - "This patt. is renewed by Stephen Webb & another former patt. of the 18 Septr. 1636 put into it & one hundred acres of land more added to them."

***March 30, 1672.** Will of Anthony Spilltimber. Wife Mary, daughter Pattie, brother John. Daughter Martha, minor. Executors wife and brother, John Spiltimber. Witnesses **William Hill**, Geo. Williams, John Brodie. [Here we have the first reference to a William Hill. This William is an adult in 1672 and so was born long before our William who was born circa 1740 in Surry County.] SOUTHAMPTON

***May 4, 1672.** Assigned by John Davis, Mary Davis and Diana Duthace to Richard Briggs of Surry County., Planter. Wit. Lawrence Baker, Nicholas Hill.. Power of attorney Mary Davis of John Davis of Isle of Wight County to Capt. Lawrence Baker, Gentleman of Surry County to acknowledge in court. Wit.: Nicholas Hill. [Here we have the "bridge" between Isle of Wight and Surry. Note also that BOTH Nicholas, husband of Silvestra Hill, and Sion Hill, son of Robert Hill Sr., are connecte to Mary Davis, and so are connected to one another. I do believe we will find that the elder Nicholas is a brother of Robert Hill Sr.]

***October 21, 1673.** Estate of Luke Mizell. John Smith, who married Deborah, widow of Luke, makes account of estate. **Account allowed by court for Skilltimber's child.** Balance of estate divided between John Smith and Luke Mizell, orphan. [Very important document, because taken with the other records above, it reveals that there was a William Hill connected in some way to the Spilltimber family. Note the Skilltimber connection to Luke Mizell, whom we know was the father of Elizabeth Mizell, wife of Robert Hill Jr., who was the son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb. When Luke Mizell died an allowance was made for "Skilltimber's child." This suggests that Luke Mizell had a daughter who married a Spilltimber and was deceased by the time her father Luke died. We can tell this because the child received her share of her father's estate.]

December 1675. Richard Hill appoints his friend Jno King his attorney against William Rookings.

April 10, 1676. Deposition of Margaret Allen age 28 concerning Mr. **Richard Hill** and Mr. Lee. Deposition of Mary Fletcher, age 28 concerning **Mrs. Jane Hill, wife of Richard Hill.**

July 20, 1677. Estate of John Skilltimber. Eliza. C. Hill made oath of the inventory of John Spilltimber, Witnesses Gro. Proctor, Samuel Pla[?], Geo. Williams, Thos. King.

June 16, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator for Mary Davies, deceased. Geo. Williams and Geo. Foster securijng. Wits. Robert Ruffin and William Edwards clerk of court.

July 1, 1679. **Sion Hill** qualifies as administrator to Jno Spilltimber deceased with Jos. Rogers and Jno. Phillips securing, wits. Benj. Harrison and Wm. Edwards clerk of court.

June 7, 1679. Sion Hill administrator of Mary Davies.
June 16, 1679. Sion Hill qualifies as administrator for Mary Davies, deceased. Geo. Williams and Geo. Foster securijng. Wits. Robert Ruffin and William Edwards clerk of court.
June 16, 1679. Robert Ruffin declared that at the house of Lewis Williams of Lawnes Creek Parish, late deceased, eh heard Mrs. Williams say that her husband, before he died gave his son to Wm. Newsum and his girls to **Sion Hill,** and his wife and daughter-in-law, named Mary, to Mr. Thompson ...
July 1, 1679. Sion Hill qualifies as administrator to Jno Spilltimber deceased with Jos. Rogers and Jno. Phillips securing, wits. Benj. Harrison and Wm. Edwards clerk of court.
July 23, 1679. Will of John Smith. Bequest to son John Smith, witnesses William Thompson and **Sion Hill**. [Recall from above that John Smith married Deborah Mizell, widow of Luke Mizell and mother of Elizabeth Mizell Hill, who was the wife of Robert Hill Jr., son of Robert Hill Sr. and his wife Mary Webb.]
July 21, 1683. Sion Hill, Geo. Williams of Surry Co., bound to the court. **Sion Hill** to pay the orphan of Lewis Williams, deceased, the portion of her late father's estate when she is of age, and to teach her the Christian religion.
July 4, 1693. Will of Luke Meazle. Bequest to daughter Elizabeth. Luke also had daughter Sarah, named here. Witnesses were Thos. Smith, John Greene.
Oct. 6, 1694. Robert Hill and Eliza. Hill his wife witness inventory of Luke Meazle, deceased. [This Luke is the son of Luke and Deborah Mizell, above. Surely Elizabeth was Luke Meazle's daughter. Not state outright but strongly

implied. I suppose it needs more evidence but I am comfortable with the assumption on a tentative basis.]
Jan. 5, 1702. Sion Hill witnesses will of William Forman.
Jan. 2, 1704. Robert Hill gives security for administrator of William Holeman, deceased.
July 25, 1714. Will of James Ellis. Bequest to John Hill, including "money due me in England." **Items to Sarah Hill, daughter of John Hill.** [See photocopies for additional details.]

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What we know from the above: Anthony Spilltimber died in 1672. Luke and Deborah Mizell were the parents of Elizabeth Mizell, who married Robert Hill Jr. Luke and Deborah Mizell were also the parents of Mary Mizell who married Anthony Spilltimber and was deceased by 1673. **William Hill witnessed Anthony Spilltimber's will**. Anthony Spilltimber had a brother named John who died in 1677. Elizabeth C. Hill, probably the wife of Robert Hill Jr., took the inventory of John Spilltimber's estate. Most telling, Sion Hill, whom we know to be the son of Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb because he identified himself as such in a 1655 deed, administers both the Mary Davis and the John Spilltimber estate. Tentative conclusion: This William Hill was probably the brother of Robert Hill Jr., but he may also have been a son. Moreover, all of these Hills are closely tied to Robert Hill Sr. and Mary Webb who arrived in Isle of Wight County from Britain in 1632.

Very important to the rest of our search are the Webb, Davies, Spilltimber, Mizelle and Smith connections. These connections will help us identify which Hills are "ours" or descendants of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

The above evidence demonstrates that **Robert Hill Senior** was indeed in Surry County some 20 years after his arrival in Isle of Wight County. It is therefore very likely that the **William Hill** we find born circa 1740 in Surry is one of his descendants. Richard, Edward, and William may have been brothers or may have been sons of Robert Hill Sr. A closer look at Surry County records and the Virginia Colonial Records is in order.

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Accomack County Records

Accomack County is a short sail away from Isle of Wight. The probate records below are of great interest because I suspect this Robert Hill is indeed the Robert who married Mary Webb, and this Nicholas is almost certainly the husband of Silvestra Hill. Why their probate records are in Accomack I am not sure, but retrieving these records is almost certainly the next step in finding out more about the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

Probate Records

Hill, Abraham 1767
Hill, Elizabeth 1780
Hill, Henry 1688
Hill, Nicholas 1697
Hill, Richard 1694
Hill, Robert Sr. 1678
Hill, Tabitha 1717

Accomack County Tax Lists

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There were 1012 slaves, divided among 164 slave owners, of whom 44 owned four more. William Barlow 12, Jesse Barlow 11, Lawrence Baker, Esq., 37, Nathaniel Burwell 41, James Dering 17, Jesse Glover 12, Richard Hardy 21, Joseph Hill13, William Hollowell 10, Henry Harrison 13, Timothy Tyne 12, Samuel Wilson 17,Francis Wrenn 10, John Jennings Wheadon 36, Goodrich Wilson 20, Charles Burgess15, John Driver 10, Edmund Godwin 10, Ralph Gibbs 24, Brewer Godwin, gent. 30,Martha King 13, Joseph Lawrence 10, Tristam Nansworthy, Sr. 16, Tristram

TOMBSTONES AT HILL'S FARM, IN ACCOMAC COUNTY.
BY MARGARET SEYMOUR HALL.

Sacred to the memory of Thomas Bayly, Son of Edmund Bayly,
Grandson of Edmund Bayly, and great-grandson of Richard Bayly,
of Craddock. His mother was Rose, the daughter of Maddox Fisher,
of Northampton. He was born March 14th, 1737-'8, O. Stile and died
———(illegible).

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In memory of Anne Bayly, wife of Thomas Bayly, Daughter of Richard Drummond and grand-daughter of Major Richard Drummond by his wife Patience, who was the daughter of **Richard Hill**, the proprietor and patentee of this plantation (Hill's Farm) in the year 1666. Her mother was Catharine, the daughter of Thomas Harmanson, of Northampton. She was born February 26th, 1742-'3, Old Stile, and died Sept. 8th, 1801, N. Stile. On her left lie her Father, sister and six of her children. Her second son was lost at sea, and left living Three sons and two daughters.

Lieut.-Col. Edmund Scarbrough had issue: Tabitha Scarbrough married Col. William Smart, who had issue: Tabitha Scarbrough Smart married **Richard Hill** of Hill's Farm, who had issue; **Patience Hill** married Major Richard Drummond, who had issue; Richard Drummond married Catharine Harmanson (daughter of Thomas Harmanson), who had issue; Ann Drummond married Thomas Bayly, who had issue; Edmund Bayly married Rachel Upshur, who had issue; Ann Upshur Bayly married William Digby Seymour, who had issue; Ann Upshur Bayly Seymour married Rev. Alfred Henno Ames, who had issue; Anne Seymour Ames, George Christian Ames.

Tabitha Scarbrough, widow of Col. William Smart, afterwards married Col. **Edward Hill**, of Shirley. **Richard Hill** was brought to Northampton by Col. Scarbrugh (spelled thus in old record), and was for some time

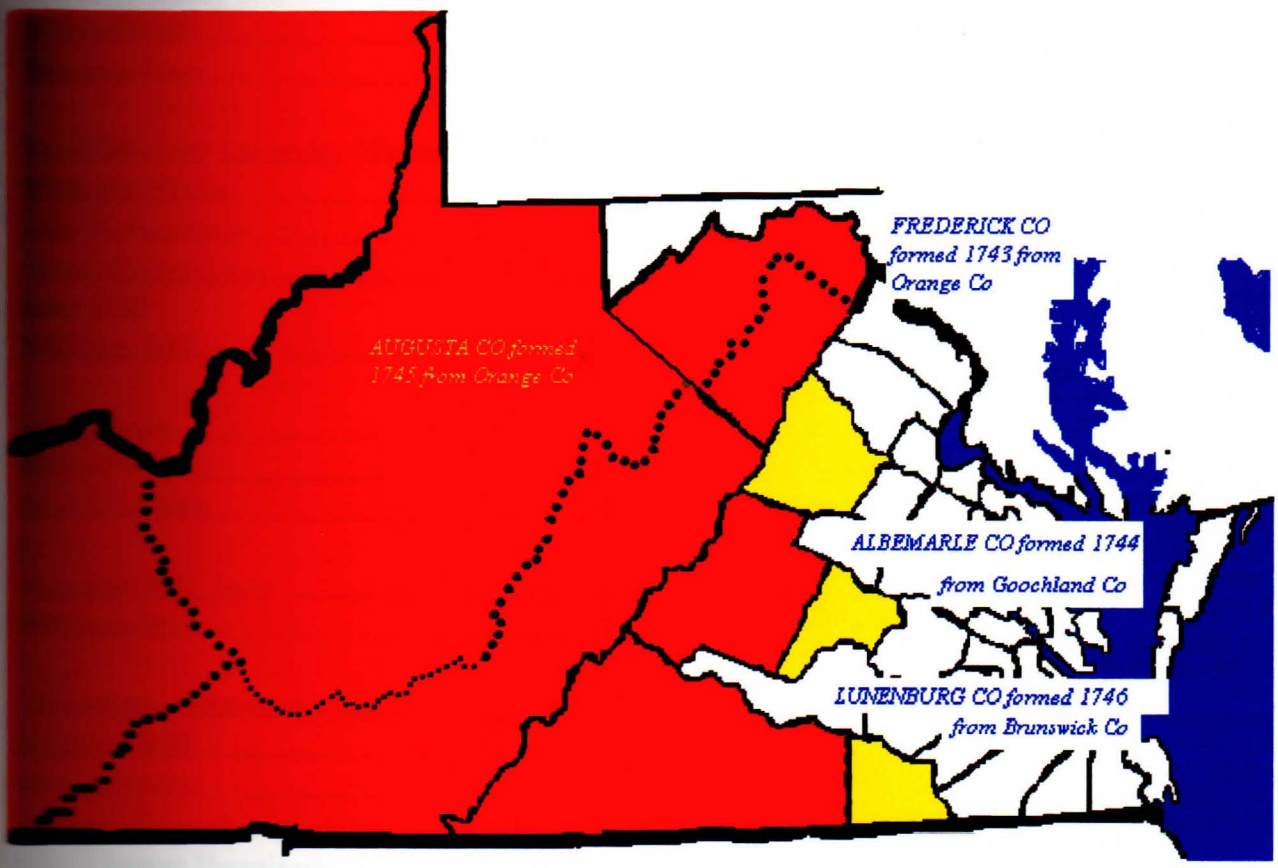
his business manager. Mary Persey (daughter of Abraham Persey and of Frances West, daughter of Nathaniel West, nephew of Lord De la Ware) married Thomas Hill in 1638, and had two children. (See Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Vol. 1, p. 188.) The widow, Mary Hill, married Col. Thomas Bushrod, of "Essex Lodge," York county, and John Hill was living on his farm at death. Catharine Harmanson was daughter of Thomas Harmanson, who was born in Brandenburg, Germany, 1651. See notice of Thomas Harmanson, aged 22, in an Act of Assembly naturalizing Thomas Harmanson, "a German, born in the Dominion of Brandeiburg but now an inhabitant of Northampton county, professing the Protestant Religion." -- WILLIAM AND MARY QUARTERLY, VOL, 1, p. 192.

Rachel Upshur, the wife of Edmund Bayly, was daughter of John Upshur and Anne Emerson 1763-1805.

In Hotten's list is William Bayly of West-Shirley Hundred, born in 1585. Mary, born in 1600, was his wife. They came to Virginia in 1617, and had son Thomas, born 1620.

[illegible] Importance of Lunenburg County Records

[illegible] a large number of Hills in neighboring Lunenburg County, Virginia. [illegible] is map showing Lunenburg County around 1750 when William was just [illegible] years old.



[illegible]burg County Tax List For 1749 (From "Sunlight on the Southside.")

[illegible] Caldwell's List

[illegible]

[illegible] Pickens 2
[illegible] Webb 1
[illegible] Boulden 1
[illegible] Mayes 3
[illegible] Gray
[illegible] Self, Overs. 7
[illegible] Bynum

[illegible] Bynum, Junr. 2
William Payne, Junr. 1
[illegible] Young 1
[illegible] Vernor 1
[illegible] Williams 1
William Weakley
[illegible] Weakley 2
[illegible] Hill 1
Thomas Rice 1

For 1749—List Taken by Nicholas Haile
Nicholas Haile 4
[illegible] Richardson 1
[illegible]nos Richardson 1
[illegible] Hill
William Hill 2
[...]
[illegible] Lynas 1
Robert Hill 1
David Grifeth 1
[...]
Thomas Hall, Junr. 1
William Hill 1
[...]
Christopher Hudson 4
William Hill 7
Edward Ellis 1
Thomas Brunet 1
[illegible] George Pennington 1
[illegible] Stevens 1
Ephraim Hill 1
[...]
For 1750—List taken by William Howard

[...]
William Sandefor [?]
[illegible] Young
Samuel Young 3
Michael Peringer 1
David Allen 1
Field Farrar 1
Gilbert Eavens 1
James Smith 3

William Hill
Lewis Lanier 9
Hutchins Burton
[...]
Charles Smith 1
[...]
Thomas Moore 2
James Smith 2
[...]
Zakariah Baker 2
[...]
John Davis
Archible Gray
Wm. Davis 11

For 1750—List taken by Hugh Lawson

[...]
William Mize ..... 1 [Note: Read "Mizell."]
Thomas Jarrot 1
Thomas Wright 1
John Wright 1
Stephean Mize 1
Solomon Wright 1
James Mize 1
Jeremiah Mize
John Mize 2
Joshua Mize 1
[...]
Jacob Davis
(and slaves at "Mr. Jannings' quarter") 3
James Williams, sadler 1
[...]
John Phillips 1
[...]
John Green
William Green 2

For 1750—List taken by Abraham Martin

[...]

James Webb 2

For 1750—List taken by John Phelps

[...]

Wm. Perry 1
Richd. Hill
Wm. Hill 2
Heny. Hendrickson 1

[...]

Wm. Davis 5

[...]

Jos. [?] Rust 4
Jno. Hill 1
Jno. Lawson 1

Pittsylvania County

FIRST LIST OF TITHABLES OF PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA

YEAR 1767

The History of Pittsylvania County
by Maud Carter Clement

List of Tithables Taken by George Jefferson in Pittsylvania County
and Cambden Parish for the year 1767

Thom. Hill
William Hill

Robert Hill, Swinfield Hill Thomas Hill

Swinfield Hill

[Note: I believe these Hills to be at best peripherally related to the Hills in whom we are interested.]

Southampton County, Virginia Deed Book 2 - 1753 to 1760

Pages 315-316 Grantor: **SION HILL** Grantee: WILLIAM THWEATT

Pages 15-16: BENJAMIN ELLIS and wife MARY to WILLIAM ANDREWS dated 17 Dec 1753

207? acres on the north side of the Nottoway River adj. the west side of Indian Branch (sold by the Nottoway Indians to ROBERT HILL and from him sold to sd. BENJAMIN on 20 Oct 1738), S: BENJAMIN (signed) ELLIS and MARY (V) ELLIS, W: SAMUEL (signed) BLOW, JOHN (signed) INGRAM, JOHN (signed) SIMMONS, and ARTHUR (signed) ARRINGTON

Pages 294-295: JOHN COXEY and wife AMY of Brunswick County, Virginia to TIMOTHY THORN dated 10 Oct 1759

80 acres on the north side of the Maherin River adj. sd. THORN, sd. COXEY, and sd. River (WILLIAM BATTS of Prince George County conveyed by will to sd. JOHN CONEY), S: JOHN (signed) COXEY and AMY (signed) COXEY, W: HENRY (signed) **HILL, HENRY** (signed) APPLEWAITE, and JOHN (signed) RAWLINGS

**Pages 315-316: SION HILL and wife SARAH to WILLIAM THWEATT dated 5 Mar
1760

50 acres adj. sd. WILLIAM, JACOB HINES, Flat Swamp, and JAMES LUNDY, S: SION (signed) HILL, W: no witnesses. SARAH came to court to provide consent only.

Pages 316-317: JAMES BIRCHETTE to JOHN BRITT dated 5 Mar 1760
10 acres now in the possession of sd. BRITT adj. a river, S: JAMES (signed) BIRCHETTE, W: WILLIAM (signed) THWEATT, SION (signed) HILL, SARAH (signed) HILL, and JOHN (signed) BRITT

Further Research

1. Most important is the 1678 Accomack County will of Robert Hill. I am traveling to the Virginia State Archives in December and can retrieve it

then. This record will cue us as to how to proceed in tracing the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.

2. A comprehensive search of Surry County records, beginning at the Virginia State Archives and finishing at the Surry County Courthouse if necessary, will bring the desire results and reveal the identities of the children of Robert Hill and Mary Webb.
3. A thorough search of the vast but abstracted and indexed Virginia Colonial Records is the last task and should provide all of the pieces of the puzzle.

Proposal

I am traveling to the Virginia Archives in December and could do the Accomack, Surry, and VA Colonial Records search then. (I do not require you to pay for travel expenses because another client is already paying for them. I estimate that this work will require about 20 hours of work from start to finish, with analysis and report time included. We might begin with ten hours and see how far that gets us. It could be that the Accomack and Surry County records will solve the puzzle and we do not need to look at the Virginia Colonial Records. If you would like me to proceed you may send a retainer for $300 for ten additional research hours. I will bill you for photocopies that exceed 20 sheets.

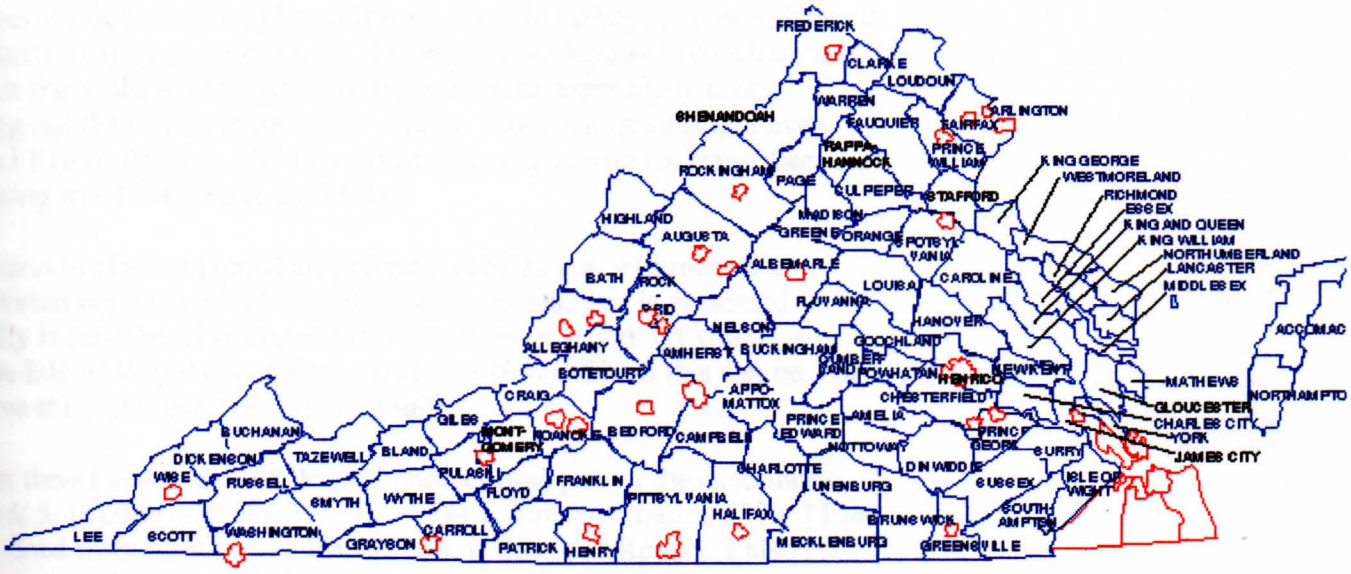
I look forward to any questions or suggestions you may have, and I thank you for entrusting your family research to me.

Nancy Carter Moore

Raleigh, North Carolina

Appendix I

Virginia's Counties



NOTE: Virginia cities are outlined in red.

Source: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service, University of Virginia

jane

From: "Nancy Carter Moore"
To: "jane" <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
Sent: Monday, September 27, 2004 2:43 PM
Subject: Re: genealogyPro Enquiry

Hello, Jane!

Yes, I do have the ability to read the old hand. I was trained in medieval Latin transcription and translation so I'm pretty "ace" with records that are in English! Moreover, I have been to the Isle of Wight County Courthouse on numerous occasions and know it well. I would be happy to investigate it for records relating to your family. Those old courthouses hold a lot more than just the probate and land records, and I have spent many hours ferreting out the richest material for clients. The great news is that even though I live in Raleigh, NC I do not have to charge you for travel because I am going to Isle of Wight in October.

In addition to photocopies of all pertinent records you will receive a well-written report in which a well-thought-out analysis is presented. I will fully transcribe all documents for you in your report. (If you have seen the Isle of Wight documents, you know how difficult this can be, but you have the right researcher for that task.)

The last time I was in Isle of Wight I photocopied part of the deed index for Book 5. [Deed Book No. 5, 1736 - 1741 c, Unpaged index, 639 p.] I see there a deed from an Ellis to a Robert Hill, is this your Robert? I also copied part of Great Book 2 (holds deeds and probate materials) and see that there is a will there for a Thomas Hill dated 1719. Is he in your line?

My hourly rate is $30, plus charges for photocopies and postage. Research and analysis will require fifteen hours. I will not charge you for travel as I am traveling to Isle of Wight in October anyway for another client.

If you would like me to pursue this you may send a check or PayPal (allows you to use a credit card) to me for $450. I will bill you for the photocopy and postage charges after the search. I will also need to know everything you know about the subject of the search--Robert Hill--his children, spouses names (if any in addition to Mary Webb). Or, since you say he is your husband's "probable ancestor," I imagine you will want to tell me who your husband's earliest documented ancestor is so that I might trace him back. Let me know.

Thank you for your interest in my research service. I look forward to hearing from you.

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jane

From: <FRMRNYR@aol.com>
To: <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
Sent: Monday, December 06, 2004 2:42
Subject: HILL ABSTRACT

THIS IS A BOOK OF ABSTRACTS, MEANING NO DETAILS JUST NAMES.
NO CHARGE, YOU CAN IF YOU WANT GIVE A DONATION OR BUY A BOOK.
OTHERWISE FEEL FREE TO BROWSE THE WEBSITE.
WWW.NYVAGENEALOGY.HOMESTEAD.COM

WILL OF JOHN HILL SR. OF PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY
ALL OF ESTATE TO WIFE, ANN HILL
12 PENCE TO EACH OF MY CHILDREN (NO NAMES GIVEN).
TO SON JOHN HILL, THE ESTATE I LIVE ON, AFTER MY WIFE'S DEATH.
WIFE EXECUTRIX DATED OCT 5 1718
WITNESS JOHN POOK
WILLIAM MATTOX
GEORGE WOODLEIFE
PRESENTED IN COURT NOV 11 1718 BY ANN HILL.

INVENTORY OF ESTATE WAS DONE SEPT 8 1719

HOPE IT HELPS,
KRISTINA

The earliest mention of Robert & Mary Hill occurs in Surry Co. Prior. The entry states that "Francis England received 746 acres adj. Capt. Pierce in Isle of Wight Co, VA, that does not prove Robert was ever there!

He could have removed to any other location after landing.

~~We do not know if he was a free man, or did was he indentured to~~ We are assuming he was a free man until other evidence is found.

If he was free, he might have been connected to the other families already in VA.

Our researcher states that Robert left no records in I of W Co. However, there is a 1678 will for a Robert Hill in Accomack Co, VA, which is on the DelMarVa Peninsula & she will retrieve it for us.

Isle of Wight Deed Book 1

1739 Land in Meherrin River to Sion Hill from Joshua Perry. Sion buys 82.5 acres to add to his holdings. I of W Deed Book 5 p 350

1696 Isle of Wight Deed Book 1 p 326 3 June 1696 100 acres in I of W, originally bought by grantee of Hill from Sion Hill. Recorded 10 Feb 1700.

Are these all one man?

Sion I s/o Robert + Mary b. c. 1654 - d. c. 1705

Married _____ daughters?

Children:

Robert 1678 - 1765

Sion 1682 - 1762+

Richard 1684 - 1722

Thomas 1686 - 1737

Michael 1688 - 1755

William 1690 - 1748

Robert s/o Robert + Mary Webb Hill

1667 - 1740 md _____?

Children:

[illegible] b. c. 1692

[illegible]

Elizabeth

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] who md Tabitha had 11 children; d. Halifax Co NC 1766

? 1654-1705?

I SION HILL s/o Robert + Mary (Webb) Hill

1675 Surry County VA Records - 12 Oct 1675. Witness

1677 Surry County VA Records - 15 7ber 1677. Witness

1679 Surry Co. VA Records 16 June 1679. Sion qualifies as Admr. for Mary DAVIES, dec'd.

1679 Surry Co. VA Records 1 July 1679 Sion qualifies as Admr. for SPILLTIMBER, dec'd.

1679 Surry Co. VA Records 27 March 1679 Sion Hill granted Admn. the Estate of Mary DAVIS.

1679 Surry Co. VA Records 16 June 1679 Robert Ruffin declared heard Mrs. (Lewis) Williams say that before he died, he gave his girls to Sion Hill

1679 Surry County VA Records 2 March 1679 Sion Hill a witness

1683 Surry Co. VA Records 12 July 1683 Sion Hill to pay orphan of Lewis Williams, dec'd., her portion of estate + to Teach her the Christian Religion

1679 ? Surry Co. VA Wills? Sion Hill a witness to the will of

1702 Surry Co. Wills. Sion Hill, witness to the will of Wm Foreman

jane

From: "Nancy Carter Moore" <ncmoore@nc.rr.com>
To: "jane" <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 10, 2004 3:12 PM
Subject: Re: Isle of Wight research

Dear Jane,

I completed your Isle of Wight County courthouse search in the last week of October. As you requested, I did not begin with the William Hill who was born in 1740, whose father you seek. I looked for records involving the Robert Hill John Bennett Boddie mentioned in his "17th Century Isle of Wight County, Virginia" in the records of the Isle of Wight County Courthouse. (The Boddie reference is to a ~~1632~~ document in which Francis England is given 746 acres adjoining Captain Pierce for transporting 15 persons including Robert Hill, his wife Mary, John Powell, Eliza Webb," and others, as you know.)

I did find Sion Hill and the 1653 deed in which he identifies his father as Robert Hill. Sion is mentioned in a number of other records. There are no other Hills connected to him in these records via statements of family connections. There is an implied connection between Sion Hill and Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County, found in the record of the estate of Mary Davies or Davis. There are few Hills in any of the indices and the records in which they are named do not name any Robert Hill or his wife Mary Webb. There are no probate records for Robert or Mary, and no deeds in which Robert mentions any children. There are no deeds of gift from Robert to children, there are no court cases involving Robert that name or imply and children, there is just nothing there.

There are Hills present in the early records of Isle of Wight. In the deeds found for the years 1720-1749 we find references to a Robert Hill as well as to Hannah, Joseph, Ralph, Richard, Silvestra, Snow, Tabitha, and Thomas.There is a Mary Hill who may have been daughter of Robert Hill there circa 1711 but no family relationship is stated. There is a Nicholas Hill who appears to be a contemporary of Robert's, but no relationship is stated. (Past research states that Nicholas was from Maryland.) He married a woman named Silvestra. Nicholas was dead by 1695. There is a Ralph Hill who is identified as the son of this Col. Nicholas Hill, and Ralph's son Nicholas, identified as the grandson of Col. Nicholas Hill and his wife Silvestra Hill. By 1710 Ralph lived in Prince George's County and his son Nicholas in Norfolk County. NIcholas Hill Sr. also had a son named George who was a grown man in the 1670s.

Silvestra Hill's father was Edward Bennett, and she gave her dower land to the poor of Nansemond County after her husband Nicholas' death.

The only will in the Great Books was that of Thomas Hill, dated 1717. He named his wife Mary, sons Thomas and Joseph, and daughters Mary and Ann Hill. I copied the index entry of this for you and transcribed the document, which like many others, was too faint and fragile to be reproduced via

photocopy.

As you know, Southampton County, where you say you find William, was formed from Isle of Wight in 1749. One way to prove descendancy is to connect William to the lands owned by the above early Isle of Wight Hills. William might have been living on the same land in his early life that belonged to them.

You instructed me specifically to begin with the Robert mentioned in Boddie, and find his children. The trouble is, Robert may have come ashore in Isle of Wight, but he did not apparently stay there, or if he did he did not live long enough to leave records. Another possibility is that any records he did leave are not in the county courthouse because they are part of the Virginia Colonial Records, which have been retired. This is a vast collection that has been abstracted in a very "spotty" way, but what is abstracted is at least indexed. I took a quick look for you and found a Robert Hill listed for Surry County on the 1704 Quitrents list with 200 acres; there is also a Robert Hill listed there, also in Surry with 300 acres. Given Isle of Wight Sion's 1654 statement that his father was Robert Hill, I imagine what we see in the 1704 Quitrents list is this Sion as an elderly man with his brother Robert. These two men are the only Sion and Robert mentioned in the Quitrents list, and the only Hills listed for Surry County, Virginia.

I found a reference to a 1678 will for a Robert Hill Sr. in Accomack County that is very interesting. I can get this will if you like. What is most interesting is that Accomack was an easy sail from Isle of Wight, and that there is also a Nicholas Hill listed there with a will probated in 1697. Given that we did not find probate records in Isle of Wight for anyone but Thomas, this may be a breakthrough.

There is a great deal more that might help you in the Virginia Colonial Records. I can access these further for you if you like.

Upon returning home I did a survey of abstracts for Isle of Wight, Surry, and other counties in the region, and have compiled a detailed report of what I found. I also looked at some genealogy journals for Hills in the area, hoping to find something for you there. Your report, some thirty odd pages, will be in the mail tomorrow along with your documentation.

One thing to bear in mind as you proceed is this:

http://www.rootsweb.com/~vagenweb/1738map.gif

The above link goes to a map of Virginia at about the time your William was born. You can see why Surry, Nansemond, and later, Southampton (formed from the southernmost portion of Isle of Wight) are inportant. Brunswick is also worth having a look at.

I do think you need a good study of the Hills in the Virginia Colonial Records, which will cover all of these counties. I also highly recommend a survey of Accomack County records given that I found a reference to a 1678

will for a Robert Hill Sr. there.

Best regards,

Nancy

---- Original Message -----
From: jane
To: ncmoore@nc.rr.com
Sent: Tuesday, November 09, 2004 7:05 PM
Subject: Isle of Wight research

Dear Nancy,
I have eagerly looked for your report, but have not seen it yet. You must have had quite a load of work to do. Hope you are well and can get the report to me soon.
Sincerely,
Jane Smith Hill

Isle of Wight County, Deeds 1647-1719, Court Orders 1683-1695
& Guardian Accounts 1740-1767

Thomas Hill
1638 b. 1613 more than one Thomas
1684/1692
1692 age 79
1693 " 78 1719 died
1696 " 81
1698 " 83
1732 } Thomas #2
1734 }

Mas. Nicholas Hill
1658, 1655, 1656-7, 1668,
1671 1695 (dead by then) widow
1672 is Silvestra
Maj. Nicholas md Sylvestra Bennett
ISSUE:

John Hill
1714
25
1694

Sarah Hill
d & John 1714

Joseph Hill
1741/42 1635 25
1735, 1741, 1746 1610

IV Robert Hill
1694 born c. 1663 2 men 1694 or before 21
1735, 1655
1741, 1704

Richard Hill
1655, 1656 (deceased)
1660 dec'd.
1671 - alive
1674/5, 1675, 1676
1677,
- 25
1652

1655
25
1630

VI Ralph Hill
1710, 1738

Edward
1655/1660
25
1640

one Richard md Jane

VIII Richards
1749 d. 1656 1667 1675 1676
b. c. 1743/1646

* William Hill b. circa 1647
1672, 1668, 1671, 1673, 1674,
25
1646

#1 Robert Hill md Mary (Webb)?

to VA in 1642 (I q w) — died 1698? became sick age ~81?
md circa 1640 — age
born circa 1617

Issue

#2 son: Scion — #2 Wife?
b. 16__ — b. 16__

Robert (jr?)
1650

Elizabeth Mizel d/o Luke
Deborah ( ) (Meazel) Smith [John]
a son named Luke Mizell

Is Robert Hill #1 related to Maj. Nicholas Hill?

[redacted]

From: "Nancy Carter Moore"
To: "jane" <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
Sent: Sunday, November 14, 2004 12:49 PM
Subject: I think I found something

Jane,

I held on to your material and worked a bit more in the Southside abstracts--a few hours, no extra charge--and found this:

Surry County Great Book I:75--"Robert Webb, son of Stephen Webb, was borne the 16th day of Nov. 1636." (This would be four years after Robert Hill and Mary Webb were transported to Isle of Wight from Britain.) "William Webb was born the 15 dau of February 1645. Being formerly in an old Bible and subscribed by the father's own hand." (The only reason for the above had to be to prove heirs of Stephen Webb.)

Then:

Surry County Great Book I:85--Eliza beth Banister, Robert Hill, and Charles Borecraft upon petition of Robert Webb were appointed his guardian. They desire to be released.
Jane, do you think Stephen Webb, who clearly died circa 1655, might have been a brother of Mary Webb? If not, why would Robert Hill be involved in the guardianship? This is in SURRY County. How much have you done there? I also found a William Hill connected to the Isle of Wight Robert Sr., but he is an earlier William than yours, an adult in the 1650s. I think Surry is the county that will bring you the results that you want.

Let me know what you think. (I will finish adding this material to your report and get all in the mail tomorrow.)

Nancy

Sent a copy & report to Cousin Wade
11-29-04 Except the Isle of Wight County,
VA Deeds—Court Orders + Guardian Accts
sent it 12-2-04

jane

From: "Nancy Carter Moore"
To: "jane" <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2004 11:28 PM
Subject: Re: HILL research

Jane,

Yes, I do have access to Cavaliers and Pioneers, and I can check the church records for you too. Cavaliers and Pioneers is one compilation of part of the Virginia Colonial Records I mentioned. But do send along anything you think might be helpful. Thank you.

Nancy

---- Original Message ----
From: jane
To: Nancy Carter Moore
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2004 9:37 PM
Subject: Re: HILL research

Nancy,
Do you have a copy or do you have access to a copy of the book I mentioned in my last e-mail? Please let me know. If you do not have a copy or access to one, I will make copies and send to you with my check.
Jane

---- Original Message ----
From: Nancy Carter Moore
To: jane
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2004 7:54 PM
Subject: Re: HILL research

Dear Jane,

I am so pleased that you are happy with the report and that you wish to continue the research with another session. I will I let you know when your check arrives. Thank you!

Nancy

---- Original Message ----
From: jane
To: Nancy Carter Moore
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2004 8:16 PM
Subject: HILL research

Dear Nancy,
I received your e-mail and the report. Thank you for such a clear report!

Under separate cover I am sending you a check for $300 for the next leg of the research. The will (and any estates papers) for Robert Hill and/or Mary (Webb) Hill should help with our search.

I would also ask that you proceed with the 1,2,3 steps that you suggested in your letter.

I have not mentioned the church records. Do you know if any of those early baptisms have survived? If so, will you have a chance to search them?

One more thing; the date you give for Boddie is not the same as the date I have for the incoming of Robert into Isle of Wight County. My source is: *CAVALIERS AND PIONEERS Abstracts of Virginia Land Patents*

1623 - 1800. Volume one. Nell Marion Nugent, abstractor and editor. 1934.
140 is the entry: Francis England, 746 acres. Isle of Wight Co., June 20 1642. Page 857. Adj. Pearce [sic]. Trans. of 15 pers; Robert Hill, Mary his wife, John Powell, Eliza Webb, Sarah England, Jon. Sykes, Robert Davis, Hugh Brent, Edward Palmer, Jon. Acton, Thomas Coggin, James Alexandria his wife.

copy in my home library and wondered if you have a copy or if you have access to it.
not, I will make copies of some of the INDEX and of the pages for the Hills and for the Webbs. I may prove beneficial for our search.
believe Robert and Mary (Webb) Hill had more children than Robert and Scion, and I want to all of them. Somehow, we must make contact between Robert and Mary and our old William Hill -1840). The DNA tests say my sons are direct descendants of Robert and Mary Webb, but just the problelm.
thank you for your report and work and I will be back in touch.
Smith Hill

[illegible] Phillips [illegible] great Bible. To Mary and Sarah, Baker each a Testament as they are marked. To Joseph Ford, son of Edward Ford, my gun and London Bible, one cow. To Joseph Richardson, Junior, Joseph Ware and Thos. Parker each Bibel Clasp't. To Robert Sutpork one cow. Rest of estate to be equally divided between wife, Mary, and her son and daughter, William and Mary. Wife Exerx. 30 Apr., 1702. Prob.: 6 July, 1703. Wit: Hen. Baker, Thomas Drew. Book 6, p. 286.

FOREMAN, William: Est.- 3 Nov., 1703. Robert Warren, Joseph Proctor, William Browne, Jr. Book 5, p. 295.

FORMAN, William: Leg.- To Benjamin Foreman 50 acres of land I bought of Luke Meazle att Blackwater, if no heirs to the College of William and Mary -- forever. Gives to trust in his friend Capt. Wm. Browne the care of my wife, Hester, for maintenance and at her death estate, personal and real to him. Capt. Wm. Browne and wife Exers. 2 Jan., 1701/2. Prob.: 5 Jan., 1702. Wit: John Hatch, Ben. Ferribee, Sion Hill. Book 5, p. 262.

FORT, Elias: Est.- Elizabeth Fortt, admrx. Signed: Wm. Rose, John Sowerby, Nicholas Prockter. 20 May, 1724. Book 7, p. 535.

FORT, Elias: Est.- By Eliza. Bynam. 21 July, 1725. Book __, p. 593.

FORT, Elias: Leg.- To son, John Fort, the tract of Land and Plantation which he now possesses with one negro. To Holiday Fort all that Tract of land and Plantation where I live and one negro, and at his decease to his Eldest daughter and her heirs, also grind stone and stilyard. To my grandson, John Fort, all my land lying upon John Shehawkin Swamp where William Fitchett now lives. To my Daughter, Phillis Pennington and her heirs negro boy, and then to her eldest daughter. To daughter, Mary Foster, negro girl and to her Eldest daughter. To daughter, Alice Foster, negro boy for her life then to eldest daughter. To daughter, Faith King, negro boy. To wife, Sarah Fort, all goods and chattels. 30 Sept., 1732. Prob.: 19 Mar., 1739. Wit: Jno. Chapman, John Bynum, Jos. Andrews. Book 9, p. 135.

FORT, John: Leg.- To son, Thomas Fort, my land belonging to my Plantation and the remainder to my son, Richard Fort. My house I now live in I give to my son, Thomas Fort, and the land about it and the remainder of my land I give to son, Richard Fort, to be equally divided. To my son George Fort, bed and furniture. To son, Elias Fort, a cow. To daughter, Hannah Phillips, a cow. To daughter, Mary, 5 shillings. To daughter, Sarah, 5 shillings. To son, John Fort, 5 shillings. To son, William) 5 shillings. To son-in-law, John Phillips, the care of my two sons, Richard and Thomas Fort, until they are of age. Remainder of estate to

FOSTER, Ann: Leg.- Two youngest sons, Robert and Thomas Hewes, all my estate except clothes. Two daughters, Eliza. and Ann, clothes. None, Exers. 23 Mar., 1707. Prob.: 20 Mar., 1711. Wit: Thos. Lane, Jr., Jean Lane. Book 6, p. 48.

FOSTER, Christopher: Leg.- To my Eldest son, John Foster, my Plantation which I now live one, with all land thereto belonging. To my youngest son, Christopher Foster, my Plantation which I bought of Abraham Evans near the Blackwater Swamp. All the rest of my estate in general to be divided between and among my wife and four children, Jno. Foster, Christopher Foster, Faith Foster, and Eliza Foster. Wife, Elizabeth Foster, and her Father, Mr. John Barker, Exers., jointly of my Will and Test. Whereas the Upper part of this Will hath been long made and it hath pleased God to Bless me with three children, more or less: Grace, Robert, and Fortune Foster. They to have equal part with my wife and four children above named for personall estate and gives Robert Foster all that part of land above given to son, Christopher, which lyeth on East side of the Branch Called Cattail Branch to Robert Foster, it having been given to son, Christopher, not with standing. To Wife, Elizabeth Foster, bed I die on and rest of will as written. Son, John, have all rest of land on Nottoway River and he pay charges out of his own part. 27 Mar., 1710/11. Prob.: 18 July, 1718. Wit: Edward Bagley, Thos. Andrews. Book 6, p. 72.

FOSTER, George: Leg.- To wife, Ann, all that part of estate now in her possession. To son, William and his heirs, all my housing and land, and all other part and parcell of my estate and my debts and ye rent of my mill only exceped and it is my Will and Desier ye my son, Thomas, be Religiously brought up in the feare of the Lord by my son, William, and that learn him to right and read and cast up account and to give him at 21 a feather bed and bonester, my cows, horses, etc. Debts due him be divided between wife and sons, William and Thomas and two daughters, Eliza. and Mary. Son, William, Exer. 16 Dec., 1697. Prob.: 4 Jan., 1697. Wit: Thos. Crus, William Gray, John Fitchett. Book 5, p. 148.

FOSTER, William (Capt.): Leg.- To son, Henry Foster, my Plantation where I now live with all land thereto belonging and three negroes, bed, furniture, cows and carbine. To daughter, Mary Foster, bed and furniture and two negroes, cows. All rest of estate to be divided between my two children, Henry and Mary, when of lawfull age or married. My wearing clothes to my brother, Thomas Foster and makes him Exer. 13 Feb., 1720/21. Prob.: 19 Apr., 1721. Wit: Nich. Maget, Thos. Cruse, Sam. Alsobrook. Book 7, p. 327.

FOX, George: Est.- Francis Maybury. 19 Aug., 1719. Signed: Nich. Maget, John Tyus. Book 7, p. 208.

FRANCIS, Henry: Petition of Henry Francis to the Rt. Hon. Sr.

HODGOOD, Francis: Leg.- Mentions four children, Richard, William, George, and Daughter, Frances. Gives them his personal estate. Mentions sister Mary Crede, gives her silver bodkin, to his daughter a gold ring. Friend, Lt. Coll. Jorden to take son, George, into his care and care of his Godmother, Mary Rome?. 3 Jan., 1676. Prob.: 18 May, 1677. Wit: George Jordan, Thos. Flood. Book 2, p. 122.

HOGOOD, George: Leg.- Wife, Ann Hogood, Sons, Francis and Richard Hogood, estate to children equally divided. Sons, George and John Hogood, Exers. 20 Dec., 1727. Prob.: 17 Jan., 1727. Wit: Wm. Rookings, Thos. Clarke. Book 7, p. 781.

HOGWOOD, Richard: Est.- 21 June, 1679. Signed: Wm. Browne, Benj. Harrison. Book 2, p. 222.

HOLLEMAN, John: Leg.- To my three sons, Henry, Robert and John Holleman, the tract of land and I now live on, 368 acres, to be divided by three Neighbors whom they may select. To my youngest son, Mathew Holleman, about seventeen pounds of cash money. To my four sons each a cow & calf. To my daughter, Martha Holleman a cow. The remainder of my estate to my wife, Mary Holleman, and makes her Exer. Made 18 Sept., 1736. Prob.: 20 Oct., 1736. Wit: Absalom Atkinson, Wm. Pittman, Benj. Pittman. This will presented by Josias John Holleman, next of kin, admr. Bk. 8, p. 634.

HOLLEMAN, Joseph: Est.- By Unity Messer, formerly Holliman, Robt. Messer. 18 Oct., 1732. Signed: Jas. Washington, Ed. Bailey. Book 8, p. 239.

HOLLEMAN, Mary: Leg.- To my son, John Holleman my still, horse, saddle, bridle & all the Horse Arms I leave to my son, John Holleman, and make him my Exer. The residue of my estate to be equally divided amongst my children, John, Robert & Martha Holleman. Wit: Absalom Atkinson, Wm. Pittman. 7 Oct., 1730. Prob.: 20 Oct., 1730. Bk. 8, p. 635.

HOLLEMAN, William: Est.- By Marie Holliman. 2 Jan., 1704. Signed: Joseph Lane, Robert Hill, Joseph Wall. Book 5, p. 328.

HOLLEMAN, William: Leg.- To my Brother, Thomas Holleman, the land and Plantation where Joseph Hargrave now lives, if no heirs then to my Brother, Samuell Holleman. To my Brother, Richard Holleman the rem. of my estate, and my gun, sword, etc. Makes Thos. Holleman, Exer. Wit: Nich. Maget, Wm. Browne, Jr., Nath. Davis. 26 Dec., 1728. Prob.: 19 Mar., 1728. Book 7, p. 911.

HOLT, Elizabeth: Leg.- To Charles Holt, son of my son John Holt, deceased, 2 cows. To Joseph Holt, son of above

HOLT, Elizabeth: Leg.- To daughter, Tapphenas Newsom a gound, and petticoat. To daughter, Ann Holt, 2 cows. Dau. Mary Holt, 10 pounds money, chest, pewter dishes, bed, etc. To son, Charles Holt one negro, and all the rest of my est. and makes him Exer. 13 June, 1737. Prob.: 21 Sept., 1737. Wit: Wm. Edwards, Mary Piland. Book 8, p. 729.

HOLT, John: Leg.- To son, Thomas Holt, my Land on the South side of Nottoway River & 100 pounds money, 21 years old. To my daughters, Mary & Elizabeth, when 21 years old, or married. Rest of my est. to my son, John. Brothers, Joseph Holt & Charles Binns to assist the Exer. Son, John, Exer. Wit: Thos. Holt, Edwards Taylor, Rob. Martiall, Christ Clinch. Made: 19 July, 1723. Prob.: 18 Dec., 1723. Book 7, p. 491.

HOLT, Randall: Leg.- To my eldest son, John Holt, all my land, if he die under age, to go to my son, William Holt. If he die, to my son, Thomas Holt. Mentions wife and six children (does not name them). Makes wife & son, John Exers. 2 7br, 1679. Wit: John Moyer, Jno. Goring. Bk. 2, p. 223.

HOLT, Thomas: Leg.- To Daughter, Elizabeth Cocke, wife of Nicholas Cocke, ten shillings. To daughter, Mary, wife of Wm. Hansford, one negro. To granddaughter, Martha Hansford, one negro. To daughter, Katherine, wife of Thos. Cocke, 5 shillings. To Martha, wife of Mr. John Newsum, one negro. Daughter, Lucy Holt, horse, saddle, bridle, etc. Sons, Henry & James, each one negro. To wife -- (Remainder of will illegible). Prob.: 17 Mar., 1730. Wit: Timothy Tharp, Charles Barham, Samson Wilson. Will presented in Court by wife, mary Holt. Book 8, p. 86.

HOLT, Thomas (Capt.): Est.- 20 Oct., 1736. Mary Holt, Exer. Signed: James Ingles. Book 8, p. ___.

HOLT, William: Leg.- p To son, William Holt my Troopers Arms. To son, Thomas Holt all of my land on the South side of Nottoway River where he now lives. To dau. Sarah 5 shillings. To daughters, Tapphanas Newsum, Elizabeth, Ann & Mary and son Charles the rem. of est. to be equally divided. Makes wife Exer. (Wife was Elizabeth Holt.) Wit: John Ruffin, John Friday. 28 Sept., 1725. Prob.: 18 May, 1726. Book 7, p. 637.

HORTON, Daniel: Est.- By Martha Horton. 18 June, 1718. Signed: John Weaver, Nich. Partridge, Giles Underhill, Wm. Thomas, Jno. Nich. Simmons. Book 7, p. 125.

HORTON, Thomas: Leg.- To daughter, Elizabeth Barrow 5 shillings. To daughter, Mary Proctor, 5 shillings. To daughter, Ann Rose, my plantation & all Land thereto belonging and all goods and chattels, and makes her Exerx. Wit:

John Watling, Susan Featherstone. Made: 6 June, 1711. Prob.: 15 Feb., 1715. Book 6, p. 260.

MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- To son, Francis Maybury, land bought of John Freeman and recorded in Charles Citty County, and land bought of Thos. Busby, and recorded in said county. To son, George Maybury, 125 acres of land on Horn Branch of Three Creeks. To sons, Charles and Hanchey Maybury, 400 acres of land on Fountain Creek, to be equally divided. To daughter, Ann Peoples, one ewe. To daughter, Mary Fox, one ewe. To daughter, Judith Maybury one ewe. To wife, Elizabeth, the Indian slaves Robbin and Jack, and the rest of my estate, and makes her Exerx. Wit: Thos. Wynne, Henry Bedingfield, Robert Wynne. Made: 22 March, 1711/12. Prob.: 18 June, 1714. Book 6, p. 106.

MAYBURY, Francis: Leg.- Wife, Eleanor, Exerx. Mentions sons, William and Francis. Wife to have Plantation for life, then to son Francis. William to have land on Three Creeks, Isle of Wight Co., and 250 acres in Surry Co. 12 Jan., 1728. Prob.: 19 Feb., 1728. Wit: Chris Tatum, Hancha Maybury. Book __, p. 892.

MAYO, James: Est.- By Henry Harrison. 14 Feb., 1725. Signed: Robt. Hicks, Arthur Kavenaugh, Thos. Avent. Bk. 7, p. 395.

MEADE, William: Est.- Honour Meade (wife) and John Pulister, & Wm. Jackson, administrators of Est. of William Meade. 6 June, 1696. Signed: John Edwards, Ann Edwards. Book 5, p. 95.

MEAZEL, Luke: Est.- On back of the Inventory was written that Elizabeth, wife to Robert Hill, appeared in Court and swore to Inventory. 6 Oct., 1694. Signed: Robert Hill, Eliza. Hill. Book 5, p. 7.

MEAZLE, Luke: Nuncupative Will. Bequest to daughter Elizabeth, after decease of wife. Mentions daughter, Sarah. 4 July, 1693. Wit: Thos. Smith, John Greene, Eliza. Binam. Book 4, p. 308.

MEEDS, Honour: Est.- 12 May, 1711. By John Bruce. Signed: John Hancocke, Jonathan Cocke. Book 6, p. 57.

MEGARETY, Patrick: Est.- Mary Megarety, admrx. 16 Feb., 1725. Signed: Nicholas Maget, John Newsum. Book 7, p. 625.

MERIWEATHER, Francis: Est.- Nicholas Meriweather was granted administration on the estate of his brother, Fra. Meriweather. Signed: at James Citty by the Governor. 14 June, 1676. Book 2, p. 117.

MERIWEATHER, William: Est.- Capt. Francis Clements and Elizabeth, his wife, and Nicholas Meriweather applied for administration on the estate. Elizabeth and Nicholas, sister and brother of said deceased. 21 April, 1695.

MIDDLETON, George: Est.- By Katherine Middleton. 4 July, 1710. Signed: Robert Ruffin, John Simmons. Book 6, p. 19.

MIDDLETON, Thomas: Est.- Wm. Edwards, Sheriff. 13 Sept., 1725. Signed: Richard Lewis, Charles Lucas, Jos. Nicholson. Book 7, p. 604.

MILES, John: Est.- Alice Miles, admrx. of John Miles, deceased. 4 Jan., 1697. Signed: Hart. Ellis, Thos. Tynes. Book 5, p. 154.

MITCHELL, Robert: Est.- Mary Mitchell, admrx. 21 Dec., 1726. Signed: John Brown, John Davis, Thomas Sessom. Book 7, p. 670.

MIZELL, Luke: Est.- 21 9br, 1673. John Smith, who married Deborah, relict and Exerx. of Luke Mizell, makes account of estate. Account allowed by Court for Skilltimber's child. Balance of estate divided between John Smith and Luke Mizell, orphant. Book 2, p. 39.

MONK, Richard: Leg.- Mentions wife, and son-in-law, Robert Hunnicutt. Appoints Oysteen? Hunnicutt and Robert Crafford overseers of will. Made 1 March, 1687/8. 29 May, 1688. Wit: Nicholas Smith, Robert Crafford. Book 4, p. 42.

MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Alice Moore. 23 Nov., 1720. Signed: John Davis, Thomas Davis. Book 7, p. 348.

MOORE, Richard: Est.- By Charles Kimball and Alice Kimball admr. and admrx. 16 Aug., 1727. Signed: Wm. Gray, LDeloney. Book 7, p. 751.

MOORE, Tristam: Est.- Late of Isle of Wight County. Boaz Little, and Ann Little, admr. 16 Feb., 1742. Bk. 9, p. 426.

MOORE, William: Leg.- To son, William Moore all the Land from the upper side of Old Field, where Capt. Thos. Wynne formerly lived, to Capt. Robert Wynne's, and John Robards, etc. Mentions grandsons, William, Francis, Daniel, Richard Eppes and gives each a cow, and same to granddaughter, Sarah Eppes. To Grandsons, Robert Pettaway, Wm. Pettaway, John Pettaway, each a cow. To granddaughters, Ann & Selah Pettaway each a cow, also Granddaughter Phebe Pettaway. Daughter, Mary Pettaway & daughter, Elizabeth Pettaway. Daughter, Susannah Eppes. Mentions wife, Elizabeth Moore, and wife's seven children. Son, William & wife, exers. 4 April, 1744. 18 July, 1744. Wit: Chris. Tatum, Geo. Rives, Richard Rives. Book 9, p. 476.

MORELAND, Bartlett: Leg.- To daughter, Mary Moreland, the land in York County that came to me by marriage with my first wife, and to be in care of Jane Hunniford, wife of Hugh Hunniford, untill eighteen years old. Mentions wife, Elizabeth, and two daughters, Mary and Lucy Moreland. Wit: Thos. Holt, Wm. Gray, Wm. Hurdle. Made: 9 July, 1725. Prob.: 18 Aug., 1725. Book 7, p. 595.

MORELAND, Bartlett: Est.- Returned by James Vaughan, who married ye Exrx. of Bartlett Moreland's estate. 17 Sept., 1729. Signed: Henry Brown, Thomas Edmunds. Book 9, p. 971.

MORELAND, Edward: Leg.- To eldest son, Bartlett Moreland 20 shillings. To wife, one negro. Bequests to son, Edward and Daughter, Mary. To daughters, Ann & Elizabeth a ring each. Mentions seven children: Thomas, Elizabeth, Mary, Ann, Edward, Martha and Katherine. Makes wife, Exerx. and gives to her and to the seven children all the estate in Virginia and elsewhere. Friends, Robert Ruffin and William

[illegible] Ann, Wife, Exerx. Wit: Hugh Ivey, Thos. Ivey. Made: 27 Dec., 1749. Prob.: 18 Dec., 1750. Book 9, p. 674.

SLEDGE, Mary: Leg.- Makes small bequests to son, John Sledge; daughter Rebecka Ivie, granddaughter, Judith Ellison, when the latter is 21 years old. Gives daughter, Martha Hay, all the rest of the estate; makes son-in-law, Peter Hay, Exer. Made: 8 Jan., 1726/7. Prob.: 17 July, 1728. Wit: Edward Prince, Eliza. Prince, Thos. Hay. Bk. 7, p. 826.

SMITH, John: Leg.- To George Williams 200 lbs. of tobacco. To my son, John Smith, my Plantation, a small gun, etc. If son die, then to George Williams, and makes latter Exer. Prob.: 23 July, 1679. Wit: William Thompson, Sion Hill. Book 2, p. 224.

SMITH, John: Est.- 20 June, 1689. By Mary Smith, Exerx. and Relict. Book 4, p. 114.

SMITH, John: Est.- By Samuel Thompson. 18 Apr., 1711. James Jones, Edward Rowell, David Burnett. Margarett Patrick swore to Inventory of est. she being admr. of the est. John Smith swore to same. Book 6, p. 50.

SMITH, John: Est.- By Patrick Magarity. 20 Mar., 1716. Mich. Harris, Wm. Edwards, Jr. Book 7, p. 53.

SMITH, John: (Verbal Will) Sister, Mary, is already taken care of, therefore give her nothing. Brother, Samuel, is likely to be a lusty man, and work for his living, therefor gives him some small memento as David Burnett thinks fit. To sisters, Elizabeth and Sarah, all the rest of the estate to be equally divided. Signed by Samuel Thompson. 15 June, 1720. Wit: David Burnett, Mary Magarety, Massy Rowell. Book 7, p. 273.

SMITH, Nicholas: Leg.- To son, Nicholas Smith, five shillings, and what he owes me. To son, John Smith 50 acres of land.. upon Cross Swamp, where he first built. To son, Lawrence Smith, bridle and saddle. To son, William Smith my Plantation and Land where I now live, houses, orchards etc. and if no heir then to grandson, Arthur Smith, the son of my son, John Smith. To daughter, Mary, a feather bed etc. Makes son, William, Exer. Wit: Zacharia Madderra, John Deberry, Priscilla Madderra. Made: 18 Feb., 1718/19. Prob.: 18 Nov., 1719. Book 7, p. 227.

SMITH, Richard: Leg.- To wife, Mary Smith, my whole est. and make her Exerx. To Elizabeth Boun and Richard Sessoms each a cow. To son, Richard Smith, the Plantation I live on at my wife's decease. To sons, Thomas Smith and Nicholas Smith, the land where Thomas Smith now lives. The rest of est. to wife, Mary. Wit: Will. Davidson, Robert Booth. Made: 24 Feb., 1712. Prob.: 20 May, 1713. Bk. 6, p. 144.

SMITH, Thomas, Sr.: Leg.- To my sons, Thomas Smith and George Smith, my estate to be equally divided. Makes son, Thos. Exer. Made: 29 Sept., 1722. Prob.: 20 Feb., 1722. Wit: Harmon Horn, Wm. Bynum. Book 7, p. 441.

SNELGROVE, Henry: Est.- Appraised by Chris. Tatum, Peter Tatum,

[illegible] Francis Sowerby; John Doby; admr. 24 Feb., 1720. Book 7, p. 544.

SNIPES, Robert: Est.- By Henry Harrison, Gent., admr. 19 April, 1721. Nich. Maget, Robt. Watkins, John Watkins. Book 7, p. 331, p. 425. Due to the orphans of Melchideck Duche.

SNOW, Josiah: Est.- 5 Nov., 1709. Francis Sowerby, Thos. Collier, Amos Tynes. Book 5, p. 436.

SOLOMON, Lewis: Leg.- To son, William my great coat. To son, Lewis, the rest of my wearing apparel. To daughter, Mary Hill, 20 shillings due from Nathaniel Hawthorne, 100 weight of tob. etc. Daughter, Martha Solomon the rest of my est. Wife, Martha, Exerx. Wit: Thomas Avent, John Avent, Wm. Barlow. Made: 11 Dec., 1742. Prob.: 20 July, 1743.

SOWERBY, Francis: Est.- 11 Aug., 1680. John Vincent, surety for orphans with Jno. Moring, Daniel Room. Wit: Thomas Jordan, Wm. Edwards. Book 2, p. 8.

SOWERBY, Francis: Married Mary, daughter of Thomas Jordan, and with Jane Jordan and himself, petitions the provisions of George Jordan's will, carried out by Thomas Jordan. 5 Nov., 1700. Book 5, p. 213.

SOWERBY, Francis: Leg.- To my son, Francis Sowerby my old Plantation where my father formerly lived, with houses etc. extending from a Red Oak that divides my line and Thomas Collier's land..to Poplar Branch..to Regan's line. To wife, Mary, half the profit of Fruit trees etc. Wife, Mary to have the use of the Plantation, not to sell timber until son, William, is 21 years old, then wife to have one-third for her life. To son, William, the Plantation I live on, except the part to son, Francis, and to heir at 21 years old. Rem. of est. to wife and sons. Wit: Thos. Collier, Richard Rose, Edward Baley, Jr. Made: 12 Sept., 1716. Prob.: 15 May, 1717. Book 7, p. 60.

SOWERBY, Francis: Est.- 19 June, 1723. John Tyus, admr. Thos. Collier, Henry Watkins, Richard Rose. Book 7, p. 453.

SOWERBY, James: Est.- 24 Jan., 1678. Ann Sowerby, admr. Book 2, p. 195.

SOWERBY, James: Est.- By Ann Sowerby. Paid Thos. Sowerby, Jno. Moring, Mr. Thos. Jordan, Nath. Roberts, Wm. Edwards. 1678. Book 2, p. 263.

SOWERBY, John: Leg.- To son, Benjamin, the Land, 120 acres on the south side of Chongsharkin Swamp, called Muddy Branch ad. Wm. Ray, also my gun and sword. To wife, Liddia, the use of my Plantation for her life, at her decease to son, Henry. To daughter, Sarah Owen one cow. To daughter, Jane Deberry, one cow. To daughter, Elizabeth, a cow. To daughter, Mary, trunk, bed and furniture. To granddaughter Anne Sowerby, 20 shillings to teach her to read. Wife to have rem. of estate, and makes her Exerx. Wit: Thos. Sowerby, Nicholas Prockter. Made: 2 Jan., 1726/7. Prob.: 19 July, 1727. Book 7, p. 748.

SOWERBY, Margaret: Married John Battell, the latter has received of John Allen 980 pounds of tobacco 7 caskes, being

the whole est. due her, and now John Battell discharges him from all claims. 1 July, 1684. Book 3, p. 2.

SOWERBY, Samuel: Est.- By Jean Sowerby. 18 May, 1743. Book 9, p. 434.

SOWERBY, Thomas: By his will made his Relict, Ann Sowerby Exer. of his estate. Ann Sowerby since married to James Jordan. Now James Jordan and wife, Ann, ask for admr. on Thos. Sowerby's est. 9 July, 1696. Book 5, p. 110.

SOWERBY, Thomas: Est.- 19 Mar., 1719. John Tyus, Mary Tyus. Book 7, p. 264.

SPENSER, Robert: Est.- To daughter, Elizabeth Spenser, land at Blackwater, Surry County (not of age). To daughter, Ann, sheep given daughter, Elizabeth, by Capt. George Watkins, deceased, and spoons, bought of Mr. Place, and chest that came from Accomack..fine thread now aboard Capt. Lavemar's shipp, and be in care of friend, Wm. Edwards, until she is married. Godsons, Henry Browne and James Mason. To Jonas Bennett, his Exers. and administrators. To Martha Whittson, my grandshild, due her from the estate of her deceased father, John Whitson, and cows due from Roger Archer and to remain with the same, he giving bond to Martha Whitson. To William Browne, to Wm. Edwards. To wife, Jane, my land, and makes her Exerx. To wife, Jane, my land, and makes her Exerx. Wit: George Lee, Jno. Phillips (Scotchman), Jane Plow. Made: 5 March, 1678. Prob.: 6 May, 1679. Book 2, p. 207.

SPENSER, Robert (Capt.): Est.- Signed: Jane Jordan, wife to Thomas Jordan, swears it is a true Inventory. 22 7br, 1681. Robt. Ruffin, Wm. Newsum, Jno. Prise, Wm. Gray. Book 2, p. 292.

SPENSOR, Jno.: Est.- 25 Jan., 1675. Thomas Clay, and Elizabeth, his wife, aged 32 years, made deposition on 27 Dec., last that Mr. Jno. Spensor of Lawnes Creek Parish, lay sick at Wm. Hancocke's house and Deponent asked him how he would dispose of his estate, and he said he would leave what he had to his sisters, Mary and Elizabeth. Book 2, p. 104.

SPILTIMBER, ____: Est.- 1 July, 1679. Joseph Rogers, John Phillips. Book 2, p. 19.

SPILTIMBER, Anthony: Leg.- To wife, Mary and daughter, Patte, my cattle, equally divided. Bequest to servant, Richard Tias. Land to be equally divided between my brother, John, and my daughter, Martha, my wife having her third during her life. My daughter, not of age, to be brought up by her brother and wife. Tobacco is owing by Capt. Jennings and by Culbert Flake. Mr. William Thomas to assist my wife and my brother concerning my estate. If my daughter, Martha, dies before coming of age, my brother, John, to have her part. Exers., my wife and my brother, John Spiltimber. Wit: Wm. Hill, George Williams, John Brodie. Made: 30 Mar., 1672. Prob.: 7 May, 1672. Book 2, p. 11.

SPILTIMBER, John: Est.- Eliza. C. Hill made oath of the Inventory of John Spiltimber and signed. 20 July, 1677. Geo. Proctor, Samuel Pla, Geo. Williams, Thos. King. Book 2, p. 139.

SPISPITTLESS, James: Leg.- To Capt. Stith Bolling, my riding horse to be sold for use of daughter, Jane Bolling. My three best suits of clothes to be sold by my friend, Henry Watkins. To goddaughter and cousin, Hannah Pulley. To my brother, Wm. Pulley the rest of my estate not already given away, after my debts are paid. Prob.: 21 April, 1725. Wit: Thos. Collier, Robt. Watkins. Book 7, p. 580.

SPRATLEY, John: Leg.- All my estate in James Citty County to be equally divided between my three grandchildren, William, John and Eliza. Spratley & Mary Saunders, daughter of Mr. Robert Saunders, of Williamsburg, except two cows, I give to Mary, the wife of Thomas Huse, and a horse to my wife. To my grandson, John Spratley, all the land I have in Surry County, after my wife's death. If he live to 18 years, to have his inheritance; one of my Plantations, my wife is to let him have, and one negro, and all money made on the Plantation where Mr. Proctor lives, and be used for schooling of said grandson, John Spratley. To granddaughter, Eliza., one negro; but wife to have use of the negro for her life. To my daughter-in-law, Mary Spratley, five pounds. To Thos. Huse forty shillings. To kinsman, Robert Saunders, forty shillings. To grandson, John Spratley, a silver headed cane. To daughter-in-law, Mary Spratley, 14 pounds that her husband, John Spratley owes me on what I am indebted to Maj. Blair. Wife to sell negroes and divide the money between my grandsons, John Spratley, and Wm. Spratley. Wife, Phillis, and Nicholas Maget, Exers. Made: 28 April, 1728. Prob.: 16 Oct., 1728. Wit: John Manggum, Sarah Savidge, Thos. Francis. Book 7, p. 867.

STANTON, James: Leg.- To son, James Stanton, housing and land and eight pewter plates, chafing dish, large chest, couch etc. To daughter, Mary Stanton, a feather bed, doz. Pewter plates, one quart tankard, three pewter dishes, porringer etc. To daughter, Ann Stanton, three pewter dishes, one doz. plates, bed etc. and all the remainder of est. to be equally divided between my three children, James, Mary and Ann. Makes son, James, Exer. Wit: Elizabeth Browne, Mary Stanton, Ann Stanton. Made: 14 July, 1719. Prob.: 16 Sept., 1719. Book 7, p. 215.

STEPHENS, Edward: Est.- 2 May, 1740. Rebecah Stephens, admr. Christ. Tatum, Wm. Shands, Robert Doby. Book 9, p. 251.

STEPHENS, Edward: Est.- 15 April, 1741. Benjamin Moss and Rebekah Moss, admrs. Sam. Weldon, James Washington. Book 9, p. 302.

STEWARD, John: Leg.- To son, John the Plantation I live on after my wife's death, but if no heirs to my son, William Steward. To son, William, one-half the tract of land where I dwell, likewise part of same to him. To daughter, Margaret Steward, my Plantation at Otterdam Swamp, where Walter Cotton liveth, with 135 acres of land, one mare, cows, etc. To daughter, Mary, the lowermost part of my land at Otterdam Swamp, adjoining with Wm. Killingsworth, his line and 135 acres of land. Rem. of estate to wife, Margaret, with Plantation where I dwell, for her life. Made: 5 Jan., 1704. Prob.: 8 Nov., 1705. Wit: Rich. Holleman, John Yorke, John Baker. Book 5, p. 338.

STOKES, Silvanus: Leg.- To eldest son, Jonas Stokes, my Plantation, grist mill, mill stones, and 565 acres of land,

Higham, Indian, 13
Hill, (?), 64
Col., 16, 44
Maj., 12, 74
Mr., 89
Edward, 11, 37
Col. Edward, 56
George, 69
Hannah, 19
Harman, 77
Harmon, 55
Jane, 100
Mary, 57
Matthew, 19
May, 79
Nicholas, 12, 17, 57, 58, 64, 79
Maj. Nicholas, 64
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Matt Swann	Jno. Barnes
Wm. Hancock	Wm. Tooke
Robt. Lacy	Jno. Gregory
Tho. Clay	Michael Upchurch
Jno. Sheppard	Geo. Peeters
Wm. Little	Jno. Greene
James Chissell	

They not being satisfied with their former unlawfull meeting did the greatest part of them, this day meete together in ye old field called ye Dwell's field & did confederate to not discover who were first Instigators of them & have agreed to persistin ye same as appears by open declaring of Roger Delk that if one suffers they would burn all, so have committed the aforesd persons to custody of Sheriff until they find Security for their appearance at next County Court, etc.

Page 41. 3 Jan. 1673/4. James Ghissett & thirteen others this day at house of Capt. Law. Baker summoned to give acct of their riotous assembling at ye church of Lawn's Creek on 12th of br (sic) last; says he came of his own simple head & invited Geo. Peeter to the meeting.

Roger Delke appeared on complaint of Wm. Sherwood sub Sheriff of this county: this day said we will (spoken in a terrifieing manner) burn all before one shall suffer. Said they met at the Church by reason their taxes were so unjust would not tell who invited him & Cyder which they never had.

Others agreed except Michael Upchurch. Robt Lacy said Wm. Hancock carried him to meeting at Dwell's field said he was at meeting at church & Jno. Sheppard told him of it. Jno. Gregory acknowledged he was at church; that heard at Samuell Cornell's by Samuell Haydon that the levies were unreasonable & there would be a meeting to redress them. Tho. Clay said Wm. Hancock told him there was a warrant out for him & was also the first that told him that the levies were unreasonable & about meeting. He was at the church. Wm. Hancock was at meeting at the church, but was very obstinate about who told him, etc.

George Peeters was at Church meeting, that James Chissett that morning asked him to go to the church to the meeting. Michll Upchurch was at meeting at Church, but tells no more. Mathew Swann was at the Church 12th br (sic) last; meeting was to agree about redress from their taxes, when asked how he knew their taxes were unreasonably laid said Mr. Mason told him & also Mr. Goring. Said Mr. Goring said he would be at meeting if he did not go from Home, Obstinate about lawfulness of meeting & that all or most of ye County were of his minde.

3 Jan. 1673/4. Jno. Greene was at meeting at church, denys to declaire who first told him of it. Wm. Little went with Jno. Barnes to Meeting at the Church. Jno. Sheppard was with others who agreed to meet at ye church to be redressed from their levies; said he heard the levies were unjust by Samll. Corneill who was told so by Mr. Holte so Mr. Corneill said).

John Barnes was at the Church; sayd he heard the levies were unreasonable by Every Body. Wm. Tooke was at meeting at Church, denys by whom he first heard levies were unreasonable, etc. Warrant to take them into custody until they give security for their appearance at Ware Neck on Tuesday the 6th inst. at the Court there to keep peace, etc.

Signed: Law. Baker, Robt. Spenser.

Separate Warrant for Roger Delke.

Page 43. 2 Jan. 1673/4. Deps. of Fra. Taylor called before Capt. Law. Baker, Mr. Robt. Caufield, & Capt. Robert Spenser concerning meeting on Fryday, 12th br, 1673, at Lawnes Creek Psh. Church; being at home looked out & espyed Jno. Grigory going thru field; called him & asked him to make me a wastcoate, said he would make me to go to church; great part of parish met this morning concerning the levies; was not concerned being no housekeeper, was going to Mr. Caufield's to make measure of one of his men for his freedom clothes & would hollow for me as he came back. We went together, found about half a score of men setting there, etc. Coll. Swann was to have 5000 lbs. tob. for his trouble; others did not come; resolved to speak about it

next Sabbath being Sermon day said levy only on this parish; in Interim on Saturday, I being at Mr. Sherwood's, asked to see the list of Levy, was on all the County, which I spake of at the Church.

Page 43. 3 Feb. 1673/4. Assignment Coll. Thos. Swann of all interest in Estate as Admr. of Tho. Stevinton to "ye sd Proctor."

Wit.: Jno. Salway, Fra. Summer.

Page 43. 23 Feb. 1673/4. Discharge from Lt/ Coll. Geo. Jordan, Exor. of Tho. Hunt, to Jno. Barnes.

Page 44. 3 March 1673/4. Jno. Barker, Sr., to Jno. Barker, Jr. Whereas my son, Jno. Barker, Jr., did convey to me on 1 8ber 1673 75 acres of land at Mertins Brandon Psh., Chas. Citty Co. (we hath then being of Surry Co.), which land formerly passed unto him by Ann, my wife; now reconveyed to Jno. Barker, Jr., noe pte of the consideration was ever by me performed.

Page 44. Whereas Mrs. Ann Barker, Mother-in-Law to me, Jno. Barker, Jr., conveyed to me 75 acres of land by deed 2 7ber 1673, noe part performed by me of consideration surrender said land to sd Ann; sd land in Martins Brandon. Acknowledged in open court at Southwarke.

Page 44. 10 Jan. 1673/4. Deed from Wm. Sherwood to Coll. Thos. Swann, Esq., for "within mentioned land," written on backside of a deed from Jno. Salway to Wm. Sherwood. Recorded in this court office 8 March 1671.

Wit.: Law. Baker, Chas. Barham, Richd. Welbecke, Fra. Taylor.

Page 45. 3 Feb. 1673/4. Pow. Atty. from Geo. Lee to Mr. Proctor Respects to wife and rest of yr family have reced nootes from Mr. Besse to Mr. Place for his tot, & for Mr. Wenters, & most of rest I shall gett except Crooketts (not this year). Send you bill of Samll. Magetts for £ 1200 tob. and caske; get me an order for it next court, have demanded it several times; promise to pay it to Coll. Jordan but has never done it, etc.

Page 45. 27 7ber 1673. Tho. Ludwell to Justices of Surry Co. yr Clerk Mr. Watkins being dead I could do no less than present ye bearer Mr. Hill to be clerke in his stead because he hath bin so particularly recomended to ye Governors & my care by ye Lord Ffitzharding who hath laid too many obligations on me to denye him any Service & is so ready to advance ye good of this Collony. I suppose he is a Sober man, & I hope will prove able.

14 8ber 1673. When clerke sworne no order to deliver records to him; therefore meet at Mrs. Watkins on Thursday next to see all records & papers delivered to him. Tho. Swann to Capt. Law. Baker, Capt. Robt. Spenser, & Capt. Chas. Barham.

Rect. from Wm. Hill, Clk. of Surry County Court to above gentlemen dated 16th 8ber 1673 for:

1 new book in folio with a leather cover
2 new books in folio covered with parchment
2 old books in folio covered with blue linnen
3 old books in folio without covers being part torne & lost
13 bundles of papers of several concernments as alsoe ye printed & written acts of Assembly.

Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Fra. Meriwether.

Page 46. 3 March 1673/4. Deps. of Wm. Thomson, Jr., aged 16, came to Tho. Worwell's w or 3 days after mischiefe done in my father's tob., saw 1 door down and ye house was hole without any further damage, abt. 800 lbs. of good tob. of ye dep's father in bulke and it was all spoyled.

Teste: Gulielmi Edwards, Cl. Cur., 1673.

Deps. of Wm. Aylett, aged 17. Came to Tho. Worwell's house; heard him say he would turn his cattle in ye tob. house where was Mr. Wm. Thomson's tob., saw door down, etc. Cattle were in, etc.; abt. 800 lbs. of tob. of ye Dep's Masters in ye house.

beginning at a deep valley about 100 yds N. from the foot path from my house to Jno. Bishop's, up the head of the Swamp, S. into the woods E. from place begun at up the deep valley to a hollow run, thence S. into woods parallel thehead of the 1st Southern line on the E. side.
Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Wm. Hill.

Page 66. 8 May 1674. On attachment Ro. Caufield vs Joseph Antrobus, Jno. Salway Subvice comes attached parcel land & housing 12 May.

Page 66. 10 June 1674. On attachment Thos. Crow vs Est. Cornelius Cordipaine attached 11 hogs, shoats, and pigs. 11 June 1674.

Page. No date. Recorded about 9ber 1674. Petition of Robert Lee to the Commissioners of Surry Co. to be released out of Prison; says he was in error.

Page 66. 16 8ber 1674. On backside conveyance land Thos. Busby to Roger Potter recorded 7ber 1671, assigned by Roger Potter to Geo. Midleton "within bill of sale for land."
Wit.: Wm. Rookings and Jno. Mosse.

Page 67. 4 9ber 1674. On backside lease of parcell of land from Geo. Corpe & Gartrid his wife to Tho. Lane recorded 9 May 1674, assigned by Thos. Cane (sic) to Thos. Gibbons.
Wit.: Wm. Sherwood, Wm. Hill.

Page 67. 4th 9ber 1674. Deps. of Wm. Swett aged 37 years says was in company of Jno. Dunstan last May two years, in Wm. Smith's house in Towne & Jno. Dunstan said he had given foale of mare that always came to Mr. Mason's house, to the child of Wm. Smith & asked me to mark it & deliver it to the child for her use & I branded it with Wm. Smith's mark.

Page 67. 3 9ber 1674. Rect. from Jno. Clarke and Wm. Clarke to Edward Warren for full of our whole estates.
Wit.: Wm. Thomson.

Page 67. Continuation indebtedness estate Maj. Wm. Marriott to Mr. Geo. Proctor as marrying the Relict, from p. 37 this book.

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Page 69. 23 Sept. 1674. By Wm. Berkeley, Gov. and Capt. General of Va.; remits fines of Mathew Swan and the other poor men fined in Surry County Court, provided they acknowledge their faults in the county Court.

Page 69. 16 June 1671. On backside Pattent of Mr. Thos. Hunt for 836 acres of land in Surry Co. dated 14 March 1666 was written: the 836 acres taken up and surveyed by Capt. Thos. Flood, decd., and Mr. Arthur Jordan, who at the request of Mr. Tho. Hunt were willing to take out pattent in their own names he paying for survey and patent they reserved to themselves 100 acres to each of them at E. end and the other 636 to Thos. Hunt's, which 200 acres they settled during lifetime, or Mr. Tho. Hunt as his Exor. Geo. Jordan inserts this acknowledgement being his order upon his death bed.
Wit.: Geo. Proctor, Nath. Knight.

Page 69. 5 Jan. 1674/5. Pow. atty. from Thos. Pittman, Sr., to loving friend Wm. Sherwood, to answer or implead in court, etc.

Page 70. 5 Jan. 1674/5. Deed sale from Francis Grey and Mary Grey his wife, planter, to Tho. Crews, planter, for pcell of land called Haystack Neck, near mouth of Grey's Creek, quantity not known, bounded E. by Thos. Grey, S. by Geo. Foster & the sd Thos. Crews & N. by W. by lands of Coll. Thos. Swann, Esq., said land being marked by agreement by both parties.
Wit.: Wm. Thompson, Fran. Sumner.

Page 70. 26 Jan. 1674/5. Acct. of tob. Jno. Dunford has paid for Estate of Jno. Warren more than allowed; to appraisers for a/c James Minsey has us a bill in appraisement & to Dr. Francis Taylor. Total 30 lbs. Bond of Jno. Dunford to Lt. Richd. Skinner and James Griffin for 30,000 lb. tob. convenient to the River for counter security for a bond of even date for estate of Robt. Warren, son of Jno. Warren, dec., of L. C. P.
Wit.: Roger Delk, Wm. Edwards.

Page 70. 4 March 1672/3. Reced. 29 Jan. Jan. 1674/5. Pow. atty. from James James of Chas. Citty Co. to Wm. Sherwood to appear in all suits for him personally or as Exor., Xo. Lewis.

Page 71. 25 Jan. 1674/5. Jeremiah Ellis to Maj. Browne saying he cannot come to Court as his wife is newly brought to bed and now lieth in with none but myself to look to her.

Page 71. 25 Jan. 1674/5. Pow. Atty. Wm. Rookeings to Elias Osborne to confess jmt. to Ri. Hill for 1 Bbl. salt porke etc.
Wit.: Tho. Busby, Tho. Mudgett.

Page 71. 14 Nov. 1674. Pow. Atty. from Thos. Marston to Wm. Sherwood to Collect balance on Wm. Roland's bond.

Page 71. 25 Jan. 1674/5. Pow. Atty. Wm. Nance to Mr. Sherwood to answer suit of Jno. Causey.
Wit.: Edwd. Oliver, Donell Williams.

Page 71. 16 March 1674/5. Report of Will Browne, Rich. Welbecke & Fra. Meriwether in difference between Mr. Jno. Barker and Mr. Richard West; stated a/c Ric. West is Dr. 1674 for several items including tob. sold to Mr. Sam'l. Shrimpton in New England, Hides sold in New England to 4 hamakcoes etc. totaling 58,12,06. He is Cr. with items including "french heeled shoes delivered to Jno. Barker," making of pickle, Joshua Barker's passage to New England and clothing and necessities and for his dyet, washing and lodging from 22 May 1673 until last 8ber 1674 (allowing 11,00,00 for this but could not agree on it) totaling 58,12,06.

Page 71. 15 March 1674/5. Pow. Atty. Will. Rollinson to Elias Osborne in business in Surry Court in this Instant March 16th.
Wit.: N. Wyatt.

Page 72. 28 Jan. 1674/5. Pow. Tho. Hudgett to Elias Osborne to confess jmt. to Coll. Thos. Swann and to Fra. Sowerby.
Wit.: Wm. Rookinge, Jno. Legrande.

Page 72. 16 March 1674/5. Order past us Est. Capt. Geo. Watkin for fees due Wm. Sherwood Sub Sheriff itemized 900 lb. tob. and 20 s.

Page 73. 12 Feb. 1674. Henry Randolph states that Wm. Rookings has in his possession a negro woman, jointly purchased by Jane, the mother of said William, and me, Henry Randolph, the subscriber (now God being pleased to take, William my son to himself), I doe hereby confirm to William and his heirs all my right and title etc. to said negro woman...provided if said Wm. Rookings and his children should dye without heirs, then the whole stock, descending from said negro, return to ye heirs of me ye said Henry ...anything to the contrary notwithstanding.
Signed: Geo. Lee, Wm. Randolph.

Page 73. 16 March 1674/ On back of a sale of land in Surry County, made by Wm. Marrilowe and wife to James Alsope, bearing date 16 Aug. 1670, the original being recorded in this county office. James Alsope and Judith his x wife, for valuable considerations, assigned same to Edmund Howell of Surry County.
Signed: Wm. Edwards, Jno. Salway.

Page not given. 10 Dec. 1675. Richard Hill appoints his friend Jno. King his attorney against William Rookings in a debt to obtain judgment.

Page 102. 26 Jan. 1675. Ann Kersey for love etc. to her son Jno. Kersey binds her son to Richard Brassier as an apprentice until he is 21 years old. Certain provisions are made in this agreement.
Signed: Ann Kersey, Rich. Barker, Geo. Lee, Wm. Edwards.

Page 103. 16 Jan. 1675. Thos. Adams, aged 41, made a deposition concerning Coll. Swann and a sloop, and William Spring. Edward Warren is also mentioned.

Page 105. 24 Jan. 1675. Alexander Davison, planter, makes Adam Tapley his atty. to recover from John Bird all debts, etc.
Signed: Rich. Carlisle, Ann Sizer.
Adam Tapley signed over to Wm. Rookings.

Page 106. 28 March 1676. Jno. Flood acknowledged receipt from Eskiah Bunnell what he had of Jno. Flood that came from Flood's father.
Signed: Jno. King, Ralph Ratchelle.

Page 106. 28 March 1676. Depositions of Margarett Allen, aged 28, concerning Mr. Richard Hill, and Mr. Lee.

Page 106. 10 April 1676. Deposition of Mary Fletcher, aged 28, concerning Mrs. Jane Hill, wife of Richard Hill.

Page 110. 14 Apr. 1676. Jno. Price of Surry Co. sells to Robert Ruffin 300 acres bequeathed to Jno. Price by will and test. of Geo. Watkins, deceased.
Signed: Jno. Price, Mary Price.
Wit.: Edmond Prime, Timothy Walker.

Page 111. 1 Jan. 1672. Thos. Busby, of Surry, moving, sells to Edward Green land on Blackwater Swamp.
Acknowledged in Court 1676.
Wit.: Jno. King, Wm. Nance.

Page 111. 17 April 1676. Thos. King to appear in Court for Thos. Blayton.

Page 111. 23 Feb. 1676. Susanna Jones, being lame, appoints Nicholas Jonson to appear in Court for her against Wm. Newsum.

Page 111. 17 Apr. 1676. Tho. Hone appoints Wm. Edwards his atty.
Wit.: Fra. Mason, Edward Ramsey.

Page 112. 17 April 1676. Martha Williams, widow, testifies to Justices of Surry concerning Capt. Charles Barham & Robt. Caufield on her husband's estate.

Page 112. 5 April 1675. Richard West, of Boston in New England, appoints his friend, Mr. Charles Barham, of Surry County, in James River, Virginia, his attorney to see after bonds and interests.
Wit.: Samuel Swann, Fra. Taylor.

Page 112. 29 April 1676. Ind. between Lawrence Baker and Henry Gray, planter, Capt. Lawrence Baker and wife Elizabeth sell Henry Gray 200 acres on second Blackwater Swamp.
Wit.: Hen. Baker, Jno. Baker.

Page 112. 24 April 1675. Richard Leech owes a debt to Thos. Newhouse.
Wit.: Jno. King, Margaret Ellis.

Page 116. 29 Jan. 1675. Walter Vahan indebted to Wm. Edwards.
Wit.: Law. Mizell, Jno. Bishop.

Page 119. 23 June 1676. Thos. Barlow having to be absent from Court, desires certain transactions done for him, relative to Capt. Pittman, Thos. Gibson, Mr. Mason, and Mr. Salway.

Page 119. 8 Oct. 1675. George Marable of James Citty, gives power of attorney to Wm. Edwards to collect debts.
Geo. Mason, Fra. Mason.

Page 119. 10 Aug. 1676. Mr. Edward, Clerk, is to record a gift from Christopher Lewis, deceased, to Katherine Owen, daughter of Bartholomew Owen.
Signed: Bartholomew Owen.

Page 120. 26 March 1677. The following acknowledged debt to the King, Jno. Clemts, Edward Pettway, Wm. Pettway, Wm. Blunt, Thos. Gibons, Jno. Skelton, Mathew Magnis, Stephen Aston, on penalty of 10,000 pounds sterling to keep the peace.

Page 120. 31 March 1677. Surry County Magistrates (Justices of the Peace), Capt. Law. Baker, Lt. Coll. George Jordan, Capt. Barham, and Mrs. Robert Caufield, Capt. Robert Spenser, Mr. Ben Harrison, Capt. Arthur Allen, and Mr. Fra. Mason.

Page 121. 8 March 1676/7. Richard Lawrence is proclaimed a "Rebell & Traytor," to be fined 2130 lbs. tobacco (estate seized to pay it) by Robert Caufield.

Page 121. 1 May 1677. Deposition of Judith Case, aged 36, Concerning the purchase of a servant girl by Mr. Seward. Servant's name is Margaret, and was formerly owned by Henry Brooks.
John Cary, aged 17, testified to same.

Page 121. Deposition of Obedience Dunn, aged 23, wife of Jno. Dunn, concerning ill treatment by Mr. Geo. Lee, of his maid, Mary Fletcher.

Page 124. 18 May 1676. Will. Thomson of Nansemond County, appoints George Proctor his attorney to collect for Robert House of Surry.

Page 126. Year 1677. Margery Chambers delivers to Charles Jarrett, son of Richard Jarrett, his inheritance.
Margery Chambers, Charles Barham, and Wm. Gray.

Page 124. 20 March 1676. Thomas Senior sells to Wm. Edwards "where I live," 150 acres.
Wit.: Wm. Vicers, Isabell Smith.

Page 124. 2 Sept. 1671. On back of a sale made to Joseph Wall by Phillip Huniford for 200 acres, recorded 2 September 1671, was written in effect this: that Joseph and Susan Wall of Surry sold Richard Jordan, Jr., in Surry, land on Blackwater, 1676.
Wit.: Chris. Holleman, Thomas Pittman, Jr.

Page 127. 15 June 1677. Deposition of Jno. Price, aged 27, in regard to Wm. Chambers' gift to his son William Chambers.
William Kelle, aged 31, testified to same.

Page 127. 15 June 1677. Wm. Carpinder, aged 44, testified that Thos. Hux, Jr., had made a certain gift.

Page 127. 15 June 1677. James Sowerby, aged 66, made deposition concerning John Orchard. Thomas Sidway, aged 22, testified about a conversation with Mary Orchard, now wife of Thomas Hux, Jr.

Page 127. 23 June 1677. Various depositions:
Sarah Austin, aged 21, about conversation between Robert Cuddiford and Mrs. Thompson, a threat.
Robert Austin, aged 35, testified that he and his wife, servants to Mrs. Thompson, testified that he and his wife, were persuaded by Robt. Cuddiford and his present wife to run away to the Southward.

ing to him with all plantation houses, grounds, cattles, hogs, etc.
Wit.: Jno. Board, Sack Brewster.

Page 55. 6 7br 1654. Thos. Culmer empowers Robt. Stanton to acknowledge a a judgment to Jno. Spiltimber and John Bradye for 1472 lbs. of tob. and caskes.

Page 55. 25 July 1654. John Sewell to appear at the next Court to answer such matters as shall be objected against him by Rich: Clarke, and that John Sewell shall be of good behaviour...
Signed: Jno. Sewell, Will. Burchell.

Page 55. 5 7br 1654. Jno. Dobbs builds himself a house of six length of boards with chimney on one side. To make three rooms, 20 ft. wide. Geo. Burcher to raise all the boards. John Dobbs confesses judgment.

Page 56. 25 Sept. 1654. Articles of agreement made & indented the 23rd of Sept. 1654 between Mr. Thos. Warren, Gent., of Smith's Fort in the County of Surry of the one part and Mrs. Elizabeth Sheapard, widdow, of Lower Chippoakes in the aforesaid County of Surry of the other part, before the solemnation of the right of matrimony betwist them.
First, that Mr. Thos. Warren to have and enjoy to his own proper use the estate of Maj. Robert Sheppard, deceased, that is now in possession of the aforesaid Mrs. Elizabeth Sheaperd, Relict of the said Maj. Robert Sheapard, deceased, debts being first paid. Mr. Thos. Warren to pay all debts due the estate. She to dispose of at her pleasure one gold ring, so also a ring with mark, D. S., onepair of silver tongs, with mark R. S., one silver milkhorne? with the mark I. S. She to appoint the overseer of her children's estate, specified in the following articles-Thomas Warren, 29 Sept. 1656, deliver to joint use of Ann Sheapard, John Sheapard, Robert Sheapard, and William Sheapard, certain stock, horse, cattle, etc.
Thos. Warren, 29 Sept. 1656, to give to the proper use of the orphant if orphant should die in nonage...to return to trustees. Thos. Warren to give Priscilla Sheapard and Susan Sheapard, the debt being paid, theire full share, and part of theire father's estate, Mr. Thos. Warren to keep small stocke of Robt. Sheapard given him by his godmother and are recorded, and give due account to the Orphant Ct. yearly. Mr. Thos. Warren to oblige himself to maintain all of the above named children; to give them sufficient education, bed. etc., until they choose guardians, or come to age.
Signed: Thos. Warrings.
Wit.: Edward Folliot (Halliot), Wm. Cockerham.
15 Sept. 1654.

Deposition of Will Gaping, aged 50 years or thereabouts, his wife being at the house of John Fisher, deceased, a little while after sd Fisher died, Thomas Reynolds being there, sd Reynolds demanded satisfaction of the children of sd Fisher for Physicke yt said Reynolds had administered to there father. Mr. Thomas Reinolds, demanding 710 lbs. but they agreed for 500 pounds and caskes, and further sayeth not.
8 die 9br 1654.
Mark of Will Gaping.

Page 57. Whereas Capt. Henerye Browne of the Four Mile Tree, hath let unto Peter Adams his house and 100 acres of land for ten years...to keep him from all suits, etc., and...to enjoy the same.
Will Harman, Geo. Jordan.

Page 57. 5 Oct. 1654. We whose names are subscribed by impanneling of ye Sheriffe, appointed by Mr. Law. Baker, Commissioned to view the corpse of Tobias Swann, servant to Mr. Richard Blunt. We...could not find any sign or impression of blow, of stroke, wrack or bruise, but according to the testimony of Mr. John Corker and Mr. Robt. Stanton, and sworne by Mr. Samuel Baker that the blow from the horse may have caused his death.

Wit.: Peter Greene	Tobias Cooke	Anthony -(?)-
Mark of Richard Dewe	Thos. Covington	Jno. Slaughter

Mark of John Claye	Mark of Jno. Benton
Mark of Thomas ap Thomas	Jno. Slaughter
Mark of Ralph Slaughter	

Page 60. 7 March 1654. Marriage of Alcie? Jones and Thos. Hart.

Page 60. 14 Sept. 1646. To his very approved kind friend, Capt. Ro: Shepard at his house at Chippoakes these present in Virginia.

London, Sep. ye 14, 1646

Capt. Shepard

And Lo: friend, my Kindest Love, Salute you and your good wife wt jopes these may find you in good health. Yours of the 22nd Feb. & of the 24 March last came to hand with twenty hogsheads of tobacco not yet sould. Shall allowe you ye best price for such goods that any man hath had this yeare. Doe see you desire to be just and honest and honest to pay your debts. I am glad & willinge to it & take it verye Kindlye as I also doe Lovinglye thanke you for your care and paynes about my Debt wtt the Executors of my Honnest friend Mr. Fowler, decd., Intreatinge you to putt an end to it this yeare in selling those cattle you have for present tol and likewise to gett Capt. Browne & Capt. Freeman to send me the remainder, they make me a answer to take interest wh I use not. But I have reason to take it of them whoe have been great gainers & myself a Looser my money being kept from me. The Acct. is here Inclosed. They sent me two Hogd. of tob. for interest this last yeare wh I accept & take Kindly that they are mindful of me, And doe not deserve (if may be) to suethem But that I may be honestlye pd for I am Confidente noe man in the Landdesireth more to pay their debts than Mr. Fowler did me for I have many letters of Deepe expressions to that purpose & effect & I doubt but he did expresse as much to his Executors.
I pray Sr. gett them to make an end wth me this yeare. Touchinge your Bonde, if you had desired me to send it I would though there is £ 40:19:04 cominge to me. But you write for it Conditionally. If these 20 hogs. do pay the Debt, then God forbid I should have kept it. But you be assured it shall not ride up in Judgment and against you or your executors. Some of those twentye hogs. are good But yet not the right Sweetsentes and the most parte doe be sound good leafe but of the common sort and soe be your neighbors Mr. Webbs. Had they been Right I would have allowed you 5d per pound for them this yeare Though I cann and have bought as large sound well cured tob. for 2½ and cann buy 1000 hogs. at this time. But as I allwayes say noe more shall give you a better price than I will. If you can agree with Mr. Wilkinson upon Reasonable Termes get him what freight you cann. If the be like to be great Cropps agree betimes, if not be not too hastye. Besides the 17 Sayleof Dutch we have eight or more the Largest Shipps goeinge that ever went for Virginia. Thus havinge noe more at present But my prayers for your health & Prosperity I leave you to God and Remaine.

Your assured Lo: friende,
John White

Recorded 8 March 1654.

Page 61. 31 March 1655. Capt. Geo. Jordan Petitions to the Grand Assembly in regards to reports concerning his marriage with Eliza. Coates...and declares that it may be just lawful.
Edw. Hill, speaker.
Cha. Norwood, Clk. of Assembly, Rec. 20 Apr. 1655.

Page 62. At a Quarter Court held at James Cittye the 26th of March 1655. Present Rich. Bennett, Esq.; Gov.; Coll. Wm. Claiborne; Coll. Thomas Pettus; Coll. Bridg: Freemans Esq.; Mr. Edward Digges; Coll. Wm. Tayler.

Capt. Geo. Jordan produced certain papers to prove his case- that sd

Curs Munitas ?

Eliza: Coates was formerly married to Daniel Coates...that sd Daniel Coates deceased on 13 April last in Ireland, wherefore it is now lawful for sd Eliza: to marry who she pleased...The Court did conceive that the last is so and that the marriage to Geo. Jordan is Judges Both by Civil and Common law of England and so Certified.
Rec. 20 April 1655.

Page 62. 1 May 1655. Jno. Gittings, impotent and destitute implores charitable benevolences for his livelihood, And he shall praise God.

Page 62. 1 May 1655. Thos. Stagge certifies that Wm. Morrell stood indebted in 1642 for 20 lbs. & paid on debt and shipped home 4 hogs. of tob. and afterwards 8 hogs. more paid in full. 16 Jan. 1645.

Page 63. 22 April 1655. These are to lycense and authorize you to celebrate the Act of Matrimony between Thomas alias Sackford Brewster to Sackford Hall in the County of Suffolk, Gent., on the one part & Elizabeth Watkins on the other part being noe knowne Impediment to the contrarie providded it be done between the hours of eight and twelve in the forenoon according to the Orders of the Church of England for which doeing this shall be sufficient Warrt.
Given this 22 of April 1655.
To ye well beloved in Christ Mr. Thomas Luke, Minister.
Signed: Nicho: Merriweather, Clk. Ct.

This is to Certify that on the 23 April 1655 Matrimonie between the persons within Subscribed was solemnized by mee in the presence of John Cocker that gave her. Robert Stanton, Clk. of Surry County.
Rec. 1 May 1655.

Page 63. 2 April 1655. Thomas Woodhouse of James Citty for value received sell to Mr. Robt. Hubbard of James Citty a divident of land in Surry County & adj. to the Church containing 400 acres granted to Thomas Woodhouse by patent from Sir Wm. Berkeley then Gov. of Virginia, all houses, gardens, etc. belonging to sd Plantation. Signed Thomas Woodhouse, 2 April 1655.
Wit.: John Flood, Geo. Jordan.
Rec.: 1 May 1655.

Page 66. 23 Jan. 1653. An assignment of a patent of Land 670 acres granted to Thos. Crafton and by Crafton assigned to Rich. Bavin & Daniel Hutton and said John Blackbourne and by Blackbourne to Will. Holmwood as Ct. by Relict of sd Blackbourne.
John Jennings; Will: Browne.

Page 66. 20 June 1655. Acct. of Est. of Mr. James Tayler, deceased, by Ja: Mason, Wm. Batt.

Payments to: Mr. Jno. Wood
Maj. Geo. Fawden
Mr. Francis Slaughter
Mr. Humph. Allen
Lt. Coll. Thos. Swann
Wm. Marriott
Law. Baker
Maj. Wm. Butler
Richard Harris, for wines and attendance on the Dr.
Capt. Wombell, for sugar
Mr. Jno. Batt
Suit of Coll. Yardly
Suit of Mr. Yarrett
Mr. Holmwood
Mr. Arthur Allen
Many others

Payments to:
Mr. Wiggen
Maj. Hill
Wm. Corker
Fra. England
Dr. Harrison, for physicke
Karby Kigan, for Capt. Hardye
Sam Hubye
John Burgess, for a coffin
Eustace Grymes for making a grave
Coll. Jno. Gee
Mr. Filmore, the orphants Dyett

Signed: Nich. Hill; Law. Baker.

Page 68. 13 July 1655. Wm. Collins, London merchant, Appt. fr. Robert Stanton, of Virginia, atty. Thomas Louder, Joseph Parker. Est. of John Collins

discharges Daniel Williams of debt of Jno. Corker, Wm. Marriott.

Page 69. 9 June 1655. John Ivy sells 200 acres of land to Richard Tias and Henry White.
Wit.: Eliza: Jollye; Thos. Pittman.

Page 69. 3 July 1655. Henry Meddowes sells his patent of 300 acres of Land granted to him 20 7br 1649, in April 1653 to Robt. Spencer $ Robt. Atkins & now by Atkins to Spencer 6 May 1655.
Rec.: 3 July 1655.
Geo. Harrison; John Sewell.

Page 69. 3 July 1655. Deposition of Richard Warrener, aged 20 years, that Richard Gossage did depart this life in the home of Mr. Peter Greene...in the presence of him and Eliza. Sawyer heard him tell Mr. Greene that Gossage would give, and did give him, Peter Greene, compensation to satisfy Greene for "his diett and trouble."
Signed: Richard Warner.
Eliza Lawyer or Sawyer, aged 24 years, also swore.

Page 70. 4 July 1655. Petition to the Surry Court by Eliza. the admrx. of Jno. Watkins, Deceased, now wife of Thos. alias Sackford Brewster, stating certain grievances against Coll. Henry Browne and Capt. Geo. Hardye, a transaction to which Robert Mosely and James Rowell had made oath...all of which would appear in Chancery.

Page 70. April 1655. Coll. Richard Meridale acquitted Mr. Peter Greene of debt.
Wit.: Fra. Slaughter.

Page 70. Petition of Complaint by Thos. Binns against Mrs. Eliza. Mason, wife of Mr. James Mason, in defense of Binns' wife, Martha.

Page 70. 4 July 1655. Mr. John Bond testified that Mr. Bannister gave his daughter Clara her mother's clothing.

Page 71. 4 July 1655. Commissioners were appointed by Coll. Thos. Swann to ascertain the cause of the death of Elizabeth Burke.

Page 72. 2 April 1655. Giles Brent, Esq., Atty. for Wm. Bretton and Temperance his wife on 25 of March last sold to Thos. Binns and Jno. Bishop arrears upon a patent of Land in Surry Co. called Grindall's Old Forte, or Middle Plantation Ground, on an extent layed off upon the said land by deed now at large appears...to Anthony Sackford Brewster to act of sd deed.
Signed: Giles Brent.
Wit.: Nich. Meriweather.

Page 73. 4 7br 1655. Sam. Hubye, Planter, assigns to Wm. Batt 16 hd. of cattle...Wm. Batt bound to Adam Daniel for payment of 2000 lbs of Good tobacco and 3015 lbs. to Adam Daniel.

Page 74. 6 7br 1655. Ind. 1 Dec. 1654 between Robert Warren & Humohrye, the Indian, of the other part, the Indian to be in his employ for three years, Warren promising to furnish him meat, drink, apparel, lodging, washing, etc.
Wit.: Charles Barcroft; Geo. Seaborn.

Page 74. 30 Dec. 1654. Sam Hubye, planter, & an Indian boy belonging to the People, or Natuon of Seacocks, called in the Indian Language, Higham,... to serve four years,
Wit.: James Forbes; Wm. Batt.
Rec.: 1655.

Page 75. 20 9br 1655. Alice Carter, widdow, acknowledges that Edward Pettaway married the Relict of Wm. Carter, son-in-law to Mrs. Alice Carter, and that 500 acres of land was bequeathed to the sd William Carter, Jr., by his

[redacted] and subscribed by the father's own hand;

Page 76. 3 Jan. 1655. Ind. 24 Nov. 1655, between John Corker of Surry County and wife Dorothea & Capt. Richard Webster of James City, for valuable consideration in Tob. sell a water mill and land on each side, John Corker to build a mill house.
Wit.: Geo. Jordan; Hen: -(?)-

Page 77. 26 May 1655. Arthur Jordan, Southwarke Par., planter, and Robert Stanton, Clerke, in behalf of Elizabeth Hutton, orphant, now in tuition of Arthur Jordan, he being appointed guardian, a parcel of land 136 acres, formerly in the occupancy of Richard Harris, cooper, deceased, and by him sold to Daniel Ludwell, chyrurgion, and he to Daniel Hutton, father of sd orphant now in the care of sd Arthur Jordan by the Court 4 May 1655 to dispose of sd land adj. Coll. Henry Browne and Coll. Thos. Swann for 500 lbs. of tob. to Robert Stanton. Lease Arthur Jordan, to Robt. Stanton.
Wit.: Rich. Hill, Jno. Flood.

Page 79. 3 Jan. 1655. Debts due from John Spilltimber, Capt. Benj. Sidway, Capt. Jno. Fox, the Chirgion of Fox's shipp, Mrs. Corker, Daniel Masingale, to Mr. Baker for the use of Mr. Symmonds, Johanna Bradye.

Page 79. 22 Jan. 1655. John Dibdall, Clk, to Richard Hill, a piece of land in Surry County, except 500 acres due to Benj. Harrison, orphant, is made good by 500 acres...survey 25 9br 1650.

Page 80. A difference arose between Mr. Robert Stanton and Jno. Dibdall over the land which Mr. John Fisher by will gave to his children, which for nonpayment was repossessed by Dibdall & in settlement propose to give to the said children of sd Fisher (one of whom Robt. Stanton has married) 5500 lbs. of tobacco and absolve himself, Dibdall, of all claims, etc....870 lbs. pd. by Dibdall in settlement, 17 Jan. 1655.

Page 81. Feb. 1655. Eliza. Bannister, Robt. Hill, & Charles Borecraft upon petition of Robt. Webb were appointed his guardians. They desire to be released.
Wit.: Wm. Buttes, Thos. Dimmett, Rice Williams.

Page 82. Abraham Sheares, Jr., Lawful atty. for my mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sheares, wants administration on the est. of Abraham Sheares, his father. 15 Jan. 1635.
Wit.: Thos. Taberer; Wm. Lewen; Wm. Bresse?

Page 82. Jno. Holmwood sells to Francis Slaughter, a negro boy 14 years old, called Peter, 13 March 1654.
Wit.: Edward Folliott, Arthur Allen.

Page 82. 7 May 1656. Received aboard the slope belonging to the Shippe Luke of Bristol, of Wm. Batt 9 hhd. of tob. to be laden aboard sd shipp for the use and acct. of Jeremie Holeway and Capt. Edward Fox; 10 May 1655.
Signed: Edward Cooke.

Page 83. 6 Nov. 1655. Francis Slaughter pays a certain amount to Thos. Culmer of Surry Co., Chyrurgion, his heirs, etc., all of Slaughter's right in and claim of Slaughter's wife in the house and plantation he now lives in.
Signed: Thos. Culmer.
Rich. Skinner; David Parnell.

[redacted] Pagan's Creek, etc;

(?) The balance of several accounts for goods sold by Wm. Thomas for the accts. of Henry and John Richards, viz.:

Xpher Greenfield	Joseph Whitmell
Francis Hogwood	Sam. Waterhouse
Jno. Ivy	John Rutherforde
Garrett Harrell	Thos. Peeters
Rich. Rogers	Jno. Fisher
Jno. King	Henry Bayle
Wm. Ogborne	Jno. Ludwell
Jno. Gittings	Mathew Edloe
Rich. Jones	Grego. Rawlings
Jno. Reaves	Rich. Hide
Jno. Blackborne	Seth Swaine
Rich. Braines (Barnes?)	John Wilkerson
Ro: Morsley	Capt. Marshall
Ro: Stanton	Wm. Craddocke
Wm. Hanatt	Wm. Jennings
Geo. Gibson	Jno. Spilltimber
Sam Paine	Edward Ellis
Anthony Faucett?	Thos. Dunnington
Thos. Biggs	Rich. Rix
Wm. Loweden	Jno. Corker
Ben Sidway	Luke Mizelle
Thos. Andrewes	Wm. Webb
Wm. Carter	Jno. Westorpe?
Nich. Perry	Wm. Marriott
Geo. Steevens	Jno. Sanders
Thos. Baylie	Wm. Rose
Wm. Shorte	Coll. Jno. Flood
Wm. Batt	Coll. Moulsworth?
Peter Garrett	Sackford Brewster
Edward Young	Andrew Cane?
Robert Dennett	Matthew Warriner
Hen. White	Thos. Woodhouse
Robt. Copcutt?	Robt. Medley
Jno. Harry	Thos. Gray
Thos. Swann	Roger Potter
Coll. Henry Browne	Jno. Barrow
Charles Forde	Jno. Hux
Jerom Ham.	Jno. Willson
Wm. Radway	Thos. Pittman

(?). May 1656. These are the names of his highness sd to seg. so much of est. on behalf of Jno. Richards of London to the value of 60,000 lbs. of tob....in the Colony of Virginia Debts being due from sd Thomas in Consideration of that estate of sd Thomas like to be conveyed out of the Colony to the great damage of the said Richards. Richards to present an account of what he shall sieze...
To any Sheriff, or Sheriffs in the County.
Signed: Bridges Freeman

Page 86. 14 April 1656. Robert Atkins acknowledges debt to Wm. Marriott.
Wit.: Jno. Courtman; Walter Rouse.

Page 86. 5 Jan. 1652. Wm. Steevens, planter, sells to Nich. Williams, planter.
Wit.: Geo. Jordan; Zach. Brewster.

Page 86. 7 May 1656. The Court granted judgment to Jno. Richards, merchant, upon his attachment for 20 hhds. of tobacco shipped aboard the John & Katharine, Richard Dennis, commander,...is shipped by Wm. Thomas, deceased, the whereas the overseer in feoff interest pretends that fineness of the same was sweet scented and came above the common sort, the estate finding ...500 lbs. of tob. Judgment granted likewise against 16 hhds. tob. shipped by sd Thomas aboard the Pilgrime, James Wattkins, commander, marked "W" and the brand arrow with costs...
Vera: Robert Stanton.

Page 87. 24 May 1657. These presents bindeth me, Jno. Wilkinson, my heirs, etc. to pay or cause to be paid to Henry and John Richards, their Heirs etc., 634 lbs. of good tobacco without ground or seconds, with good caskes & caskes not to have Venders security 70 lbs. per caske to be paid at my now dwelling house before 10 of Oct. Next.
Signed: Jno. Wilkinson.
Wit.: Ben Sidway.

Page 87. 2 July 1657. The Declaration of Mr. Thomas Warren, taken the 2 July 1657 that being at James Cittye in June last in Company with several gentlemen, Mr. Randall Holt of Hogg Island comeinge into the Company and Hearing that the Quarter Court obtained a Reversion of an order passed in sd Courte, fell into a discourse of the proceedings of Courts, of the Difference of Opinions & much more to that effect and beinge agravated by one Thomas ap Thomas, who in complaint of some passages between them and Capt. Sidway this Deponent did reprove the sd Holt for speakinge somethinge to sarglye? of sd Company the sd Holt replied that he had sd nothing to the Deponent and asked whether he would stir settinge doggs and sd further that there was none but owles and asses, knaves and rogues of a Commission, Whereupon this Deponent called Witnesses thereof and left the Companye and further sayeth not.
Signed: Thos. Warren.

Page 87. 2 July 1656-7. To the Worshippful Court of Surry County Ct. The Humble Petition of Randall Holt, Sheweth that ye Petitioner understanding yet hee is accused for aprobrious speeches that should be given out by the Petitioner against the Worshipful Court wh ye Petitioner calleth ye God of Heaven, the sd Accusee knoweth not of least evil toward the Worshipful Court, or Members, But if the Petitioner hath in the least kinde spoke abruptly to cause the Worshipful Court the be distreste by yet was & is utterlye unknown Through Ignorance done by the Pt. and is alsoe Heartilye sorrye & Doth Humpblye Submitt to the Censure of the Worshipful Court & ever pray. Presented and recorded 2 July 1656-7. Book of Orders.

Page 88. 26 June 1656-7. The Ballance of the Bookes of Maj. Jno. Westhorpe, deceased, left in the hands of Capt. Wm. Thomas at his goinge for England and now deceased unto Mr. Charles Sparrow, administrator of the sd Westhorpe by Mr. Thomas Jones feoffe in trust of the sd Thomas, deceased:

Thos. Gray	Capt. Epps
Xpo. Greenfield	Capt. Marshall
Coll. Moulsworth	Wm. Rogers
W. Hanett	Coll. Hill
Thos. Clarke	Antho. Freyette?
Capt. Wm. Harris	Da: Endicus
Howell Pryse	Geo. Carefoot
Tho. Steevenson	Capt. Sidway
Robt. Evens	Henry Dame?
Wm. Walthall	Mr. Wyatt
Wm. Gapinge	Jno. Baylie
Mr. Cocke	Wm. Radway
Edward Fitsgarrett	Jno. Dibdell
Ben Cartwright	Jno. Garye
Capt. Bishopp	Rich: Carter
Jno. Corker	Griffeth Dickenson
Geo. Varnam	Segg Hanero?
Capt. Peebles	Mr. Richards

Wm. Wood	Ch. Sparrowe
Jno. King	James Warrendine
Mark Averye	Wm. Shogh?
Wm. Agborowe	Jno. Graves by Morgan
Wm. Sandes	Jno. Bannister
Edw. Richards	Jno. Huntley
Garrett Howell	Wm. Webb
Ralph Poole	Mr. Reynolds
Mr. Hamline	Mr. Birde
Francis Hogwood	Jno. Tayler

The balance of the Acct. above specified and leonginge to the est. of Jno. Westhorpe, I Charles Sparrow doe acknowledge to have received of Thomas Jones being left feoffe in Trust of the est. of Wm. Thomas, deceased. 26 June 1656
Signed: Ch. Sparrowe.
Wit. Jno. Richards, Ben Sidway.
In final settlement of this account Mr. Jno. Sadler and Mr. Richard Prime merchant were due rent received from Mr. Rice Hooe.

Page 89. 3 7br 1656. Martin Hammond sells Coll. Thos. Swann cows, etc.
Wit.: Wm. Marriott.
Wm. Jennings sold John Blackborne a cow.

Page 89. 8 Sept. 1656. The mark of Wm. Jennings. The mark of John Flood.
Test.: John Gittinge.

Page 87 (sic). 2 Sept. 1656. Jane Blackborne, Relict and Admr. of Mr. Jno. Blackborne, deceased, assigns to Robert Stanton her right & title to the bill of sale.
Wit.: Wm. Hall, Thos. Jones.

Page 90. 5 Nov. 1656-7. These presents bindeth me, Job Beazley...to pay Jane Pamplin or her heirs etc. 1500...
Signed: Job Bageley.
Wit.: Nich. Hill, Robt. Stanton.

Page 90. 10 Xbr 1656. Rec. of Robert Stanton first year's rent of a plantation where he now lives, in behalf of the orphant of Daniel Hutton, dec., of which I am guardian.
Signed: Ar. Jordan.
Wit.: Geo. Jordan, Wm. Browne.

Page 91. 19 9br 1656. Wee whose names unto subscribed, chosen arbitors between Capt. Geo. Jordan atty. of James Jauncey, merchant, who is atty. of Mr. Thomas Marsh, admr. of Mr. Thos. Jauncey, deceased, and Marye Blunt, Relict of Richard Blunt, deceased,...that Mr. Geo. Jordan having been possessed with all the estate of Richard Blunt in Virginia, which now can be found, and be delivered up by sd Marye on her oath...Capt. Jordan out of same forthwith to deliver to her 2 cows, 2 heifers, 1 maid servant, 6 bbls. of Indian corn, her bed and its furnishings, her wearing clothes, linens, and what property of herself...before January next, and the crop next ensueing...and Capt. Jordan defend her from harm etc.

Memo. That Wee...admrs. doe finde the whole estate of Richard Blunt, deceased, which he dyed possessed of properly to belonge to Tho: Jauncey, deceased, the said Jauncey havinge disbursed abiut fower hundred pounds sterling upon that design of pd Hasty? And what awarde the Relict of Rich. Blunt, dceased, is done by the consent of the sd Capt. Jordan one of charitye & freelye toward her maintenance...having had that relation to the said Blunt and that latter payment above mentioned is likewise to be satisfied out of the est. that shall be sould by the saide Capt. Jordan But by him to be reserved to her. 19 9br 1656.
Thos. Swann, Wm. Butler, Ben Sidway, Wm. Edwards.

Page 91. 3 June 1656. John Richards, merchant, bought a plantation of 350 acres at outcry of the est. of Wm. Thomas, deceased, for 8100 lbs. of tobacco, and assigns same to Mr. Arthur Allen, all rights, etc.
Signed: Jno. Richards.
Wit.: Thos. Swann, Wm. Butler, Ben Sidway.

Page 92. To Mr. John Fisher Ic (sic) This in Virginia
Graves End the 25th 9br 1653.

Mr. Fisher

Lovinge friend, I rec'd yours of the 24th of Julye 1653 I am glad of your safe arrival I am sorrye that Capt. Reade did putt to soe much trouble I have writt unto Capt. Stagg Ic: your goodes I was forced to compound with Crosbe to goe forward in the suite it was but in vaine for your wittnesses was not in England & hee would not confess the debt hee pd mee sixtye pounds downe & I have taken his two bonds in your name for sixtye pounds more to be pd at six months & six months I question not but it will be pd when it is due: for ye Gentlemen I believe for your other two Bonds you will never recover one pennye. You write that I should pay your sister 25 lbs. I have not soe much in my hand but I never heard of her. What civill curtesye I can doe for you ye may be confidant of it. Not else at present but my love to you & your wife I rest Your lovinge friend.

James Jenkins

To Jno. Fisher Ic in Virginia whom God preserve.

Page 92. Graves End, 10 Jan. 1653.

Mr. Fisher

Lovinge friend I rec'd your letter & have pd your bill of exchange that you drew upon me. I gave you an acct of it by Capt. Tulley - the other money is not yet due. My love to you and your wife. I rest

Your lovinge friend,
James Jenkins

Rec. 4 9ber 1656.

Page 92. 10 March 1655. John King in the County of Surry, Virginia, appoints his loving friend Jno. Flood his true and lawful attorney to pay recover... all debts due me...bonds, etc. Matthew Battell; Wm. Simmons.

Page 92. 15 Jan. 1656. Wm. Hukins his acct. Five months diett for his wife. Charge of a buriall and a sheete.
Signed and sworne in Court by Geo. Woodward.

Page 93. To all Xtian People to whom this Present Writinge shall come: Wee Wm. Powell of Southwarke in the Countye of Surrey England, Baker, administrator of the goodes & chattels, debts, rights & credits of Capt. Wm. Powell late of Chippoakes in the Collonye of Virginia his naturall Brother deceased, & heire to George Powell, late whilest he lives at Chippokes afforesd since alsoe deceased also Wm. Parke of Leadenhall Street in London, cheesemonger, & Ann my wife send greetings: Know ye that whereas me the sd Wm. Powell...and Ann my wife have by writinge under ye hands & seales bearing date the day of the date heereof Bargained and sold unto Wm. Batt of Chippoakes in Virginia afforesd Gente., and his heirs eight hundred acres of Land be it more or less Lyinge in the county of Surrey in Virginia and all other plantations...wood houses...Now wee the sd Wm. Powell, Wm. Parke and Ann my wife doe hereby constitute ordaine and appoint Mr. Ralph Dunstan and Mr. Samuel Hubye and either of them atty...to acknowledge this Indenture... sett our hands & seale this first day of Julye in the year of our Lord according to the English account...Wm. Powell, Wm. Parke, Anne Parke,
Written on Parchment & Witnessed on the back of the same by these following:
Fra. Gillowe, Arthur Bailey, John White, Robert Fox, Fra. Mayo.
Attested by Raph Dunstan & Sam Hubye. Rec. ultimo Xber 1656.

Page 93. 1 July 1656. Indenture between William Powell, Southwarke Par., baker, admr. of Capt. William Powell, late of Chippoakes, his natural brother, deceased, and heir unto Geo. Powell, the natural sonne of the sd Capt. William Powell, since also deceased, and Wm. Parke of Leaden Hall St., London, and Ann his wife, Ann, grandchild of the sd William Powell, party to these presents of the one part, and Wm. Batt of Chippoakes Creek, Collonye of Va., of the other part. Wm. Powell...Wm. Parke and Ann his wife for a certain consideration sell all their rights to 800 acres of land, late of the sd Wm. Powell and Geo. Powell, his son, in Surry Co.; 600 acres in Lower Chippoakes on James River...and 200 acres on Little Creek, called Crouches Creek, etc. etc....
Wm. Powell, Wm. Parke, Ann Parke, Ar. Bailey, John White, Rob. Fox, Fra. Mayo.

Page 95. 17 Jan. 1656. At a Court in Surry County, 13 Jan. 1656 It was ordered to audit and settle and deliver all accounts depending between Capt. George Jordan and Mr. Richard Hill, deceased...a bill in the hands of Mr. Jno. Dibdall, also Mr. Jennings, etc.
Test: Peter Knight, John Flood, Benjamin Sidway.
Rec.: 6 Feb. 1656.

Page 96. 30 Jan. 1655. This bill bindeth Mr. James Hugate to pay to Thos. Swann 200 pounds of good tobacco on 10 Xbr next.
Signed Jasque Huguet.
Wit.: Wm. Hill, Wm. Penn.

Page 96. 25 Jan. 1656. A covenant between Thos. Swann of the one part and James Hugate to build for Mr. Swann one small quartering house, 25, or 30 ft. and an outhouse to make up 90 ft. of housing, breadth between 15 and 25 ft. Hugate to find and Diett for himself...Hugate is to find nayles etc. Hugate and wife to live in the house.

Page 96. 6 Nov. 1656. Theodoricke Blande discharges Amaro de Sores? for all claims concerning the bill, 2500 pounds of tob. due to Edward Blande, deceased.
Signed: Thos. Blande.
Jno. Holmwood, Thos.

Page 96. 13 July 1656. Received of Wm. Aman? in full all accounts and debts.
Signed: John Laine.
John Leeke, Edward Barnsford.

Page 97. 6 Jan. 1656. Wm. Martin, Lower Chippoakes in the new county of Surry in Va., gentleman, attorney of Coll. Henerye Bishopp, now living in England on the one part, and John Grove, of Bristoll in the Realmes of England, seven hundred acres of land...called Lower Chippoakes, part of a divident of land of Capt. Wm. Powell and afterward granted to Sir Wm. Berkeley, Knt., ny Order of Court 27 Nov. 1643, and afterward purchased by sd Coll. Bishopp from sd Wm. Berkeley...20 Aug. 1646, bounded as follows: Northerly on the James River, Easterly by Chippoakes Creek, West by Sunken Marsh, Southerly by the mainland,...from Coll. Henerye Bishopp date 29 April 1646 and sells to John Grove, merchant,...as by a former writing from said Martin 12 April 1656, may appear.
John Jennings atty. for John Grove. 12 Jan. 1656.

Page 98. 13 Jan. 1656. Matthew Hill authorizes his friend Jno. Leade atty. to confess judgment for debts.

Page 98. To Coll. Jno. Flood and the rest of the Commissioners for Surry County Court, Gentlemen: It has pleased God to take my husband and havinge no Will I have considered that Capt. Geo. Jordan (besides his Relatives as a Brother-in-Law) hath the most knowledge and relations to his business and I therefore humbly desire the Court to grant him admr. of my husband's estate, for I have referred the whole business to his trust, love, and good sense soe I rest. Your humble servant, Hannah Hill.
Rec.: 14 Jan. 1656.

Page 150. 17 Oct. 1659. The body of Wm. Hawkes was viewed, he being the servant of Coll. Thos. Swann. He fell from an ox cart, the wheels of which passed over him. Robert Stanton, Wm. Rose, Thos. Andrews, Wm. Browne, Wm. Fisher, Thos. Wise, Fra. Sowerby, Hen. Browne, Barth. Owen, Rich. Case.

Page 151. 7 March 1659. Wm. Marriott bound to Coll. Thos. Swann 200 lbs. Condition by that Wm. Marriott by the Grace of God shall marry and take to Wife Susannah Swann, daughter to Capt. Thos. Swann, if ye sd. Wm. Marriott after ye marriage shall dye before ye sd Susannah that then sd Marriott shall by his Last Will & Test. give unto Susannah 100 lbs. sterling.
Wit.: John Dibdall, Robt. Stanton.

Page 151. 20 May 1660. Ralph Creed in consideration of two good cows out of ye stock of Thos. Chiffers and 7000 lbs. of tob....sells to Chiffers 1100 acres of land at the head of Sunken Marsh near Chippoakes, late in possession of Richard Hill and sold to Robert Creed by George Jordan by Order of Court to be held by sd Thos. Chivers.

Page 152. 1 May 1660. Geo. Jordan relinquishes his right in land Ralph Creed sold to Thomas Chivers of 1100 acres by his purchase of sd land from Ralph Creed.

Page 152. 2 Jan. 1656. Indenture between Roger Delke and Michaell Upchurch of a Plantation on Lawnes Creek lying between John Gregory and sd Michaell Upchurch (Upshure) 40 acres of land, if less than the lease to Timothy Madmonker, for 21 years.
Rec. May 1660.

Page 153. 1 Jan. 1656. Indenture between Roger Delke, of Lawnes Creek Parish, Gent., and Tobyas Cooke, Planter, land upon the Creek betwixt Jno. Bruten and John Bancos, 100 acres, for 21 years, and one barrell of Indian corn paid to Roger Delke on the first of January.
Rec.: 1 May 1660.

Page 154. 30 June 1660. Mrs. Mary Ewen gives power of attorney to Mr. Francis Newton, planter, of her affairs in Virginia, substitute for her well beloved brother, Nicholas Newton, since deceased and Richard Hopkins his lawful attorney 6 Dec. 1659. Mrs. Ewen had 1400 acres of land, belonging to the patent, 7 negroes, 50 head of cattle, 15 hoggs, etc.

Page 154. John Cooper, aged 20 years or thereabouts, testified on 25 Jan. 1659(60) that on the sixth of Dec. last Mr. Wm. Batte came to ye Plantation of Mr. Ewin in Virginia and did deliver to Mr. Richard Hopkins Attorney for Francis Newton, the Plantation, together with 7 negroes and Michael (a negro man since dead) was then alive, 50 head of cattle, etc.

Page 155. 27 June 1660. Whereas Ralph Dunstan sold 300 acres of land belonging to my husband, John Dunstan, unto Thomas Clarie with 300 acres Peleg Dunstan, my sonne, might pretend to some title, I, Cecilye Dunstan, doe bind myself and heirs to save and keep harmless the sd Thos. Clarie and his heirs from any claim, Peleg Dunstan after six months comes of age to relinquish his claim.
Rec.: 3 July 1660.

Page 155. 15 May 1660-7. (sic). Jas. Sowerby is bound to Matthew Battell for 764 lbs. of tob.

Page 155. 12 Oct. 1657. Cecilye Dunstan gives to her eldest son, Ralph Dunstan, 300 acres.

Page 156. 3 July 1660. The corpse of Benjamin Watkins, viewed by the Jury, he being the late servant of Jno. Suggs, the said Benjamin Watkins (voide of the fear of God) did desparately & wilfully hang himself.

Austin Hunnicutt	Daniel Webster
Henry Braderton	Rich. Skinner
Edmund Wilkins	Richard Smith.
Robt. Whittle?	Thos. Clarye
Rich. Drew	Rob. Hunt

Page 156. 26 March 1657. Arthur Jordan, with consent of wife Elizabeth, sells to John Barker one colt. Elizabeth Jordan desires that her brother-in-law Geo. Jordan acknowledge for her in Court.

Page 156. 15 Jan. 1659. Jno. Lea, Surry County, Va., sells to Thos. Morgaine, planter, of Charles Citty County, a horse.
Wit.: John Gittings, Geo. Duglas.
Signed: William Lea. Alse Lea.
Rec.: July 1659.

Page 157. 3 July 1660. Matthew Battell, cooper, of Surry County, sells to Thos. Busby, planter, in Surry County, one young horse.
Wit.: Thos. Pittman, Barth. Owen.

Page 157. 20 7ber 1660-1. By his Majestyes Governor and Captain Generall of Virginia it is thought fitt & accordingly ordered for the Speedy & better dispatch of all affaires tending to the peace and welfare of this Collony and the Inhabitants thereof that all officers whatsoever within this Country doe remaine and continue in their several offices untill further order to the contrary and forasmuch as it hath pleased Almighty God to invest our most gracious Sovereigne Charles the Second King of England, Scottland. France & Ireland & in the Dominion and just rights of his Royall father of ever sacred memorye - These are therefore in his Majestyes name strictly to charge & command you & every (one) of you forthwith to cause the sd King to be proclaimed in every of your Respective Contryes and that all writts warrants from henceforth issue in his Majestyes name - Here and fayle not as you will Answer the Contrarye at your uttmost Perille. Given at James Cittye under my hand this 20th 7ber 1660-1.
Signed: Wm. Berkeley.
To the Sherriffe and all other Chiefs of Officers of Surry County.

The Proclamation

We the freemen & Inhabitants of the County now present doe Accordinge to our Dutye & Allegeances Heartily Joyfully & Unanimously Acknowledge & Proclaim That Immediately upon the decease of ye late Sovereign Lord King Charles the Imperiall Crowne of the Realme of England & of all the Kingdomes Dominions & Rights belonging to the same did by Inherent Birthright & lawful & undoubted succession descend & come to his most excellent Majestye Charles the Second being Lineally Justly & Lawfully next heire of the Blood Royall of the Realme and that by the goodnesse & Providence of Almighty God Hee is of England, Scottland, France & Ireland, the most potent, mighty undoubted King--and thereunto wee most humbly & faithfully doe submitt & oblige Ourselves, our Heires & Posteritye forever.

God Save the King.

These Proclamations were Proclaimed at Southwarke in the Countye of Surry in Virginia with the Acclamation of a great part of the county there Present & Recorded the leventh day of 8ber being Thursday Anno 1660-1.
Per: Ro: Stanton, Cl. of ye Countye.

Page 158. 4 7ber 1660. Henry Artillerye sick and weak cannot attend Court to answer the complaint of Mr. Robert Spenser but will attend next Court.
Dated: Hogg Island.
Rec.: 5 7ber 1660.

Page 158. 4 7ber 1660. Thomas Masonne binds over his whole crop to Mr. Thomas Culmer for debt of 350 lbs. of tobacco.
Wit.: Anthony Spilltimber, John King.

Page 158. 19 July 1660. Wm. Lea and wife, Alice Lea, acknowledge a debt to Wm. Heath of a sale of land, 250 acres, which was Thomas Felton's deceased.
Wit.: John Morecocke, Ben. Dolly?

Page 158. 4 7ber 1660. Wm. Jennings, cooper, sold a mare to Mr. Thos. Flood & he now assigns the same to Wm. Lea and wife, Alice.
Wit.: Wm. Cockerham, Ro. Stanton.

Page 158. 1 Sept. 1660. Indenture between Ralph Dunstan of Lower Chippoakes Surry Co., planter, & Hester his wife of the one part & Thomas Clarie, same Parish & County, cooper, of the other part; 300 acres in Lower Chippoakes Lawnes Cr. Parish, left Mr. Ralph Dunstan by his father, Mr. John Dunstan in his Last Will, he late of Chippoakes. Thos. Clarie acknowledges the same to Arthur Long.
14 Jan. 1661.
Written on back: Judith Clarie, Arthur Allen, Wm. Cockerham.

Page 159. 10 Nov. 1660. John Corker sells to Christopher Waldan? and Henry Cradock a parcell of land, 50 acres, bound by marked trees & Mr. Thomas Rolfe & from thence...up a swamp called the Devills Woodyard Swamp on the same side adjoining to the said line of marked trees...and pay the King's Rent when it is demanded.
Wit.: Jno. Gittings, Fra. Mason.

Page 159. 5 Nov. 1660. John Gregorye employs his friend Lieut. Coll. Caufield to crave to allow him to come to next Court as being lame & sick and wife also very sick, to ascertain what Mr. Pittway shall allege against him.

Page 159. 5 Nov. 1660. Know all men present that I, Naomi Minter, of Bedingfield, confirm the sale of land that lyeth between Mr. Benjamin Sidway & Mr. Matthew Battell's house...unto Mr. Mathew Battell
Wit.: Fran. Gray, Wm. Rollinson, Elias -(?)-

Page 160. 7 Feb. 1658. Indenture between Henry Comes of the County of Isle of Wight, planter, & John Clarke of Surry County, Planter, land formerly possessed by Christopher Greenfield & sold by him to Mr. Wm. Lea, and sold by sd Lea to sd Henry & confirmed by sd Court of Surry County, etc.
Wit.: John Jennings, Richard Clarke.
Rec.: 10 Nov. 1660.

Page 160. 17 March 1657. Indenture of Capt. Henry Perry, Esq., who intermarried with the executrix of Jeremiah Clements, of Upper Chippoakes, Gent., now sells 250 acres of land to Edward Oliver in Upper Chippoakes southward to the outmost end of the Patent of 350 acres formerly being to the above-said Clements, bordering upon the land of Wm. Gawine, westward & Wm. Thomas eastward. If Oliver is deceased in his minority the land to return to said Perry.
Wit.: Worsham Howsmanden, Wm. Drummond.
Rec.: 10 Nov. 1660.

(This page very beautifully decorated at left corner top, and down left side in basketry, done with pen and ink, the script also very beautiful - E. T. D.)

Page 161. 10 Nov. 1660. Indenture between Wm. Lea & his wife Alice, and Wm. Heath, planter, of Southwarke Par., Surry Co., for a parcell of land, 150 acres, formerly Thos. Felton's deceased...called Upper Chippoakes in the woods adj. the land which was John Harrye's unto the Plantation formerly Robert Moseley's adj. a great Swamp which divides Surry Co. and Charles Cittye County, which land was given by sd Thos. Felton in last Will & Test. to his wife Alice who is now the wife of sd William Lea. Memo: 150 acres lies in Charles Cittye County, adjoining the rest of the divident, which lies in Surry County.
Wit.: Robert Spenser, John Gittings.

Page 162. 10 Nov. 1660. James Busby's agreement with Peter Gray to have Tob. house for one year.

Page 162. 6 June 1660. Thos. Busby, planter, sells to Peter Gray his house and 300 acres of land on Chippoakes Creek, Surry Co., adj. land and Possession of John Barker.
Wit.: Francis Gray, Anthony Allen.

Page 162. May 1661. A list of cattle, etc., of Thos. Swann and Henry Cobb bound to Roger Potter for the Est. of John Willyam's orphant.
Wit.: Wm. Tuke.

Page 162. 30 March 1661. Jno. Richards acquits John Oakham from all demands of service.
Rec.: Jan. 1661.

Page 163. 8 May 1661. Henry Browne and Ann Browne to Capt. Jordan; they make null and void a gift to the County.

Page 163. 3 9ber 1660. Wm. Strong acquits Mr. Na. Stanton, of all debt.
Jan. 1661.

Page 164. 3 9ber 1660. Jno. Clay sells to Mr. Thos. Hunt, for a debt, one woman servant (Three years service) for which he receives satisfaction.
Wit.: Wm. Marriott.

Page 164. 8 May 1661. Mathew Battell sells to Theophilus Bedinfield 1080 lbs. of tob. and gives as bond a horse & two cows.

Page 164. 13 May 1661. Thos. Swann Reports a boat washed up on his shore on March last, 40 or 50 paces long, with 18 ft. keel, no ropes or sails.

Page 164. 14 Jan. 1660. Matthew Hoggson by marrying Mary, the daughter of George Burcher, sometime of Surry, deceased, confirmed with Morris, the only son of the said Burcher, in all and singular on the estate and whereas Maurice Williams was former partner with the decedent, and godfather... 2430 lbs. tob. due sd Hoggson.
Morris Williams and Burcher's Est. to be presented at Court 14 Jan. 1661. Maurice Williams was godfather to Morris Burcher, and left certain lands, cattle, and swine to his godchild, which remains in the sd decedent's hands for said Morris Burcher, and under Capt. Jordan.
Rec.: May 1661.

Page 165. 7 May 1661. George Cooke, planter, sells two cows to Geo. Blow and is bound for to sd Pittway for sd Geo. Cooke.
Wit.: Ed. Bushell, Thos. Culmer.

Page 165. 5 May 1661. Goods intended by me for Thos. Culmer for security for the estate of James Taylor, orphant. (Inventory follows).
3 March 1660.

Page 166. 16 April 1660. Robert Spensor, aged 30 years or thereabouts, said that Barth. Owen of Surry County, spoke scandalous words against the Commissioners of Surry County, saying he would never have justice in that county; and at James Cittye & several times highly reviled Capt. Geo. Jordan, calling him Roge Raskell... and several other base terms. Capt. Jordan rebuked the sd Owen for his scandalous & Mallitious words, and Owen replied...said Capt. Jordan would not live a month in the county, etc.
Signed: Robert Spensor.
Thomas Breweton.

Page 166. 19 Aug. 1660. Mrs. Fortune Mills examined at James Cittye Deposeth that Bartholomew Owen of Surry County, several times in the presence of the Deponent spoke disparingly and Scandalously of Capt. Jordan...and Maliciously against the Court.
Ed. Hill.

Page 166. 19 Aug. 1660. Roger Rawlings, aged 26 or thereabouts, Deposeth about the same things that Mrs. Fortune Mills had stated.

Page 167. 5 7bris 1660. At a Court in Southwarke Parish for the County:
Commissioners: Capt. Geo. Jordan Capt. Wm. Coskerham
Mr. Arthur Allen Mr. John Corker

of a bill due from Simmons to Thomas Shorts for 317 lbs. tob. paid Mr. Jno. Martin & Richard Newell.

Page 203. 9 Jan. 1662. Christopher Michell sells to Francis Tombs certain livestock.
Wit.: Theophilus Flood.

Page 205. 20 Feb. 1662. A survey of the land Capt. Thos. Adams and Roger Delk, deceased, according to Delk's conveyance a survey by Geo. Watkins as witt. 27 Dec. 1662.
Wit.: Thos. Culmer, Austin Hunnicutt, Richard Harris, Jno. Bruton, Rich. Drew, Rich. Jarrott, Jno. Hodge, Jno. -(?)- Thos. Lane, Jno. Phillips, John Mason, Humphrey Brame.

Page 204. 8 Jan. 1662. Judah Huby gives her daughter Sarah Houby two cows, household goods, etc., (which) was Judah Huby's in her widdowhood. Deed of gift.
Wit.: Wm. Darby, Edward Pettway.

Page 206. 18 Dec. 1662. John Looke makes over certain household goods to Thos. Woodhouse, with the latter is to satisfy Wm. Edwards for a debt of 2795 lbs. of tob.
Wit.: Nicholas Meriweather, Edward Hulin.

Page 206. 28 Feb. 1662. A deed from the widow of Henry Meddow, she moving, to John Binham, 100 acres...lately in possession of Maj. Robert Sheperd and by him given to Henry Meddow, late husband. She now confirms the sale made by her late husband to John Bingham.

Page 207. 20 Feb. 1662. Richard Steevens, sick and weak, failed to pay a debt due from James Mills to Robert Loudlow, merchant of London, part of which should have been paid to Wm. Thompson, atty. for Loudlow. Now James Mills mortgages all his boats etc. to Wm. Thompson for sd payment.
Arthur Jordan, Jane Flood.

Page 208. 22 Feb. 1662. John Rawlings, miller, has bought of Wm. Marriott his part of a water mill, and agrees to pay 1500 lbs. of tob. on 10 Oct. each year to Wm. Marriott.
Wit.: Law. Baker, James Mason, Ro. Stanton.

Page 209. 4 July 1662. The citation of a land patent to Jno. Rawlings, son of Gregory Rawlings, for 326 acres of land at Upper Chippoakes Creek is given when Jno. Rawlings assigns his patent to Wm. Boulding on 31 July 1662.
Wit.: Robert House, Jno. King.
This same patent is assigned by Wm. Boulding unto John Tatem 20 Jan. 1662. These two assignments acknowledged in Surry Court by Jno. Rawlings and Wm. Boulding.
Rec.: 21 Jan. 1662.
Wit.: Robert Spenser, Nath. Stanton.

Page 210. 25 Feb. 1662. 13 Feb. 1662. Capt. Thos. Adams sells a negro servant named Malott, we Wm. Marriott, the weighing to be recorded in next Courte, 3 March next, the price being 2560 lbs. of tob. & caskes.
Rec.: 13 Feb. 1662.
Wit.: Edward Bushell, James -(?)-

Page 210. 31 Jan. 1662. Inventory of goods and debts, which is bound over to Robert Spenser, who is security for James Mills unto Robert Stanton, atty. for Mr. Jno. Richards for 2360 lbs. tob., Thos. Hunt, of James Citty, 1400 lbs. tob., 20 gal. copper kettle; 22 gal. brass kettle; long table and frame two forms, one square table; small tester bed; old curtains; 2 court cupboards; one pr. brass andirons; 4 brass shovels; pewter dishes; pewter bason; iron andirons; etc. Debts due from Thos. Hunt & Arthur Jordan; Capt. Thos. Flood; and Mr. London; from the Duchman; from Watt Aston; Coll. Hill; Capt. Adams; damage received from Nicholas Cobb & Thos. Cullmer. Total, 23,045 lbs. tob. These debts thought to be recoverable, etc.

Page 211. 5 May 1663. Thos. Woodhouse had a patent for 200 acres of land on east side of Gray's Creek dated 4 7ber 1651, he assigns this patent to John Zaines 22 April 1652, who being deceased, the land belongs to Thos. Zaines of Southampton, who made Coll. Thos. Swann his atty., and Thos Swann on 5 May 1663, in open Court at Surry Co., assigned to Thos. Underwood.
Wit.: Law. Baker, Thos. Warren.

Page 211. 7 July 1663. John Looke binds over to Thos. Busby one horse bought of Ro. Stanton for 1050 lbs. of tobacco.
Wit.: Wm. Lea, Wm. Mathews.

Page 212. 13 July 1662. Capt. Thos. Swann obtained Judgment against the Est. of Richard Stanton in the Quarter Court, upon an attachment formerly served upon sd Richard Stanton, his estate in the Hands of Robert Stanton, and the latter to give an account of the est. of Richard Stanton, satisfying judgments, etc.

Coll. Swann	Lt. Coll. Geo. Jordan
Thos. Bentley	James Mills
Wm. Phillips	Capt. Thomas Pittman
Francis Newsom, Est.	John Leeke
Roger Potter	Ralph Creed
Arthur Jordan	Wm. Rose
Henry Briggs	Capt. Thos. Flood
Jno. Barker	Jno. Rawlings
Richard Case	Anthony Spilltimber
Mr. Jno. Corker	Nathaniel King
Capt. Will Browne	Ann Pinhorne
Thos. Busby	Thos. Andrews
Henry Briggs	Robert Stanton

Wit.: Thomas Flood, Joseph Trafton

Page 212. 26 Jan. 1662. Francis Gray sells to John Tatem 100 acres of land in Lawnes Creek Parish, adj. sd Tatem, he lately purchased of Jno. Rawlings on Chippoakes Creek near Swann Bay, and warrant the sale.
Wit.. Ilias Osborne, Selby Sparrow.
Rec.: 10 May 1663

Page 212. 5 May 1663. James Mills assigns to widow Eliza Sgort, on order of Court, which he had obtained against Ar. Jordan for so much tob.
Wm. Thomson, Jno. Gittings.

Page 213. 24 March 1662. Anthony Spilltimber sells to John Brady the neck of land purchased of Jno. Corker, called Besse's Neck, a patent between "my father, deceased," and Jno. Brady.
Wit.: Jno. Corker.

Page 213. 5 May 1663. Roger Delke and wife Rebecka to loving brother Francis and Robert Rennells, born of my natural mother Alice Gregory, wife of Jno. Gregory, sonnes of the deceased Nicholas Rennells, of Lawnes Creek of Surry; now Roger Delk has given & Granted unto Jno. Gregory & Alice Gregory his natural mother for the use of brothers, Francis & Robert Rennells and unto their heirs, etc., one patent or tract of land...upon now part of land in the occupation of Thomas ap Thomas by lease beginning from Bennett's at a gutt which goeth out of thecreek up a swamp which parteth the land betwixt sd Thomas ap Thomas and John Burgess...to plantation called Mr. William Bartletts...to Francis and Robert Rennells...if they die without heirs, to return to Robert Delk and wife; but either son or daughter lawfully begotten, shall be heir to the guifte. 23 Aug. 1661.
Rec.: 5 May 1663
Wit.: James Griswold, Humph. Barnes, Aman de Jores, John Charles.

Page 214. 1 May 1663. Chris. Vahan to Thos. Andrews one cow, three years old, a chest, a gun, for security of a bill of 955 lbs. of tob.
John Leake, Wm. Corker.

Page 214. 9 April 1663. Wm. Norwood & Arthur Jordan define Spring Swamp Run as boundary, all relating to discussion including John Blackburn and Richard Bavin. Wit.: Geo. Watkin.

Recorded 20 May 1668 at the request of Edward Warren.
Signed: Edward Petway, Alyse Carter, Geo. Carter.
Wit.: Samuel Harris, Thos. Flowers.

Page 302. 12 March 1667. Indenture between Mrs. Alyse Carter & Edward Warren for 2500 lbs. of tob., land from the cart path from the Great Swamp to Chippoakes, formerly left to Peter Adams, adj. Wm. Nusam's to Wm. Harris, belonging to Wm. Carter, late husband to Mrs. Carter, 200 acres, houses, etc. for 21 years.
Wit.: Geo. Watkin, Gertrude Watkin.

Page 303. May 1688. Robert Doxwell, Commander of the ship Rainbow of Bristoll, received of Mr. Wm. Cockerham one ship with rudder, oares, tiller, mast, sayles, left in the hands of Cockerham by Mr. Joseph Tucker.
Wit.: John Sugg, Robert Spenser.

Page 303. 7 July 1668. Wm. Thompson, of Surry County, sells to Daniell Regan for 100 acres of land adjoining Francis Sorsby.
Wit.: James Watson, John Phillips.
Wm. Thompson, Katherine Thompson.

Page 304. 6 Nov. 1668. Daniel Regan (Regant) and Eliza. Regant assign to Wm. Thompson, Minister, his patent for 900 lbs. of tob. Thomas Candlis his right to one-half as formerly sold him on 14 Oct. 1667.
Jas. Watkin, John Phillips.

Page 304. Nicholas Meriweather age about 37 years swore that in the year 1666 the Deponent was requested by Mr. John Brady and Thos. Vantore to draw up an Atty. debt. Wm. Thorne, age 25 years, swore to same.

Page 304. 7 March 1667. Thos. Barlow assigns his patent to Samuel Judkins. Eliza Barlow acknowledges the sale.
Wit.: Ar. Long, Thos. -(?)-.

Page 304. 30 June 1668. Chris. Holeman directs that Thos. Pitman receive his pat. of land from John Browne.

Page 305. 16 July 1668. Nich. Spenser, moving, binds and obligates his son John Spenser as servant to Capt. Wm. Cockerham till New Year's Day next seven Years.
Rec.: 16 July 1668.
Wit.: Richard Brock?

Page 306. Roger Williams to pay to Chris. Lewis 1730 lbs. tob.
Wit.: Will Brown, Rich. Wilbecke.

Page 306. 7 July 1668. Thomas Hoge (or Haye), age 23, deposes about a horse.
Francis Mason, age 21 years, deposes about same.
Wm. Dowling, about 50 years, makes a Deposition concerning a conversation between Mr. Richard Lawrence and Mr. Robert Williamson at the Court.
Richard Case, 48 years, testified.
Arthur Allen, age 60 years, testified that he and his brother went to James City to see a horse - two horses for sale; one died. The question of discussion being which horse died.
Daniel Tucker, aged 55 years, testified that while at his brother Allen's house, saw the horse in Mr. Bland's and Mr. Carter's field; but presently saw it in his brother's field.
Wm. Hare, aged 30 years, Testified.
Francis Mason, aged 21 years, said it was his father's horse, James Mason's.
Mr. Wm. Scott, age 25 years, testified.
Mr. Henry Applewhaite, aged 25 years, testified.
John Senior, aged 17 years, testified.

Page 309. 22 Aug. 1668. Whereas Aylse Warren sold one Lease of land for fifteen years to Ed. Colby, if Elizabeth Petway die before fifteen years

be served, to pay her back in tobacco.
Rec.: 14 September 1668.
Wit.: Geo. Johnson, John Hay.
Ed. Colby (or Colly) assigns it to Richard Rogers.
Wit.: Wm. Shorte, John Rawlings.

Page 309. 1 September 1668. James Murray appoints his friend Randall Holt Atty. for debt due Thomas Binns, 450 lbs. Tob.

Page 309. Entry omitted. See last entry before Book II.

Page 309. 15 March 1668. Wm. Porter had a grant of land at Phillip Hunifford's to Blackwater for transportation of nine persons 11 Aug. 1667.
Wm. Porter assigns this 216 acres of land to John George.
Wit.: Geo. Hancocke, Thos. Flood.

Page 310. 20 Aug. 1668. Edward Petway & Elizabeth his wife to Thos. Ware of Isle of Wight, 200 acres of land in Surry County part of a patent of 700 acres of land secured in 1666 being near the mill path, leading to Geo. Foster's.

Page 312. 6 May 1668. Indenture between Geo. Watkin and wife Gertrude and Joseph Rogers for 500 acres of land on Lawnes Creek and Richard Drew..,to Mr. Carter's land, east to Watkins'.
Rec.: 15 March 1668.
Will Browne, Wm. Corker.

Page 311. 3 July 1668. Indenture between Joseph Rogers of Lawnes Creek Parish and Geo. Watkin, 500 acres in Surry County adjoining Richard Drew, Carter's land and Watkins'.
Wit.: Will Brown, Wm. Corker.

Page 312. 25 September 1668. John Senior, aged 17 years, testified.
Wm. Bride, aged 30 years testified.

Page 317. 15 Oct. 1668. Widdow Creed makes sale of property.

Page 318. Phillip Simbry? appoints his brother, Benj. Harrison, his Atty.
Wit.: Wm. Scarbrow, Geo. Proctor, Wm. Nance.

Page 319. 7 Oct. 1668. John Preassure , of Nansemond County, and John Rawlings, of Surry County, Sell a water mill and land to John...? on Burchen Swamp, late in possession of Henry Francis.
Rec.: 21 Dec. 1668.
Wit.: Thos. Ballard, John Sallway.

Page 320. 6 Jan. 1668. Ellis Ventor, miller, sells to Roby. Babb, clerke, a mill house and land at Ware Neck...was granted by deed of John Corker and Dorthory, to Capt. Webster.
Wit.: Thos. Warren, Wm. Hill.

Page 321. 12 Dec. 1668. Edward Collier of Buckland, Charles Citty County, Planter, sells to Richard Rogers 300 acres on Chippoaks Creek, called Cabin Poynt, adj. John and Richard Taylor, granted to John & Richard Taylor.
Wit.: Elias Osborne, John Banks, John Rawlings.

Page 321. 25 8ber 1668. Edward Collier, of Buckland, Charles Citty County, planter, assigns to his loving cousin, John Collier, in Surry County, planter, atty. in account, a bill of sale to Richard Rogers.

Page 321. Salem: ye 25th 8ber 1668. Mrs. Thompson, my respects extended being glad to heare of ye welfare as you may remember severall yeares past you had some goods by me and to pay twentye shillings...to pay my sosson (sic) Mr. John Cary, March 1668.
Yours to serve, Walter Price

Page 321. March 1668. Wm. Porter and wife Elizabeth to Geo. Mansfield 300 acres of land adj. Phillip Hunniford.
Wit.: Jno. Grove, Nich. Hill.

Page 322. 23 April 1667. Wm. Porter had a patent from Wm. Berkeley for 600 acres of land adj. Huniford for the transportation of twelve persons.

Page 323. 2 May 1668. Phillip Hunniford and wife, Jane, sell 600 acres to Geo. Manfield.
Wit.: Jno. Grove, Nich. Hill.

Page 323. 20 Feb. 1668. Thos. Flood, Corroner, for the time being, two men drowned watering a horse. Jury members were:

Wm. Rose	Fra. Hogwood
Robt. Warren	John Bird
Fra. Gray	John Meare
Rob. Lee	

Page 324. 4 Feb. 1668. Indenture between Samuel Plow and his wife Mary and Wm. Marriott, being a grant to Mr. Wm. Edwards he sold to Blow, adjoining Mr. Binns at Reedy Branch and Crouches Creek.
Rec.: 9 March 1668.
Wit.: Wm. Browne, Thos. Flood.

Page 325. 2 Feb. 1668. Indenture between Katherine Green and John Salway. Katherine Greene, relict of Peter Greene, there being a debt of Peter Greene to John Salway - where Katherine Greene now lives, 200 acres of land on the south side of James River, west side at head of Pawnes Creek adjoining Hill and Richard Drew land at Baker's mill.
Wit.: Rob. Babb, Clerke; Ellis Ventor.

Page 326. 7 Dec. 1668. Jane Tucker, Relict of Samuel Tucker. Her husband sold land to Maj. Nicholas Hill, of Isle of Wight County.
Rec.: 20 Dec. 1668.
Wm. Harris, Thos. Lockett, Henry Randolph, Notary, statement that she was his wife, and probated his will.

Page 327. 4 Oct. 1667. Wm. Webb, of Tewkesbury in Gloucester, shoemaker, appoints his friend Lott Rocketts of ye City of Bristoll, due from Plantation in Virginia.
Wit.: Rich. Hill, Conway Whitehorn, Thos. Newsum, Henry Peyton, Justice of the Peace.

Page 327. Jan. 1668. Est. of Andrew Robinson, by Thos. Binns.

Page 327. 20 Jan. 1668. Mr. Welbeck to implead Marshall Macanna, desires for Mr. Somers to satisfy him.
Wit.: Robert Wilde.

Page 328. George Hopewell, merchant, of Exon, Maj. Nich. Hill Atty.
Wit.: Thos. Lillicrop, Rich. Jarrett, John -(?)-.

Page 328. 22 Aug. 1668. Wm. Shorte to his brother Thomas Shorte land adjoining Thos. Busby's land etc.
Wit.: Thos. Greene, Jno. King.

Page 328. 4 May 1668. John Warren, sonne of Robert Warren of Surry County, to James Riddick, formerly was exor. of "my father's estate." I have received full satisfaction.
Signed: John Warringe.
Wit.: Ed Bushell, John Mabery.

Page 329. Elizabeth Shorte and Wm. Shorte of Surry County, sell to Geo. Midleton of Charles Citty County, a parcell of land one divident at Swamp.
Wit.: Wm. Marriott, Wm. Simmons.

Page 329. 22 Aug. 1668. Wm. Shorte, he moving, sells to Thos. Greene 100 acres of land on the S. E. side of Western Branch of Upper Chippoakes Creek, Patent 7 Jan. 1649 to Wm. Shorte.
Rec.: 4 May 1668.

Page 330. 27 Feb. 1668. Wm. Shorte sells to Wm. Heath 50 acres of land at the head of Western Branch of Upper Chippoakes Creek, where Heath now lives.
Wit.: Wm. Marriott.

Page 331. 17 Feb. 1659. Indenture between Geo. Carter and Mrs. Aylse Parke both of Lower Chippoakes, Surry County, and Peter Adams land called Fig Tree, now in possession of Chambers and Wm. Newsum.
Rec.: 17 Oct. 1668.
Wit.: G. Watkin, Ann Churchman.

Page 332. 1 May 1669. Henry Francis of Surry County appoints John King his atty. in a judgment for 500 lbs. tob. debt to Rich. Welbeck.
Wit.: James Elson.

Page 332. 25 April 1669. Mary Skinner, wife of Richard Skinner, deceased, acknowledges receipt from her husband's estate what John Burgess, deceased, did give to her daughter, Susannah Burgess, etc.

Page 332. 20 April 1669. Patrick Bartley formerly had 100 acres, which did escheat to his Majestie from Henry Meddows and Bartley dying intestate ye heirs and Dorothy Bartley, Relict, Petition for the grant of land to her heirs.

Page 333. 31 May 1669. Patrick Bartley had 100 acres of land at the time of his death on Blackwater River, Patent 20 May 1666.
Signed: Thos. Warren, Wm. Marriott, Ed. Petway, Mathias Merriott, Rich. Drew, Rich. Harris, Wm. Newsome.

Page 334. Wee, Charles Amry and Robt. Spenser and Wm. Oldis of Lawnes Creek Parish, trustees of the Est. of Capt. Wm. Cockerham, deceased, to the Court of Surry County, 60 lbs. of tob., all the estate and tuition of his two sons, William and Thomas Cockerham, and pay William and Thomas their full shares of their deceased father's estate, cattle, etc., when of age. No date.
Signed: Charles Amry, Robert Spenser, Wm. Oldis.
Wit.: Will Sherwood, Geo. Watkin.

Page 335. Know all these presents that wee Charles Amry of Lawnes Creek Parish, Surry County, merchant, Wm. Oldis of same Parish and County and Edward Travis of James Citty Island are bound and obliged to Robt. Spenser of Surry County for 10,000 lbs. of tob. to be paid Robt. Spenser or to his atty. admr. 13 May 1669.
The conditions of this are that Robt. Spenser, special trustee request and desires sd Charles Amry bound on penalty of 60,000 lbs. tob. to the Court of Surry County for the estate of Wm. Cockerham, deceased, and Amry is to indemnify to Spenser also Trustee of the goods and chattels lands from all troubles by reason of delivery of the estate of Wm. Cockerham, and tuition of William and Thomas Cockerham, his sons.
Wm. Sherwood, Geo. Watkin.

Page 336. 4 May 1669. Thos. Binns, sick with distemper, is unable to appear at Court in case against Wm. Marriott and Coll. Jordan's business against himself.

Page 337. 5 July 1669. Thos. Pitman, lame and unable to attend court, makes his wife, Mary Pitman, his atty. to confess judgment to Wm. Marriott and Ed. Bushell for 640 lbs. tob.

Page 330. 22 Dec. 1668. Sir Wm. Berkeley, Gov. of Va., officially appoints the following as Commissioners of Surry County...to be always in full power

legal tobacco and caskes out of his share of the estate and likewise further agreed betwixt ye sd Mathais Marriott shall have a white mare, her foale, bed, gold ring, one castor hatt of ye estate of Wm. Warren, and ye sd Mathias Marriott shall have a full share of ye children only if ye abovesaid Thos. Warren, deceased, his estate at ye mannor house where ye said Thos. Warren did live and ye whole divident of land thereon itt is situated with all houses, orchards, and appurtenances thereunto belonging and shall remain in fee simple unto Mathias Marriott and his heirs forever.

Itt is further agreed...that ye Mrs. Jane Warren shall peaceably and quietly enjoy ye one-third of the aforesaid mannor house, orchards, and dividents of land hereunto belonging, free egress and regress in and up ye land during her life ye sd Mr. Marriott to have allowed him for his share of ye crop of wheat, etc.

Jane Warren, Mathias Marriott.
Geo. Watkin, Gertrude Watkin.

Page 378. 2 Jan. 1670. Capt. Wm. Woodward makes Geo. Proctor his atty.
Wit.: Martin Quelse?. James Buford.

Page 378. 30 Dec. 1670. Barth. Owen to Richard Welbeck. 3 Jan. 1670.
Geo. Proctor, Henry Brigs, Johannah Owen.

Page 378. 30 Dec. 1670. Robert Shaw pays bill to Mrs. Berber.
Wit.: Edward Bridgman, John Goringe.

Page 379. 3 Jan. 1670. John Brady, Planter, for valuable consideration, sells to John Moring of Surry County, planter, a parcell of land on the west side of Besse's Swamp, adj. Maj. Marriott, 100 acres of land.
Wit.: Robert Babb, Fra. Simmons.

Page 379. 3 Jan. 1670. Geo. Lee of Charles Citty County, Va., for 7000 lbs. of tob. sells to Geo. Watkin a gray mare.
Wit.: Thos. Blayton, Wm. Scarbrow.

Page 380. 24 Feb. 1670. John Hunnicutt and Elizabeth Warren, spinster, both of the County, have contracted to enter marriage...John Hunnicutt to make over to Elizabeth Warren all household goods that she is possessed with.
7 March 1670.
Wit.: John Corker, Jane Warren.

Page 380. 3 Jan. 1670. Depositions of:
Martin Johnson, aged 30 years.
Thos. Laine, aged 36 years.
John Price, aged 21 years.
John Kindred, aged 35 years.
Edward Morley.

Page 381. 4 March 1671. Margaret Winchester appoints Jeremiah Ellis her atty.
Wit.: Richard Hide.

Page 382. James Stradling is indebted to Wm. Marriott for 755 lbs. of tob.
Wit.: Robert Babb, Jr., Phill. Howard.

Page 382. Samuel Hayden, aged 26 years, made deposition that two years since he took a Plantation of Mr. Randall Holt in a place called Thimble Point where Wm. Clarke lately lived and looked after hoggs of sd Holt.
Wit.: Robert Spenser.

Page 383. Benj. Amry aged 19 years testified about Hog Island and hogs.

Page 383. 20 April 1671. John George makes Mr. Wm. Sherwood atty. for the estate of John Grove, deceased.

Page 383. 22 April 1671. A dead man found in the river at Thompson's landing, having been dead a long time.

Ed. Petway
Wm. Smith
John Shiner
John Freestone
James Fowler
Wm. Edwards
Wm. Foreman
Wm. Arnoll
John Greenwood

Page 385. 1 April 1671. A dead man found at the landing of Coll. Thos. Swann, the Coroner out of the County, an able young man drowned in the river.
Geo. Jordan
Thos. Lillicrop
Thos. Crowes
Wm. Spring
Wm. Gray
Samuel Swann
James Samson
Thos. Clarke
Harry Rouse
Wm. Hill
Rec.: 4 May 1671.

Page 385. 26 April 1670. Wm. Sherwood, Sub. Sheriff of the County to the Worshipful Justices of Surry County for himself and the Public Good at the Grand Assembly at James Citty on 7 Oct. 1665 among divers good laws an act concerning entertainment of Indians, shall be fined 1000 lbs. of tobacco or one year imprisonment without baile unless security be given. Joseph Rogers not obtaining a license, employed Indians, severall in his dwelling house, contrary to law, and were a danger to the neighborhood etc.
Wit.: Thos. Crows, Thos. Clarke.
Rec.: 6 May 1671.

Page 386. 7 July 1671. Joseph Antrobus cannot appear at Court, empowers Mr. John Salway to act for him.

Page 386. 26 May 1671. Will Mays empowers his friend Mr. Nicholas Morrison to collect debts from Thos. Busby.

Page 386. 7 July 1671. Peleg Dunstan and Andrew Robertson overseers of a gift of a mare colt to Susanna Robinson by her grandmother Sicelye Dunstant in her will...loving brother John Dunstan to take in his care the mare and increase, etc.
Wit.: Francis Gower, Henry Lucas.

Page 387. 4 July 1671. Thos. Busby has sold to Mr. Wm. Bird of Martin's Brandon, a grist mill and appurtenances, beginning at ye head of Chippoakes Creek in Surry County, also 150 acres adjoining, now in possession of one Heyward, also dwelling house now in possession of Daniell Williams, out of a patent to Michell...and John Rawlings.
Wit.: Elias Osborne and William Shorte.

Page 388. 27 July 1671. At Ye house of Capt. Geo. Watkin's, Capt. Law. Baker, Mr. Chas. Barham, and Mr. Robert Spenser did examine Jane, alias Hannah Davis, servant to ye Watkin. She testified concerning her child.

Page 389. 22 July 1671. Thos. Busby had a bill of 150 lbs. Tob. which he owed to Capt. Gray, deceased, for natural love to his dear daughter Grace Busby, one mare filly to be delivered and marked for her at the age of ten years, if Grace die, or marry, then to nephew, Francis Allen, son of Anthonye Allen. Wm. Sherwood to Act at the next Court.

Page 389. John Hunnicutt, who has married Elizabeth Warren, daughter of Mr. Thomas Warren, deceased, has received of Mr. Mathias Marriott his due portion of the estate belonging to ye said Elizabeth as it was given by Mrs. Jane Warren, and to acknowledge unto sd Marriott for the same.
20 March 1670.
Teste: Geo. Watkin.

Page 389. 5 June 1671. Mr. Richard Welbecke is asked by Rowland Place to arrest Thos. Busby for certain debts and bring him to Court.

Page 388. Thos. Busby sells Mr. Wm. Bird, of Martin's Brandon, 300 acres of land in Surry County at Michaell Michard? to Wm. Shorte's.
Wit.: Elias Osborne, Wm. Shorte.

Page 389. John Whitson and Robert Spenser. To all
John Whitson of Surry County having married Ann
Robert Spenser of the same County, and having he
Whitson and her mother being dead, Robert Spens
to his Grandchild and her future benefit has deli
father of sd child, one mare filly, and some live
when she is sixteen years old, or married; if she
Rec.: 7 April 1671.
Wit.: Edward Petway, Geo. Watkin.

Page 390. John Clarke appoints Mr. John Blayton to
Court in a suit with Henry Brigs concerning a de

Page 391. 17 June 1671. Thos. Busby, Gent., sells
of land at the head of Chippoakes Creek, extending
Wit.: Wm. Rooking, Elias Osborne Appoints Wm.
31 Aug. 1671. Samuel Williams, Geo. Lee.

Page 392. 3 Jan. 1671. John Kindred, Lawnes Creek
to Nathaniel Knight 300 acres of land for 4000 lb
John Kindred, formerly a patent, by will of Coll.
county, deceased, unto his daughter, Jane, and af
tract of land lately purchased by Lt. Coll. Geo.
of Coll. Flood.
Wit.: John Stevenson, Wm. Sherwood.

Page 393. 6 9ber 1671. Indenture between Wm. Hare
carpenter, and Mary, his wife, ye late wife of Ge
Wm. Atkinson, being at the Spring Branch extending
Wit.: Charles Barham, Stephen Allen.

Page 394. 31 Dec. 1671. Indenture between John Sa
his wife, & John Dunstan and James Reddick, and
where Salway now lives 200 acres on the south side
Maj. Hill, and Richard Drew...called New Mill.
Wit.: Edward Bechino, Rich. Skiner.
Signed: John Dunstan, James Reddick, Mary Reddi
Mary Reddick appoints her cozen John Dunstan to
Wit.: Geo. Watkin, Ed. Bechinoe.

Page 395. 7 9ber 1671. John Salway binds over to
tract of land adj. John Dunstan at the head of La
Wit.: Henry Baker, John Balie.

Page 396. 4 July 1671. Indenture between Roger De
and Wm. Butler...to where Humphrey Allen lived,
Wit.: John Salway, James Reddick.

Page 397. 30 Sept. 1671. Indenture between Roger
planter, for 1500 lbs. tob., 70 acres of land in
Swamp between Robt. Renolds and the Plantation for
...to edge of Round Meddow...to Reedy Branch.
Wit.: Jos. Antrobus, Wm. Gray

Page 398. 7 9ber 1671. Phillip Hunniford of Black
County to Joseph Well 200 acres on the Swamp, of
end of 400 acres of land in Surry County pat. to
Wit.: Martin Luther, Wm. Sherwood.

Page 399. 7 9ber 1671. Roger Delke, planter, he
Reynolds, planter, land in Lawne's Creek Neck for
Thomas and John Burges, land that William Cock now
Meddows part of 100 acres formerly given and gran
Mr. Roger Delke. Acknowledged by Delke and his
Wit.: Rich. Hill. Robt. Kee, or Kae.

Page 400. 23 March 1671
atty. to release John
Wit.: John White, Ma

Page 400. 6 9ber 1671.
above James Reddicke &
Robt. Reddick.
Teste: Geo. Watkin.
Wit.: Thos. Lillicro

Page 401. 22 Feb. 1670.
Spenser his atty.

Page 401. 6 9ber 1671.

Page 401. 9 June 1671.
Wit.: Letetia Barker,

Page 401. 1 Jan. 1671.
Mr. Benj. Harrison and
to send his wife as he

Page 402. 3 Jan. 1671.
way, live stock, negro
of tobacco owed to John
Wit.: John Carr, Robe

Page 402. Thos. Bentley
Mr. Geo. Lee.
Wit.: John Legrand.

Page 402. A copy of the
John Cary.
Wit.: Geo. Proctor, Joh

Page 403. 16 Dec. 1671.
mission bound for Englan
as far as I yet doe know
orphant brother unto my
England with me and beca
Geo. Jordan and Capt. Tho
Flood att sea, pay his p
and take loving care of
50 pounds sterling when
Rec.: 3 Jan. 1671.
Wit.: Geo. Proctor, Joh

Page 404. 6 9ber 1671.
Wm. Sherwood, Wm. Edwa

Page 404. Robert Bralye ma
Hubert Harrell, Wm. Bowle

Page 404. 4 March 1671.
has run away in to the Ba
Wit.: James Goring.

Page 405. Maj. Griffin cla
Surry County and a Jury i
and Lawrence Baker and di
Suit in James Citty. 29 A

Indenture between John Browne and John King for five
King to provide sufficient clothing, washing,
him the trade of cooper for five years.
Edward Hutchesson.

Wm. Townsend appoints his friend Wm. Seward his
ham and give security.
n Maynes.

John Salway sells a bay mare to James Reddicke. The
the increase, except the first foal, to his son,

Wm. Cockin.

Henry Applewhite appoints his friend Mr. Robert

. Lee asks to be excused from Court; hurt his foot.

Vincent Inge empowers his friend Isaih Watson atty.
n. Knighton.

er Williams is arrested at ye suit of Coll. Swann.
Wm. Hux to appear at the next Court 3 Jan. next, and
bitten by a dog.

Wm. Rose makes a pledge of cartain goods of John Sal-
n, etc., for the security of a debt of 2400 lbs.
way, 12 Oct. 1671.
almer.

wers John Rawlings to be his atty. in a suit with

e of Walter Flood, orphants, in the hands of Mr.
merson.

John Cary of Surry County, Virginia, being by God's
d yere to continue with my wife and children for
whereas I am now guardian unto Walter Flood,
, and Walter Flood being intended to go to
s. of the great distance now asks that Lt. Coll.
Flood jointly to take over the estate of Walter
ge and see after him in England, school, food,
and give him two mares at sixteen years old and
ears old, etc., out of the estate in Virginia.
merson.

Dunstant sells a horse to Thomas High.

, his friend Geo. Proctor his atty. between Mr.
nd himself.

Rogers, a Welshman, has run away owing a debt,
nd Robert Shaw wants judgment for the debt.

land formerly belonging to James Taylor, of
held said the land was held jointly by Taylor
long to Baker by survival. Case was dismissed.
1667.

Thomas Mason, aged 35, made deposition.
Ann Kersey, aged 30, made a deposition.

Page 130. 4 July 1677. Wm. Blackburne, aged 26, testified about Jno. Orchard. Abraham Wallis, aged 28, testified.

Page 130. 3 July 1677. John Clarke, aged 25, testified that three men from Nansemond County, pressed him to show them the way to Roger Rawlings... they had Capt. Long's warrant & paper for Mr. Collins.

Page 130. No date given. Wm. Kitte, aged 37, saith he was ordered by Mr. Long to prepare boats. Kitte went to Long, at Chippoakes & told him boats were small, carrying about eight people. When at Towne, Mr. Alsope said they had all the Governor's goods, etc.

Page 130. Jno. Price, aged 27, made a deposition that at the home of Mr. Long's where Roger Rawlings came that Rawlings was to carry Long "over to Towne," that the Governor was landing with several Judges to "destroy us all." 4 July 1677.

Page 131. 3 July 1677. John King, aged 32, testified about the happening at Geo. Lee's home, when Nathan Reynolds appeared.

Page 131. 4 July 1677. Jeremiah Ellis, aged 34, testified about being at home of Henry Francis and a conversation about Rookings and Robert Lee, also about a horse of Capt. Barham's & Thos. Bentley.

Page 131. 3 July 1677. Wm. Challoner, aged 34, testified concerning Goody Hux, Mrs. Thompson, Jno. Orchard, and Thos. Hux, Jr.

Page 132. 3 July 1677. On deed from Thos. Senior to Jno. Price, 1674, was found assignment by Jno. Price and wife Mary, to Stephen Lewis, his heirs, etc.

Page 132. 14 June 1677. John Grascome appoints his friend, George Lee, of Surry Co., chrurgion, his attorney.
Geo. Proctor, Arthur Long.

Page 132. 2 July 1677. Thos. Hunt appoints his friend, Jeremiah Ellis, to collect from John Salway.
Teste: Mary Ellis.

Page 133. 3 July 1677. Thos. Hux, Sr., makes Elias Osborne his attorney.
Signed: Sarah Tayler, Robert Cuodifer.

Page 133. 4 July 1677. At a Court held for Surry County, Arthur Long appeared in Court with a rope about his neck and on his bond made a statement that he repented of his Rebellion, and on his knees implored pardon of his God and King, etc.

Page 134. 3 July 1677. Jno. Price, aged 22 years, testified that about the twenty-third of last September, the Deponent prisoner at the house of Arthur Allen, heard Capt. Arthur Long command Thos. Gibbons to take his gun and shoot into Allen's cattle: Later, deponent was given leave to go home by Capt. Pittman and Long and to bring dogs in the morning to catch Allen's cattle...some were killed, and Allen's wheat ground in a hand mill, then the deponent was sent back to prison.

Thomas Gibbond, aged 30 years, testified to about the same thing.

Page 134. 3 July 1677. Elizabeth Blesley, about 29 years old, testified that she was Arthur Allen's house when it was taken or seized by Rebells; Joseph Rogers and one man more came armed. About three-quarters of an hour afterward, it was entered by the Rebell Crew, with whom deponent had no discourse that night, but afterwards answered queries about Mr. Allen's plate, where it was hid, etc. Joseph Rogers and a man brought a large

Dutch case to Mr. Allen's house, with about six or seven three pint bottles, etc.

Page 134. 9 July 1677. Mary Hodge, wife of John Cooper, aged 22, testified that shortly after Mr. Arthur Allen was forced from his house by wicked Rebells, her husband found a saddle with bolster, and put them into a chest, but Joseph Rogers came to Deponent's house and demanded three saddles, locked in the chest, pushed deponent away and took them with other things.

Page 135. 16 July 1677. Elizabeth Elisley, aged 29, testified that Capt. Robert Burgess (who afterwards was heard to be called Lieut.) with about seventy other men in Arms, entered the house of Mr. Arthur Allen and seized all his estate that they could find, making havoc etc....inquiring for a man of Mr. Allen's called John Fenley, said he had taken him prisoner; the house was robbed of valuables.

Page 135. 16 July 1677. Jno. Fenley, aged 24 years, testified that being sent by his Master, Mr. Arthur Allen, from James Citty to Coll. Swann's, from thence to go home to his sd. Master's house, was by Robert Burgess on the road near Southwarke Church, commanded to stand...took his horse, carbine, etc. The deponent was carried a prisoner to the house of Robert Jones in Flower-de-Hundred, thence to Nevitte Wheeler's in Martins Brandon and remained eleven weeks, though he solicited his liberty.

Page 135. 16 July 1677. Walter Tayler, aged 33 years, testified that he saw Rebells at the house of Mr. Arthur Allen commanded by Wm. Rookings, amongst whom were Robert Burgess...Mr. William Simons, who carried the colours, had title of ensign. Those men carried away books and other Possessions of Mr. Allen.

Page 136. 13 August 1677. Charles II allows a Governor for the time being to reside in Virginia except when commanded to England, then appoints Deputy until a new Governor arrives. All lands now possessed by Planters shall be confirmed to owners and heirs etc. Escheat land to be enjoyed by Inhabitants, who pay two pounds of tobacco for every acre, which is the rate set by the Governor. Gov. to try crimes, murders, etc.
Copia est.: Robert Beverly.

Page 137. Sam Firth, merchant, bound on Voyage, constitutes his beloved friend, Wm. Archer, merchant, and Alex. Sheppard, planter, or either of them Attorney to Collect debts, etc.
Wit.: Hugh Owen, Lance Fletcher.

Page 138. 2 Oct. 1674. Lott? Richards, of Bristoll, England, merchant, appoints Mr. Robert Caufield, of Surry County, his Attorney to collect debts, wtc.
Wit.: John Needy, William Morgan.

Page 141. 6 July 1677. Thomas Busby sells to Richard Race (or Pace) one Indian woman called Ann, aged about twenty-five years.
Wit.: Geo. Lee, John Moring.

Page 143. 3 Sept. 1677. Bartholomew Owen sells to Richard Tias, the elder, 100 acres of land on the North side of Johnseahagen Swamp.
Wit.: Ni.: Meriweather, Eliza Meriweather.

Page 143. 8 7ber 1677. Bartholomew Owen makes Ni.: Meriweather his Attorney, etc.
Wit.: Margaret Thomas, Joan Meriweather.

Page 143. 15 7ber 1677. Martin Thorne appoints Wm. Seward his attorney in a suit with Christopher Smith.
Wit.: Sion Hill, Walter Taylor.

Page 144. 8 7ber 1677. A petition of Ayles Stock, a poor widow and relict of Jno. Stock.

Page 11. 24 Year 1679. Capt. Wm. Wyatt's of Chas. City Co. bond as Exor. Wm. Rookings, &c., 50,000 lbs. legall tob. with Will's Simons & Wm. Carpenter security.
Wit.: Robert Ruffin and Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.

Page 12. Index pages have been bound wrong. E. T. D.

Page 13. May 1679. Jno. Watkins qual. as admr. of Henry Watkins, dec.; bond 40,000 lbs. legall tob. with Wm. Newsum security.
Wit.: Will. Foreman & John Thompson.

Page 14. 26 May 1679. Bond of Wm. Gray for 80,000 lbs. legall tob. with Robert Ruffin & Wm. Newsum of Lawnes Creek Parish to deliver to Wm. & Mary Chambers, orphans of Wm. Chambers, dec., their portion of Est. of their late Father when they come of age.
Wit.: Jno. Price, Fra. Mason, Wm. Edwards.

Page 15. 5 May 1675. Jury to continue until next Court. Mr. Wm. Rookings, foreman, 1. Mr. Richard Drew, 2. Richard Harris, 3. James Murray, 4. Wm. Butler, 5. Tho. Lane, 6. Jno. Dunford, 7. Edwd. Warren, 8. Sam'll Plow, 9. Robt. Cartright, 10. Thos. Crews, 11. Jno. Brady, 12.

Page 16. 16 June 1679. Mary Gray qual. Admx. of Fra. Gray, deced., with Roger Potter & Geo. Foster surety; bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob.
Wit.: Tho. Jordan & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Court.

Page 16. 16 June 1679. Sion Hill qual Admr. Mary Davies dece'd; Bond, 40,000 lbs, tob. with Geo. Williams & Geo. Foster surety.
Wit.: Robert Ruffin & Wm. Edwards Cl. Cur.

Page 17. 1 July 1679. John Barnes qual. Admr. Edward Bridgeman dec. Bond, 40,000 lbs. tob. with Robert Caufield Surety.
Wit.: Fra. Mason & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.

Page 18. 1 July 1679. David Andrews, Jr., qual. Admr. John Flood, dec. Bond, 50,000 lbs. tob., with Tho. Ironmonger & Geo. Foster surety.
Wit.: John Thompson & Wm. Edwards Cl. Cur.

Page 18. 1 July 1679. William Hunt qual Admr. Judah Parker dec. Bond, 50,000 lbs. legal tob. with Wm. Carpinter & Will Nance surety.
Wit.: Tho. Pittman, Sr., Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.

Page 19. 1 July. Joane Adkins qual. Admr. Richard Adkins, dec. Bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob. with Jno. Warren and Thomas Catten sureties.
Wit.: Wm. Nance & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Cur.

Page 19. 1 July 1679. Sion Hill qual. as admr. Jno. Spilltimber dec'd. Bond, 40,000 lbs. legall tob., with Joseph Rogers and Jno. Phillips surety.
Wit.: Benja. Harrison & Wm. Edwards, Cl. Crt.

Folios are numbered beginning here.

Fol. 1. 5 March 1671 and recorded the 8th. Phillip Hunniford of Isle of Wight Co., Va., cooper, for love and affection to Lovinge Neece Charles Williams son to my well beloved brother, Rice Williams, dec'd., gives 100 acres of land at the Blackwater extending from N. side of land Joseph Wall lately purchased of me & part of my patt., dated 14 May 1666.
Wit.: Christo. Holiman, Antho. Evans, Wm. Sherwood.

Fol. 2. 5 March 1671, and recorded the 8th. Phillip Hunniford as above for consideration of Henry Goard of Lawnes Creek Parish, Surry Co., Planter, sells 100 acres of land at Blackwater in Surry Co. on N. side of land this day sold to Neede Chas. Williams, son-in-law to said Goard, part of land by Patt. 14 May 1666.
Wit.: Christopher Holiman, Anthony Evans, Wm. Sherwood.

Fol. 3. 22 Jan. 1671. John Dunstant sells Wm. Smith a mare named Tibe. Ackn. 5 March 1671. Rec. 8 March 1671.
Wit.: John ffrestone, Wm. Edwards.

Fol. 3. 22 Jan. 1671. Recd. of Patrick Lesley for 569 lbs. tob. in cask in full of all demands of portion of my wife, Anne, to Arthur Jordan.
Wit.: Wm. Walward, Tho. Moore.

Fol. 3. 2 March 1671. Rec. 8 March 1671. Power of atty. from James Reddick of Surry Co., Planter, to John Salway of same Co. to Implead Jno. Dunstan.
Wit.: Tho. Baker, Joh. Baker.

Fol. 3. 17 Dec. 1671. Jno. Salway of Lawnes Creek Parish, sells Wm. Sherwood 200 acres of land on S. side of James River on W. side head of Lawnes Creek adj. May Hill, Richd. Drew by cart path betwixt Capt. Baker's & the new mill - same obtained by a deed 2 Feb. 1668 by Katherine Greene, dec., or by indenture 31 Oct. last from Jno. Dunstan & Mary Redick, co-heirs of Peter Greene, dec. (mentions James Raeddick & Mary his wife & Joh. Dunston.) (Possession delivered in Mansion House of sd Plantation).
Wit.: Joseph Antrabus, Walter Bartlett, Tho. Lillicrop, Wm. Cockin.

Fol. 5. 20 Feb. 1671. Wm. Sherwood: letter fro John Scott. States that Capt. Cokerham sent a bill for 1 H H D. bread, was landed at Major Coffeldor's Landing - came not on board to pay & next year when I came into ye Cuntery he was desired. Pow. atty. to collect. Mr. Robt. Coffelder informed me he heard Capt. Cokerham acknowledge, etc., when he lay sick etc. Will satisfy you at my coming next year. Geo. Watkins, Clerk.

Fol. 6. 7 May 1672. 24 year of Reign of Charles II. Jon. Dunstan of Lower Chippoakes, Surry Co., planter, to Arthur Long, planter of same co., sells all interest in p'cell of land in Lyons Creeke Psh. which Thos. Clarie purchased of Ralph Dunstan & Hester his wife 1 Sept. 1660, left me by my brother Peleg after the decease of my brother Ralph Dunstan without Ishew by will of my father John Dunstan.
Wit.: Cha. Barham, Ran. Holt, Wm. Sherwood.
Geo. Watkins, Clerk.

Fol. 7. 11 March 1671. 23 year of Reign of Charles II. Nico. Perry of Chas. Citty County by late marriage with Elesabeth Hutton, daughter of Daniel Hutton, dec., was tenant in dower of land whereof wife stood seized by Mr. Arthur Jordan her guardian - indemnified & for leasing land - especially from Richard Avery to whom I lett part of same before my said wife died - sells all right therein to Arthur Jordan.
Wit.: Geo. Jordan, John Danby.
Pow. Atty. to Mr. Rich. Welluck to acknowledge in Surry Court.
Same witnesses.

Fol. 9. 15 April 1672. Land Grant Wm. Berkeley to John Davies & Charles Duthace in Rt. of their wives 100 acres formerly granted to Tho. Boswell, Jr. & lagely Escheated. (Endorsed John Davies and William Duthace their pattent for 100 acres of land in Surry Co.)

Fol. 10. 4 May 1672. Assigned by John Davis, Mary Davis, and Diana Duthace to Richard Briggs of Surry Co., planter.
Wit.: Law. Baker, Nich. Hill.
Pow. Atty. Mary Davis, wf of Jno. Davis of Isle of Wight to Capt. Law. Baker, Gent. of Surry Co. to acknowledge it in court.
Wit.: Nic. Hill.

Fol. 10. 7 May 1672. Wm. Hare makes our 8 head cattle in open court to Capt. Charles Barham & Mr. Arthur Longe, security for orphants estate of George Carter, deceased.

* New Mary Davies connects Nicholas of Sion Hill.

Page 144. 7 4ber 1677. Deposition of Rowland Davies concerning Robert Kae touching his Tithables. Kae had four men servants called James Johnson, Jno. Collins, Evan Humphrey, and John Esquire, also one negro woman called Judy, and Kae himself and myself (being Davies) and Kae a son called Robert Kae.
Roger Delke, about 48 years, testified to the same.

Page 144. 4 8ber 1677. Thos. Watson, aged 30, testified about Owen Myrick, at the house of Fra. Mason. Thomas Gibbons, aged 30, testified also.

Page 145. 15 Nov. 1677. Wm. Gray and John Gray of Surry County, Joint heirs of Thomas Gray, their Brother, deceased, for 4000 lbs. tobacco sell to Thomas Swann, Esq., 100 acres of land at Smith's Fort Creek, or Gray's Creek.
Wit.: Thos. Busby, Robert Penny.

Page 149. Deposition of Alice Marriott, aged 32 years, about a conversation with Wm. Freeman, Lawrence Meazle, Katherine Witherington, and Thos. High, in which Coll. Swann was called "Old Rebell, or Traytor" etc. Katherine Witherington, aged 31, swore to same, as did also Lawrence Meazle, aged 26 years.

Page 149. 6 Feb. 1676. List of pardoned Rebells in the "Late Disloyal Rebellious Collony," etc.

Walter Vahan	William Jones
Ni. Johnson	Jno. Hunnicutt
Ja. Forbes	Richard Green?
Stephen Lewis	Jno. Clements
Jno. Skinner	Thos. King
Wm. Newitt	Wm. Heath
Thos. Senior	Jno. Garvett
Samuel Plowe	Jno. Pulystone
Geo. Williams	Rob. Evans
Wm. Blunt	Edward Pettway
Mayow? Magnus	Tho. Gibbons
Alex. Spenser	Cor. Cordonpaine
Wm. Bugby	Hen. Baker
Geo. Proctor	John Shelton
Fra. Evans	Robt. Judkins
John Phillips, Sr.	Samuel Judkins
Edmund Howell	Wm. Pettway
Edward Davis	Thos. High
Jonas Bennett	Geo. Harris
Stephen Allen	Thos. Pittman, Sr.

Page 150. 16 9ber 1677. John Cary, of London, moving, appoints Benjamin Harrison of Surry County of James River in Virginia his true and Lawful Attorney to collect debts.
Signed: Tim Briggs, Notary Publique.
Wit.: Henry Briggs, John Warner, Timothy Walker.

Page 150. 15 Sept. 1679. Christopher Foster, aged 27, makes deposition that he was at Coll. Swann's house the same day ye late Gov. Sr. Wm. Berkeley sallied out of towne; Coll. Swann, thinking ye county in some danger, sent Deponent to Mr. Busby's to see if any Guards were kept there and wanted to speak to Busby, but found only Mrs. Busby at home, a woman, two men, and Wm. Pickerell, a lame man, etc.

Page 151. 20 June 1677. Robert Welbeck of great Marlowe, Buckinghamshire, apothecary, makes Wm. Browne, of James River, in Va., Gentlemen, his Attorney to collect money, etc., in Virginia.
Wit.: Samuel Looke, Robert Mitford, Thos. Grewe.

Page 154. 14 day of 9ber 1677. John Bird appoints his wife, Ann Bird, his Attorney.
Wit.: Samuel Mathews.

Page 154. 15 9ber 1677. Richard Hill constitutes Elias Osborne his lawful Attorney.
Wit.: Kerper? Miller, Hannah Pickerell.

Page 154. 15 9ber 1677. Wm. Kitto, aged 38, swore that Susannah Jones, widow of said Jones, before her death was at the home of the Deponent and said that if she did not go to liver with Henry Baker, she must perish for her son, Ni. Johnson, " grutched ye victuals she ate," etc. Therefore she would give what she had to Henry Baker and leave her child, Alice, to sd Baker.
Dorothy Killo, aged 34, swore to same.

Page 155. 18 March 1676/7. The following testified that the dead body of Mary Gasgoville, servant to Jno. Salway, found in the Marsh at Gray's Creek, drowned herself. Signed by:

Wm. Blunt	Jno. Smith
Jno. Clements	Alex. Spenser
Thos. Kinge	Jno. Vinson
Henry Watkins	Henry Baker
Stephen Aston	Edward Pettway
Edmond Howell	Jno. Smith
Thos. Pittman, Sr.	James Forbes

Page 155. 16 9ber 1677. Deposition of Thomas Shrewsby, aged 44, in regard to being forced from his habitation; went to John Rutherford's. John Rogers, and Mr. Wm. Rookings, who were then Chief Commander. Mr. John Salway's house was locked, but opened by John Rutherford, Jno. Rogers, and others, entered and drank wine, etc. Nic. Witherington, aged 30, testified to same.

Page 156. 13 April 1676. Capt. Robert Spenser ordered the body of Ann Amy, wife of John Amy, found dead by the Swamp side near her home to be viewed.

Signed:	Robert Ruffin	Hen. Hunnicutt
	Wm. Powsum	Timothy (Walker?)
	Joseph Rogers	Wm. Chamble
	Peleg Dunstone	Richard Prime
	Jno. Kindred	Thos. Lane
	Ralph Houlston	Wm. Baiden
	Jno. Hodge	

Page 156. 4 Aug. 1677. John Senior sells to Wm. Edwards land adjoining Fra. Mason.
Wit.: Francis Everist, Wm. Thompson

Page 157. 3 9ber 1677. Stephen Lewis sells to Wm. Edwards a Molatto boy, Kiketan, seven years old, for 1000 lbs. of tobacco.
Wit.: Jno. Phillips, Nicholas Johnson, Lewis Williams.

Page 157. 14 9ber 1677. Septhen (sic) Lewis sells to Wm. Edwards 50 acres bought of John Price, Price bought of Thos. Senior, 1674. Sold by John Price and wife Mary to sd. Lewis.
Wit.: Robert Spenser, Robert Ruffin.

Page 158. 10 9ber 1670. Julian Allam and Herbert Ferrell sell to Stephen Lewis a horse; Stephen Lewis sells to John Edwards.
Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Tho. Hone?

Page 158. 5 Nov. 1677. Gov. Herbert Jeffries for the better Administration of Justice in the county, etc., to appoint Inferior Courts of Justice and Commissioners for the same. On the 28 June 1642, Commissioners were appointed for every county for keeping monthly courts, and since continued.

On the 2 March 1661, it was said eight men, the most honest and Judicious in the County, eight, or four of them a Quorum, etc. Some to be empowered out of Court to act and do all such things as by ye Laws of England and to be done by Justices of the Peace thereof. These take the oath of allegiance. Now two more persons to be added.

Lt. Col. Geo. Jordan Capt. Lawrence Baker

Parish levies, as he has no way but his own labor and industry to maintain himself, his wife, and a small child. Petition was granted.

Page 197. 31 Dec. 1678. At Middle Plantation: Present were Hon. Chickley, Knt., Deputy Governor, etc., Coll, Nathan Bacon, Lt. Coll. Dabiel Parke, Coll. Joseph Bridger, Coll. Wm. Cole, Ro. Wormeley, Esq., and Richard Lee, Esq.

Ordered that Mr. Robert Caufield, Mr. Arthur Allen, and those other Gentlemen of Surry County that were suspended from ye Commission of the sd Court in the same qualification they were formerly. To the Justices of Surry County.
Signed: Hn. Hartwell.

Page 198. 4 March 1678. Wm. Hancock acknowledges he has received full satisfaction for all rights in purchase of Rowland Hudson, in his life and for himself and wife, and confirms to Jude Hudson, his wife, to her and his child. 27 April 1667.
Signed: Wm. Hancock, and Eliza Hancock.

On reverse deed was written: Deed of sale from Geo. Blow et ux to Rowland Hudson and Wm. Hancock. Rec.: Nov. 1664.

Page 198. 4 March 1678/9. Robert Kae, and Mary, his wife, of the Upper Parish of Isle of Wight County, Virginia, for 30,000 lbs. of tobacco paid by Robert Caufield of Lawnes Creek Par., Surry Co., Va., sell 300 acres of land, part of a Patent of 1,000 acres, granted to Roger Delk, deceased, land sold by Roger Delk (only son and heir of Roger Delk, and Rebecka, his wife) to Capt. Thomas Adams, late of Isle of Wight, deceased, Nov. 1659, and by William Adams, of Kenton in County Devon, in England, brother and heir to Capt. Thomas Adams, both in his own right and his sister, Dorothy Pegraff, of County of Devon, sold and conveyed to sd Kae, 10 March 1664, and residue to Roger Delke, and Rebecca his wife, 10 Nov. 1666, and deeds to said Caufield, Now delivered 4 March 1678/9.
Signed: Robert Kae, Mary Kae.
Wit.: Thos. Pittman, Sr., Jno. Barnes, Robert Kae, and Samuel Swann.

Page 203. 6 May 1679. Ind. Arthur Allen to Capt. Law. Baker 350 acres of land east side of second swamp, Blackwater, Pat. 14 June 1678.

Page 201. 14 March 1678. Charles Judkins, an orphan, is to stay in custody of Thos. Pittman, Sr., until he is 21 years old at the request of Thos. Pittman's deceased wife.

Page 205. 5 May 1679. William Little sells to George Peeters and Mabell Peeters for some consideration.
Wit.: Wm. Seward, James Murray.

Page 206. 6 May 1679. Jno. Miniard to Roger Potter some stock, a debt for which Capt. Roger Potter is bound with me to Mr. Arthur Allen for 652 lbs. of tobacco.
Wit.: Robert Randall, Jno. Rawlings.

Page 206. 26 April 1679. The following men viewed the body of a drowned seaman and swore before Capt. Charles Barham the verdict.

Wm. Seward	Wm. Prosser
Fra. Rowland	Jos. Seale or Seele
Christopher Smith	Richard Andrews
Wm. Hancocke	Jno. Greene
Thos. Clary	Edward James
Jno. Cary	Walter Bartlett

Page 207. 13 Nov. 1678. Sarah Curtis, found dead, is said by Jury to be lame and dropsical and she died of exposure. She was former servant to Mary Skinner, of Isle of Wight County. The Jury members were:

Ni. Willson	Jno. Gray
Richard Drew	Joseph Foard
Walter Taylor	Thos. Smith
Jno. Dunford	Henry Gray
Jos. Barlow	James Reddick
James Largie.	

Page 209. 27 Mar. 1679. Administration on estates granted to the following:

Mabell Drew on est. of her husband, Richard Drew.

Mary Gray on est. of her husband, Fra. Gray, deceased.

Jno. Case on est. of Edward Browne in right of orphans.

Roger Potter, admr., on est. of Thomas Foserreft, dec'd., for orphans.

Sion Hill on est. of Mary Davis.

Jane Spenser on will of her husband, Robert Spenser.

Mary White and Mrs. Lucy Corker on will of John White, deceased.

Eliza. Claye on the will of her deceased Husband, Thos. Clay.

Ni. Williams on the will of Joseph Pharlow.

Page 211. 16 June 1679. Robert Ruffin declared that at the house of Lewis Williams, of Lawnes Creek Parish, late deceased, he heard Mrs. Williams say that her husband, before he died, gave his son to Wm. Newsum, and his girls to Sion Hill, and his wife and daughter-in-law, named Mary, to Mr. Thompson and ye others of his daughters-in-law to the disposing of his wife. The wife died, and the child went to Mrs. Edwards.

Page 211. 8 May 1679. Benjamin Harrison made High Sheriff.

Page 211. 6 May 1679. Est. of Jno. Collier, deceased, debtor on Jno. Rawlings, Oct. 1679, being divided between the Relict, (and) Thos., Jno., Joseph, and Mary, orphans of said deceased.
Signed: Jno. Rawlings.

Page 213. 1 March 1677. Thos. Drew, Lawnes Creek Par., and Faith, his wife, sell to Richard Drew land adj. Long and Capt. Baker, part of a patent to Robert Warren, 6 Aug. 1649, and by Warren assigned to Richard Blunt, and by Thos. Blunt, only son and heir to sd. Richard, sold and conveyed to Thos. Drew and he this 50 acres to Richard Drew.
Rec.: 1 July 1679.
Wit.: Charles Barham, Ar. Allen, Robt. Ruffin.

Page 214. 1 July 1679. John King, aged 33 years, sworn and said that he heard Wm. Rookings say he would carry his will to his brother, Wyatt's, and there subscribe it.

Page 223. 2 7ber 1679. Wm. Harris and wife Mary sell to Wm. Gray 494 acres, part of pat. for 850 acres granted 2 June 1661, adj. Rich. Briggs, dec.

Page 215. 1 July 1679. Thos. Binns acknowledges receipt from Mr. Fra. Mason of 85,850 lbs. of tobacco, being his part of his (Binns') father's est.

Page 229. 9 8ber 1679. Jury called to view the dead body of a man:

Zachariah Jackson	Daniel Wade
James Ellis	Jno. Phillips
Edmund Howell	John Porteus
James Rowles	James Forbus

Thos. High	Henry Baker
Thos. Binns	James Warren

Page 229. 17 Feb. 1678/9. Power of Atty. granted to Sarah Bland before Nicholas Hayward, Notary in London; she wife to John Bland, merchant in London, Sarah Bland now bound from London to Virginia and principally Mr. Bernard Sykes and Mr. Dodd and take in...Plantations of Bartlett Kin, Herring Creeke Mill, Jordains, Westover, Upper Chipoaks, Sunken Marsh Plantation, Basses Vhoice, James Towne Lott, Lawnes Creek and all other land and Plantations due, owing, or belonging to sd. John Bland, etc., etc., administrator on Theodorick Bland, late of Bartlett Upon James River in Charles City County, Va., merchant, deceased.
Wit.: Anthony Fenn, Robert Mittford, Edward Montaigne, Thomas Tanner, Humph. Hegynison?

Page 230. 6 Oct. 1679. Sarah Bland, Atty. and wife of John Bland, confirms to Walter Bartlett all purchases made by him from Giles Bland.
Wit.: Robert Caufield, John Mover.
Confirms to Edward Tanner, likewise. 4 9ber 1679.
On back of this deed was written warrant of Atty. to Richard Clarke, Sheriff, to acknowledge the indenture.

Page 233. 26 9ber 1679. Charles Moryson writes to his friend, Mr. Robert Caufield, merchant, excusing himself for not writing from Col. Bridger's concerning Mr. Goring's estate. Said he forgot, being just leaving the country, full of troubles and distractions, as he was bound for New Yorke with the Indyans wch came from Barmudus, who I am commanded to carry to the abovesaid place, etc." He stated that he wished Caufield to secure the Rapier, Pistolls, and Holsters he had lent Mr. Goring, etc.
Signed: Ch. Moryson.

Page 235. 6 May 1679. Acct. of Est. of Jno. Barton, deceased.

Page 236. 9 9ber 1679. On the back of a Patent for 250 acres of land granted to Robert House, dated 14 March 1666, is written that Robt. House, Sr., for 4000 lbs. of tobbacco, paid by John Warren, sells to John Warren, his heirs, etc.
Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Jeremiah Ellis.

Page 236. 18 Dec. 1679. A Jury was summoned at the house of Henry Clarke, in Hog Island, to inquire into the death of a child, being left alone fell into the fire;

Timothy Easell, Sr.	Edward Tanner
Wm. Prosser	George Easell
Walter Bartlett	Jason Skinner
Henry Clarke	Jno. Barnes
Thos. Edwards	Wm. Hancocke
Charles Amry	Owen Mise?

Page 238. 4 9ber 1679. Thos. Busby explains that on the 20 June 1677 he sold an Indian girl of nine years as a slave to Wm. Duke. Wm. Duke died before the sale was consummated and Wm. Archer married the Relict and administratrix of Wm. Duke. He confirms the sale of the Indian girl, Bess, to Wm. Archer.
Wit.: John Tirrey, Dorothy Tirrey.

Page 239. 15 Dec. 1679. Fra. Lord, of the Parish of Wallingford, in James Citty County, etc.,...whereas Edward Gunnell owned 1426 acres of land in Surry County, by Beaver Dam Swamp...was Patent from Sir Wm. Berkeley 8 9ber 1670, and sold to Wm. Stento, 731 acres and Wm. Stanton died before acknowledging the deed, although in his Will he gave the land to his wife, Dorothy, and Fra. Lord, having married sd. Dorothy has become the rightful owner of said land as Wm. Stanton had sold the 713 acres to Henry Briggs, and confirms to Henry Briggs the same etc.
Signed: Fra. Lord.
Wit.: Jno. Hamelin, Robert Netherland.

Page 241. 31 May 1678. On the back side of a lease of 50 acres of land, leased by Andrew Robinson to Jno. Clay for 99 years, dated 1 March 1661, was written that Roger Archer married the Relict and Executrix of Mr. Jno. Clay, late of Isle of Wight County, exor. of Mr. John Clay, Sr., deceased, sells to Mr. Arthur Allen of Surry Co., all their right and claim to the 50 acres.
Signed: Robert Archer, Mary Archer.
Wit.: Wm. Edwards, Fra. Mason.

Page 243. 15 Dec. 1679. Wm. Edwards, Atty. for Thos. Robley, states that Henry Willis owes him eight barrels of corn, but is privily departed out of the country, attaches Henry Willis' Est. This est. of Henry Willis in the hands of Joseph Malden.
Signed: Wm. Foreman, Baycliffe.

Page 246. 28 9ber 1679. Ind. between John Bynum and Richard Jordan, Land on which John Bynam bought of George Blow, 600 acres.
Signed: John Bynam, Rose Bynam.
Wit.: Richard Jordan, Jr., Richard Lane, Rich. Blow.

Page 248. 6 Jan. 1679. Francis Taylor makes Richard Ruffin his Atty.

Page 248. 1 Jan. 1679. Elizabeth Rochell makes Jno. King her Atty. to get an order against Capt. Nicholas Wyat, exor. of William Rookings, deceased, in Surry County for money due her late husband, deceased.
Wit.: Wm. Phillips, John Willson.

Page 248. 29 Dec. 1678. Jno. Baxter, of Charles Citty County, appts. Jno. King his atty. between himself and Edward Farned in Surry County Court.
Wit.: Margaret Ellis, Luke Meazle.

Page 248. 25 9ber 1679. Thos. Robley makes Mr. Wm. Edwards his Atty. to collect money in Surry County.
Wit.: Robert Penny, James Ellis.

Page 248. 5 Jan. 1679. Owen Myrick appoints his wife, Mary, his Atty.

Page 249. 12 Dec. 1679. Edward Farned appts. Elias Osborne his Atty.
Signed: Wm. Crabb.
Wit.: Benj. Harrison, John Tirrey.

Page 250. 27 Feb. 1679. William Lyle, of Southwarke Par., married Judah, only daughter of Rowland Hudson, of Lawnes Creek Parish, deceased, and now sells to John Smith and to his heirs land purchased by Rowland Hudson and Wm. Hancocke of George Blow and Margaret, his wife; deed dated 7 May 1664, and by sd. Hancocke to the heirs, etc., of Rowland Hudson; deed 27 April 1667, and now sold to John Smith.
Signed: Wm. Lile, Judia Lile.
Wit.: Thos. Pittman, Sr., John Gaiffing?
Rec.: 2 March 1679.

Page 250. 2 March 1679. Ind. between Richard Blow of Blackwater in Surry County, and Nicholas Seesam (Sessoms), 100 acres of land on Green Swamp.
Wit.: Ni. Smith, Sion Hill.

Page 252. 31 Oct. 1677. Ind. between Robt. Parke, Clarke, and Mary, his wife, and Wm. Gray for a grist Water Mill, "Bushell's Mill," and ground on which it stands, etc.
Rec.: 10 May 1680.
Wit.: Fra. Taylor, John Mathyson, Will. Evans.
On the back of this deed was an assignment by Wm. Gray to Robert Kae of Isle of Wight County, and Ni. Willson of Surry, 23 Aug. 1679.

Page 255. 27 May 1680. Jasper Gransome appoints his wife Elizabeth his Atty.... Signed: Jas. Gransume. Wit.: Bartholomew Figgers, Wm. Hunt.

Page 21. John Dunsfield owes the Court. Richard Robinson, Orphan of Andrew Robinson, bound to John Dunfield untill he is 21 years old.
Wit.: Roger Potter, Samuell Thompson.
Signed: John Dunford.

Page 21. 12 July 1683. Sion Hill, Geo. Williams of Surry County, bound to the Court. Sion Hill to pay the orphan of Lewis Williams, deceased, the portion of her late father's estate when she is of age, and to teach her the Christian religion.

Page 22. 3 July 1683. John Targett, Geo. Foster of Surry County. Then to pay to Stephen Vahan, orphan of Walter Vahan, deceased, his part of his father's estate.
Wit.: Wm. Simmons, Wm. Edwards.

Page 23. David Andrews, Jr., Geo. Fisher, Thos. Ironmonger are bound for 60,000 lbs. tob. to pay to Geo. Hogwood, orphan of Francis Hogwood, deceased, his part of his father's estate.
Will. Evans, Wm. Edwards.

Page 23. 1 Sept. 1683. Thos. Tias, Wm. Simmons, Jas. Ellis are bound for 20,000 lbs. to pay to Walter Holdsworth what is due from his late father, deceased.
Wit.: John Sharp, Owen Mirick.

Page 24. 14 Sept. 1683. Edward Rowell, Wm. Foreman, Charles Williams, to pay to Samuell, Elizabeth, Mary, Susannah, orphans of Samuel Cornell, deceased, their part of their late father's est., when of age.
Wit.: Wm. Edwards.

Page 25. 8 June 1681. Will. Foreman, Lt. Coll. Wm. Browne, 10,000 lbs. of tob. Wm. Hare, orphant of Wm. Hare, is bound to Wm. Foreman; nine years bound out.
Wit.: Sam. Swann, Wm. Pollard.

Page 26. 2 7ber 1683. Thos. Sowerby, Wm. Foreman. Thos. Sowerby to teach Jno. Collier, orphant of John Collier, the Christian religion.
Wit.: Elias Osborne, Wm. Edwards.

Page 26. 26 8ber 1683. Wm. Gray, Wm. Edwards to deliver to Edward Amry, orphant of Thomas Amry, deceased, his part of his father's estate.

Page 26. Samuel Thompson, Wm. Edwards, Thos. Sowerby, admrs. of the estate of Wm. Dorch, deceased.
Wit.: Wm. Thompson, Wm. Malden.

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Page 74. 4 May 1675. Benjamin Thompson, aged 34, testified.

Page 74. Ebenezer Kirtland, aged 19, testified concerning happenings at Geo. Proctor's.

Page 74. 4 May 1675. Eleanor Kyrtland, aged 19 years, testified about happenings at Geo. Proctor's Sworn before Coll. Thos. Swann, Esq., Lieut. Col. Geo. Jordan, and Maj. Wm. Browne.

Page 75. 4 May 1675. Capt. Robert Spenser testified concerning same.

Page 76. 5 May 1675. Isabella Forbus, aged 50, testifies concerning same.

Page 76. 4 May 1675. Thomas Pittman, Sr., aged 60, examined sayeth What he knew about the happenings at Geo. Proctor's.

Page 77. 4 May 1675. On the back of an Order (26 Jan. 1674), 26 July 1674, On obedience to this Order Wee have viewed the within named David Williamson and Albert Albertson and doe find as Justly due upon balance of Rent...to Christmas last the sum of 5197 pounds of tobacco and seaven barrels, two bushels and one-half of Indian corn, and nine bushels of wheat when it is acknowledged due by said defendant.
Law. Baker. Rob. Spenser.

Page 77. 4 May 1675. Know all men that I, Thomas Hunt, doe binde over to Robert Cartwright sec. of Debt which Cartwright is bounde to Maj. Browne.
Signed: Geo. Foster, Thos. Gibbons.

Page 78. 4 May 1675. Deposition of Thos. High, aged 78, concerning Geo. Proctor.

Page 80. A Petition to the Rt. Hon. William Berkeley, Capt. General of Virginia, by Henry Francis, most humbly sheweth: the Deponent, about ten years ago, purchased of John Legrand a parcel of land in Surry County containing about one hundred and fifty acres, and have possessed it peaceably and quietly...being informed that his land is escheat land, and desires that he be satisfied in regard to this.
A jury was ordered impanneled of the neighborhood to inquire whether the said land doth escheat to his Majestie, or not, and return said inquisition to the Sec....this sufficient warrant. 16 Nov. 1674.
Signed: Wm. Berkeley.
To: Thos. Ludwell, Esq., Escheate Genll. of Va., or his Deputy.
Deputes Wm. Edwards to execute this writ, provided he act according to the laws and customes of the Collony. 17 Nov. 1674. Rec. 29 Apr. 1675.

Page 81. 1 Jan. 1674. David Owen, of the Citty of London, appoints his friend, Thomas Barlow of ye Upper Parish of Isle of Wight County, planter, in Virginia to be his lawful attorney for all bills, bonds, etc., in his Majestie's Collony in Va. Rec.: 5 May 1675.
Wit.: Geo. Proctor, Thos. Cocke.

Page 82. 26 June 1675. Christopher Brasse, aged 25 years or thereabouts, sayeth that on that Monday the 21st instant in the morning, the Deponent met with Nicholas Paine, his fellow servant, in the mount, and asked him how he durst throw bricks at his master, the said Nicholas replied: a plague take the d...gate, if it had not been for that I would have hit him. This Deponent answered him that he did believe it would be the dearest brick that ever he threw in his life, etc., etc.
Signed: Xpher Basse.

Page 82. 26 June 1675. The Deposition of Phoebe Jeweller, aged 21 years, saith Sweeping off the porch, saw Nicholas, servant with this deponent to Coll. Thos. Swann, Esq., throw five or six bricks, or brick bats at his master.

Page 82. 26 June 1675. Deposition of Mary, an Indian servant of Coll. Thos. Swann, Milking, she saw two bricks thrown at her master.

Page 83. 5 May 1675. Wm. Spring against the Est. of Warburton for 700 lbs. of tobacco. By virtue of a writ, May 1675, what tobacco was due to sd. Warburton is in the hands of Thos. Crews and Thos. Ironmonger.

Page not given. Wee, subscribed by the Grand Jury, present, doe present as Followeth: Persons not frequenting the Church: I, Thomas Clarke, presenting myself, and:

Nathaniel Knight	Henry Briggs
Wm. Rookinge	Barth. Owen
Wm. Nance	Rich. Parker
Geo. Midleton	Jno. Moss
Rich. Tias	Thos. Senior
Edmund Howell	Jno. Orchard
Old Mrs. Symonds	John Barker, Jr.
Wm. Short	Wm. Harvey
Wm. Draper	Edward Greene
Long John Phillips	Jno. Hunnicutt
James Watkins	Addam Heath
Jno. Miniard	Thos. Busby
Rich. Royes	Thos. Buirde
Daniell Williams	Jno. Sminner

On back of attachment by Wm. Spring agst. Est. of Warburton for 700 lbs. of tobacco, 6 May 1675, signed by Maj. Wm. Browne that tobacco was in the hands of Thos. Crewes and Thos. Ironmonger. Rec.: 9 July 1675.

The names of the following presented for wrong doing:

Rich. Welbecke	Thos. Clarke
Robt. Burgess	Thos. Sowerby
Jno. King	Fra. Hogwood

Court order, fated 26 Jan. 1674, requesting Capt. Law. Baker, Capt. Robert Spenser in regard to exors. of Capt. George Watkins, deceased and find balance due to Wm. Aloorson, 3 July 1675.

Judith Randolph writes to Mr. Benjamin Harrison about business and thanks him for assistance, 7 April 1675.

Page 84. Deposition of Jno. Bardy, aged 74, concerning Jno. Watkins, Geo. Proctor and himself. 6 July 1675. Dep. of Henry Watkins, 21 years.

Page 85. William Gray sold to Jno. Salway a mare 12 Oct. 1675. Testified by by William Buttler and Sion Hill. John Salway assigned to Mathias Marriott, he assigned to Jno. Stocke, who assigned it to Geo. Proctor.
Testified by W. Arnoll.

Page not given. 5 July 1675. Thomas Baker requests a letter of reference from Mr. Salway.

Page not given. A letter from Jno. Jennings, Clerk of the Court of Isle of Wight County, 1 May 1675, and signed by the Court's Order to the Hon. Coll. Thomas Swann, Esq., and the Worshipful Justices of Surry County. "This day at a Court held for Isle of Wight County, the Hon. Coll. Joseph Bridger, Esq., and the rest of the Worshipful Justices Ordered and Commanded me to signify to you Honor & ye rest of the Worshipful Justices of your County, that they are both willing and ready to treat and concludewith you about the laying out and bounding of Isle of Wight and Surry County, and that ye Honor and ye Rest of the Gentlemen may find by then that they have no thoughts of porogation in this necessary work, but to finish and end it in a friendly & Honourable way without charge and further trouble to the peace and comfort of the Inhabitants on both sides and they have appoynted certaine Gentlemen appoynted for that purpose to treat and conclude about it and have thought fitt that on Whitsun Tuesday next their may be a meeting but if ye Honorables think it may not be then convient, they request your Hon. to appoynt the day and place for meeting & that your speedy answer may be returned here in

250 acres, it being bounded by the poquoson [pocoson] branch joining on Capt: Thomas Woodley's line, thence to William Ramsenby, Deborah Fuller, John Turner, the main Western Branch Swamp. Signed - J Boddey. Wit - William Parker, Matt'w Jordan, Henry West.

Page 224. North Carolina. I, Elizabeth Dawson, wife of John Dawson of North Carolina, hereby authorize John Sherrer of North Carolina, personally to appear in IW Apr Court, to surrender my right of dower to a certain plantation and its land, sold to Richard Thomas of IW, by John Boddie, the land lying on the north side of the Western branch, it being the plantation whereon Owen Griffeth lately lived & died. Signed Apr 22, 1738 - Elizabeth Dawson. Wit - Jno Hall, Elisha Williamson. Recorded Apr 24, 1738.

Page 224. Lease and release. Apr 7-8, 1738 from Robert Hart of IW, to Henry Coker of Surry County, for 4 £ 10 shillings, 190 acres on the south side of the Seacock Swamp in IW, and bounded by the NE side of the Redyhose (Reddyhose) branch, John Washington. The 190 acres is a patent granted to said Robert Hart on Mar 24, 1734. Signed - Robert Hart. Wit - J Gray. Recorded Apr 24, 1738.

Page 226. Apr 24, 1738 from James Wilson of North Carolina, to John Moreland of IW, for 27 £, all that messuage, tenement, & appurtenances in IW, and which was formerly leased to Nicholas Wilson, father of the said James Wilson, as by IW deed dated Sep 1, 1680 from Ralph Hill & Hannah, his wife, for 99 years. The land is bounded by the head of Lawns Cr, the old field, the mill cart path towards the Church unto Colo Bacon's line. To have and to hold for the term of the said lease, which is to be 42 years from next Sep 1, said Moreland paying yearly 1 pepper corn at the feast of St. Michael if the same be demanded. Signed - James Willson. Wit - none. Recorded Apr 24, 1738.

Page 227. Oct 23, 1737 from Thomas Addison of Prince George County, to Joseph Reese of IW, for 12 £, 150 acres (now in the possession of said Joseph Reese) on the north side of Meherrin River in IW, and bounded by Edward Lundy, the deep Cr, John Johnson, Timothy Tharp. Signed - Thos Addison. Wit - Jas (ǂ his mark) Turner, Wm Taylor, Henry West. Recorded Apr 24, 1738.

Page 228. We, Colo: Joseph Godwin and Capt: Henry Applewhaite of IW, send greeting. By order of IW Court dated Dec 27, 1731, said Godwin and Applewhaite were appointed to be the feoffers in trust for the disposing and passing of deeds for the town lands, as prescribed in the Act of Assembly begun at James City [Jamestown] on Apr 16, 1691. Now know that we, Joseph Godwin and Henry Applewhaite, for 167.5 pounds of tobacco for 1 lot in behalf of the Court and IW, grant to Richard Wilkinson of IW, one half acre of land in the Town of Newport, known as the lot #16, bounded as per

granted to William Davis 335 acres, parcel of the said circular tract of land, bounded by the east side of the Nansamoosock swamp, #2, as by survey and plat of John Allen, Gent, IW Surveyor. Signed - King (6 his mark) Edmunds, James (u his mark), Harrison (~ his mark), Peter, Waynoak (c his mark) Robin, Cockrous (| his mark) Tom, Frank, RS, Sam, Chearino (a his mark), Collo Hill. Wit - J Simmons, Thos Cocke, B Edwards, Henry Simmons, Harral Bly, Benj Simmons. Recorded Oct 23, 1738.

Page 287. [See deed of Page 256]. Jun 5, 1738. This deed witnesses that King Edmunds, James, Harrison, Peter, Wineoak Robin, Frank, Robert Schollar, Sam, Cockrous Tom, Rodger, Chearino, chief men of the Nottoway Indians, with the consent of John Simmons, Thos Cocke & Benjamin Edwards, for 16 £ 10 shillings to said Chief men in hand paid, have granted to William Simmons 400 acres, parcel of the said circular tract of land, bounded by the west side of Nansamoosock swamp, John Simmons, as by survey and plat of John Allen, Gent, IW Surveyor. Signed - King Edmunds, James (c his mark), Harrison (u his mark), Peter (c his mark), Waynoke (3 his mark) Robin, Frank (o his mark), Robt Schollar, Sam (9 his mark), Cockrous (| his mark) Tom, Chearino (w his mark). Wit - J Simmons, Thos Cocke, Benj. Edwards, Henry Simmons, Harral Bly, Benj Simmons. Recorded Oct 23, 1738.

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Page 290. Lease and release. Oct 20-21, 1738 from Robert Hill of Surry County, to Benjamin Ellis of IW, for 28 £, 270 acres in IW, which land was granted to said Robert Hill by Indentures dated Aug 7, 1735, it being part of that circular tract of land which was held by the Nottoway Indians. The land is bounded by the west side of the Indian Branch, the outside line of the Nottoway Indian land. Signed - Robert Hill. Wit - Isaac Mason, Thos Davis, J Gray. Recorded Oct 23, 1738.

Page 350. Lease and release. Jun 22-23, 1739 from Joshua Perry of IW, to Sion Hill of IW, for 10 £, one half of a certain tract of land in IW on the north side of Meherrin River, said tract containing 165 acres, & deeded to said Joshua Perry on Feb 3, 1737 from Edward Lundy, by virtue of a certain patent dated Feb 28, 1733 to said Lundy. Said half of the 165 acres to be divided at a marked line of trees between Jos. Perry and Sion Hill aforesaid, and running along Perry's to John Thweet's, a corner between said Sion Hill and Joshua Perry, said half of said 165 acres being 82.5 acres. Signed - Joshua (P his mark) Perry. Wit - Jno Person. Recorded Aug 27, 1739.

Page 353. Aug 26, 1739 from Anthony Fulgham of IW, to Benjamin Tomlin of IW, for 9 £, a certain tract of land in Newport parish in IW, which is part of 780 acres granted to Anthony Fulgham deceased dated Jun 6, 1676, bounded by the fork of the branch which divides the land and Anthony Fulgham's, Williamson, Tomlin, Blackwater path, containing 75 acres. Signed - Anthony (A his mark) Fulgham, Mary (M her mark) Fulgham. Wit - William Eley, Daniel Harriss, Tho: Williamson. Recorded Aug 27, 1739. Mary, the wife of the said Anthony Fulgham, relinquished her right of dower to the Lands conveyed.

Page 355. Aug 24, 1739 from Isaac Johnson and Priscilla, his wife, of the Upper parish of IW, to Jacob Johnson of same, for 5 £, about 100 acres, part of a patent granted to Barnebe Mackquinney dated Dec 16, 1714 for 645 acres by Alexander Spotswood, VA Lieut Governor, situated in the upper Parish of IW, and bounded on the east side by Eley Eley & Francis Little, and on the west side by myself, and on the north side by Francis Denson. It lies on the north side of Cypress swamp. Signed - Isaac (I his mark) Johnson. Wit - Robt Tyler, James Johnson. Recorded Aug 27, 1739. Priscilla Johnson relinquished her right of dower to the Lands conveyed.

Page 356. Articles of agreement made Aug 26, 1739 between Thomas Jarrell & Etheldred Taylor, Gent, executors of the will of Mathew Kinchin deceased of the 1st part, and James Godwin, as next friend to and in behalf of his 3 children, James Godwin the younger, Mathew Godwin, and Martha Goodwin, infants under the age of 21 years, of the other part, witness that, whereas an appeal to his Majesty in his Privy Council from a Decree in Chancery made at Williamsburg May 4 in the 11th year of our said King, [of the case] wherein the said Godwins were complainants and demanded, as legatees of said Kinchin, from said Thomas & Eth'd, 3 seventh parts of the remaining estate of said Kinchin, & the judges decreed them only one fifth part, said appeal remains yet undetermined, and the transcript of the record thereto is now in the hands of James Godwin the Elder. Said Thomas Jarrell & Etheldred Taylor of the 1st part, and said James

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY, VIRGINIA

DEEDS 1647 - 1719,

COURT ORDERS 1693 - 1695

and

GUARDIAN ACCOUNTS 1740 - 1767

by

WILLIAM LINDSAY HOPKINS

Wit: John Sharpe and Howel Powell. Jarvase Dodson

(p.58) 5 Feb 1656.... Jarvase Dodson appoints Capt. Francis Hobbs as his attorney.
Wit: Andrew Bozor and William (X) Thacker. Jarvase Dodson

(p.59) 19 Nov 1656.... William Thacker on the Carotomak River in Lancaster County appoints Capt. Francis Hobbs of Isle of Wight CO as his attorney to sell 750 acres of land to Thomas Harris of Isle of Wight CO.
Wit: Edward Byhan and Robert (X) Graves. William (X) Thacker
NOTE: 10 Aug 1657.... Francis Hobbs oblidges himself "to Procure Patent of 200 acres of land bounding upon 600 acres granted Jarvase Dodson by patent dated 4 Jan 1655."
Francis Hobbs

(p.61) 28 Feb 1656.... Thomas Taberer of Isle of Wight CO, attorney of Nicholas George of Lancaster County, to Francis Ayves (?) of Isle of Wight CO.... 900 acres on Blackwater (being a patent granted Nicholas George, Thomas Taberer and Humphrey Clark).
Wit: Robert (X) Bird and Thomas (X) Lewis. Thomas Taberer

(p.62) 8 Mar 1655.... Margaret Upton, Relict and Administratrix of Lt. Col. John Upton, decd., to Francis Slaughter, Gent. for 4500 pounds tobacco.... 850 acres on a branch of Warresguyoake River and Pagan Point Creek (being part of a patent dated 23 Sep 1637 and part of it is in the occupation of Capt. John English, Mr. Richard Izard, Mr. John King, Mr. Lawrence Ward, Gyles Lawrence, Thomas Pool and Vincent Bradshaw).
Wit: John Billingsley and John English. Margaret (X) Upton
Rec: 9 Aug 1656

(p.65) 13 Mar 1638.... Peter Knight, Merchant, exchanges 200 acres bounded by Lt. John Upton and Batchelor with Lt. Upton and Mr. Thomas Hill. PRE-1642
26 Jan 1655.... Peter Knight, Merchant, to James Innes.
Wit: Robert Kea. Peter Knight
9 Jul 1656

(p.67) 16 Dec 1654.... Sylvester Thacher, Gent., of Lancaster County to Anthony Fulgham.... 100 acres (whereon said Thatcher formerly lived but now in the tenure of Richard Way) on Warrisqueak Bay and bounded by Richard Maddison, Nathaniel Jones, John Tomlin and Thomas Jones (formerly belonged to Capt. John Moon) and said Fulgham (formerly granted to Mr. Thomas Davis).
Wit: Edward Skynner and Robert (X) Bird. Sylvester (X) Thatcher
Rec: 9 Jul 1656

(p.68) 13 Mar 1657 (?).... Samuel Eldridge to Humphrey Clark.... 280 acres (being part of the land taken up by said Eldridge and Robert Flake).
Wit: Peter Bedford and Thomas (X) Walter. Samuel (X) Eldridge
Rec: 9 Jul 1656

(p.69) 10 Mar 1655.... James Watson, tanner, and wife, Mary Watson, to Henry Pitt.... 200 acres (part of Mr. John Sparkes patent for 750 acres which was sold to Peter Hull who sold it "to my Brother Robert Watson") bounded by Anthony JonesJames Watson
Rec: 10 Mar 1655 Mary (X) Watson

Rec: 8 May 1656 Henry Watts

(p.75) -?- .... John Askue and wife (not named) to John Hawkins.... John (X) Askue
Wit: George (X) Alleson and William (X) Pettefer (?). John Hawkins
Rec: 10 May 1655

(p.76) 12 May 1655.... John Nichols at Carotomon River in Rapahannock County appoints William Denbigh of Lancaster County as his attorney to sell to Nicholas George of Isle of Wight CO.... one half of a patent of 700 acres.
Wit: Thomas (X) Powel and Howel Powel. John (X) Nichols
Rec: 12 Jan 1655

(p.77) 28 Jul 1658.... Court settles dispute over 900 acres between Maj. Nicholas Hill and John Snellock (being land said Hill bought from Col. Bernard and adjoins Mr. Justinnian Cooper, Pagan Creek, Edward Prince and Mr. Charles Barescroft and Robert Lawrence). IN ISLE of WIGHT COUNTY
Signed: Thomas (X) Lewis Thomas Taberer
St.Mount Wells Robert (X) Bird
Edward (X) Pryme Francis (X) Ingland
Peter Bedford Charles Barecroft
Thomas (X) Chives Edmond Wichins
Robert Kea Edward Bickinoe

(p.79) 17 Apr 1655.... On the backside of a conveyance of land from Ambrose Bennett to John Motley & Thomas Turner recorded 20 Sep 1643 is found.... John Motley and wife, Mary Motley, to Henry Moore and Thomas Turner.... "May 10, 1658, Mr. Arthur Skynner and William Andrews, attorney of Henry Moore, and Thomas Turner for himself (they) make over all their Rights to the land unto Mr. William Ruffin."
Rec: 10 May 1658

(p.85) 2 Aug 1659.... John Druett and wife, Margaret Druett who was Margaret Williamson the widow of Richard Williamson, decd., and Administratrix of his estate, to Thomas Elmes.... all the land conveyed to said Margaret by George Brown and wife, Elizabeth Brown, on 21 Sep 1655 bring on the north side of Indian Field in the upper Parish of Isle of Wight CO adjoining Richard Bennett, Esq.
Wit: William (X) Dawson and William Lewes. John (X) Druett
Rec: 9 Aug 1659 Margaret Druett

(p.87) 1 Dec 1643.... Thomas Hesson to William Brunt for 1000 popunds tobacco.... -?- acres on south side of John Nowlin adjoining James Watson. Mention is made of John Seward and Mr. Robert Pitt.
Wit: John Nowlin. Thomas Hesson
Rec: 19 Oct 1644

(p.88) 23 Nov 1645.... Thomas Keerke to Richard Aldrod.... a parcel of land Thomas Keerke
NOTE: Also written on this deed is.... Nicholas Aldrod assigns to Phillip Pary all his Right "of the parcel of land" according to the sense of the patent.
Rec: 10 Sep 1655 Nicholas Aldred

(p.88) 27 Oct 1654.... Deed of Gift of Maj. George Fawdon to Isaac George, son of Maj. John George.... 100 acres adjoining said Maj. John George and said Isaac George (provided he lives to be 21 years of age).
Wit: J. Barcly and Fantemount Wells. George Fawdon

(p.1) John Davis guardian to Peter Fiveash and friend to John Fiveash, orphans of Peter Fiveash, decd.

Nathan Godwin guardian to Jennet Baytor (Baylor?), orphan of _____ Baytor, decd.

(p.2) 24 Aug 1741.... John Dunkley, Gent., exhibits the account of the Estate of Catherine Joiner, orphan of Alexander Joiner, decd.

Joshua Hunter guardian to John Hall, orphan of Pool Hall.

(p.3) John Summerell, Gent., guardian of Jane Summerell, orphan of Thomas Summerell, Jr., decd.

1742 Account of Estate of Joseph Bridgers, son of William Bridgers, decd., lists Robert Drivers, Elizabeth Smith, William Brown, William Alexander, Mr. Dawson, Mr. Davenport, Arthur Smith, David Sebrell the tailor, Edward Davis, Thomas Turner, William Daniel, Thomas Whetley, John Gay, Henry Wheeler, Richard Johnson, Abraham Bunkley, John Anthony, Joseph Pitt, Robert Marshall, Robert Marshall, Jr., John Davis, James Notteboy, Joseph Hill, Joshua Hunter, George Minard, Samuel Hollday, Joshua Mesick, John Chapman, Francis Seagram, David Williams, William Inglish, Thomas Goodson and John Owen. 1741/42 Arthur Smith

(p.5) 27 Dec 1742.... Estate of Col. William Wilkinson, decd., to Thomas Swann, Gent., lists "Boarding of William Wilkinson and Willis Wilkinson," Col. David Osheal, Charles Fulgham "toward his wive's claim," Lockhart and James Baker.

(p.6) 22 Aug 1743.... Thomas Hill, orphan of Thomas Hill, decd., lists Mr. Baradell, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Goodrich and John Newsum as Guardian.

(p.7) 23 Aug 1743.... Orphans of George Prockter lists "lodging four children 6 years," George Prockterd an Orphan, Ann Prockter an Orphan, Reubin Prockter an Orphan, Ambrose Prockter an Orphan, Doctors for Ambrose and William Bedgood as Guardian.

(p.8) 26 Sep 1743.... Account of Estate of Christopher Reynolds, orphan of Christopher Reynolds, by Sharpes Reynolds as Guardian.

(p.8) 26 Sep 1743.... Joseph Lloyd, orphan of Thomas Lloyd, in the hands of John Lloyd as Guardian.

(p.9) 26 Sep 1743.... William Lloyd, orphan of Thomas Lloyd, decd.

(p.10) 1 Sep 1742.... Account of Estate of Joseph Bridger lists "William Grame for Board from Lady Day 1742 to Lady Day 1743," the Master of Braffiton School, Master of the Grammar School, Master of the Writing School, the Dancing Master, the Shoe Maker, Robert Driver the Overseer, Jacob Stevens, David Williams, Thomas Turner, John Gay, Robert Johnson, Ann Holladay, Edward Davis, John Anthony, Abraham Bunkley, Joshua Mesheck, George Minard, John Davis, Samuel Holladay, Joseph Pitt, Robert Marshall, Robert Marshall, Jr., Joseph Hill, Thomas Goodson, William Daniel, Thomas Whitley and William Brown. Arthur Smith as Guardian to Joseph Bridger, orphan of William Bridger, decd.

(p.12) 28 May 1743.... Estate of James Benn, orphan of James Benn, decd., to Joseph Wright lists "accomodation for 10 years," "10 years clothing," school, Quitrent on 138 acres for 10 years, "expenses at Williamsburg for use of the orphan," "where Capt. Benn lived," 4 years that Mrs. Wright kept the plantation of the orphan."

(p.14) 28 May 1743.... Estate of George Benn, orphan of James Benn, decd., with Joseph Wright lists "accomodations for 10 years."

(p.15) 28 May 1743.... Mary Benn, orphan, to Joseph Wright. Julian Benn, orphan, to Joseph Wright.

(p.16) 28 May 1743.... George Benn, orphan.

(p.19) 9 Jul 1747.... Mary Woodward, orphan of Oliver Woodward, decd., with Samuel Woodward, Executor, lists "2 years and 4 months Board" and "labor of the Negroes for 1741-1745." (p.21) John Westray her guardian.

(p.21) 11 Aug 1748.... John Neavill, orphan of John Neavill, lists 2 years schooling and board, "use of the still in 1745-47" and Joseph Corbell, Executor of Mary Corbell, decd., late Guardian to the said Orphan.

(p.22) 13 Apr 1749.... Estate of Catherine Saunders, orphan of John Saunders, decd., with John Saunders, her guardian.

(p.23) 2 Aug 1749.... Mary Woodward, orphan of Oliver Woodward, with John Westra, Sr., her guardian.

(p.24) 8 Aug 1749.... Estate of Catherine Saunders with John Saunders, her former guardian.

(p.25) 1748.... Thomas White, orphan of George Thomas White, decd., lists Col. Baker, "schooling 1 year" and Henry Harrison, former guardian.

(p.27) 2 Aug 1750.... Mary Woodward, orphan of Oliver Woodward, by John Westray, guardian.

(p.27) 6 Sep 1750.... Nicholas Smith, orphan of Nicholas Smith, with Robert Brown, guardian, lists Mr. Hodsden, Mr. Dunlap, James Fulgham a taylor, Richard Jordan and Ben Willet a schoolmaster.

(p.28) 1 Nov 1756.... Estate of Robert Driver, decd., for Robert Driver, orphan, with Giles Driver, his guardian.

(p.29) 1 Aug 1751.... Penelope Neavil, orphan of John Neavill, decd., with John Marshall her guardian lists James Marshall and Sarah --?--.

(p.30) 1 Aug 1751.... Nicholas Smith, orphan of Nicholas Smith, decd., with Robert Brown, guardian, lists Quitrents on 425 acres of land, Quitrents on 50 acres of land not paid in 1749, Mr. Hodsden, Giles Driver, Robert Fry for schooling, Richard Jordan, James Fulgham, 12 months board, John Whitfield, Nicholas Parker for Mathew Williams, John Ballard, Sarah Gray and Ann Bagnale.

(p.31) 5 Sep 1751.... James Moor, orphan of Tristram Moor, decd., with Thomas Moor, guardian

(p.8) — Pharoah Cob of Isle of Wight CO to John Hole of Devon, Gent., for 11000 pounds tobacco.... 130 acres bounded by Col. Smith, Mr. Cob's Cart Path, Mr. Harden, Hardins Spring and Col. Arthur Smith.
Rec: 9 Oct 1688 Pharaoh (X) Cob

(p.9) 20 Sep 1688.... Robert Kitchen of the Town of Salem in New England, Merchant, appoints Edmund Femery of the same as his attorney to collect all debts owed him.
Wit: Jonathan Very and James Cox. Robert Kitchen
Rec: 4 Nov 1688

(p.9) 26 Sep 1688.... Robert Bronsden of Boston in New England, Merchant, appoints Capt. Edward February of Salem in New England, Mariner, as his attorney to collect all debts owed him.
Wit: Jonathan Very and James Cox. Robert Brosden
Rec: 1 Nov 1688

(p.10) 29 Sep 1688.... Bethiall Cole (alias Bethiall Hill) late widow of Mr. Alexander Cole of the Town of Salem in New England appoints Mr. Edward Feuryear as her attorney to collect all debts owed her.
Wit: Jonathan Very and James Cox. Bethiall (X) Cole
Rec: 1 Nov 1688

(p.10) —— George Branch of Southwark Parish in Surry County, son and heir of George Branch and Anne Branch his wife (the only daughter and heir at law of Francis England, decd., later of Blackwater in Isle of Wight CO) to George Moore of Isle of Wight CO for 10000 pounds tobacco.... (Francis England died owning 1300 acres at Blackwater and in his will dated 13 May 1677 left it to his wife who afterwards married George Cripps whom she willed the land to but that was not legal).
Wit: William Sherwood, Thomas Binns and Thomas Moore. George Branch
Rec: 1 Nov 1688 Susanna Branch

(p.11) 31 Oct 1688.... George Branch and wife, Susanna Branch, of Surry County to Anne Branch of the upper parish of Isle of Wight CO for 6500 pounds tobacco.... 60 acres (?) (being the land John Branch lives on) bounded by the said Branch, the Blackwater, James Lupo and William Miles.
Wit: James Lupo, Will Evans and John (X) Branch. George Branch
Rec: 1 Nov 1688 Susanna Branch

(p.12) 2 Jan 1688.... Edmond Feneryear of the Town of Salem in New England appoints Mr. Richard Sharpe of Isle of Wight CO as his attorney.
Wit: Edward (X) Goodson and William (X) Daniell. Edmond Feneryear
Rec: 9 Jan 1688
Signed: Arthur Smith, Henry Applewhaite, George Moore, Henry Baker and James Day.

(p.13) 19 Dec 1688.... Henry Reeves of Rappahanock to Thomas Godwin of Chuckatuck for 25 pounds sterling.... 45 acres (being part of a patent of 600 acres granted Mr. Godfrey Hunt and by him sold to Henry Reeves, father of said Henry Reeves) on south side of Chuckatuck Creek and bounded by Thomas Oglethorpe. Deed then mentions 200 acres "which said land was lately in the possession of one Bridgett Askew, widow".
Wit: Edmond Godwin, Thomas Exum and John (X) Pilkington.
Rec: 9 Jan 1688 Henry (X) Reeves

(p.14) 29 Oct 1688.... Walter Rutter to Daniell Loy.... 30 acres (being part of a paten for 160 acres granted to said Walter Rutter on 30 Oct 1686) bounded by Boiling Spring Branch, the Island Pond and Thomas Poole.
Wit: John Bowne and William Wise (?), Jr. Walter Rutter
Rec: 9 Jan 1686 Martha (X) Rutter

(p.15) 29 Jan 1667.... Grant to Miles Lewis and Richard Lewis.... 400 acres in Chuckatuck in Nansemond County by Thomas Jordan and Jeremy Rutter. For the transporting of 8 persons.
Rec: 19 Oct 1687

(p.15) 17 Feb 1687.... Richard Lewis now of Lower Norfolk County to John Campbell of Nansemond County.... his part of the above patent. He appoints Hugh Campbell as his attorney.
Wit: Peter Smith and Lawrence Saweer (?). Richard (X) Lewis
Rec: 17 Feb 1687
NOTE: At court, John Campbell acknowledged his right to the land to his brother, William Campbell.

(p.16) 1 Feb 1688.... Thomas Berwick to Anthony Falladay.... 30 acres on south side of the Clam Swamp and bounded by Mr. John Brewer, decd., Mr. Brewer, Jr., John Vallentine and Mr. Thomas Pitt.
Wit: Ralph Frissell, Nicholas (X) Kasy and Mary (X) Penny. Thomas Brewer
Rec: 9 Apr 1689

(p.16) 1 Feb 1688.... Lewis Brian of Nansemond County to Henry Gay of Isle of Wight County for 10,000 pounds tobacco.... land whereon Mr. Robert Lawrence now lives (formerly belonged to Mr. Henry Gay, decd.) on Burnt House Branch.
Wit: John Brian and James Doughtie. Lewis (X) Brian
Rec: 1 May 1689

(p.17) 1 Feb 1688.... Henry Gay of Isle of Wight County to Lewis Brian of Nansemond County for 10,000 pounds of tobacco.... land bounded by Mr. John Brian, Sr. on Burnt House Branch (being part of a parcel of land belonging to Mr. Henry Gay, decd.).
Wit: John Brian and James Doughtie. Henry (X) Gay
Rec: 1 May 1689

(p.17) 24 Apr 1689.... Phillip Codin and wife, Mary Codin, of the lower parish of Isle of Wight County to Thomas Greene "son to my now wife".... all the land that formerly belonged to Mr. Thomas Greene, decd.
Wit: Thomas Mostyn and John (X) Linkin. Phillip (X) Codin
Rec: 10 Jun 1689 Mary (X) Codin

(p.17) 24 Apr 1689.... Thomas Greene of the lower parish to his "father in law (stepfather) Mr. Phillip Codin" and "my mother Mary his now wife".... "all the land Mallarke Howly lived on" for their natural lives.
Wit: Thomas Mestyn and John (X) Linkin. Thomas Greene

Wit: Joseph Riches and Katherine (X) Riches. Elliner (X) English

(p.18) 8 Apr 1689.... Bartholomew Greene, Mariner, of Charlestown in New England appoints Major Thomas Tabirir of Isle of Wight County as his attorney to collect all debts owed him.
Wit: James Day and John Pitt. Bartholomew Greene
Rec: 9 Aug 1689

(p.19) 6 Dec 1688.... Robert Thomas appoints Hugh Campbell to represent him in Isle of Wight Court.
Rec: 9 Oct 1689 Robert Thomas

(p.19) 18 Sep 1689.... Thomas Ward of the lower parish to Thomas Bevan.... 100 acres being ½ of the land "whereon I now live" (being an escheat patent for 202 acres) on Warrisquik Bay Creek according to a dividing line laid out by Maj. Arthur Allin.
Wit: Nicholas Fulgham, Richard Williston and John Pitt. Thomas (X) Ward
Rec: 9 Oct 1689

(p.20) 18 Sep 1689.... Thomas Bevan, Carpenter, to Thomas Ward for Love and Good Will.... ½ of the land that belonged to "my uncle Peter Hayes" and given to me by his last will (being a total of 202 acres).
Wit: Nicholas Fulgham, Richard Williston and John Pitt. Thomas Bevan
Rec: 9 Oct 1689

(p.21) 21 Aug 1689.... William Boddie and wife, Elizabeth Boddie, to John Duke.... 150 acres whereon Henry King lately lived adjoining John Jackson.
Wit: Anthony (X) Davis, William (X) Fowler and Walter (X) Howell.
Rec: 9 Dec 1689 William Boddie
Elizabeth (X) Boddie

(p.21) 16 Feb 1662.... William Brekeley to Thomas Poole for the importation of 2 persons.... 100 acres adjoining said Poole and Mr. Robert Brarwell. William Brekeley
Rec: 9 Jul 1689 Thomas Ludwell

(p.22) 3 Dec 1689.... John Neuell and wife, Elizabeth Neuell, give to Benjamin Beale, Jr. and wife, Martha Beale.... 100 acres (being part of a patent granted Richard Staples for 750 acres) adjoining 350 acres sold by Staples to William Thomson. Should the Beales die, the land is to revert to "Benjamin Neuell, my youngest son".
Wit: Thomas Giles and John Neuell, Jr. John Neuell
Rec: 9 Dec 1689 Elizabeth (X) Neuell

(p.22) 9 Dec 1689.... John Smith and wife, Anne Smith, to John Mickmichall.... 20 acres (being part of the land which said Smith bought from Capt. William Oldis late of Nansemond County and Robert Ruffin of Surry County) bounded by Capt. George Norsworthy, late of Nansemond County, and Matthew Tomlin.
Wit: John Browne and Robert (X) Lawrence. John Smith
Rec: 9 Dec 1689 Anne (X) Smith

NOTE: Sworn before Nathaniel Bacon on 4 Jul 1689.

(p.23) 8 Feb 1689.... Francis Bridle and wife, Mary Bridle, of Nansemond Parish in Isle of Wight County for Love and Affection to Thomas Hampton and wife, Elizabeth Hampton, for life and then to Mary Hampton.... ½ of a patent granted on 21 Jan 1679 (after Thomas Gale is satisfied his part) bounded by John Thornton.
Wit: James Doughtie. Francis (X) Bridle
Rec: 10 Feb 1689 Mary (X) Bridle

(p.24) 9 Feb 1689.... Thomas Man of Isle of Wight County to Henry Hearne of Nansemond County.... 100 acres bounded by Corowake Swamp, said Man and James Johnson.
Wit: James (X) Bryan, Bridgeman (X) Joyner and James Benn. Thomas (X) Man
Rec: 20 Feb 1689

(p.24) 9 Apr 1690.... Received of Mr. Silvestra Hill for a Negro woman by Thomas Taberer as attorney of Joseph Senior.
Wit: James Powell and Robert Pitt. Thomas Taberer

(p.25) 23 Sep 1689.... John Duke and his mother, Elizabeth Mercer, to John Burnett, Shoemaker, for 3000 pounds tobacco.... 50 acres (being land "my father, John Duke, decd., bought from Jeremiah Rutter (?) of Chuckatucke in Nansemond County " being out a patent of 300 acres between John Goseling and John Duke, Sr. sold said John Burnett). John (X) Duke
Wit: Will Bradshaw and Richard (X) Ealle. Elizabeth (X) Mercer
Bridgett (X) Duke

(p.25) 3 Apr 1690.... Division of a tract of land between Mr. Richard Reynolds and Mr. John Neuill and wife, Elizabeth Neuill.
Wit: Joseph Woory and Samuel Swann. James Benn, William (X) West,
Rec: 9 Apr 1690 Jacob Durdon, Will (X) Godwin,
James Tullagh, Will Bradshaw,
William (X) Powell, Dan (X) Long,
John Bottust, Richard (X) Hutchins,
Walter Rutter, John (X) Moore.

(p.26) 20 Oct 1688.... Francis, Lord Howard, to Francis Davis.... 100 acres adjoining Robert Lawrence, Jr., Giles Limecott, John Somerlin and Richard Booth. Effingham
NOTE: On 13 Apr 1690, Francis Davis and wife, Sarah Davis, assigned the above land to Hodges Councill, Jr.
Wit: Henry (X) West and Bridgeman (X) Joyner. Francis (X) Davis
Rec: 1 May 1690 Sarah (X) Davis

(p.27) 29 Apr 1690.... John Shearer and wife, Elizabeth Shearer, to John Britt, Blacksmith.... 100 acres in the upper parish called Blackwater (being part of a patent granted John Wakefield and the said John Shearer) bounded by said Shearer.
Wit: Edward Chitty, John (X) Stevenson and Margery (X) Chitty.
John (X) Shearer
Elizabeth (X) Shearer

surveyed by Mr. Arthur Allen).
Wit: Thomas Giles and James Doughtie. Robert (X) Hooks
Rec: 9 Aug 1692

(p.48) 8 Jun 1692.... Anne Mathews, widow of the lower parish, appoints her son, James Baron, as her attorney to collect all debts owed her.
Wit: Jesse (X) Prime and Theophilus Fleare (?). Anne (X) Mathews

(p.48) ——.... Robert Johnson and wife, Katherine Johnson, to William Bush.... -?- acres on south side of Corwacke Swamp adjoining William Bush, William Johnson and Richard Booth (being part of a patent for 2150 acres granted said Johnson in 1681).
Wit: William Dulle (?) and Elinor (X) Johnson. Robert (X) Johnson
Rec: 9 Aug 1692 Katherine (X) Johnson

(p.49) 19 Nov 1685.... John Roads and wife, Anne Roads, to Richard Mathews.... my plantation and household goods after the decease of my wife.
Wit: William (X) Murphy, William (X) Hooks and Thomas Oglethorp.
Rec: 10 Aug 1692 John (X) Roads
Anne (X) Roads

(p.49) 4 Aug 1692.... Robert Johnson of the lower parish to his daughter, Mary Johnson.... land on the northeast side of Carrawate Swamp adjoining Booth and Thomas Holder (?) (being land I patented). Should Mary Johnson died before her husband James Johnson, he is to have the land for life and then it is to go their children.
Wit: William Duck. Robert (X) Johnson

(p.49) 13 Apr 1692.... Anne Bread to Roger Rawlings.... livestock and household furniture.
Wit: John Thornhill and Edward (X) Mathews. Anne (X) Bread
Rec: 11 Aug 1692

(p.50) 29 Apr 1692.... Grant of 250 acres to John Johnson.... land adjoins James Bryan, Bridgeman Joyner, James Allen, William Mayo, Beaverdam Swamp and Kingsale Swamp.
Wit: William Cole, Sr.

(p.50) 20 Oct 1692.... John Johnson and wife, Mary Johnson, of the lower parish to Luke Kent of the same.... a right and title to "the written patent".
Wit: Henry (X) West and William Kerle. John (X) Johnson
Rec: 20 Dec 1692 Mary (X) Johnson

(p.51) 20 Apr 1684.... Grant of 200 acres to James Gardner in the lower parish on the branch of Nansemond adjoining Christopher Wade, Thomas North and said Gardner.
NOTE: 10 Nov 1692.... James Gardner and wife, Elizabeth Gardner, to Walter Walton.... all his right and title to this land excepting 50 acres which "I formerly sold unto Alexander Chesnut".
Wit: Thomas Hill and George Rockford. James (X) Gardner
Rec: 26 Dec 1692 Elizabeth (X) Gardner

(p.51) 26 Dec 1692.... Hugh Davis, Clerk, records that he has received the court records from Col. John Pitt.

(adjoining and Poplin, John Wheatley and Thomas WheatleyWilliam (X) Chalwi
Wit: Thomas Hill, Henry Applewhaite and Henry Applewhaite, Jr.
Rec: 26 Dec 1692

(p.52) 26 Dec 1692.... Deposition of Thomas Harris, aged 25, states the details of ar encounter of Capt. Applewhaite, Robert Sturdy and Goody Sturdy. Thomas (X) Harris

(p.53) 9 Feb 1692.... An involved deed for 550 acres includes references to Richard Booth on 20 Apr 1683, Thomas Man late of Isle of Wight County and his wife Elizalbeth Man, John Rogers, Charles Man, Thomas Man, Jr. in right of his father Thomas Man, Sr. and the date 10 Aug 1691.
Wit: John Davis and John Cahan. Richard (X) Booth
Rec: 9 Feb 1692

(p.54) 31 Dec 1692.... Major Thomas Taberer and Col. Arthur Smith to John Pitt, Sr.... two ½ acre lots in the Town of Newporte (#25 and 26). Thomas Taberer
Rec: 9 Feb 1692 Arthur Smith

(p.55) 4 Feb 1692.... Deposition of Arthur Smith, aged 55, living on Pagan Creek states that Mr. Samuel Bucknell was part owner of the Brigantine "May & Dorothy" and very ill. He died and left his estate to Edmund Feveryear. Arthur Smith, Sr.

(p.56) Feb 1692.... Deposition of Arthur Smith, Jr., aged 23 years. Arthur Smith, Jr.

(p.56) Feb 1692.... Deposition of Jacob Barnes, aged 43 or 44, states that he was at the house of William Smith, Sr. on 26 Dec 1692 when two of Mr. Styles' men named Samuel Loybran and Charles Evans stated that Mr. Richard Wilkinson, Sr. was going to court to prove that Col. John Pitt did make a second crop of tobacco. Jacob Barnes

(p.56) Feb 1692.... Deposition of William Smith, aged 58, states the same as the above. William Smith
Mary (X) Smith

(p.57) 2 Jan 1692.... Deposition of John Linke, aged 22. John Linke

(p.57) 2 Jan 1692.... Deposition of Richard Wilkinson, Jr., aged 28.
Richard Wilkinson, Jr.

(p.57) 9 Feb 1692.... Deposition of Richard Hampton in the difference between Hugh Campbell and William Carver, administrator of the Estate of John Moore, decd., mentions George Loveday. Richard Hampton

(p.58) 9 Feb 1692.... Jury finds against William Jolley for swearing, John Lowton for swearing, James Jolley for gaming on the sabbath day, John Brinkley for swearing, John Sojourner informed against John Collins for fetching two beves from the plantation of William Baldwin and carrying them to his father's plantation, Edward Chittee for cropping the left ear of a boar not his own and Richard Wilkinson, Sr. John Skelton, forman

(p.58) 20 Oct 1688.... Grant of 67 acres to William Baldwin in the upper parish adjoining John Harris.
NOTE: 9 Apr 1693.... William Baldwin and wife, Elizabeth Baldwin, to John Carrol, Jr.... this patent. William (X) Baldwin
Wit: Roger Stevens and William Exum, Jr. Elizabeth (X) Baldwin
Rec: 10 Apr 1693

Wit: John (X) Hall, John (X) Prime and Edmund Prime. John (X) Portis
Rec: 10 Apr 1693

(p.60) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of John Williams, aged 18, states that in August 1692 he was at the house of William West. Reference to James Tullagh's Mill Dam.
John Williams

(p.60) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of Francis Curtis, aged 30, states that in December 1692 he worked at William West's Mill and saw his son, William West.
Francis (X) Curtis

(p.60) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of Thomas Fitzgerald, aged 20, states that last winter he lived with William West. Thomas Fitzgerald

(p.60) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of Charles Dirham, aged 30. Charles (X) Dirham
NOTE: Thomas Brown, aged 34, deposed. Thomas (X) Brown

(p.61) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of John Street, aged 45, states that he and Robert Scott were at work at the mill. John (X) Street

(p.61) 11 Apr 1693.... Deposition of Trustrum Hillmoth, aged 30.
Trustrum (X) Hillmoth

(p.62) 11 Apr 1693.... Depositions of John (X) Griffin, aged 23; Dennis (X) Williams, aged 26; John Altman; John (X) Parker, aged 27; Mary Parker, aged 21 and John Bagnal.

(p.62) 11 Mar 1693.... Hugh Campbell vs John Porteous (?).

(p.63) 25 Jan 1692.... James Benn and John Giles in the dispute of George Wright and Thomas Wright over the land they both live on. James Benn
Rec: 10 Apr 1693 John Giles

(p.64) ——.... William Boddie to Nicholas Casey.... 108 acres on north side of Cypress Swamp adjoining Henry Dawson, John Jones, John Duke and John Jackson.
William Boddie
Rec: 1 May 1693 Elizabeth (X) Boddie

(p.64) 6 Apr 1693.... John Portis to his daughter, Susanna Thomas the wife of John Thomas (being formerly the wife of John Frizell) for life and then to her son Will Frizell or to "my son John Portis".... -?- acres beginning at the house John Frizell did formerly live in and adjoining Thomas Moore, said Portis, Thomas Tooke, the Blackwater Road, Oyster Shell Neck and the main swamp.
Wit: John (X) Prell, John (X) Prime and Edmund (X) Prime. John (X) Portis
Rec: 10 Apr 1693

(p.66) 12 May 1692.... Inventory of the Estate of Richard Bread, decd., lists Clarke, John Thornhill, Richard Lewis, Roger Rawlins, Edward Cockrell and R— Browne.
Signed:George Mbore and Henry Baker

(p.66) 25 Apr 1693.... William Barnfield aappoints Hugh Campbell as his attorney.
Wit: Isaack Molym and Edward (X) Rawlings. Will (X) Barnfield

(p.66-a) 3 Jun 1693.... Stephen Powell and wife, Mary Powell, to Henry Allen (a marriage having taken place between said Allen and Mary [now Allen], daughter of the aforesaid Mary Powell).... 100 acres bounded by William Murfrey, Simon Everett and

Wit: Thomas Daughtie and Francis (X) Bridle Stephen (X) Powell
Rec: 9 Jun 1693 Mary (X) Powell

(p.68) 9 Aug 1693.... Account between Richard Wilkinson and Col. John Pitt lists Maj. Allen, Roberty Brock, Richard Lovegrove, Mr. Penny and Mr. Minge.
Signed: Anthony Holliday and Thomas Giles

(p.69) 9 Jun 1693.... Court orders that two of the following three men (Mr. James Tullagh, Mr. John Clarke and Mr. Danneill Long) meet at the house of Nicholas Fulyham to apprize two Negroes being part of the Estate of Thomas Greene, decd., and in the hands of George Greene. Mr. James Benn is to swear the appraisers . John Clarke
Rec: 9 Aug 1693 Dan (X) Long

(p.69) 31 May 1693.... Account between Mr. Anthony Holliday and Mr. Humphrey Marshall. Samuel Bridger
Rec: 9 Aug 1693 Henry Baker

(p.70) 1 Jul 1693.... Major Thomas Taberer and Arthur Smith to Richard Wilkinson, Jr. .... ½ acre lot (#16) in the Town of Newport.
Rec: 9 Aug 1693 Thomas Taberer and Arthur Smith

(p.71) 9 Aug 1693.... Maj. Thomas Taberer and Col. Arthur Smith to Humphrey Marshall, Jr.... ½ acre lot (#37) in the Town of Newport.
Rec: 9 Aug 1693 Arthur Smith

(p.72) 8 Jul 1693.... Luke Kent of the lower parish to James Tullagh of the same.... 250 acrs (being a patent dated 29 Apr 1692 lately granted to Thomas Johnson who, with his wife Mary Johnson, sold it to said Luke Kent) and livestock and household goods.
Wit: Hugh Davis, Tristram (X) Hillmote and Elizabeth (X) Tullagh.
Rec: 9 Aug 1693 Luke (X) Kent
James Tullagh

(p.73) ——.... Francis Nicholson, Esq., to John Johnson for importing 2 persons.... a grant of 250 acres adjoining James Bryon, Bridgeman Joyner, James Allen, William Mays, Beaverdam Swamp and Kingsale Swamp.
Wit: William Cole, Sr.
Rec: 29 Apr 1692
NOTE: 20 Oct 1692.... John Johnson and wife, Mary Johnson, to Luke Kent of the lower parish.... all right in this patent.
Wit: William Kerle. John (X) Johnson
Rec: 26 Dec 1692 Mary (X) Johnson
NOTE: 8 Jul 1693.... Luke Kent and wife, Hannah Kent, to Mr. James Tullagh.... all their right in this patent.
Wit: Thomas Hill and Michael Wharton. Luke (X) Kent
Rec: 9 Jun 1693 Hannah (X) Kent

(p.75) ——.... Nicholas Willson and wife, Margaret Willson, accept the legacies left by the will of Col. James Powell, decd., and administered by Capt. Robert Randolph (who married Anne [now Randolph] the Executrix of the said deceased).
Nicholas (X) Willson
Wit: Arthur Allen and Hugh Davis.
Rec: 9 Aug 1693

(p.94) 8 Apr 1694.... Nicholas Willson appoints his wife, Margaret Willson, as his attorney in the suit with Capt. Robert Randolph and Mrs. Ann Randolph.
Wit: John Whetstone and John Browne. Nicholas (X) Willson

(p.95) 7 Apr 1694.... Mallacke Hanley appoints John Giles as his attorney.
Wit: George Greene and Will (X) Smith. Mallacke (X) Hanley

(p.95) —.... George Greene's account of the Estate of his deceased father lists Peter Franklin, Nicholas Boon, Mr. Woory for Henson, John Johnson and John Rosser.

(p.96) 8 Apr 1694.... William West, Sr. and wife, Rebecca West, of the lower parish for 2,500 pounds tobacco to Anthony Herring of the same.... 200 acres (being part of the land bought from Will Oldis) adjoining John Smith, William Westborey, Nosworthy and the Long Branch.
William (X) West, Sr.
Rebecca (X) West

(p.97) 5 Apr 1694.... Thomas Wickins to Henry Baker for 8,000 pounds tobacco.... 100 acres (being part of the land George Archer sold Mr. Robert Hill and now is in the possession of said Baker).
Wit: George Moore and John Browne. Thomas (X) Wickins
Rec: 1 May 1694

(p.99) 1 May 1694.... Mrs. Mary Baker appoints Mr. George Moore as her attorney to present her Relinquishment of Dower in 100 acres in Nansemond County sold by her husband Henry Baker to Thomas Wickins.
Wit: John Skelton and James Briggs. Mary Baker
Rec: 1 May 1694

(p.100) 7 Apr 1694.... Henry Baker and wife, Mary Baker, of Isle of Wight County to Thomas Wickins.... 100 acres at Buckland in Nansemond County.
Wit: George Moore and John Browne. Henry Baker
Rec: 1 May 1694 Mary Baker

(p.102) 15 Feb 1694.... Agreement between Jacob Darden and Mary Watters for her son, John Watters, to serve said Darden. Should said Darden marry and then die, John Watters is to serve his widow.
Wit: John Roades, Ann Roades and Thomas Oglethorp. Jacob Darden
NOTE: James Peters, Churchwarden in Nansemond Parish in 1685, states that he bound out several children in 1685.
Rec: 1 May 1694 James Peters

(p.103) 23 Oct 1690.... Patent for 187 acres granted to James Corley for the importation of 4 persons. Land adjoins Juack Rixe.
NOTE: 9 Feb 1693.... James Corley and wife, Elizabeth Corley, sold the land to Thomas Kerby.
Wit: Richard (X) Bracewell and William (X) West. James (X) Corley
Rec: 1 May 1694 Elizabeth (X) Corley

(p.104) 9 May 1694.... Peter Baynton, Gent., of Isle of Wight County to Luke Haveile of Nansemond County.... 200 acres (being a patent of William Puddinatt dated 10 Apr 1642) which did Escheat for want of an Heir and was then granted on 24 Jul 1669 to Elizabeth Boutcher who afterwards married said Peter Baynton. At the death of her issue it became an Escheat patent on 16 Apr 1683 issued to said Peter Baynton.
Wit: George Moore, Thomas Taberer, Robert Kare and Charles Chapman.
Rec: 21 May 1694 Peter Baynton

(p.105) 9 Apr 1694.... Deed of Gift of Ann Williams, widow of John Williams, decd., to her eldest son John Williams her Great Chest at her death and livestock; son William Williams livestock; son Thomas Williams household goods and livestock; daughter Mary Williams (under 18) household goods and livestock; son Nicholas Williams (about 7 years old) household goods and livestock; son Richard Williams household goods and livestock; and daughter Jane Williams household goods and livestock. She mentions daughters Elizabeth Williams, Mary Williams and Jane Williams.
Wit: Arthur Smith, Jr., John (X) Craine and Arthur Smith.
Rec: 21 May 1694 Ann (X) Williams
NOTE: 21 May 1694.... Arnold Shumackr [Shoemaker?] agrees to this deed of his "now wife [made] while she was in her widdowhood." Arnold (X) Shumackr

(p.107) 31 Mar 1694.... Walter Rutter and wife, Martha Rutter, of the lower parish to his daughter, Martha Rutter.... all that land David Price now lives on adjoining Greene.
Wit: William Greene, Mary (X) Greene, William Jerle and Arthur Pursell.
Rec: 21 May 1694 Walter Rutter
Martha (X) Rutter

(p.108) 2 Feb 1693.... James Baron of the upper parish to Andrew Woodley of the same for 7,000 pounds tobacco.... 640 acres (formerly granted to Anthony Mathews on 1 Feb 1664 and willed by him to said James Baron dated 6 May 1681) on Cranages Swamp adjoining Edmund Palmer.
Wit: John Gibbs, John Turner, John (X) Portis,Sr., Jane (X) Portis and Thomas (X) Davis.
Rec: 9 Jun 1694 James Baron

(p.110) 21 Mar 1690.... Henry Gawler requests James Benns to pay Cuthbert Hyington 450 pounds tobacco. Henry Gawler
Rec: 9 Jun 1694 Cuthbert (X) Hyington

(p.111) 8 Jun 1694.... Robert Collman appoints Mr. John Giles as his attorney.
Wit: James Tullagh. Robert Collman

(p.111) 20 Aug 1692.... William Whitfield appoints Hugh Campbell as his attorney.
Wit: John Pitt William (X) Whitfield

(p.111) —.... William Boddie and wife, Elizabeth Boddie, to Nicholas Casey.... land near Cypress Swamp (being land formerly owned by John Duke).
Wit: William Williams, George Greene and William Greene. William Boddie
Rec: 9 Jun 1694 Elizabeth (X) Boddie

(p.112) 8 Jun 1694.... Sam Cahoone appoints John Giles as his attorney.

(p.113) 9 Jun 1694.... Nicholas Willson appoints William Archer as his attorney.
Wit: John Whitfield and John Bell.

(p.113) 9 Apr 1694.... John Pitt and Nicholas Fulgham, Administrators of the Estate of Phillip Macodine, decd., appoint John Giles as their attorney.
John Pitt and Nicholas Fulgham

(p.113) – Nov 1693.... Deposition of Richard Jones, aged 22, states that Thomas Williamson said that Col. Powell hired him to break his horse and to deliver him to Mr. Williamson.
Wit: Richard (X) Jones Richard (X) Jones

(p.133) 10 Feb 1692.... Appraisal of Estate of Richard Towle, decd.
Thomas Moore and Thomas Thropp

(p.134) 10 Dec 1694.... John Portis, Sr., Cooper, and wife, Jane Portis, to John Jones, Sr., Cooper.... 100 acres in the lower parish adjoining said Jones (being part of 900 acres granted to said John Portis and Henry West). John (X) Portis
Wit: John Jordan. Jane (X) Portis

(p.135) 9 Feb 1694.... William Cooke and wife, Jane Cooke, of the upper parish to John Procter of the same.... 125 acres near the main Blackwater (being the westward half of a patent for 250 acres granted on 9 Apr 1694). William (X) Cooke
Wit: Thomas Moore. Jane (X) Cooke

(p.137) 5 Feb 1694.... Inventory of Estate of William Denson, decd.

(p.138 5 Jan 1694.... Henry Hartwell of James City County appoints John Gibbs as his attorney.
Wit: Charles Chapman and Hugh Davis. Henry Hartwell

(p.138) —.... Deposition of John Luther, aged 39, states that he was as the house of William Jolley when the Sheriff seized some of his goods. John Luther

(p.139) —.... Deposition of James Tullagh, aged 46 years, speaks for Mr. Richard Renald (Reynolds ?) and William Jolley. James Tullagh

(p.139) 7 Aug 1694.... Isabell Mayo appoints her brother, Mr. Hodges Councell, as her attorney to agree with her husband, William Mayo, to the sale of 170 acres of land to Thomas Lewes the son of Richard Lewes, decd.
Wit: Henry (X) Bradly and Hodges (X) Councell, Jr. Isabell (X) Mayo

(p.140) 19 Dec 1694.... Inventory of Estate of William Jones.
Humphrey Marshall, Nicholas (X) Casey and Thomas (X) Sayon.

(p.141) 5 Jan 1694.... Received of Capt. John Goodrich a Bill of Exchange of Mr. Daniel Peugh upon Mr. Jonathan Wills.
Wit: Robert Kae and Nunn Thomas. William Fisher

(p.142) 15 Nov 1694.... William Archer, late of Charles City County, sets up a trust for Sampson Willson the son of the now wife of Nicholas Willson for the care she has taken of me. Deed mentions Mr. Bush in Elizabeth River and Mr. James Peters of Little Creek in Norfolk County. Trust is set up with Henry Tooke of Surry County. If Sampson Willson should die, his brother James Willson is to inherit.
Wit: Thomas Thorpp and William (X) Smith. William (X) Archer

(p.144) —.... Further inventory of the Widdow Peirce. Katherine (X) Peirce

(p.144) 10 Dec 1694.... Jury in the case of Mr. Robert Coleman and Malurk Hawley.
Richard Reynolds, Jr. William Green
William Bradshaw Ben (X) Beale, Jr.
George (X) Wright Thomas Norsworthy
Thomas (X) Wright John Nevill

(p.146) 31 Jan 1694.... Jury finds in the case of John Brownly and George Napier....
Robert Kae Thomas Carter John Davis James Briggs
Henry Holeham John (X) Collings Robert (X) Hogges
John (X) Branch James (X) Adchison James (X) Luper
Francis (X) Raynard Peter Baffen

(p.147) 20 Oct 1693.... Will of Peter Best leaves to oldest son William Best; son Peter Best; son Christopher Best; youngest son Thomas Best and wife Mary Best, Executrix.
Peter (X) Best
Wit: Thomas Hawkins, James (X) Macfadden and Christopher Best.

(p.148) —.... Silbeska Hill, widow and mother of Martha Best the wife of John Best, decd., states that Martha Best left her land to Mr. Luke Havill. Sell Best

(p.148) 20 Feb 1694.... John Jennings and wife, Mary Jennings, of the upper parish assign their rights to the above land left by their sister, Martha Best, to Mr. Luke Havild. Land is in the western branch of Nansemond. John Jennings
Wit: John Goodrich and Charles Chapman. Mary Jennings
Rec: 9 Apr 1695

(p.150) 9 Jul 1692.... Receipt of John Evans made out to Andrew Woodly.
Wit: Luke Havild and Joseph Ashelley.

(p.150) 9 Apr 1695.... Thomas Thropp and wife, Martha Thropp, to Peter Baynton.... 100 acres on James River (being part of 350 acres formerly granted to William Lewend (Leonard?), decd., on 14 Oct 1665 which was Escheated by said Thomas Thropp in 1694) and bounded by Capt. John Goodrich and said Thropp.
Wit: James Day and Henry Baker. Thomas Thropp
Rec: 9 Apr 1695 Martha Thropp
NOTE: 9 Apr 1695.... Peter Baynton to Capt. John Goodrich.... this land.
Wit: James Day and Henry Baker. Peter Bayton
Rec: 9 Jun 1698

(p.154) 4 Mar 1694.... George Green of the lower parish to Richard Wilkison, Jr. for 5000 pounds tobacco.... 150 acres in the lower parish (being part of a patent for 200 acres granted to Capt. John Moon on 20 Nov 1642 who willed it to his daughter, Mary Moon who became Mary Green at her marriage and the land descended to her son, Thomas Green, and from him it descended to said George Green) called "Poplar Neck" and bounded by Nansemond Path and a branch of Pagan Creek called Back Bay Creek.
Wit: George Moore, John Giles and Philarete Giles. George Green
Rec: 2 Mar 1694
Wit: William Saywell, Thomas Biban and George (X) Williams.

(p.158) 23 Jun 1688.... Bond of Edward Cobb and William Baldwin for the orphans of Richard Blunt, decd. Edward (X) Cobb
Wit: Thomas Moore and George Green. William (X) Baldwin
NOTE: John Skruse assigns this "Right of this bill" to his Cuson _____ Blunt.
John (X) Skruse

(p.158) 20 Jun 1695.... Complaint of Richard Fibbott against Mrs. Elizabeth Caufield and Mr. James Day.
Wit: George Moore. Richard Fibbott

(p.180) 16 Sep 1695.... Elizabeth Hill, widow of Lt. Col. Nicholas Hill of Isle of Wight County to Lewis Burwell of York County.... 7 acres "willed to me by my husband and located at the head of Lawnes Creek".
Wit: Arthur Allen, Thomas Moore, John Jenings and John Skelton. Sil Hill

(p.181) —.... Inventory of Estate of John Thorneton, decd.

(p.182) —.... Deposition of John Jolife, aged 30 years, states that on 9 Aug last he heard William Green and wife Mary Green say that John Bunely, his wife or his daughter did milk John Jolife's cattle. John Jolliff

(p.182) —.... Deposition of Susannah Garner and Elizabeth Neyall states that they heard James Partridge leave his estate to his wife and daughter and that his daughter-in-law already had three head of cattle. Susannah (X) Garner
Elizabeth (X) Neyall

(p.182) 7 Oct 1695.... Deposition of Elizabeth Brown, aged 56, states that June last she was at the house of Thomas _____ and saw William Jolly buy two ____ from Mr. Robert Coalman's negro Sieoore (Caesar?). Signed by Jeremiah Exum

(p.183) 1 Oct 1695.... Michael Wharton vs Phillip Mackeeding.

(p.183) —.... Petition of John Watkins to be named Administrator of the nuncupative will of his father, John Watkins.

(p.183) 7 Jan 1694.... Nucupative will of John Watkins, Sr. divides his estate between his wife, Mary Watkins, and his son John Watkins, Jr. He gives 100 acres of land to his grandson, James Watkins, or to his grandson, George English. Mention is made of Thomas English.
Wit: William Davis and William Crumpler. John (X) Watkins

(p.184) 9 Sep 1694.... Appraisal of Estate of William Denson by John Cogan, Sr. and John (X) Moore.

(p.186) 9 Nov 1695.... Division of the land which Richard Briggs, decd., left to his two sons, James Briggs and Edward Briggs. Henry Baker
Robert Kae
John Moore
John Skelton

(p.186) 26 Nov 1695.... Received of Mary Whitley, widow of John Whitley, decd., for the use of their sons, Thomas Whitely, John Whitley and William Whitley, orphans.
Edward (X) Brown
Wit: John Giles, James Tullagh Nicholas Fullgham and John Clarke.

(p.187) 2 Dec 1692.... John Browne, Sr. appoints John Browne as his attorney in the difference with Capt. Hugh Campbell.
Wit: Daniel Leigh and Mary (X) Browne. John (X) Browne

(p.187) 3 Jan 1695.... George Hardy appoints Caleb Taylor as his attorney.
Wit: Richard Stone. George Hardy

(p.187) 12 Oct 1695.... Edward Briggs as for an order to divide the land left by his father, William Briggs, to Edmund Briggs and his brother James Briggs.
Wit: Henry Baker. Edmund Briggs

(p.189) 20 Apr 1694.... Grant to Christopher Wade.... 98 acres adjoining Mr. Coleman and John Neduill for the transporting of 2 persons.

(p.190) 23 Jan 1695.... Samuell Waide to John Neurll, Jr.... "the enclosed patent".
Wit: John Neuill, Sr. and William (X) Neuill. Samuel (X) Waide
NOTE: 1 Feb 1695.... Samuel Wade and Susana Wade appoint his brother, John Wade, as their attorney. Samuel (X) Wade
Wit: Thomas Giles, John (X) Barden and John (X) Seaman. Susana (X) Wade

(p.190) —.... Henry Martin and wife, Mary Martin, to Henry Applewait .... 40 acres adjoining said Appelwait, Edmund Palmer, Jr., William Boddy, James Pidin and Ambrose Hadly. Henry (X) Martin
Wit: Richard Reynolds and Thomas (X) Joyner. Mary (X) Martin

(p.191) 7 Oct 1695.... Mathew Tombling and wife, Mary Tombling, of the lower parish to William Bridgers.... 100 acres on the Blackwater in the upper parish (being part of 1220 acres granted to said Mathew Tombling on 27 Apr 1686) and bounded by John Smith, John Fulgham and John Marshall. Mathew Tomlin
Wit: William Kae, Richard (X) Worrell and William (X) Worrell.
Mary (X) Tomlin

(p.192) 6 Jan 1695.... Inventory of Estate of Thomas Elmes (?), decd., lists Richard Jones, Noah Barefoot and Mr. Chapman. William Browne

(p.193) 11 Dec 1695.... Will of William Powell leaves to his wife Elizabeth Powell; son John Powell; son Nathaniel Powell; son Jacob Powell; son William Powell; son Thomas Powell; daughter Elizabeth Poopes the wife of John Poopes. William (X) Powell
Wit: Thomas (X) Powell, Thomas (X) Gale and Richard (X) Hichins.

(p.193) 9 Jun 1695.... Appraisal of Henry Allinn's cattle and hogs.
Jacob Darden, Simon Endritt and William (X) Murfree

(p.194) 26 Aug 1695.... Appraisal of Estate of Henry Allin, decd., in the hands of Thomas Bullock.

(p.195) 19 Nov 1695.... Will of Nicholas Smith leaves to his wife Ann Smith half of his estate and the other half to his grandaughter, the daughter of Thomas Powell.... now living in Maryland) and her two children and Nicholas Miller.
Exors: Wife and grandaughter.
Wit: Henry Allen, John Davis, William (X) Webes and Edward Miller.
Nicholas Smith

(p.196) 8 Feb 1685.... Isaac George and wife, Hester George, to Col. James Powell.... plantation given to said Issac George by the will of his father, John George, on Castell Creek in the upper parish. Isaac (X) George
Wit: Samuel Luck, Miliheseder Ducke and Mary Brashun. Hester (X) George

(p.197) 9 Apr 1696.... Robert Randall and wife, Ann Randall, sign over a lease to William Smith.
Wit: Richard Stone and Joseph Coren. Roberrt Randall
Rec: 9 Apr 1696 Ann Randall

(p.198) 8 Apr 1696.... John Portis, Sr. and wife, Jane Portis, to John Britt.... 350 acres on Blackwater (being part of a patent of 950 acres granted to John Portis and Henry West

(p.305) 9 Dec 1699.... Bridgeman Joyner and wife, Ann Joyner, to Henry Turner.... 50 acres on the north side of Beaver Dam Branch adjoining Thomas Joyner, Sr. and Cypress Swamp.
Bridgeman (X) Joyner
Wit: William (X) Thomas, Jenkins Dorman and William Crumpler.
Rec: 15 Dec 1699
Ann (X) Joyner

(p.306) 6 Apr 1700.... George Williams to Richard Reynolds and wife, Elizabeth Reynolds.... 100 acres in the lower parish (contained in a deed dated 10 Apr 1671 of Pharoah Cobb and wife Ann Cobb to George Williams, Taylor, father of the said George Williams). Land had descended to William Williams the Elder brother of the first named George Williams and from him descended to the first named George Williams and the land is now in the occupation of Mathew Lowry. Land adjoins said Pharoah Cobb and Mr. Arthur Smith.
George (X) Williams
Wit: Arthur Smith, Thomas Smith and Mathew Lowry.
Rec: 9 Apr 1700

(p.308) 9 Apr 1700.... Phillip Pardoe to Thomas Wood.... 50 acres in the upper parish on the head of Lawnes Creek (being part of 200 acres granted Robert Laurence on 20 Aug 1642) and bounded by Phillip Brantly, said Pardoe and said Wood.
Phillip (X) Pardoe
Wit: Arthur Smith, Richard Reynolds, John Whetstone and Charles Piddington.
Rec: 9 Apr 1700

(p.309) 9 Jun 1697.... Richard Reynolds of Isle of Wight County to William Butler of Nansemond County.... 220 acres in Nansemond County on Cabbin Branch.
Wit: John Council, William Browne and Robert Bryuer.
Richard Reynolds
Rec: 9 Jun 1697
Joyce (X) Reynolds

(p.310) ----.... Phillip Burrow of Surry County appoints John Christopher Byreabant as his attorney in a suit with Thomas Preston.
Wit: John Prime and Joseph Chapman.
Phillip (X) Burrow

(p.310) 9 Oct 1699.... John Pitt appoints John Giles as his attorney in the suit with Maj. Thomas Godwin.
John Pitt

(p.311) 3 Apr 1696.... Bond of Humphrey Marshall who is to pay John Edmonson when he is 21 years old.
Humphrey Marshall
Wit: Thomas Hill and John Giles.
NOTE: Same for William Edmondson.

(p.311) 30 Jul 1697.... William Strickland and brother, Mathew Stricklan, to Arthur Whitehead.... 200 acres on White Oak Branch and bounded by Watry Branch, Curawaok Line and the Horse Swamp.
William (X) Strickland
Wit: Barnaby Mackquinny, John (X) Barrett and John (X) Worrel.
Rec: 9 Aug 1697
Mathew (X) Strickland

(p.312) 1 May 1700.... Dr. John Johnson and wife, Elizabeth Johnson, of Nansemond County to John Nevill, Jr. of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres on the Western Branch of Nansemond River formerly called "Indian Town" (being a patent granted Henry Bradly on 6 Mar 1662 and since conveyed to Mr. John Nevill, Sr. and "by him conveyed to me").
John Johnson
Wit: Thomas Giles, Tristram Norsworthy and Robert Smelly.
Rec: 10 Jun 1700
Elizabeth (X) Johnson

(p.313) 4 May 1700.... Jesper Elixon, Sailor, appoints Peter Deberry as his attorney.

(p.314) 10 Jun 1700.... Warrisquake Quarter Planting, in Nansemond County, to Lee in Warrisquake Bay in the upper parish.
Wit: Charles Chapman and Joseph Chapman.
Rec: 10 Jun 1700
Phillip Shelly
Sarah (X) Shelly

(p.315) 8 Aug 1700.... Henry Applewhaite to his son, Thomas Applewhaite, for Love and Affection.... ½ of a dividend of land near the Blackwater Branches ("whereon my son formerly lived"). Should Thomas Applewhaite not have a male heir, the land is to go to "my son William Applewhaite". The other ½ of the dividend is to go to "my son William Applewhaite and if he does not have a male heir, this land is to go to my son John Applewhaite".
Wit: Thomas Pitt, Henry Pitt and Nicholas (X) Casey.
Henry Applewhaite
Rec: 9 Aug 1700

(p.316) 9 Oct 1700.... Peter Vasser, only son and heir of his fathter John Vasser, decd., to John Bell.... 150 acres (now in the possession of John Bell) being a neck of land upon the main creek of Warrisquake Bay adjoining Nathaniel Floyd. Land was granted to said John Vasser on 18 Nov 1635 and his will named two sons, John Vasser, Jr. and Peter Vasser.... land descended frist to John Vasser, Jr. who died leaving one son, William Vasser, who also died and the land came to said Peter Vasser.
Wit: Arthur Smith and --- Chitty.
Peter Vasser
Rec: 10 Dec 1700
Margaret (X) Vasser

(p.318) 25 Oct 1695.... Grant of 45 acres in the lower parish to William Carver. Land adjoins Thomas Mandues and Phillip Wrayford.
NOTE: 19 Feb 1697.... William Carver to William Crumpler.... this land.
Wit: William (X) Strickland and John (X) Strickland.
William (X) Carver
Rec: 9 Oct 1700

(p.319) 11 Sep 1700.... William Carver and wife, Jane Carver, of the lower parish to Phillip Raford.... 100 acres (being part of a patent for 350 acres of John More, Shoemaker, who died without a will and left one daughter named Jane More who is now Jane Carver). William Crumpler is paid for his interest in the land.
Wit: Barnaby Mackquinny, William (X) Williams and William (X) Johnson.
Rec: 9 Oct 1700
William (X) Carver
Jane (X) Carver

(p.320) 11 Sep 1700.... William Crumpler, Joyner, and wife, Elizabeth Crumpler, of the lower parish to William Carver of the same.... 50 acres on the south side of Blackwater Swamp (being part of a grant of 1000 acres to Mr. George Williamson).
Wit: Barnaby Mackquinny, William (X) Williams and William (X) Johnson.
William Crumpler
Rec: 9 Oct 1700
Elizabeth (X) Crumpler

(p.320) 18 Dec 1700.... Thomas Price and wife, Rachel Price the Eldest Daughter of Henry Hern, decd. and Coheir with her two sisters, Deborah Hern and Elizabeth Hern, of Chuckatuck Parish in Nansemond County, to Thomas Jordan, Gent., of the same.... 107 acres (being Rachel Price's 1/3 part of a patent for 320 acres granted Thomas Mandue on 20 Apr 1682 who sold it to Henry Hern of Nansemond County on 16 May 1691 and he left to his three daughters).
Wit: Richard Wilkinson, Jr. and Richard Reynolds.
Thomas (X) Price
Rec: 18 Dec 1700
Rachel (X) Price

(p.323) 8 Feb 1700.... John Luther appoints Mr. Richard Reynolds as his attorney.
Wit: Christopher Reynolds and John (X) Butler. John Luther

(p.324) 30 Dec 1700.... Thomas Carter and wife, Magdlen Carter, of the upper parish to their son George Carter for Love and Affection.... 200 acres (being part of 400 acres which was given to Magdlen Carter by deed dated 11 Aug 1673 by her father George Moore of the upper parish in consideration of her marriage to Thomas Carter). The land is part of 1400 acres which was granted to said Moore on 12 May 1669 and is bounded by Red Root Point Branch and the Beaver Dam Branch. Thomas Carter
Wit: William Browne and S--- Griffen. Magdalen (X) Carter

(p.325) 4 Jun 1696.... Henry Baker, Gent., of Isle of Wight County to Edmond Wickins of Nansemond County.... 100 acres called "Honny potts" in Nansemond County.
Wit: Edward (X) Floyd and Thomas (X) Harsbottle. Henry Baker
Rec: 19 Feb 1700

(p.326) 3 Jun 1696.... Edmond Wickins of Nansemond County to Henry Baker of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres in Isle of Wight County (being land bought by said Wickins father from Sion Hill).
Wit: Edward (X) Floyd and Thomas (X) Harsbottle. Edmond (X) Wickins
Rec: 10 Feb 1700

(p.327) 8 Feb 1700.... John Wille and Mary Wille to Nathaniel Whitby.... 170 acres between Thomas Tooke, Capt. England, Thomas Blake and Edward Brantly in the upper parish (being land purchased from Robert Flake and was formerly granted to Maj. Arthur Allen on 20 Oct 1691). Land adjoins Newman and George Cripps.
Wit: Reuben Procter and Jone Procter. John (X) Wille
Rec: 8 Feb 1700 Mary (X) Wille

(p.328) 5 Apr 1688.... Grant to John Wakefield and John Sherrer.... 1050 acres on Blackwater Swamp adjoining Cooke (700 acres was formerly granted to Christopher Lewis on 26 Jul 1662 who then sold it to said Wakefield and Sherrer and the 350 acres is for the transportation of 7 persons).

(p.328) 31 Mar 1701.... Robert Thomas to Charles Edwards.... 370 acres.
Wit: John Davis and Charles Chapman. Robert Thomas
Rec: 9 Apr 1701

(p.331) 31 Mar 1701.... Robert Thomas appoints Charles Chapman as his attorney.
Rec: 9 Apr 1701 Robert Thomas

(p.331) 6 Oct 1681.... Phillip Rayford to Thomas Mandue.... 200 acres (being part of a patent for 350 acres granted said Rayford on 23 Apr 1681) bounded by said Rayford.
Wit: John Browne and George (X) Peime. Phillip (X) Rayford
Rec: 9 Jun 1682
NOTE: 4 Jan 1699.... Thomas Mandue, Sr. and wife, Sarah Mandue, to Abraham Rickes.... this land. Their son, Thomas Mandue, Jr., acknowledges the deed.
Wit: Isaac Rickes, Thomas Mandue, Jr. and Robert Rickes. Thomas (X) Mandue
Rec: 9 Dec 1700 Sarah (X) Mandue

(p.334) 9 Apr 1701.... John Giles and wife, Phillarote (Philarete?) Giles, Of Isle of Wight County to Lewis Williams of North Carolina.... 500 acres in North Carolina on Choanock River (being part of a patent for 2000 acres granted to Mr. Thomas Woodward, Sr. and Thomas Woodward, Jr. on 20 Sep 1663).
Wit: Thomas Giles, Penelope Giles and Philarete Giles. John Giles
Rec: 9 Apr 1701 Philarete Giles

(p.335) 15 Dec 1698.... William Mackie, Merchant of Isle of Wight County, assigns over to James Fowler of Nansemond County all debts he has as Fowler's partner.
Wit: Henry Applewhaite, John Pitt and John Giles. William Mackie
Rec: 9 Apr 1701

(p.335) ---- Articles of Agreement between Mrs. Silvestra Hill of the upper parish and William Thomas of the same.... lease of some land for said Thomas' lifetime adjoining Mr. Day, the river and Mr. Thomas Elmes.
Wit: Charles Edwards and Martha Thropp. Sill Hill
Rec: 9 Jun 1701

(p.336) 6 Dec 1700.... Richard Hollyman of the upper parish to Christopher Hollyman of the same.... 210 acres on the main Blackwater (being the middle part of a patent of 1020 acres granted to Christopher Hollyman, decd., on 20 Apr 1684 and given by his will to said Richard Hollyman).
Wit: John (X) Morris and Richard (X) Clerk. Richard Holleman
Rec: 9 Dec 1700

(p.337) 9 Jan 1700.... John Powell of Nansemond County and wife, Deborah Powell the daughter of Henry Hern, decd. and Coheir with her two sisters Rachel Hern and Elizabeth Hern, to Thomas Jordan, Gent., of the said county.... 107 acres in Isle of Wight County (being part of a patent for 320 acres granted Thomas Mandue of Isle of Wight County on 20 Apr 1682 who sold it to said Henry Hern of Nansemond County on 16 May 1691 and it descended to his three daughters at his death).
Wit: Humphrey Marshall and Andrew Woolly. John Powell
Rec: 9 Dec 1701 Deborah (X) Powell

(p.339) 9 Dec 1701.... Deposition of Thomas Reeves, aged 52, states that he knoweth Michaell Mackquinny owned a certain piece of land in his lifetime and in his will gave his main plantation to his younger son Barnaby Mckquinny but after his death the land was found to be Escheat and it is now held by said Reeves in right of his wife Elizabeth Reeves who received it for her lifetime from her husband Michael Mackquinny. Mention is made of John Mackquinny who acted for his brother Barnaby Mackquinny as he was not of age. Thomas (X) Reeves
Rec: 9 Dec 1701

(p.340) 9 Dec 1701.... Deposition of Elizabeth Reeves, about 60 years old, concurs about the above land, her former husband Michael Mackquinny and his two sons John Mackquinny and Barnaby Mackquinny. Elizabeth (X) Reeves

(p.340) 9 Dec 1701.... Barnaby Mackquinny and wife, Mary Mackquinny, to Capt. Richard Exum.... land that was his father's (Michael Mackquinny) manor plantation

[illegible] acres on the main side of Blackwater in the lower parish (being part of a patent for [illegible] acres granted on 23 Apr 1714) and bounded by Richard Blount.
Wit: Joseph Bridger and John Watts. Barnabe Mackinnie
Rec: 25 Mar 1717

(p.77) 19 Mar 1716.... Matthew Markes of Prince George County to James Bell of the same.... 200 acres (being a patent) on the south side of the main Blackwater Swamp adjoining Capt. William Brown.
Wit: Phillip Elesbery and Thomas Williams. Matthew Markes
Rec: 25 Mar 1717

(p.79) 26 Nov 1716.... Nicholas Tyner, Yeoman, and wife, Elizabeth Tyner, to James Janson, Jr., Yeoman.... 100 acres in the lower parish on Currowalk Swamp (being land said Tyner bought (?) from William Ashley on 25 Feb 1711).
Wit: William Duck, John Bun and James (X) Johnson, Sr. Nicholas (X) Tiner
Rec: 25 Mar 1717 Elizabeth (X) Tiner

(p.81) 9 Mar 1716.... Walter Beasley to Thomas West.... 600 acres near Kingsale Swamp and bounded by James Brian and the main Blackwater (being land granted William West in 1705 (?)). Walter (X) Beasley
Wit: George (X) Benbrey, William (X) West and Robert Lawrence.
Rec: 22 Apr 1717 Florance (X) Beasley

(p.84) 29 Apr 1717.... William Deloach, Blacksmith, and wife, Eleaner Deloach, of Surry County to Thomas Day, Gent. of Isle of Wight County.... 50 acres in Wares Creek Bay.
Wit: Nathaniel Ridley, Richard Jordan and Thomas Bevan. William (X) Deloach
Rec: 27 May 1717 Eleaner (X) Deloach

(p.86) 24 May 1717.... Lawrence Baker to Alexander Forbes, Clerk.... 300 acres devised by the will of Mrs. Silvestra Hill, decd., for the use of the poor of the upper parish.
Wit: Thomas Shelly, John Barlow and Martha Barlow. Laurence Baker
Rec: 27 Mar 1717

(p.88) 26 Mar 1717.... Phillip Raeford and wife, Sarah Raeford, of the lower parish to Martin Harris of the uppr parish.... 100 acres in the upper parish on the south side of the main Blackwater (being part of a patent for 525 acres granted said Raeford on 23 Dec 1714).
Wit: John Allen and John Brantley. Phillip (X) Raeford
Rec: 27 Mar 1717

(p.90) 18 Aug 1715.... Maddison Street and wife, Margaret Street, Ann Surby and Sarah Surby (Surbey) all of Newport Parish and daughters and coheirs of John Surby, decd., to William Johnson of Newport Parish.... 150 acres (being part of 200 acres of land which John Surey, decd. bought from George Pierce on 27 Jul 1691). Maddison Street
Wit: William (X) Browar, Nicholas (X) Berrew and William (X) Daniel.
NOTE: John Batten is married to Sarah Surby at the time of the recording of the deed. Ann (X) Surby
Sarah (X) Surby

(p.92) 27 May 1717.... Alexander Forbes, Clerk of the upper parish of Isle of Wight to Thomas Hill, Gent of the same.... 300 acres.
Wit: Richard Giles, Joseph Copeland and Richard West. Alexander Forbes
Rec: 27 may 1717

[illegible] swamp (being part of a patent for [illegible] acres granted on 16 Dec 1714).
Wit: Joseph Darden and Hugh Giles. Barnabe Mackinnie
Rec: 22 Jul 1717

(p.95) 12 Jun 1717.... Barnabe Mackinnie and wife, Mary Mackinnie, of the lower parish to Bridgman Joyner of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish on the south side of the main Blackwater (being part of a patent for 3435 acres granted said Mackinnie on 23 Dec 1704).
Wit: Hugh Giles and Joseph Darden. Barnabe Mackinnie
Rec: 22 Jul 1717

(p.98) 22 Jul 1717.... Barnabe Mackinnie and wife, Mary Mackinnie, of the lower parish to John Bowin of the same.... 100 acres on the south side of the main Blackwater in the upper parish and bounded by Cabin Branch, the Spring Branch, George Norris and Black Creek (being part of a patent for 3435 acres granted said Mackinnie on 23 Dec 1714).
Wit: Joseph Chapman and William Watkins. Barnabe Mackinnie
Rec: 22 Jul 1717

(p.100) 14 Aug 1717.... Hugh Golightly of Prince George County and wife, Jane Golightly, to Henry Chamins (Chambers) of the same.... 100 acres (being part of 200 acres in both Surry County and Isle of Wight County which was granted said Golightly on 23 Mar 1715) bounded by Three Creeks and the line between the two counties.
Wit: Robert Jeffryes, William (X) Barloe and John (X) Golightly.
Rec: 26 Aug 1717 Hugh (X) Golightly
Jane (X) Golightly

(p.101) 8 Oct 1716.... William Hukman and wife, Mary Hukman, of the lower parish to Henry Bosman, Cooper, of the same.... 175 acres on the north side of Nottoway River and bounded by Benjamin Evans (being part of a patent granted said Hukman for 370 acres on 13 Nov 1713).
Wit: Joseph Godwin, Henry Pope and Richard Pope. William (X) Hukman
Rec: 26 Sep 1717

(p.103) 22 Jul 1717.... Henry Pope and wife, Sarah Pope, to Richard Pope.... 72 acres (being land granted said Henry Pope on 6 Jun 1699).
Wit: John Watts and Madison Street. Henry Pope
Rec: 23 Sep 1717 Sarah (X) Pope (see page 105)

(p.105) 18 Feb 1685.... Henry Bosman of Nansemond County to Henry Pope of the same.... 200 acres in the lower parish of Isle of Wight County (being part of a patent for 500 acres granted Ambrose Bosman on 2 Jun 1673 which land was formerly granted to William Smelly on 5 Oct 1667) on the west side of Queens Creek and bounded by John More and Henry Bozman.
Wit: John Browne and William Oldes (?). Henry Bozman
Rec: 22 Jul 1717

(p.105) 20 Sep 1717.... Thomas Powell, Sr. of the lower parish to William Powell of the same.... 50 acres bounded by a line between William Powell, decd., and the son of Nathaniel Powell, decd., the Meeting House Path, James Denson and the White Marsh Branch.
Wit: Needham Byran, James Davis and Phil (?) (X) Powell, Jr.
Rec: 23 Sep 1717 Thomas (X) Powell

(p.169) 8 Nov 1710.... Thomas Giles, Gent., and wife, Ellinor Giles, to Lewis Smelly and wife, Elizabeth Smelly, for life and then to their son, Giles Smelly.... 280 acres (being part of a patent for 1400 acres taken up by Robert Smelly, Thomas Giles, Joseph Bridger, Lewis Smelly and William Smelly on 24 Oct 1701 and since divided on 9 Apr 1707).
Wit: Nathaniel Ridley, Joseph Chapman and Richard Wilkinson, Jr.
Rec: 24 Jan 1710 Thomas (X) Giles
Ellianor (X) Giles

(p.170) 9 Dec 1710.... Robert Scott to William Scott, Jr.... 100 acres in the lower parish on the west side of Indian Creek Swamp (being land given to me by my father William Scott, decd., and is part of a patent granted William Denson in 1661).
Wit: John (X) Roberts, Thomas (X) Roberts and Sarah (X) Scott.
Rec: 29 Jan 1710 Robert Scott

(p.171) 9 Nov 1710.... Thomas Bullard and Benjamin (X) Beale value land belonging to Jacob Darden.
Rec: 29 Jan 1710

(p.171) 2 Dec 1710.... John Councell of Newport Parish to John Mackmiall of the same.... 300 acres in Newport Parish (being land John Hardy of the lower parish willed to his daughter Lucy Councell who was the Mother of the said John Councell and left it to him) on the southeast side of John Fulgham Swamp adjoining William Westray and William Joyner.
Wit: William Greene, Henry Pitt and Thomas Cutchan (?).
Rec: 26 Feb 1710 John Councell

(p.173) 3 Feb 1710.... James Atkinson, Sr. and wife, Mary Atkinson, of the upper parish to his son Joseph Atkinson.... 216 acres.
Wit: Edward Chitty and Christian (X) Richards. James (X) Atkinson
Rec: 26 Feb 1710 Mary (X) Atkinson

(p.174) 26 Feb 1710.... Bridgeman Joyner, Sr. and wife, Ann Joyner, to Thomas Williams.... 150 acres (being part of 300 acres bought from George Pearse (Peirce) by Hodges Councell with the 150 acres being sold by said Coucell to Richard Booth who sold it to said Bridgeman Joyner). Bridgeman (X) Joyner
Wit: Richard Reynolds, Samuel Browne and Arthur (?) Williams.
Rec: 26 Feb 1710 Ann (X) Joyner

(p.175) 29 Dec 1710.... George Anderson and wife, Elizabeth Anderson, of the lower parish in Isle of Wight to Ralph Vicars of Chuckatuck Parish in Nansemond County.... 175 acres in the lower parish (being land granted said Anderson on 25 Oct 1695) and bounded by George Peirce, John Silleway, William Carver, William Williams and Richard Bracewell. George (X) Anderson
Wit: Francis (X) Seagrave, Andrew Griffin and John (X) Langhorn.
Rec: 26 Feb 1710 Elizabeth (X) Anderson

(p.176) 22 Jan 1710.... Reference to deed on page 166 of Alice Blake to Thomas Davis.
Wit: Francis Floyd and Joseph Chapman.
Rec: 26 Feb 1710

(p.177) 9 Oct 1710.... John Hole appoints Mr. Joseph Chapman as his atty.
John Hole

(p.178) 9 Jan 1710.... Richard Exum of Nansemond County to Francis Seagrave of Isle of Wight County.... 230 acres (being land "I bought from William Carver and wife Jane Carver that formerly belonged to John Moore, the father of the said Jane Carver... deed dated 9 Jun 1710").
Wit: Abraham Ricks and Robert Lawrence. Richard Exum
Rec: 26 Mar 1711

(p.180) 6 Mar 1711.... Richard Pugh of Nansemond County to John Gill of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres (being land "formerly granted to Richard Pugh, decd.,my father by patent dated 21 Apr 1695 and since descended unto the said Richard Pugh") adjoining Milner and Daniell.
Wit: Arthur Smith, John Hole and John (X) Surley. Richard (X) Pugh
Rec: 26 Mar 1711

(p.181) 26 Mar 1711.... John Harris of the upper parish to Thomas Harris of the same.... 365 acres (being land they own jointly by patent dated 20 Apr 1685) on Sewards Creek. For "brotherly love" they wish to divide this tract which consits of 250 acres taken up by their father (not named) and 115 acres which they, John and Thomas Harris, took up. Land adjoins Dry Bridge Branch and the north part is to go to John Harris and the south part is to go to Thomas Harris. Thomas Davis and wife now rent part of the land in the southern part.
Wit: William Bridger and John Scott. John Harris
Rec: 26 Mar 1711 Thomas Harris

(p.182) 25 Dec 1710.... Ralph Hill and Nicholas Hill appoint Mr. Joseph Chapman as their attorney.
Wit: Robert (X) Sherrer, Joseph Chapman and Thomas (X) Ward. Ralph Hill
Rec: 26 Mar 1711 Nicholas (X) Hill

(p.183) 25 Dec 1710.... Ralph Hill of Prince George County and Nicholas Hill of Norfolk County, grandsons of Maj. Nicholas Hill, decd., to Benjamin Chapman of the lower parish of Isle of Wight County.... 90 acres in the upper parish where James Pyland now lives (being the land said Ralph Hill leased to Nicholas Wilson, decd.).
Wit: Thomas (X) Ward and Joseph Chapman. Nicholas (X) Hill
Rec: 26 Mar 1711 Ralph (X) Hill

(p.184) 23 Mar 1710.... Robert Scott appoints Maj. William Bridger as his attorney in a suit against Robert Cooper.
Robert Scott

(p.184) 8 Nov 1710.... James Jolley appoints Mr. Joseph Chapman as his attorney.
James Jolley

(p.184) 21 Apr 1711.... Bridgeman Joyner and wife, Anne Joyner, of Newport Parish to William Bradshaw of the same.... 300 acres (being land granted said Joyner on 16 Apr 1683) adjoining Hodges Councell and Thomas Man.
Wit: John Brasseur, Jr., William Mayo and John Joyner. Bridgeman (X) Joyner
Rec: 23 Apr 1711 Anne (X) Joyner

(p.186) 23 Apr 1711.... Christopher Reynolds and wife, Elizabeth Reynolds, of Newport Parish to John Butler of the same.... 200 acres in the lower parish (being formerly the

John 41, 43, 50
Owen 49
Thomas 50
Grimes
Eustace 3
Griswood
Grace 85
Groodrich
Edward 29
Grose
Joshua 15
Thomas 49, 63
Gross
Francis 11, 17
Jane 60
Jonathan 11
Richard 60
Thomas 48
Thomas Davis 11
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George 100
Mary 100
Gutteridge
John 6
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James 15
Gwaltney 15
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Thomas 1
Gyles
John 6, 61
Hadley
Ambrose 89
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James 123
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Benjamin 23
Celia 23, 25
Tabitha 23, 25
William 11, 23, 25
Haines
Edward 23
Herbert 21, 23
Hale
Benjamin 20
Celia 27
John 10
Selia 30
Ann 193
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and a month later they were again removed, this time to Lawrenceville, Brunswick county, where they remained until the close of the war, and were then returned to their proper place.

Francis Young, paternal grandfather of Colonel Nathaniel Peyton Young, assumed the office of deputy clerk of Isle of Wight county about 1767, discharging its duties until after the Revolution, when he was made clerk. The office has continued in the family ever since, its duties ably and zealously discharged.

ISLE OF WIGHT IN FOUR WARS

The Revolution

The year 1776 brought with it an outburst of the same spirit which had animated the followers of Bacon a century before. The news from Lexington and Concord fired the country throughout the entire limits of the United Colony, and brought together bands of men who had resolved that they would plant the standard of civil liberty on the shores of the new world. Grand old soldiers they were; pioneers of a new country cheerful and gay, social, kind, and linked together like a band of brothers, they thought of nothing but the sublime objects of the Revolution. They fought for freedom, and with their own weapons and war steeds they marched in every direction, at their own expense, in which the cries of suffering humanity reached them.

Of the number from Lower Virginia many were from Isle of Wight. We have no roll of them, but among those from the county were the following: Colonel Josiah Parker, Major Francis Boykin, Captain James Johnson, General John S. Wills, Jesse Mathews, James Casey, Edward Ward, Robin Turner, Samuel McCoy, John Forest and Henry Hill.

Colonel Josiah Parker, a native of the county, who served meritoriously in defence of Virginia in command of local troops during the Revolution. At the close of the war he returned to private life, and in 17— was elected to congress. He died at his home in Isle of Wight in the year 1810, honored and respected by all who knew him.

Major Francis Boykin was also with Washington at the North, and with the army spent that memorable winter at Valley Forge. He was also at Yorktown, and continued in active service until he saw the thirteen feeble colonies of 1775, the recognized Nation of 1783. Upon the return of peace he retired to private life on the plantation, upon which the countyseat now stands, it having been a part of the inheritance of his wife, who was a daughter of Robert Marshall, Esq. Here in the year 1800, as has elsewhere been mentioned, he gave the land and erected the public buildings at his own expense. Here he was for many years engaged in the mercantile busi-

ness. He died in 1805, his estate descending to his son, Francis Boykin, jr.

Captain James Johnson commanded a company throughout the entire war, and at its close settled upon a plantation about one mile east of the present site of Zuni Station. He was a man of limited education, but possessing fine natural abilities, and was noted for his sterling integrity, often honored with the confidence of his fellow-citizens, serving them many years as a justice of the peace, and representing them several terms in the general assembly. He died in 1851, at the advanced age of 96, having survived the Revolutionary conflict more than seventy years.

General John Scarsbrook Wills was one of the foremost men of his day in the advocacy of colonial rights and opposition to British oppression. For many years before the war he was a member of the county court, and when the struggle came on he accepted a commission on the State establishment. He resided on a farm about five miles east of the courthouse, and had his military headquarters at Mackies Mills. Perhaps no man ever resided within the county that enjoyed greater popularity than he. During the war he was chairman of the vigilance committee for the county, and a prominent member of the Continental Association. After the return of peace he held several civil offices, and died in the year 1794.

James Casey served as a private throughout the entire war, and at its close returned home and settled on a plantation two and one-half miles west of the courthouse, where he lived long in the enjoyment of that peace and liberty which he by his valor and bravery had assisted in gaining. We have been unable to learn the date of his death.

Edward Ward, too, served in the ranks of the Northern Army under Washington, was at the surrender of Burgoyne's army, and also at Yorktown. When the sound of war was heard no more he returned to the county, where he continued to reside until the breaking out of the war of 1812, when he entered the navy and during that struggle served his country on the high seas, losing a leg in one of the engagements in which that branch of the service participated. After the treaty of Ghent he once more returned to the county, where he spent the remainder of his life. He had no fixed home, but he needed none, for his recital of the stern realities of two wars on sea and land ever rendered him a welcome guest at the homes of his old compatriots in arms, and in those of a later generation. He was living as late as 1825, but we have been unable to learn the exact date of his death.

James Mathews, after long years of service in the ranks, came home and settled upon a small farm, distant in an eastern direction eight miles from the courthouse, where he lived long in the enjoyment of

the sincere friendship of those by whom he was surrounded. His death occurred about 1833.

Robert Turner came home from the scenes of strife and lived and died in the county. He was not wealthy, but lived in a land where he was honored by a generous and patriotic people, who were ever ready to render assistance to one who had borne arms in defence of Virginia and the Republic.

Of John Forest little is known; he was a Frenchman by birth, but several years before the war had immigrated to Virginia and found a home in Isle of Wight. Here he was living when his illustrious countryman—Lafayette—landed on our shores, and to his standard he rallied, and served with him throughout the war. He returned and lived and died in the county.

Samuel McCoy, with the return of peace, came back and took up his residence on a farm about two miles south of the town of Smithfield, where he died about the year 1835. He was a battle-scarred veteran, his head and body bearing many scars, the result of sabre cuts received in a hand to hand fight with British cavalry.

Henry Hill, after his return from the war, resided several years in Smithfield, and later on a farm. He was a great admirer of Washington, and, on one occasion, when told that Colonel Parker had said something derogatory of the character of the old commander, went to the house to kill him, but Colonel P. explained all, and peace and friendship prevailed.

A Vigilance Committee Of The Revolution

Through the kindness of N. Peyton Young, Esq., we have in our possession the record book, in which are contained the proceedings of the vigilance committee for the county of Isle of Wight. The following are extracts, and from them may be learned something of the spirit which prompted the action of these grand old patriots in their struggle for Independence:

"At a committee held for Isle of Wight county on Friday, the thirteenth day of January, in the fifteenth year of our sovereign Lord George the Third, King of Great Britain, France and Ireland, defender of the Faith, etc., and in the year of our Lord Christ, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-five.Present—John Scarsbrook Wills, Josiah Parker, Brown Godwin, Arthur Smith, the Reverend Henry John Burgess, John Mallory, Tristram Noseworthy, jun., William Davis, Goodrich Willson, and Nathaniel Burwell.

"*Resolved,* That John Scarsbrook Wills be appointed chairman of the committee, and Francis Young be appointed clerk of the said committee.

"*Resolved,* That notice be given to the several members of this conimittee, and that they do meet in the town of Smithfield on Tuesday,

the seventeenth day of this instant, January, for the purpose of holding a committee for said county.

"John Scarsbrook Wills, *Chairman.*"

The above proposed meeting was held at the appointed time and place, and there were present—John Scarsbrook Wills, chairman; Josiah Parker, Brown Godwin, Richard Hardy, John Day, Arthur Smith, the Reverend Henry John Burgess, Thomas Pierce, John Mallory, Tristram Noseworthy, Goodrich Willson, Nathaniel Burwell and Timothy Tynes.

At this meeting it was resolved, "that the ninth resolve of the continental congress, by the clerk of this committee, be advertized at the courthouse and every publick place in this county, in order to give notice that any person or persons who may be aggrieved by any merchant, or merchants, selling goods, wares, or merchandise for more than he or they had done for twelve months last past, that he, or they, so aggrieved, give information thereof, to any one member of this committee, who, on considering the circuinstances, shall have power to call a meeting of the committee, and advise the informer to appear properly prepared to make good the charge."

At a third meeting held February 13, 1775, all of the foregoing members were present, and the following entry appears in the record of the proceedings: "John Sym; a merchant in the town of Smithfield in this county, aquainted the committee that he had received by the ship *Thomas,* Captain Robertson, from Glasgow, two packages containing sundry pieces of Irish linen, amounting, as per invoice, to one hundred and fifty-six pounds fourteen shillings and penny half penny sterling (charges included), which goods he desired might be disposed of agreeable to the directions of the continental congress, and it appearing that they arrived in the colony before the first instant. It was ordered that the linens be sold at the town of Smithfield on the twenty-first instant,in lots according to the numbers of the invoice, under the direction of John Scarsbrook Wills, Arthur Smith, Thomas Pierce, Goodrich Willson, and Josiah Parker, or any three of them, and that the money arising from such sale be applied in conformity to the tenth resolve of the continental congress."

The committee, at the same time taking into consideration the defenseless state of the county, owing to neglect of military discipline, and being also desirous of contributing according to their ability to the encouragement of useful arts and manufactures in this colony, came to the following resolutions: That it be earnestly recommended by this committee to the chief commanding officer of the militia in this county to train and exercise the militia according to law. That John Scarsbrook Wills, Thomas Pierce, Arthur Smith, Goodrich Willson, and Josiah Parker, do purchase (as soon as may be had) one thousand pounds of gunpowder for the use of this

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THE ROCKS STONE

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To the Memory of
Mrs. Mildred James
Wife of General Francis Marshall Boykin
Born Nov. 18, 1828
Died Sept. 25, 1859
Daughter of
Robert and Harriet Herbert Claiborne Hill
- - - - - - - - - - - of "Elsing Green" King Wm.Co.,Va.

JORDAN CEMETERY

Pocahontas
Daughter of
Merit & Paulina Jordan
1836, Dec. 4
Age 5 years
- - - - - - - - - - -

Mrs. Anne B. Jordan
Consort of
W. H. Jordan
March 14, 1839
Aged 22 years
- - - - - - - - - - -

Selah F. Jordan
Relict of
Thomas Jordan
who died May 20, 1842
Aged 73 years & 20 Days
- - - - - - - - - - -

Thomas Jordan
of Smithfield
June 12, 1818
Aged 49 years 9 mo.
& 14 days
- - - - - - - - - - -

James C. Jordan
Died Jan. 20, 1855
Aged 60 years, 9 mos.
- - - - - - - - - - -

Nannie H. Jordan
Died Jan. 8, 1856
Aged 4 years, 7 mo.
- - - - - - - - - - -

John Edward
Son of
John A. & K. G. Jordan
Died 1854
Aged 19 years
- - - - - - - - - - -

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Charles Lansing Bergen
Born Feb. 18th 1848
Died July 11th 1927
- - - - - - - - - -

John L. Bergen
Born 1853
Died 1913
- - - - - - - - - -

Sacred to the Memory of
Martenus Bergen
Born Jan. 20, 1811
Died Dec. 18, 1886
At Rest
- - - - - - - - - -

Sacred to the Memory of
Maria L. Bergen
Born Dec. 25, 1816
Died July 8, 1898
He giveth His Beloved Sleep
- - - - - - - - - -

Sacred to the Memory of
Susan L. Bergen
Born Oct. 20, 1843
Died Mar. 15, 1916
He giveth His Beloved Sleep
- - - - - - - - - -

Cornelia L. Bergen

1855 - 1920
- - - - - - - - - -

Mary Bergen Gwaltney
1850 - 1919
- - - - - - - - - -

Martenus L. Bergen
Born 1845
Died 1906
- - - - - - - - - -

Caroline Cole Hill
Wife of
Archibald Lawrence Bergen
Born Mar. 24, 1849
Died Nov. 12, 1905
- - - - - - - - - -

Archibald Lawrence Bergen
Feb. 4, 1840
July 30, 1904
- - - - - - - - - -

C. C. Chalmers
Born Dec. 15, 1825
Died Jan. 20, 1893
At Rest
- - - - - - - - - -

Mary Angelina
Wife of C.C. Chalmers
Born June 23, 1836
Died July 18, 1864
- - - - - - - - - -

Sacred to the Memory
of Little Frank Correlle
Infant Daughter of
Frank & Maggie Watson
Born Feb. 16, 1889
Died Aug. 13, 1889
- - - - - - - - - -

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[redacted] "Nancy Carter Moore" <ncmoore@nc.rr.com>
[redacted] "jane" <smithhill31@triad.rr.com>
[redacted] Wednesday, November 10, 2004 3:12 PM
[redacted] Re: Isle of Wight research

[redacted] Jane,

I completed your Isle of Wight County courthouse search in the last week of [redacted]ber. As you requested, I did not begin with the William Hill who was [redacted] in 1740, whose father you seek. I looked for records involving the [redacted] Hill John Bennett Boddie mentioned in his "17th Century Isle of Wight [redacted]unty, Virginia" in the records of the Isle of Wight County Courthouse. The Boddie reference is to a 1632 document in which Francis England is [redacted]given 746 acres adjoining Captain Pierce for transporting 15 persons [redacted]including Robert Hill, his wife Mary, John Powell, Eliza Webb," and others, [redacted]as you know.)

I did find Sion Hill and the 1653 deed in which he identifies his father as [redacted] Hill. Sion is mentioned in a number of other records. There are no [redacted]other Hills connected to him in these records via statements of family [redacted]connections. There is an implied connection between Sion Hill and Nicholas [redacted]Hill of Isle of Wight County, found in the record of the estate of Mary [redacted]Davies or Davis. There are few Hills in any of the indices and the records [redacted]in which they are named do not name any Robert Hill or his wife Mary Webb. [redacted]There are no probate records for Robert or Mary, and no deeds in which [redacted] mentions any children. There are no deeds of gift from Robert to [redacted]children, there are no court cases involving Robert that name or imply and [redacted]children, there is just nothing there.

[redacted]There are Hills present in the early records of Isle of Wight. In the deeds [redacted]found for the years 1720-1749 we find references to a Robert Hill as well as [redacted]to Hannah, Joseph, Ralph, Richard, Silvestra, Snow, Tabitha, and [redacted]Thomas.There is a Mary Hill who may have been daughter of Robert Hill there [redacted]circa 1711 but no family relationship is stated. There is a Nicholas Hill [redacted]who appears to be a contemporary of Robert's, but no relationship is stated. [redacted]Past research states that Nicholas was from Maryland.) He married a woman [redacted]named Silvestra. Nicholas was dead by 1695. There is a Ralph Hill who is [redacted]identified as the son of this Col. Nicholas Hill, and Ralph's son Nicholas, [redacted]identified as the grandson of Col. Nicholas Hill and his wife Silvestra [redacted]Hill. By 1710 Ralph lived in Prince George's County and his son Nicholas in [redacted]Norfolk County. NIcholas Hill Sr. also had a son named George who was a [redacted]grown man in the 1670s.

[redacted]Silvestra Hill's father was Edward Bennett, and she gave her dower land to [redacted]the poor of Nansemond County after her husband Nicholas' death.

[redacted]The only will in the Great Books was that of Thomas Hill, dated 1717. He [redacted]named his wife Mary, sons Thomas and Joseph, and daughters Mary and Ann [redacted]Hill. I copied the index entry of this for you and transcribed the document, [redacted]which like many others, was too faint and fragile to be reproduced via

[illegible] for a Robert Hill Sr. there.

Best regards,

Nancy

----Original Message -----
From: jane
To: nemoore@nc.rr.com
Sent: Tuesday, November 09, 2004 7:05 PM
Subject: Isle of Wight research

Dear Nancy,
I have eagerly looked for your report, but have not seen it yet. You must have had quite a load of work to do. Hope you are well and can get the report to me soon.
Sincerely,
Jane Smith Hill

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of

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CRIPPS, Marriott: Est.- William Cripps, admr. 21 Feb., 1738. Book 9, p. 18.

CRIPPS, William: Leg.- To Richard Fealds, the plantation where he dwells with 100 acres of land. To William Ward, Son of Benj. Ward, 50 acres to Feald's line. To grandson, Thomas Tyas? the plantation where I now live when he is 21 yrs. old. To my nephew, Mary Cripps, 40 shillings. To my nephew, Ann Fealds, two cows and pewter dishes. To Green Fields, Son of Richard Fields, two cows when he is 21. Elizabeth Cripps, widow of my brother, John Cripps, Exerx. and have maintenance out of my estate. Anselm Bailey, Jr. and Thomas Bell, Exers. Wit: Samuell Thompson, Benjamin Clerk, Benjamin Bailey. 8 Aug., 1749. Prob.: 20 March, 1749. Book 9, p. 627.

DANIELL, Thomas: Leg.- To Joan Hogwood, 20 shillings. To William Hogwood, clothing. To Wm. Duell, clothing. To Elizabeth Hogwood, 20 shillings. To George Hogwood, clothing and remainder of estate. 29 Feb., 1720. Prob: 21 Sept., 1720. George Hogwood, Exer. Wit: Harry Floyd, William Williams. Book 7, p. 281.

DAVIDSON, Mary: Legatees- sons John and William; grandson William Clements; granddaughter, Elizabeth Boykin. Sons John and William Davidson, Exers. 2 May, 1737. Prob.: 21 Sept., 1737. Wit: Edward Wesson, Joseph Clarke. Book 8, p. 725.

DAVIDSON, William: Leg.- To son, William, a plantation at the head of Peacock Swamp, 200 acres. To daughters, Mary, 100 acres of land upon Two Forks of Three Branches, also bed, chest, clock and key, etc. To William Clements, my youngest mare. To son, Thomas, a new Bible. Rem. of estate, after debts and legacies, to all my children. Makes wife, Exerx. Wit: Michael Harris, Samuell Clemmons, Henry Sikes. 12 April, 1727. Prob.: 16 Nov., 1727. Book 7, p. 771.

DAVIES, Mary: Est.- 16 June, 1679. Sion Hill, admr. Signed: Geo. Williams, Geo. Foster, Robt. Ruffin, Wm. Edwards. Book 2, p. 17.

DAVIS, Arthur: Leg.- Mentions son, John Davis. Grandson, John Davis; daughter-in-law, Elizabeth Davis; daughter, Margaret; daughter, Mary Davis; son, Arthur Davis; son Peter Davis; son Robert Davis; Son John Davis, and makes him Exer. 27 Jan., 1718. Prob.: 15 July, 1719. Wit: Nicholas Dering, John Barler, John Grizzard. Bk. 7, p. 203.

DAVIS, Edward: Leg.- Daughter, Frances, not of age. Wife, Elizabeth. Makes Mr. Fra. Mason and Mr. Wm. Edwards overseers of will. Wit: Wm. Blunt, Jno. Phillips, Alice Phillips. 4 May, 1679. Prob.: 1 July, 1679. Bk. 2, p. 212.

DAVIS, Edward: Leg.- To friend, Richard Curby (Kirby) clothing. To wife, Elizabeth Davis, land bought of John Ingram and

DAVIS, James, Sr.: Leg.- To son, James Davis, 80 acres of land. To sons, Henry and Robert Davis, land where I live; lower part to Henry, to son, Thomas Davis, land on John's Branch in Isle of Wight Co. and one negro. To two sons Thomas and Nathaniel, a bill bond from James Shivers. To sons, John, Henry, James, Nathaniel and Robert, one negro each. To daughters, Ann Nicholson and Jane Warren, one negro each. Wife, Elizabeth Davis, Exerx. 4 Sept., 1746. Prob.: 21 Jan., 1746. Wit: Thomas Warren, John Warren, John Slate. Book 9, p. 546.

DAVIS, Nicholas: Leg.- Gives wife whole estate. Signed: Mary Davis, Exerx. Wit: Carter Croifford, John Davis. 15 May, 1717. Book 7, p. 67.

DAVIS, Nicholas: Leg.- To son, William Davis, all the estate he is posses of. To son, John, my gun. To wife, Elizabeth Davis a bed. To daughters, Mary and Elizabeth, a cow each. The rem. of my estate to my wife and John, Mary, and Elizabeth Davis. __ ___, 1728/9. (date of probate torn off.) Wit: Ed. Bailey, John Simmons, Jr. Book 8, p. 41.

DAVIS, Richard: Est.- 17 Jan., 1748. Signed: John Thompson, John Moring, James Davis. Book 9, p. 599.

DAVIS, Sollomon: Est.- 8 Xber, 1680. Lt. Col. Wm. Browne, Arthur Allen, Justice of the Peace, grant the request of John Gutheridge, the elder of ye Isle of Wight, to administer on the estate of Sollomon Davis, deceased. Book 2, p. 270.

DAVIS, Thomas: Thomas Davis makes deed of gift to his grandson, Mathew Ellis, the son of James and Elizabeth Ellis. 11 Mar., 1703/4. Wit: Allen Warren, Thomas Warren. Book 5, p. 297.

DAVIS, Thomas: To son, James Davis, all the land and houses I possess. To Mathew Ellis, son of James Ellis, clothing and a cow. To granddaughter, Elizabeth Ellis, 500 lbs. of tobacco and a cow. To granddaughter, Isabella Ellis, 500 lbs. of tobacco and a cow. To grandson, Thomas Ellis, 500 lbs. of Tobacco and a cow. To grandson, Thomas Davis, a negro. Granddaughter, Jane Davis, a negro. To grandsons, John, James Henry and son, James Davis, each a negro. To daughter, Elizabeth Ellis, a Good Bible. All the rest of estate to wife and James Davis. Friend Samuel Thompson, wife and son, James, Exers. 27 Sept., 1716. Prob.: 21 Dec., 1720. Wit: Samuell Thompson, Thomas King, Zachariah Maddera. Book 7, p. 287.

DAVIS, Thomas: Leg.- To son, Thomas Davis, a cow, clothing, etc. Son-in-law, Wm. Bird, pistols, holsters, breast plate, etc. To daughter, Elizabeth Ellis, 5 shillings. To wife, Rebecca Davis, all the rest of my estate and makes her Exerx. 25 Aug., 1748. Pr.: 18 Oct., 1748. Wit: John Bennett, Peter Hawthorne. (Rebecca Hawthorne, admr. 21 Mar., 1748.) Book 9, p. 589.

DEAN, Samuel: Est.- Wm. Epps, admr. Signed: John Mason, Wm. Cook, Wm. Shands, David Jones. 21 July, 1742. Book 9,

EDWARDS, John: Leg.- To son, John, where he lives belongs Mr. [illegible] and Round Island Swamp - to Mr. [illegible] south to the cottage tree. If son, John, die without heirs to son, William. To son, William land near Round Island Swamp - if he die to son, Benjamin. To son Benj., all the rest of the tract. To son, Nathaniel, after my wife's death the plantation where I live. To couzen, Thos. Edwards, the Plantation where he now lives if he die to my daughter, Sarah. To cozen, Wm. Edwards, the North end of the land on West side of Round Island Swamp - if no heirs to my daughter, Mary. To cozen, John Edwards, the rem. of land on West side of Round Island Swamp, if he die to my daughter, Mary. To daughter, Ann, 20 shillings for ring. All rest of personal estate to wife, Ann, and makes her Exerx. 12 July, 1712. Prob.: 20 Nov., 1713. Wit: William Edwards, Wm. Holt, Elli Taylor. Book 5, p. 147.

EDWARDS, Thomas: Leg.- Wife, Elizabeth; Son, Thomas; Son, William; Son, John; Daughter, Sarah; Daughter, Elizabeth. Wit: Jno. Edwards, Eth. Taylor, Tho. Lane. 4 Feb., 1702/3. Prob.: 2 March, 1702. Book 5, p. 262.

EDWARDS, Thomas: Est.- By Eliza. Edwards, Relict. 30 Apr., 1703. Signed: Edward Drew, Thomas Garroll, Jno. Clarke. Book 5, p. 279.

EDWARDS, William: Leg.- To son, Benjamin Edwards, the Plantation where I now live with all land belonging and my mill, also Tract of land on Green Swamp, also where Richard Rose lives, all my land at the Round Hill and a half acre at James Town and two negroes - To son, William Edwards, all that tract of land known as My Old Plantation on Crouche's Creek, also tract on Pigeon Swamp near where Thomas Warren lately lived -- 1100 acres and also a tract on the South side of Nottoway River called New Spain - also that Land I purchased of Joseph Lane and Thomas Jarrell at the upper end of the place called the String. To my son, Micajah Edwards, all these Tracts--lyeing on South side of Blackwater Swamp known as Cippahawk and Tarrapin - three surveys and two entrys - all the land I have on Cippahawk branch, Tarrapin and main Swamp and Plantation on Nottoway River where my negro, Frank, now lives and tract in low ground, of that river and one back of that. To John Cargill, Clerk, the Land that lies back of Creeds. To Francis Regan one Dividend of Land lying at the mouth of Susquehannah branch, where his Plantation now is. To Thos. Jarrell one small Tract on the lower End of his line and the great Swamp below his house not exceeding 10 acres, formerly promised to Samuel Kindred. To my daughter, Mary Edwards, a cabbinet in my Inner Room 70 lbs. To daughter, Elizabeth Edwards, one negro. To daughter, Ann Edwards, one negro and 70 lbs. money. To daughter, Sarah Edwards, one negro and 70 lbs. Rest of my estate to all my children, if death of either of my sons, before 21 yrs. old or married to descend to surviving brother and pay to their sisters 50 lbs., and personal estate divided among all children. My rings and other jewells to be distributed among my children as directed in the paper where they are sealed up. To Cozen, Sarah Edwards, 15 lbs. It is my will that Micajah Perry and Comp. pay my son, Benjamin Edwards, 100 lbs. sterling I sent them, bequeathed to my said son by his Grandfather, Banjamin Harrison, Esq. and interest. Makes son, Banjamin, Exer. and friends Phillip Ludwell, Esq. and Nathaniel Harrison, Esq. and Doctor

[illegible] Edwards, Nathaniel Edwards. Book 7, p. 389.

EDWARDS, William: Leg.- Wife, Sarah Edwards, one negro. Daughter, Mary, one negro. Daughter, Elizabeth, one negro. Daughter, Hannah, one negro. Daughter, Sarah, one negro. Daughter, Rebecca (not of age) have 20 lbs. when 21. Remainder of estate to be equally divided between wife and five daughters. 10 Feb., 1744/45. Prob.: 20 Mar., 1744. Wit: Wm. Holt, Thos. Warren, Saml. Thompson. Bk. __, p. ___.

ELDRIDGE, Thomas: Leg.- Wife, Judith, Land and Plantation where I now live at her decease rem. to son, William, and his heirs. To wife use of land at a place called Blackwater, in Prince George Co. until son, Wm., is 21 yrs. old, then to him. To wife all land in Brunswick Co., at her death to sons, Wm. and Richard. To wife, use of land on North side of Waughrick Branch in Prince George County turned out by my son, Thomas, for her life, this said land and an entry I made with Col. Robert Bolling - to sd. son, Thomas. Gives son, Thomas, my law books, silver tankard, 1 doz. silver spoons. To daughter, Judith, 4 slaves. To daughter, Elizabeth, 4 slaves. To daughter, Mary, 4 slaves. To daughter, Anne, 4 slaves. To daughter, Martha, 4 slaves. To sons, Richard and William, slaves. To son, Richard, land at Roxdale in County of Henrico. To son, Richard, land I purchased of James Dickens and Bindlord Dickens on South side of Nottoway River in Surry County. To wife, land at Hunting Quarter, at her death to all my daughters. I give to my Grandson, Thomas Eldridge, and my granddaughter, Jane Eldridge, 15 lbs. each, when 21 years old. Tuition, care, etc. of all children, under age, to my wife & all rest of estate. 17 Aug., 1739. Prob.: 20 May, 1741. (No witnesses) Book 9, p. 317.

ELLES, Jeremier: By Elizabeth Elles. 17 May, 1738. Signed: Holan Sturdyvaut, Wm. Jones, Wm. Pelling. Bk. 8, p. 847.

ELLIS, James: Leg.- To John Hill, two negroes, pots, kettles, live stock, new nailes - money due me in England, etc. To Sarah Hill, daughter of John Hill, to William Rowland, great bed, furniture, puter dishes, pewter tankard and stick. To Wm. Reade, bed and furniture, pewter dishes, cattle, gun, etc. To Samuell Read, the son of William Reade, one cow and to Mary, daughter of William Reade, one cow. To William, the son and Mary the daughter of William Rowland to each a cow. Rest of household goods to John Hill, William Rowland, and William Reade to be divided. To friend, Samuell Thompson, appoints him my sole Exer. 26 June, 1714. Prob.: 25 July, 1714. Wit: Thos. Collier, Edward Clarke. Book 6, p. 207.

ELLIS, John: Leg.- Whole estate to be sold and money to be divided as follows: Child in esse, if it lives, one-third part of estate. To daughter, Mildred Ellis, one-third of estate at 18 yrs. To wife, Mary Ellis, one-third part of estate. If any die, surviving child to inherit. Wife Exerx. 10 Jan., 1739. Prob.: 20 Feb., 1739. Wit: Andrew Lester, Morris Pritchett, Richard Blunt. Book 9, p. 117.

ELMES, Matthew: Est.- Deceased, 1694. Judah Elmes affirms

(p.348) 28 Mar 1720.... John Battin and wife, Sarah Battin, to James Edwrds.... 50 acres on Blackwater Road between Mr. Piersell's Mill and Edward Harris adjoining James Tallaugh and John Mackmiall.
Wit: Madison Street and John (X) Turner. John (X) Battin
Rec: 23 May 1720 Sarah (X) Battin

(p.349) ___ 1720.... Giles Driver and wife, Sarah Driver, of the lower parish to Thomas Lewis of the same.... 100 acres on the Mirey Branch (being part of a patent for 230 acres granted said Driver on 12 Jul 1718).
Recc: 23 May 1720 Giles Driver

(p.351) 12 Oct 1719.... Edward Brantley to Owin Myrick.... 200 acres on the south side of Meherrin River (being part (?) of a patent granted said Brantley on 18 Mar 1717).
Rec: 23 May 1720 Edward (X) Brantley

(p.354) 28 Dec 1719.... Joseph Bridger to Thomas Day.... a water grist mill in the upper parish known as "Greens Mill" or the "Little Mill."
Wit: Joshua Curle and Joseph Chapman. Joseph Bridger
Rec: 23 May 1720

(p.355) 21 May 1720.... Joseph Seward of Surry County to William Seward of Isle of Wight County.... 95 acres on the south side of Three Creeks (being a patent granted to said Joseph Seward on 16 Jun 1714).
Rec: 23 May 1720 Joseph Seward

(p.356) ___ 1720.... Arthur Jones and wife, Mary Jones, to George Bell.... 100 acres on Meadow Branch (being part of a patent granted --?--).
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 Arthur Jones

(p.359) 21 May 1720.... Martin Middleton of Isle of Wight County to Thomas Ellerbee of James City County.... 90 acres adjoining Edward Brantley and William Smith (being a patent granted said Middleton on 18 Mar 1717).
Wit: Joseph Park, Lewis Dupree, Judith (X) Park and Lurene X) Dupre.
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 Martin (X) Middleton

(p.263) 27 Mar 1719.... Nicholas Cocke and George Essell (Ezell?) of Surry County to Martin Middleton of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres where said Middleton liveth (being a parcel of land formerly taken up and patented jointly by said Cocke and Essell) and bounded by Great Reedy Branch and Essels Neck of land. Nicholas Cocke
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 George Essell

(p.364) 16 Jun 1720.... Benjamin Beale and wife, Sarah Beale, to William Duck.... 100 acres in the lower parish on the northwest side of Corrowaugh Swamp ajoining Thomas Mann, Hodges Council, Thomas Pernell and Col. Bridger (being a patent granted William Fowler, decd., on 21 Apr 1691).
Wit: Thomas Nickson, John (X) Bardin and Andrew Griffin. Benjamin Beal
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 Sarah (X) Beal

(p.366 25 Jun 1720.... Henry Bedingfield to Rebeccah Huberd.... 165 acres on White Wood Swamp adjoining Mr. Thomas Blunt.
Wit: William West and John Tucker. Henry Bedingfield
Rec: 27 Jun 1720

(p.369) 22 May 1720.... William West and wife, Susanna West, to Edward Drew.... 200 acres on Angelica Swamp adjoining William Turner (being the upper end of a patent of William West).
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 William West

(p.370) 23 Jun 1720.... William West and wife, Susanna West, to Hugh Matthews of the same.... 200 acres in the upper parish on the south side of the main Blackwater (being part of a patent for 400 acres granted said West).
Rec: 27 Jun 1720 William West

(p.372) 18 May 1720.... John Powell and wife, Elizabeth Powell, of the lower parish to Thomas Powell of the same.... 100 acres adjoining said Thomas Powell (being part of a patent for 314 acres).
Wit: William Page and John (X) Corbitt. John (X) Powell
Rec: 25 Jul 1720 Elizabeth (X) Powell

(p.374) 5 Jul 1720.... William Watkins of the lower parish to John Powell of the same.... 150 (?) acres in the lower parish (being the northern half of a patent for 300 acres granted on 11 Apr ___ to Christopher Achell).
Wit: Thomas Joyner and John Lucus. William Watkins
Rec: 25 Jul 1720

(p.375) 7 Apr 1720.... Laurence Baker, Legatee of the last will of Henry Baker, decd., late of Isle of Wight County to Nathaniel Burwell, Gent., of Gloucester County.... 40 acres at the head of Lawnes Creek (being land that Ralph Hill and wife, Hannah Hill, on 16 Jan 1685/6 did grant to said Henry Baker) and bounded by Mr. George Hardy's Mill.
Wit: James Ransome and Amaydiath (X) Cosby. Laurence Baker
Rec: 25 Jul 1720

(p.377) 16 may 1720.... Deed of Gift of Henry Pope and wife, Sarah Pope, to his son William Pope.... 100 acres on the south side of Nottoway River adjoining the land "I gave my son Henry Pope" (being the residue of the patent granted on 13 Nov 1713).
Wit: John Pope, Jr., Richard Pope and Jacob Pope. Henry Pope

(p.378) 18 Apr 1720.... Deed of Gift of Henry Pope and wife, Sarah Pope, to his son Henry Pope.... 85 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being land granted said Pope on 23 Mar 1717).
Wit: John Pope, Jr., Richard Pope and Jacob pope. Henry Pope
Rec: 25 Jul 1720

(p.378) 21 Jul 1720.... William Gray of Surry County to Timothy Tharp of the same.... 100 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being the remaining part of the land granted William Gray on 15 Jun 1714.... the other being sold to William Seward).
Rec: 25 Jul 1720 William Gray

(p.381) 18 Aug 1720.... John Exum and wife, Susannah Exum, and Elizabeth Exum late wife of William Exum, Decd., to Thomas Davis.... 150 acres bounded by the main swamp, Tookes Old Cart Path, John Davis and Thomas Tookes.
Wit: William Allen and Joseph Chapman. John Exum
Rec: 22 Aug 1720

(p.385) 25 Jul 1720.... Richard Pierce of the Town of Plymouth in England, Marriner, appoints Richard Cock of Surry County as his attorney to collect debts owed him.
Wit: Thomas Holt, William Edwards and Francis Holt. Richard Pierce

(p.386) ___ 1719.... Francis Baillie (Bailey?) of the City of Glasgow, Merchant, states that in 1718 he appointed Col. Arthur Smith of James River and Richard Giles in Pagan Creek of the said river as his attorneys to collect any debts owed him. James Rogers of Glasgow is now bound for Virginia on the ship "Anne Elizabeth."
Wit: John Cleghorn, Arthur Douglas and James Coult. Francis Baillie
Rec: 22 Aug 1720

(p.454) 22 Jan 1721.... Benjamin Howard of Charles City County to Harry Floyd of Surry County.... 200 acres (being part of a patent granted in 1719) on the Meherrin River.
Wit: William Browne and William Brown, Jr. Benjamin Howard
Rec: 26 Feb 1721

(p.458) _ Jul 1721.... John Joyner to William West.... 112 acres in the upper parish on the south side of the main Blackwater and bounded by Seacock Swamp, the Meadow Branch, Abraham Stephens, Hinson and said West (being part of a patent for 225 acres granted said Joyner on 23 Mar 1715).
Wit: William Green and Joseph Chapman. John Joyner
Rec: 26 Feb 1721

(p.460) 19 Feb 1721.... William Smith and wife, Frances Smith, and his son John Smith and wife, Katherine Smith, to Thomas Pope of the upper parish.... 300 acres adjoining Maj. Bridger, Buck Swamp and Blackwater (being part of a patent for 1300 acres granted Thomas Joyner on 23 Sep 1674).
Wit: John Crumpler and James (X) Edwards. William (X) Smith
Rec: 26 Feb 1721 John (X) Smith

(p.463) 24 Feb 1721.... Elizabeth Seward, Widow, to her children viz Benjamin Seward when he is 21 years old, Samuel Seward, Sarah Seward, Elizabeth Seward and Mary Seward.... slaves, livestock and Household goods.
Rec: 26 Feb 1721 Elizabeth (X) Seward

(p.463) 26 Feb 1721.... William West and wife, Martha West, of the lower parish to Dannell Herring of the same.... 130 acres adjoining Maj. Bridger, Peter Blake and Anthony Herring (being part of a patent for 2050 acres granted William Oldiss and Robert Ruffin on 21 Sep 1674).
Wit: John Johnston, Thomas Summerell and Christopher Reynolds. William West
Rec: 26 Mar 1722 Martha West

(p.466) 6 Feb 1721.... William Edwards of Surry County to Elias Fort of Isle of Wight County.... 200 acres on Round Hill Swamp adjoining Alexander Young.
Rec: 27 Feb 1720 William Edwards

(p.469) 20 Apr 1722.... John Hall of Nansemond County to Thomas Brewer of Isle of Wight County.... -?- acres (being the land James Vallentine of Nansemond County willed to said Hall).
Wit: John Pitt and Richard Rudgard. John Hall
Rec: 23 Apr 1722

(p.469) 3 Apr 1722.... John Thomas and wife, Hannah Thomas, to his son, Samuel Thomas.... 100 acres (being part of 500 acres bought by John Thomas from Joseph Parnell) adjoining West and Cypress Swamp.
Wit: James Bonn (Benn?) and George Williamson. John (X) Thomas
Rec: 23 Apr 1722

(p.471) 19 Apr 1722.... Andrew Griffin and wife, Mary Griffin, to Sarah Cloather.... 195 acres on the south side of Blackwater Swamp (being a patent granted said Griffin on 15 Jun 1715) adjoining Maj. Thomas Giles, Theophilus Joyner and the swamp.
Wit: William Denson and Hugh Giles. Andrew Griffin
Rec: 23 Apr 1721 Mary (X) Griffin

(p.474) 25 Apr 1722.... Thomas Walton and William Kinchin, Churchwardens, acknowledge the gift of Mrs. Silvestra Hill through Mr. Henry Baker, Gent., of Nansemond County, and Alexander Forbis, Clerk of the upper parish of Isle of Wight County. Thomas Walton
Wit: John Worden, William Moss and William Kinder. William Kinchin
Rec: 25 Jun 1721

(p.475) 3 Jun 1722.... Joseph Merrideth and wife, Sarah Merrideth, of Nansemond County to Abraham Johnson of Isle of Wight County.... -?- acres (being a patent granted said Merrideth on 13 Nov 1721 excepting 100 acres which said Merrideth sold Thomas Macleny on 25 Jun 1722 and 3 acres which he reserves for himself).
Wit: William (X) Powell and Joseph Merrideth, Jr. Joseph Merrideth
Rec: 25 Jun 1722

(p.476) 25 Jun 1722.... Joseph Merrideth and wife, Sarah Merrideth, of Nansemond County to Thomas Macleney of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres on Cabin Swamp adjoining William Wilkinson (being part of a patent granted said Merideth on 13 Nov 1721).
Wit: Joseph Meredith, Jr. and William (X) Powell. Joseph Meredith
Rec: 25 Jun 1722

(p.479) 20 Apr 1722.... William Smelly of Isle of Wight County to James Kirby, Taylor, of Nansemond County.... 100 acres on Sweat House Swamp on the north side of Nottoway River (being a patent granted William Scott, Jr. who sold it to said Smelly) adjoining William Oudlant.
Wit: John Howell, John Howell, Jr. and Richard Lewis. William Smelly, Jr.
Rec: 25 Jun 1722

(p.482) 19 Feb 1721.... Jacob Pope and wife, Mourning Pope, of North Carolina to John Joyner of the upper parish of Isle of Wight.... 90 acres in the lower parish on the north side of Meherrin River on the west side of Tuckahoe Marsh adjoing Henry Pope (being land granted on 23 Mar 1715).
Wit: Joseph Godwin and Thomas Giles. Jacob Pope
Rec: 23 Jul 1722 Morning Pope

(p.485) 18 Jul 1722.... Morning Pope of Chowan Precint in North Carolina appoints Benjamin Joyner as her attorney for the preceeding deed. Morning (X) Pope

(p.485) 10 Apr 1722.... Lewis Smelly and wife, Elizabeth Smelly, of the lower parish and son, Giles Smelly, to Abraham Ricks.... 100 acres (being part of a patent for 600 acres granted Dorothy Story the Elder and Younger) on the western branches of Nansemond River adjoining James Denson, Robert Smelly, Francis Denson, Abraham Ricks, Henry Lawrence and the main swamp. Land adjoins land sold by Thomas Marks to William Smelly on 9 Apr 1688.
Wit: William (X) Bullock and Ann (X) Raford. Lewis Smelly
Rec: 24 Sep 1722 Giles Smelly

(p.488) 22 May 1722.... Lewis Smelly and wife, Elizabeth Smelly, to his daughter, Elizabeth Joyner the wife of Joseph Joyner, for Love and Affection .... 150 acres on the south side of Blackwater in the lower parish (being part of a patent for 1400 acres granted Robert Smelly, Thomas Giles, Joseph Bridger and William Smelly on 20 Oct 1701).
Wit: John Denson and Francis Denson. Lewis Smelly
Rec: 24 Sep 1722

(p.490) 28 May 1722.... Henry West of the lower parish to John Westray of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish adjoining William Westray, Anthony Herring, the Indian Path and Thomas Applewhaite (being part of a patent for 700 acres dated 5 Dec 1685 and was taken out of "the great patent" for 2050 acres granted William Oldis and Robert Ruffen).
Wit: Arthur Smith, Richard Pope and George Williamson. Henry (X) West
Rec: 24 Sep 1722

(p.493) 16 Sep 1722.... William Caine to Simon Everitt.... 82 (85?) acres on the south side of Nottoway River and the east side of Tarraroe Creek adjoing Sweat House Swamp.
Wit: Thomas (X) Underwood, Thomas (X) Gale and Thomas Gale, Jr.
Rec: 24 Sep 1722 William (X) Caine

(p.680) 1 Dec 1724.... Anthony Herring and wife, Bridgett Herring, to John Little.... 150 acres (where Abraham Herring now lives being part of the land said Anthony Herring bought from Benjamin Joyner) on the east side of Blackwater Swamp and bounded by Arthur Purcell, Capt. James Day and the Horse Swamp.
Wit: John Dunkley, Edward (X) Harris and Thomas Joyner. Anthony Herring
Rec: 28 Dec 1724

(p.682) 12 Jun 1724.... Benjamin Evans and wife, Faith Evans, of Charles City County to William Tharp and Thomas Tharp of Surry County.... 365 acres at Nottoway River and Blackwater and bounded by Nottoway Swamp.
Wit: Thomas Penenton, William Knott, Robert (X) Grimmer, John Griffith and Delony.
Rec: 28 Dec 1724 Benjamin Evans
Faith (X) Evans

(p.685) 23 Dec 1725 (should be 1724).... John Bryan, Sr. of the lower parish to his son, William Bryan of the same, for Love and Affection.... 200 acres in the lower parish (being part of a patent granted John Bryan, Sr. on 20 Apr 1682).
Wit: Thomas Gale, Jr., John (X) Hampton and William Thornton.
Rec: 25 Jan 1724 John (X) Bryan
NOTE: See following deed.

(p.685) 23 Jan 1725.... John Bryan, Sr. of the lower parish to his son, Samuel Bryan, for Love and Affection.... 200 acres in the lower parish (being part of a patent for 1,000 acres and the 200 acres was in the possession of Thomas Mason who sold it to Hauch Bolter on 20 Nov 1668 and was devised by Mr. John Bryan to his son, John Bryan, on 14 Feb 1680).
Wit: Thomas Gale, Jr., John (X) Hampton and William Thornton.
Rec: 25 Jan 1724 John Bryan
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.686) 20 Jan 1724.... William Westwary (Westray?) of the lower parish to his son, John Westwary, for Love and Affection.... 100 acres (whereon William Seller did live) adjoining the Long Branch, land John Westwary bought from Henry West and the Walnut Neck Branch.
Wit: John Jonson, John (X) Batten and Mikel (X) Fulgum.
Rec: 25 Jan 1724 William (X) Westwary

(p.687) 21 Jan 1724.... Nathaniel Harrison, Esq., of Surry County to Christopher Kilbee of Isle of Wight County.... 750 acres on the south side of Nottoway River adjoining the Nottoway Indians Land and Three Creeks (being part of a patent dated 16 Jun 1714).
Nathaniel Harrison

(p.680) 25 Jan 1724.... Robert Hill and wife, Tabitha Hill, to Arthur Jordan.... 145 acres on the south side of Fountens Creek (being the land said Hill lives on).
Wit: Thomas Hallemon, Sr. and Thomas Hallemon, Jr. Robert Hill
Rec: 25 Jan 1724

(p.690) 24 Jan 1724.... Edward Simonds and wife, Mary Simonds, of North Carolina to Francis Sharp of the upper parish of Isle of Wight at Meherin.... two tracts of land for 350 acres and 120 acres (being now in the possession of said Sharp) bounded by Flatt Swamp.
Wit: James Ramsay, Anthnoy Prance and Amos Garris. Edward (X) Simonds
Mary (X) Simonds

(p.693) 23 Jan 1724.... Phillip Pierce, Sr. of the upper parish to his son, George Pierce, of the lower parish for Love and Affection.... 200 acres in the lower parish adjoining Mr. Raiford, Hogg Path Branch and the swamp.
Wit: William Pope and John (X) Teasley. Phillip (X) Pierce
Rec: 25 Jan 1724

(p.693) 23 Jan 1724.... Phillip Pierce, Sr. and wife, Sarah Pierce, of the upper parish to John Teasley of the lower parish.... 100 acres adjoining William Johnson (being part of a patent for 2,005 acres granted George Pierce).
Wit: Richard (X) Pierce and George (X) Pierce. Phillip (X) Pierce
Rec: 25 Jan 1724

(p.696) 18 Jan 1724.... Francis Regon of Surry County to William Jones of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres in the upper parish on the south side of Round Hill Swamp and bounded by Suskeyhaner Branch (being land Francis Regon bought from William Edwards and was not acknowledged before his death and William Edwards left it in his will to Francis Regon).
Wit: William Baldwin and William Bayley. Francis (X) Regon
Rec: 22 Mar 1724

(p.698) 25 Apr 1724.... John Simons, Sr.,Gent., of Surry County to James Ramsay of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres on the north side of Flatt Swamp near Meherin River in the upper parish (being part of 350 acres taken up by John Simons who sold 200 acres to Alexander Walker, Gent., of New Kent County).
Rec: 26 Apr 1725 James Simons

(p.700) 25 Apr 1724.... Samuel Westbrook of Isle of Wight to John Scott, Sadler, of Prince George County.... 150 acres on the south side of Flatt Swamp.
Rec: 26 Apr 1725 Samuel (X) Westbrook

(p.703 25 Apr 1725.... Thomas Hart, son of Henry Hart late of Lawnes Creek Parish in Surry County to Henry Gray of Southwarke Parish in Surry County.... 100 acres on the north side of Lightwood Swamp (being a patent of Thomas Hart dated 9 Jul 1724.
Rec: 26 Apr 1725 Thomas Hart

(p.704) 24 Dec 1725.... Bond of Adam Ivy to Nicholas Hatch of Prince George County.... one Negro woman named Phillis and 100 acres of land whereon said Ivy now dwells.
Wit: Benjamin Chapman Donaldson, J. Edwards and Joseph Chapman.
Rec: 6 Apr 1725 Adam Ivy

(p.705) 24 Apr 1725.... John Person of Surry County to James Haley of Meherin River in Isle of Wight.... 130 acres on the south side of Meherin River (being a patent dated 18 Feb 1722).
Wit: William Washington and James Ramsay. John Person
Rec: 14 May 1725

(p.707) 17 Feb 1724.... Thomas Howell of Albemarle County in North Carolina to Edward Boykin, Jr. of Isle of WIght County.... 100 acres on the south side of main Blackwater adjoining Seacock Swamp (being a patent granted said Howell in 1702.
Rec: 24 May 1725 Thomas Howell

(p.709) 28 Jun 1725.... William Godwin and wife, Ann Godwin, of Nansemond County to William Wilkinson of Isle of Wight.... one grist mill and 1 acre of land in the lower parish on Chuckatuck Creek (being land bought by Col. Thomas Godwin from Samuel Ferment).
Wit: Joseph Godwin, James Godwin and Richard Rndyard. William Godwin
Ann (X) Godwin

(p.709) 26 Jul 1725.... John Pitt of the lower parish to James Benn of the same.... a water grist mill in the lower parish called "Drivers Mill."
Wit: Hugh Giles and John Saunders. John Pitt
Rec: 26 Jul 1725

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(p.92) 8 Sep 1707.... Robert Halsey, Citizen and Stationer of London, the only son and Heir of Robert Halsey, the Elder, Tanner, deceased, late of Virginia to William Newberry, Jr. of the City of London, Saddler.... 400 acres near Piscatquay Creek in Rappahannock River.
Wit: John Knight, Thomas Bolling, Edward Bolling, Thomas Richardson, John Harrison, Barnaby Kearne, John Wilson, Thomas Walton and Edward Hill.
Rec: 9 Oct 1708 Robert Halsey

(p.93) 9 Sep 1707.... Robert Halsey (see preceeding deed) to William Newberry, Jr. of the City of London, Sadler.... 400 acres near Piscatquay Creek in Rappahannock River. Robert Halsey
Rec: 9 Oct 1708

(p.98) 9 Oct 1708.... John Cook of the upper parish of Surry County to Thomas Cook of the upper parish of Isle of Wight County.... -?- acres in the upper parish bounded by Thomas Cook and Evans. "will or devis of his father William Cook decd" is noted.
Wit: Joseph Chapman and John Wombwell. John Cook
Rec: 9 Oct 1708

(p.99) 9 Jul 1708.... William Deloach and wife, Elianor Deloach, of the upper parish to Michael Deloach of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish (being part of a patent granted John Portis and Henry West on 25 Sep 1673) bounded by John Sherrer and John Jones.
Wit: Joseph Chapman and William Balmer. William (X) Deloach

(p.100) 17 Jan 1708.... Samuel Forment and wife, Joyce Forment, of Chuckatuck Parish in Nansemond County to Col. Thomas Godwin and his son, William Godwin, of the same.... 1 acre in the lower parish of Isle of Wight (being part of the land I now live on) on the main run of Chuckatuck Creek at Godwins Dam with ½ acre on each side of the swamp. Capt. James Webb has Power of Attorney.
Wit: Thomas Ballard(Bullard?) and Henry (X) Bullard (Ballard?).
Rec: 9 Feb 1708 Samuel Ferment

(p.101) 7 May 1708.... Ralph Boazman and wife, Mary Boazman, of North Carolina to Thomas Godwin, Jr. of the upper parish of Nansemond County.... 150 acres (being land granted to Anthony Branch on 16 Aug 1664 who willed it to Mary Boazman, the mother of the said Ralph Boazman, and given over by said Mary and Robert Hook by deed on 7 Dec 1696).
Wit: James Haward and Phineas (X) Whitaker. Ralph (X) Boazman
Rec: 9 May 1709 Mary Boazman

(p.102) 23 Apr —.... Christopher Reynolds, son and Heir of Richard Reynolds, decd., to Robert Brock, Bricklayer and father-in-law of said Christopher.... 450 acres (in an Escheat patent dated 20 Apr 1682. Said Richard Reynolds did deed part of the tract to Richard Casey and wife Jane Casey being one of his daughters on 9 Sep 1706 and the other part was deeded to Elizabeth Reynolds another daughter on 9 Nov 1706).
Wit: Arthur Smith, Thomas Summerell and Charles Chapman.
Rec: 1708 Christopher Reynolds

(p.104) 7 Aug 1708.... Robert Clarke to Thomas Whitly.... 20 acres in the lower parish and bounded by John Jollie, George Green, decd., the Cart Path to Newport Town, Mr. John Giles, Mr. Thomas Norsworthy, Peter Knight and said Whitly.
Wit: Richard Wilkinson, Jr., William Whitly and George (X) Allen.
Rec: 9 Aug 1709 Robert Clarke

(p.106) 9 May 1709.... Andrew Woodly to his daughter Mary Copeland and son in law Joseph Copeland for Love and Affection.... 2 slaves named Teadia and Phillis.
Wit: Benjamin Baker, Arthur Smith and Robert Brock. Andrew Woodly
Rec: 9 May 1709

(p.107) 7 Oct 1708.... John Butler and wife, Anne Butler, of the lower parish to Joseph Chapman of the upper parish.... -?- acres in the upper parish and bounded by James Manning and Peter Greaves. Thomas Wooten and Richard Wooten are mentioned.
Wit: Thomas Moscrop, Francis (X) Floyd and Richard (X) Casey. John (X) Butler
Rec 9 Oct 1708 Anne (X) Butler
NOTE: Anne Butler gave Mr. Richard Reynolds her Power of Attorney.

(p.109) 22 Jun —.... Michael Deloach of the lower parish to Jacob Harvey of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish bounded by John Sherrer, The Fish Ponds and John Jones.
Wit: William (X) Hooker and Phillip (x) Lupo. Michael (X) Deloach
Rec: 9 Jul 1709
NOTE: 9 Aug 1709.... Mary Deloach relinquished her dower right.

(p.110) 20 Jun 1709.... Thomas Cook and wife, Mary Cook, of the upper parish to Michael Deloach of the same.... 100 acres adjoining said Cooke, Evans and the Second Swamp of Blackwater.
Wit: Joseph Bridger, Jr., Thomas (X) Wombwell and John Walls.
Rec: 9 Aug 1709 Thomas Cooke

(p.112) 26 Apr —.... Hopkin Howell to Thomas Newman.... 100 acres (where said Howell lately lived) in Newport Parish in Isle of Wight County (being land devised to said Howell by the will of his father, Hopkin Howell, decd.) and bounded by the Holly Bush Swamp. Said Howell reserves 5 acres out of the tract being land he formerly sold Mr. John Jordan.
Wit: Thomas Lovitt, Mary (X) Lovitt and John Jordan. Hopkin (X) Howell
Rec: 1 May 1708

(p.114) 26 Apr 1708.... Mary Burdnett, mother of Hopkin Howell, relinquishes her Right of Dower in the above deed.
Wit: Thomas Lovitt, Mary (X) Lovitt and John Jordan. Mary (X) Burnett
Rec: 1 May 1708
NOTE: Thomas Lovitt and wife, Mary Lovitt, state that she is a sister to Hopkin Howell.
Wit: Hopkin (X) Howell and John Jordan. Thomas Lovitt
Rec: 9 Oct 1708 Mary (X) Lovitt

(p.116) 9 Feb 1708.... Mathew Whitfield and wife, Priscilla Whitfield, of Nansemond County to John Lawrence of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight County.... -?- acres in Newport Parish on the main Blackwater (being part of 530 acres granted on 5 Jun 1678 to Mr. John Lawrence, decd., who was the father of the said Priscilla and the land was willed on 2 Jan 1696 by said John Lawrence to his daughter, Elizabeth Lawrence, who in turn willed it to her sister Pricilla Lawrence in her Nansemond County will).
Wit: Richard Exum and James Hunter. Matthew Whitfield
Rec: 9 Feb 1708 Priscilla (X) Whitfield

(p.116) 4 Oct 1708.... Thomas Newman and wife, Mary Newman, of the lower parish to Edward Chitty of the upper parish.... 130 acres in the upper parish adjoining William Cooke (being part of a deed from John Giles to John Scherrer (?) who sold it to said Newman).
Wit: Robert Brocke and John Rattcliff. Thomas Newman

[illegible] Jun 1714) bounded by the Third Swamp of Blackwater, the other 300 acres which was bought by John Atkinson, Sr. from said Moore, John Clarke and the Barrens.
it: Henry Lightfoot, Robert Brock and Nathaniel Ridley.
:c: 25 Aug 1714 Orlando Champion

.291) 24 Sep 1714.... Thomas Pittman, Jr. to William Richardson.... 125 acres (being rt of a patent for 250 acres granted on 16 Jun 1714) bounded by Boykins Branch and)bert Hart.
it: Jenkin Dorman and William (X) Hollyman. Thomas (X) Pittman
:c: 27 Sep 1714

.294) 23 Sep 1714.... Thomas Pittman, Jr. and wife, Elizabeth Pittman, to his Stepson illiam Hollyman.... 125 acres on the south side of the main Blackwater (being ½ of a tent for 250 acres granted said Pittman on 16 Jun 1714) and bounded by Boykins anch and Edward Boykin. Thomas (X) Hollyman (should be Pittman)
it: Jenkin Dorman and William (X) Richerdson.
:c: 27 Sep 1714 Elizabeth (X) Hollyman (should be Pittman)

.295) 25 Sep 1714.... Robert Brock, Bricklayer, and wife Susanah Brock, to William acey.... 300 acres (being part of a patent for 2100 acres inted Edmund Pallmer. The 300 acre tract was sold by Henry Martin on 9 June 1699 said Brock) bounded by John Thomas, Hugh Bracey, William Body and the said artin.
it: Arthur Smith, Thomas Hickson and Hugh Bracey, Jr. Robert Brock
:c: 29 Sep 1714

297) 25 Jun 1714.... Andrew Woodley, Gent., to his son Thomas Woodley for Love d Affection.... 640 acres (formerly sold to Andrew Woodley by James Baren (?) on 22 b 1698).
it: John Wellman (?), Andrew Monro, Thomas Boyd and Henry Lightfoot.
:c: 29 Sep 1714 Andrew Woodley

298) 25 Sep 1714.... John Seller and wife, Elizabeth Seller, to Charles Jones.... 100 es (being part of a patent for 1200 acres granted to Mr. Arthur Smith and Jonah (?) rrison and "said Harrison gave the land to my father, William Seller, on 9 Dec 1684") unded by William Norsworthy and the Second Swamp. John Seller
t: Thomas Moore, Edward Chitty and Abraham Baggett. Elizabeth (X) Seller

299) 25 Sep 1714.... Samuel Stricklin and wife, Abbigale Stricklin, of Newport Parish Peter Daniell of the same.... -?- acres on the Horse Swamp, a branch of Blackwater, ij. William Bridger and the old line of Matthew Stricklin.
t: Joshua Turner, Andrew Griffin and James Sampson. Samuel (X) Stricklin
c: 27 Sep 1714

300) 27 Sep 1714.... Samuel Stricklin and wife, Abbigale Stricklin, to Peter Daniell.... s is the same deed as the preceeding deed.... land is part of a patent for 1803 acres nted "my father Matthew Stricklin on 20 Apr 1680".
t: Joshua Turner, Andrew Griffin and James Sampson. Samuel (X) Stricklin
c: 27 Sep 1714

302) 21 Oct 1714.... Robert Flake, the Elder, and wife, Margaret Flake, of Surry unty to John Revill, Cordweaner, of the same.... 100 acres on the west side of Second amp (being part of a patent for 2850 acres granted to Robert Flake on 3 Apr 1669 who

Wit: [illegible] Bridger and John Ogburne
Rec: 22 Nov 1714 Margaret (X) Flake

(p.305) 22 Oct 1714.... John Joyner to Daniel Batton.... 370 acres (being formerly the land of John Hardy, decd., and was a patent granted said Hardy who willed it to said Joyner).
Wit: Francis Parker, Thomas Williams and James Haelton. John Joyner
Rec: 22 Nov 1714

(p.308) 20 Nov 1714.... Daniell Batten and wife, Sarah Batten, of Newport Parish to Francis Parker of the same.... 50 acres in Newport Parish (being land bought by said Batten from Nathan Bagnell on 26 Oct 1709 and was part of a patent for 470 acres granted 29 May 1683 to Thomas Parker and James Bagnall. Land descended from Sarah Bagnall, wife of James Bagnall, to Nathan Bagnall her Son and Heir) bounded by the Great Swamp and land of William Smith's now Richard Smith's and is commonly called "Bushes Neck". Daniell (X) Batten
Wit: Tristrom Norsworthy, Peter Lugg (?) and Thomas (X) Parker.
Rec: 22 Nov 1714 Sarah (X) Batten

(p.310) 26 Oct 1714.... Alexander Forbes, Clarke, of the upper parish of Isle of Wight County and Henry Baker, Gent., of Nansemond County, Heir at Law of Henry Baker of Isle of Wight who was the Executor of the last will of Mrs. Silvestra Hill, late decd., to Lawrence Baker of Isle of Wight.... 300 acres (being land Mrs. Silvestra Hill, decd., willed to the Poor of the upper parish of Isle of Wight on 17 Oct 1706).
Wit: Thomas Giles, James Hamilton and John Ogburn. Alexander Forbes
Rec: 28 Feb 1714

(p.311) 24 Feb 1714.... William Rose of Surry County to Samuel Kindred of Isle of Wight County.... 75 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being part of a patent for 150 acres granted said Rose on 10 Nov 1713).
Wit: Henry Rose and John Rose. William Rose
Rec: 28 Feb 1714

(p.314 6 Feb 1714.... William West, Yeoman, of Isle of Wight County to Walter Beasley, Yeoman of the upper parish of Nansemond County.... 600 acres (except a 40 foot square for a burying place) which was a patent granted on 17 Apr 1705 (?). Land is near Kingsale Swamp, James Bryant and Blackwater Swamp. It appears that the land was formerly granted to Henry Applewhaite on 15 Oct 1696.
Wit: James Holland, John (X) Davis and John (X) Bryant, Jr.
Rec: 28 Feb 1714 William (X) West

(p.317) 11 Apr 1715.... Edward Harris, Cooper, to Robert Harris.... 240 acres in the upper parish on the south side of the main Blackwater (being part of a patent for 540 acres granted said Edward Harris on 13 Nov 1713) and bounded by Warreek Branch.
Wit: John Keyghley (?) and William Crumpler. Edward (X) Harris
Rec: 25 Feb 1715

(p.320) 19 Apr 1715.... Etheldred Tayler of Surry County to Joseph Cobb of the same.... 120 acres on Lightwood Swamp in Isle of Wight County adjoining Thomas Deloch and the house built by said Tayler for William Sweet (now in the possession of said Cobb).
Wit: Thomas Jarrell, Thomas Halloman and Robert Brocke. Etheldred Tayler
Rec: 25 Apr 1715

said Wilkins (being part of a patent that Samuel Kenady, decd., devised to his son, Samuel Kennady, who sold it to Daniel Story who sold it to Robert Wilkins.
Wit: James (X) Mellore and James Holland. Robert Wilkins
Rec: 28 May 1733
NOTE: William Bryan has Power of Attorney from Robert Wilkins.

(p.260) 25 Feb 1732.... John Page of North Carolina to Thomas Godwin of the upper parish of Nansemond County.... 133 acres on the Western Branch of Nansemond River (being all of a tract granted Henry Hern on 30 Oct 1686 who sold it to Thomas Page on 10 Sep 1688 who willed it to his son the said John Page.
Wit: John Simmons, Thomas Hill and Thomas Pierce. John Page
Rec: 25 Jun 1733

(p.263) 24 Jun 1733.... Joseph Weston and wife, Mary Weston, Peter Lugg and wife Hannah Lugg, and Abraham Brinkley and wife Elizabeth Brinkley, to Francis Floide (Floyd?).... 70 acres. Joseph Weston Peter Lugg
Rec: 25 Jan 1733 Mary Weston Hannah Lugg
Abraham Brinkley Elizabeth Brinkley

(p.265) 17 Feb 1732.... Charles Jones of North Carolina to Joseph Gray of Isle of Wight.... 185 acres on the west side of Tarrarake Branch (being a patent granted said Jones on 13 Nov 1713).
Wit: Robert Snipes, William Ruffin, Jr. and William Gray, Jr.
Rec: 23 Jul 1733 Charles (X) Jones

(p.267) 23 Jul 1733.... Robert Crocker to his son, Arthur Crocker.... 87 acres (being one half of a patent granted said Robert Crocker on 27 Feb 1724) adjoining Blunts Swamp and Browns Branch and the dwelling house of Joseph Powell).
Wit: John Person and William Pope. Robert (X) Crocker
Rec: 23 Jul 1733

(p.268) 2 Apr 1733.... James Chappel of Lawnes Creek Parish in Surry County to Henry Briggs of Isle of Wight.... 250 acres on the south side of Browns Branch (being part of a patent for 350 acres of the said James Chappel dated 8 Sep 1730).
Wit: Robert Jones and Thomas Jarrell, Jr. James Chappell
Rec: 23 Jul 1733

(p.269) 24 Jul (?) 1733.... John Edwards of North Carolina to John Wheeler of the lower parish of Isle of Wight.... 200 acres adjoining Col. Bridger, George Pearce, the Black Pond and Ratclif Boon (being part of a patent for 1803 acres dated 1680).
Wit: Henry Briggs, Henry Lightfoot and Francis Gross. John (X) Edwards
Rec: 23 Jul 1733

(p.271) 22 Jul 1733.... David Jones and wife, Susanna Jones, of Surry County to Robert Jones of the same.... 160 acres near Angelica Swamp (being part of 560 acres which was granted James Jones, decd., late of Prince George County, on 23 Dec 1714 who, in turn, willed the land to the said David Jones).
Wit: Charles Binns and James Chappel. David Jones
Rec: 24 Jul 1733 Suasanna (X) Jones

(p.273) 6 Mar 1683.... John Brewer, son of Mr. John Brewer, decd., to his brother Thomas Brewer for Love and Affection.... 250 acres adjoining Mr. Thomas Pitts, Mr. Anthony Holyday and Chuckatuck Creek.
Wit: Robert Stewart and Anthony Holyday. John Brewer
Rec: 10 Mar 1683

NOTE: Deposition of Thomas Gross, aged 40 years, states that he knew Thomas Brewer, decd., and Anthony Holyday, decd. Thomas Gross
Wit: Joseph Godwin and William Wilkinson.
Rec: 24 Jul 1733

(p.275) 28 Mar 1733.... Samuel Gainer and wife, Ann Gainer, of Albemarle County in North Carolina to John Miller of Isle of Wight County.... 100 acres in the upper parish adjoining Richard Jones, Philip Brantley, Francis England, Maj. William Bridger and Francis Wrenn. Samuel (X) Gainer
Wit: John Hodges, James Everard, Richard Jordan and Edward Miller.
NOTE: Ann Gainer appoints George Bell, Sr. of the upper parish as her attorney.
Wit: John Nairne, William Bell and John (X) Bell. Ann (X) Gainer
Rec: 27 Aug 1733

(p.278) 13 Sep 1733.... Nicholas Williams, Gent., of Newport Parish to Joseph Godwin and Thomas Jarrell, Gent., Church Wardens of Newport Parish.... 1 acre of land to build a Chappel on.
Wit: Hugh Giles and Henry Applewhaite. Nicholas Williams
Rec: 24 Sep 1733

(p.280) 18 Sep 1733.... Benjamin Blunt and wife, Priscilla Blunt, to Thomas Jarrell, Jr.... 210 acres in the upper parish on the north side of Nottoway River adjoining Capt. William Brown (being part of a patent for 440 acres granted Thomas Blunt, decd., on 23 Dec 1714).
Wit: Edward (X) Jones, Thomas (X) Williams and James (X) Powel. Benajmin Blunt
Rec: 24 Sep 1733 Priscilla (X) Blunt

(p.283) 23 Jul 1733.... Barnaby Kearne (Kearney?) of Suffolk Parish in Nansemond County to Joseph Bullock of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight.... 200 acres on Chuckatuck Creek (being land bought by Capt. Thomas Godwin from James Reeves on 10 Aug 1694 and willed by him in Nansemond County to said Kearne) adjoining Godfrey Hunt (now Thomas Dixon's), John Howel, decd., and the Beaver Dam. Barnaby Kearne
Wit: William Godwin, Edward (X) Hoyle and Elizabeth (X) Miles.
Rec: 22 Oct 1733 Elizabeth Kearne

(p.284) 18 Oct 1733.... John Chapman of Surry County to Benjamin Blunt of Isle of Wight.... 240 acres (being where William Dees lately lived).
Wit: James Baker and William Simmons. John Chapman
Rec: 22 Oct 1733

(p.287) 25 Nov 1733.... Robert Little to William Joyner.... 170 acres on the south side of main Blackwater adjoining Lewis Smelly, the Cattail Branch and John Lawrence (being a patent granted said Little on 11 Jul 1719).
Rec: 26 Nov 1733 Robert Little

(p.389) 23 Nov 1733.... John Ingrum of Isle of Wight to Edward Davis of Surry County.... 165 acres (being land granted to William Johnson on 5 Sep 1723) adjoining Bartholomew Andrews and Round Hill Swamp.
Wit: William Simmons and Nathaniel Ridley. John Ingrum
Rec: 26 Nov 1733

(p.292) 26 Nov 1733.... Mary Kindred of Newport Parish to Joseph Powell of the same.... 150 acres in Newport Parish on the south side of Nottoway River adjoining Horse Meadow Branch and Whitewood Swamp (being land willed her by Samuel Kindred, decd., and is part of a patent granted said Samauel Kindred on 22 Feb 1724).
Wit: Thomas Jarrell, Jr., James Brown and Charles (X) Porter.
Rec: 26 Nov 1733 Mary (X) Kindred

(p.372) 28 Oct 1734.... John Laughorn and Thomas Altman of North Carolina to John Ingrum of Isle of Wight.... 130 acres on the north side of Tarrarae Creek (being land granted John Laughorn on 17 Aug 1725).
Wit: Joseph Jones, Thomas Deloach and Joseph Gray. John (X) Laughorn
Rec: 28 Oct 1734

(p.374) 27 Oct 1734.... Joshua Whitney and wife, Martha Whitney, of Virginia to James Ewart, Merchant of North Brittain.... 200 acres below Walls Bridge and bounded by Thomas Uzzell, land bought of William Bradshaw and the Cypress Swamp (being land said Whitney bought from Theophilous Joyner).
Wit: Joseph Ridley, Thomas Smith and Edward (X) Bell (?).
Rec: 20 Oct 1734 Joshua Whitney

(p.376) 23 Nov 1734.... Robert Warren of North Carolina to Thomas Warren and John Warren of Isle of Wight.... 106 acres (being part of a patent for 320 acres granted Bartholomew Andrews) in Nottoway Parish on the south side of the main Blackwater and the south side of Lightwood Swamp.
Wit: John Dunkley and Henry West. Robert Warren
Rec: 25 Nov 1734

(p.378) 25 Nov 1734.... Stephen Strickling to William Bryan.... 100 acres on the north side of Maherin River (being a patent granted said Strickling in 1724).
Wit: Jesse Brown and John Norsworthy. Stephen (X) Strickling
Rec: 25 Nov 1734

(p.379) 20 Nov 1734.... John Braswell and wife, Alice Braswell, to Joseph Cobb, Jr.... 200 acres adjoining said Braswell's other land (being land granted John Brwasell on 28 Sep 1732).
Wit: Thomas Jarrell, William (X) Newsum and Samuel (X) Bozman. John (X) Braswell
Rec: 25 Nov 1734 Alice (X) Braswell

(p.383) 20 Dec 1734.... John Surganer of North Carolina to Arthur Crocker of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight.... 140 acres in Newport Parish and bounded by George Williamson, James Atkinson and Robert Surganer.
Wit: Robert Cannon and George Williamson. John (X) Surganer
Rec: 22 Dec 1734

(p.385) 14 Jul 1732.... John Braswell to William Wood.... 195 acres on the south side of Nottoway River and bounded by Beaver Dam Swamp, the School House Branch, Nicholas Gurley, Sarah Braswell and James Forrester. John (X) Braswell
Wit: John Turner, James (X) Forrester and Ann (X) Forrester.
Rec: 23 Dec 1734 Alice (X) Braswell

(p.388) 21 Oct 1734.... Thomas Fisher of North Carolina, Son & Heir of Mary Bichenoe (Bichence?), to Lawrence Baker, Gent., of Isle of Wight.... 250 acres.
Wit: William Baker, John Wiggens and Henry Baker, Jr. Thomas (X) Fisher
Rec: 23 Dec 1734

(p.390) 20 Jan 1734.... Michael Fulgham and wife, Patience Fulgham, to William Wilkinson, Jr., the son of Col. William Wilkinson.... 344 acres on the Deep Swaamp (being a patent of James Watson dated 11 Jun 1653 who willed it to his daaughter, Ann Watson, who took a patent for the land in her own name in 1662).
Wit: Hugh Giles, Francis Gross and William Smith, Jr. Michael Fulgham
Rec: 27 Jan 1734

(p.394) 17 Dec 1734.... William Pope of Nottoway Parish to Thomas English.... 100 acres on Sweat House Swamp on the south side of Nottoway River (being part of a patent granted on 28 Sep 1732 and is where Thomas English now lives).
Wit: William Outland, Jr. and Reiman Ennis. William Pope
Rec: 27 Jan 1734

(p.395) 9 Jan 1734.... Henry Briggs of Surry County to Thomas Day of Isle of Wight.... 195 acres on Cashonkcore Swamp at William Buxton's hundred acres and bounded by James Chappel and Browns Branch.
Wit: James Anderson, William Clary and David Hyde. Henry Briggs
Rec: 27 Jan 1734

(p.397) 24 Jan 1734.... Thomas Callcoat and wife, Ann Callcoat, and Col. Arthur Smith and wife, Mary Smith, Coheirs of Mr. John Bromfield, decd., to Edward Groom, Joyner.... 100 acres (being land bought by said Bromfield from Robert Driver, son of Gyles Driver, decd., and was part of a patent for 600 acres taken up by said Gyles Driver) adjoining Mr. Coleman, Jolley and Edward Driver. Thomas Callcoat
Wit: William Hodsden, Peter (X) Green and Peter (X) Williams. Ann Callcoat
Rec: 24 Feb 1734 Arthur Smith
Mary Smith

(p.402) 4 Feb 1734.... William Wood and wife, Mary Wood, to John Wombwell.... 195 acres on the south side of Beaverdam Swamp.
Wit: Joseph Cobb, Samuel (X) Willis and Ann (X) Forrester. William (X) Wood
Rec: 24 Feb 1734 Mary (X) Wood

(p.404) 20 Feb 1734.... John Vasser to William Barrow.... 100 acres adjoining Robert Williams, John Exum and the Suseahanna Branch.
Wit: Jacob Darden and John (X) Harris. John Vasser
Rec: 24 Feb 1734

(p.407) 21 Feb 1734.... John Wombwell of Newport Parish to Matthew Jordan of the same.... 500 acres (being part of a patent for 650 acres granted Thomas Wombwell on 25 Sep 1679) adjoining John Gray, Thomas Wombwell, John Wombwell, Moores Quarter Branch and a branch of the main Blackwater.
Wit: James Baker and Robert Cannon. John (X).Wombwell
Rec: 24 Feb 1734

(p.409) 24 Feb 1734.... John Williams of Newport Parish to John Clayton of the same.... 100 acres in Newport Parish and bounded by Michael Deloach, Thomas Cook, Evans, Flakes Cart Road and the Great Bridge of the Second Swamp (being the land John Williams now lives on).
Wit: Arthur Smith, Thomas Hill and Hugh Giles. John Williams
Rec: 24 Feb 1734

(p.412) 10 Oct 1734.... William Powel, Jr. to Jacob Powel.... 120 acres in the Western Branches of Nansemond (being part of a patent for 480 acres granted to Thomas Powel in 1682) and bounded by Robert Smelly, William Powel, John Speight and Francis Hutchins.
Wit: John (X) Peers, Moses (X) Powel and John Speight.
Rec: 24 Mar 1734

(p.413) 21 Mar 1734.... Peter Woodward, Carpenter of Newport Parish, to James Baker, Gent. of the same.... his right in the mill called "The Little Mill" or "Greens Mill" now in the occupation of Sarah White, Tenant in Possession for and during the natural life of Joseph Bridger, Gent., and at his death descending to Bartholomew Green.
Wit: Thomas Jarrell and W. Bidgood. Peter Woodward
Rec: 24 Mar 1734

(p.414) 23 Mar 1734.... Sampson Lanier of Surry County to the Vestry of Nottoway Parish in Isle of Wight.... 200 acres on the west side of Trent Branch (being a part of a patent for 1240 acres granted Richard Washington on 16 Dec 1714) and bounded by Flagg Swamp.
Rec: 24 Mar 1734 Sampson Lanier

(p.417) 24 Mar 1734.... Thomas Williams and wife, Elizabeth Williams, to John Clayton all of Newport Parish.... 100 acres adjoining the Second Swamp of Blackwater.
Wit: Baker, Thomas Hill and George Wilson. Thomas (X) Williams
Rec: 24 Mar 1734 Elizabeth (X) Williams

(p.419) 26 Apr 1735.... Thomas Hunt, Carpenter of Prince George County, to Thomas Philips of Isle of Wight.... 140 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being a patent granted Thomas Hunt, decd., on 16 Jul 1714) and bounded by the Reedy Swamp.
Wit: John Person. Thomas Hunt
Rec: 28 Apr 1735

(p.412) ___.... William Kinchin of Nottoway Parish to his son, Mathew Kinchin, for Love and Affection.... 750 acres in Nottoway Parish on the south side of Nottoway River and lower side of Three Creeks adjoining the Indian Line and the Angelica Swamp.
Wit: John Dunkley, Etheldred Taylor and Joseph Exum. William Kinchin
Rec: 28 Apr 1735

(p.422) 22 Mar 1734.... James Denson to John Darden.... -?- acres (being the remaining part of a patent granted "to my father James Denson" on 31 Oct 1716) adjoining Col. Bridger on Currywough Swamp, Robert Johnson, John Powel, William Powel and John Watkins.
Wit: Joseph Bridger, Thomas Applewhaite and James Godwin. James Denson
Rec: 28 Apr 1735

(p.424) 12 Mar 1734.... James Atkinson to Parnal Atkinson.... 230 acres on the south west side of Third Swamp of Blackwater (being a patent granted on 10 Sep 1669 to William Richardson and Thomas Atkinson and by them sold to James Atkinson, father of the aforesaid James Atkinson, and by him willed to the said Atkinson) adjoining Robert Flake.
Wit: Thomas Atkinson and James Atkinson, Jr. James Atkinson
Rec: 28 Apr 1735

(p.426) 15 Apr 1735.... Peter Garland and wife, Mary Garland, of Newport Parish to Willis Wilkinson, son of Col. William Wilkinson of the same.... 100 acres (being land where Peter Garland now lives and was formerly granted to Peter Knight in 1638 who assigned it to James Innes in 1655 who took out a patent for the land in his own name and the name of his son James Innes in 1670 from whom it descended to the said Peter Garland as one of the grandsons of the said James Innes).
Wit: Hugh Giles, George Clark and Thomas Whitley. Peter (X) Garland
Rec: 28 Apr 1735

(p.430) 23 May 1735.... Thomas Davidson and wife, Mary Davidson of Lawnes Creek Parish in Surry County to Christopher Atkinson of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight.... 100 acres in Newport Parish (being part of 200 acres which was given to said Davidson by his grandfather, John Clark, decd.) bounded by Elizabeth Hayes and said Atkinson's line.
Wit: Charles Binns and Samuel Warren. Thomas Davidson
Rec: 26 May 1735

(p.432) 2 Apr 1735.... Joseph Hill to William Noyall.... exchange of a certain tract of land lying in North Carolina at Roanoke for 100 acres (being land said Joseph Hill now lives on).
Wit: Hugh Giles, Andrew Giles, Thomas Norsworthy and Mary Noyal.
Rec: 26 May 1735 Joseph Hall

(p.434) 1 Jan 1734.... John Simmons and Thomas Jarrell, Gent., Churchwardens of Nottoway Parish to Rev. John Gammel of Newport Parish.... -?- acres which was formerly the Glebe Land for Warwichsquesk Parish and now belongs to Nottoway Parish.
Wit: John Ruffin, Hugh Giles and Samuel Davis. John Simmons
Rec: 26 May 1735 Thomas Jarrell

(p.437) 7 May 1735.... Matthew Griffin of Isle of Wight to Joseph Godwin, Merchant of Barrets Neck in Nansemond County.... 300 acres on the north side of the main Blackwater adjoining Jacksons Branch, Jacksons Line, Gum Branch, Thomas Turner, said Griffin, Ratcliff Boon, the Horse Swamp and Woodward.
Wit: Edward Sparger, Jeremiah lawrence and James Everard.
Rec: 23 Jun 1735 Matthew Griffin

(p.439) 14 Aug ___.... Deed of Gift of Richard Hutchins, being aged, to his Son-in-Law and daughter John Pearce and Esther Pearce.... "all my cattle, Hoggs, Mares" and household goods and the profits from my plantation for 8 years.
Wit: William (X) Powel, John Denson, Francis Denson and James Denson.
Rec: 28 Jul 1735 Richard (X) Hutchins

(p.440) 17 Jun 1735.... Thomas Pool Hall to Bartholomew Hall.... 50 acres "where Pool Hall, the Elder, formerly lived and now in the Occupation of the Widow Crow" adjoining Pool Hall, the Younger, John Walls and the Beech Tree Swamp.
Wit: George Green, Alisha (X) Hurst and Edward (X) Long.
Rec: 28 Jul 1735 Thomas Pool (X) Hall

(p.442) 15 Aug 1735.... Henry Taylor, Marriner, to Etheldred Taylor of Isle of Wight.... 350 acres (whereon said Taylor now lives) on the south side of Lightwood Swamp.
Wit: John Davis, John Ruffin and James Godwin. Henry Taylor
Rec: 25 Aug 1735

(p.444) 15 May 1735.... Samuel Bozman of Isle of Wight to John Ellyson of Nansemond County.... 230 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being a patent granted said Bozman on 28 Feb 1733) bounded by Arthurs Swamp.
Wit: John Norsworthy, John (X) Harred, Samuel (X) Willis, Samuel (X) Bozman, Jr., John Norsworthy, Thomas Gale and Henry Pitt. Samuel (X) Bozman
Rec: 25 Aug 1735 Mary (X) Bozman

(p.445) 3 Sep 1735.... Thomas Applewhaite, son of Thomas Applewhaite of the lower parish of Isle of Wight, and his wife Martha Applewhaite, to William Eley of the same.... 200 acres (being part of a patent granted to Capt. Henry Applewhaite on 18 Apr 1676 who gave it to his son Thomas Applewhaite and his male heirs on 8 Aug 1700). This land is part of 925 acres which was half of the land given and its boundaries are not settled.
Wit: Thomas Gale, John Sellway, Richard (X) Sellway and John Denson.
Thomas Applewhaite
Rec: 27 Oct 1735 Martha (X) Applewhaite

(p.447) 24 Oct 1735.... Martin Middleton and wife, Ann Middleton, of Isle of Wight to Joseph Warren of Surry County.... 165 acres on Cockes Swamp and adjoining Long Point Branch (being land granted said Middleton on 22 Feb 1724).
Wit: Joseph Gray and Howel Briggs. Martin (X) Middleton
Rec: 27 Oct 1735 Ann (X) Middleton

(p.449) 27 Oct 1735.... John Johnson and wife, Mary Johnson, of North Carolina to Thomas Calcott of Warwickscreek River adjoining John Howel, Col. Arthur Smith and William Wiggs.
Wit: William Brock, Thomas Brown and Robert Cannon. John Johnson
Rec: 27 Oct 1735 Mary (X) Johnson

(p.451) 7 Aug 1735.... The Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians with John Simmons of Isle of Wight and Thomas Cocke and Benjamin Edwards of Surry County, Gent., of the second part as the Indians' Trustees to Richard Hines of Surry County.... 400 acres of a tract of land six miles in diamiter on the north side of Nottoway River.
Wit: James Stanton, Samuel Blow, George Briggs, Thomas Davis, James Stanton, Thomas Cocke, J. Simmons, Benjamin Edwards, Thomas Cocke and Thomas Hines.
Rec: 24 Nov 1735
NOTE: See following deeds.

(p.456) 7 Aug 1735.... The Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Samuel Blow of Surry County.. 340 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.458) 7 Aug 1735.... The Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to James Harr of Isle of Wight.... 360 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.460) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Benjamin Clements of Isle of Wight.... 340 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.462) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Benjamin Simmons.... 400 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.464) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to John Rawlings.... 130 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.466) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to William Barton of Isle of Wight.... 106 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.468) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Thomas Cocke of Prince George County.... 400 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.470) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Ogburn Branch of Isle of Wight.... 355 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.472) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to William Sawery of Surry County.... 330 acresd.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.474) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Richard Parker, Jr. of Isle of Wight.... 250 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.476) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Etheldred Taylor of Isle of Wight.... 320 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.478) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Charles Simmons of Isle of Wight.... 400 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.480) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to John Simmons, Jr. of Surry County.... 225 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.482) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Robert Hill of Surry County.... 270 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.484) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to George Briggs of Surry County.... 315 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.486) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Walter Bayley of Surry County.... 350 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.488) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to James Stanton of Isle of Wight.... 280 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.490) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indains to Charles Briggs of Surry County.... 310 acres in both Surry County and Isle of Wight County.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.493) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Robert Long of Surry County.... 255 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.494) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Thomas Davis of Isle of Wight.... 310 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.496) 7 Aug 1735.... Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Thomas Williams of Isle of Wight.... 62 acres.
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.498) 10 May 1735.... John Johnson and wife, Mary Johnson, of Bartee Precinct in North Carolina to John Hale of Isle of Wight.... 225 acres in the lower parish commonly called "Piggs Neck" on the Branches of Blackwater and bequeathed to him by the will of his father John Johnson, decd., on 7 Jan 1703 and also by deed dated 16 Mar 1715 from Hugh Mathis and wife Martha Mathis. Land adjoins Thomas Harris and Mary Turner. Also, there is mention of a deed of Mathew Tomlin to John Johnson dated 13 Aug 1687. John Johnson
Wit: Mathew (X) Tomlin, Sarah Batten, Thomas Peirce and George Whitley.
Rec: 24 Nov 1735 Mary (X) Johnson

(p.500) 26 May 1735.... Benjamin Brantley and wife, Elizabeth Brantley, of the lower parish to James Brantley of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish (being ½ of 200 acres adjoining said James Brantley). Benjamin (X) Brantley
Wit: William Harrison, Samuel (X) Jones and John Murry.
Rec: 24 Nov 1735 Elizabeth (X) Brantley

(p.502) 28 Jul 1735.... Samuel Wade and his son, William Wade, of Bartee Precinct in North Carolina to Robert Cogan of Isle of Wight.... 95 acres on Indian Creek and the Nansemond River adjoining Isaac Riches, Robert Sanders and the Main Road.
Wit: William Denson, John Rickes and Isaac (X) Rickes.
Rec: 24 Nov 1735 William Wade

(p.504) 21 Nov 1735.... William Blake, Jr. to Joshua Cloyd.... 185 acres on the south side of Nottoway River (being land granted said William Blake, Jr. on 28 Sep 1730).
Wit: John Monro, James Stanton and Joseph Gray. William (X) Blake, Jr.
Rec: 24 Nov 1735

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(p.1) 24 Aug 1741.... Sarah Murry of Newport Parish to William Davis of the same.... 150 acres called "Round Hill" near Pagan Creek (being the land said Sarah Murry bought from George Murry and bounded by Harrison. This land was originally bought by Thomas Murry from John Murry).
Rec: 24 Aug 1741 Sarah Murry

(p.3) 2 Mar 1741.... The Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians and Trustees, John Simmons of Isle of Wight and Thomas Cocke and Benjamin Edwards of Surry County, Gent., to William Blow of Isle of Wight County.... 120 acres adjoining Thomas Davis, Atsamosock Swamp, Indian Frank, Etheldred Taylor and Samuel Blow. Land surveyed by James Baker, Gent.
Wit: John Peson, Benjamin Ruffin, George Briggs, John Brown and Samuel Blow.
Rec: 24 Aug 1741

(p.6) 2 Mar 1740.... The Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians to Edmund Ruffin of Surry County.... 400 acres adjoining James Harris on the east side of Atsamosack Swamp, Benjamin Simmons, the Indian Branch and Robert Hill.
Rec: 24 Aug 1741

(p.9) 2 Mar 1740.... The Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians to John Brown of Isle of Wight.... 350 acres adjoining Charles Simmons, Thomas Cocke, Benjamin Clemons, William Andrews, John Simmons, Jr., William Simmons and William Simmons, Jr.
Rec: 24 Aug 1741

(p.12) 2 Mar 1740.... The Chiefs of the Nottoway Indians to Elizabeth Briggs of Surry County.... 130 acres adjoining George Briggs, Robert Long, Atsamosock Swamp, the Long Branch, Robert Bayley, Benjamin Ruffin and James Stanton.
Rec: 26 Oct 1741

(p.15) 26 Sep 1741.... Thomas Barrow of Isle of Wight to Charles Calthrop of York County.... two tracts of land of 200 acres (one tract granted to said Barrow on 19 Dec 1711 and the other granted said Barrow on 16 Jun 1714).
Wit: Henry (X) Coker, Joseph Phillips, John (X) Phillips and J. Gray.
Rec: 26 Oct 1741

(p.17) 14 Jul 1740.... William Page to Joshua Lewis.... 200 acres (being the land that he bought on 9 Jun 1710 from William Carver and wife Jane Carver who received it from her father John Moor and was the land he lived on).
Wit: Thomas (X) English, Sr. and Thomas English, Jr. William Page
Rec: 26 Oct 1741

(p.20) 26 Oct 1741.... Richard Wilkinson of Isle of Wight to John Scott of Norfolk Town.... a ½ acre lot (#5) in Newport Town which he bought on 24 Apr 1733 as witnessed by Col. Joseph Godwin and Capt. Henry Applewhaite.
Wit: Hardy Council, John Rodway and John Hawkins. Richard Wilkinson
Rec: 26 Oct 1741

(p.21) 25 Sep 1741.... Thomas Parnall to John Nelms and John Guin (Gwin?).... 150 acres (being all of the land conveyed from Arthur Smith to Thomas Parnall on 7 Oct 1686. Fowlers and Conyards land excepted being part of a patent for 1100 acres granted Col. Arthur Smith on 20 Nov 1683) with the west part for John Nelms and the east part for John Guin.
Wit: John Eley, Richard Conyears and John Gay. John Parnall
Rec: 26 Oct 1741

(p.24) 28 Sep 1741.... Thomas Parnall of the lower parish to Richard Conyears of the same.... 100 acres in the lower parish on the south side of Careuaugh Swamp (being part of a patent granted Col. Arthur Smith in 1683) adjoining Black Swamp Meadow, Col. Bridger, Col. Smith and Lawrence Branch.
Wit: John Eley, Arthur Smith and Henry Crafford. Thomas Parnall
Rec: 26 Oct 1741
NOTE: See preceeding deed.

(p.26) 26 Oct 1741.... Benjamin Boykin of Edgecomb County in North Carolina to Ralph Vickers of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight.... 525 acres on the northwest side of the third swamp of Blackwater in the upper parish called Nottoway Parish (being land granted to Major Arthur Allen on 20 Oct 1691) adjoining Mr. George Williamson and Mr. Thomas Moor.
Wit: Christopher (X) Wade, Hardy Council and Robert Hodges.
Rec: 26 Oct 1741 Benjamin (X) Boykin

(p.28) 24 Oct 1741.... Thomas Holt and wife, Ann Holt, of Surry County to Albridgton Jones of Isle of Wight.... 100 acres in Nottoway Parish adjoining Nottoway Swamp.
Wit: Edmund Godwin, Nathaniel Ridley and John Eley. Thomas Holt
Rec: 26 Oct 1741 Anne Holt

(p.30) 27 Dec 1741.... Anselm Bayley of Surry County to John Inman of Isle of Wight.... 140 acres on the north side of Meherrin River adjoining Henry Taylor (being the middle part of a tract granted said Bayley on 12 Jul 1718).
Wit: Richard Blow, Jr., Joshua (X) Dawson and Thomas (X) Holleman.
Rec: 28 Dec 1741 Anselm (X) Bayley

(p.34) 22 Dec 1741.... William Faircloth and wife, Mary Faircloth, to Henry Thomas.... 150 acres (being land granted to John Bailey on 25 Mar 1715) on the east side of Toquothuta Swamp.
Wit: Thomas Carter, Joseph Newsom and John Hickman. William (X) Faircloth
Rec: 28 Dec 1741 Mary (X) Faircloth

(p.39) 21 Dec 1741.... Edward Pitman to Mathew Jordan both of Newport Parish.... 60 acres on the second swamp of Blackwater adjoining Arthur Hase (Hays?), Thomas Pitman and James Pitman.
Wit: John (X) Womble, William (X) Braddy, William Flake and John (X) Giles.
Rec: 28 Dec 1741 Edward Pitman

(p.42) 17 Dec 1741.... John Lewis of the upper parish to James Brantley of the same.... 70 acres in the upper parish adjoining John Lewis and the Mirey Branch (being part of a patent for 347 acres).
Wit: Solomon Williams, Henry Lightfoot and John Wade. John Lewis
Rec: 25 Jan 1741

(p.44) 24 Jan 1741.... John Gregory of Carolina to John Washington of Isle of Wight.... 495 acres on the south side of Seacock Swamp adjoining the Scrubby Neck Branch, George Branch, John Phillips, said Washington, William Washington and Lightwood Swamp.
Wit: Benjamin Bayley, Samuel Sebrell and Charles Calthorp.
Rec: 22 Feb 1741 John (X) Grigry

(p.48) 22 Feb 1741.... Nicholas Williams and wife, Ann Williams, of Nottoway Parish to Jordan Thomas of Newport Parish.... 125 acres on Nottoway Swamp (being part of a patent granted William Williams on 24 Apr 1703 and by him sold to John Williams who then transferred it to the said Nicholas Williams on 21 Oct 1725).
Wit: Isham Nicholas and John Wills. Nicholas Williams
Rec: 22 Feb 1741

(p.51) 18 Feb 1741.... William Frezell and John Frezell, the son and Heir of William Frezell and Sarah Frezell his wife to Charles Chapman.... -?- acres in Newport Parish on the head of Pagan Creek (being a tract of land that John Portis gave as a Deed of Gift on 6 Apr 1693 to his daughter Susannah Thomas, the wife of John Thomas, and to her son William Frezell) adjoining Thomas Moor, the Blackwater Road and Oyster Shell Neck.
Wit: Thomas Calacote, Samuel Wentworth and James Calcote. William (X) Frezell
Rec: 22 Feb 1741 John (X) Frezell

(p.53) 22 Feb 1741.... James Jordan to Mathew Jordan.... 100 acres on the first swamp of Blackwater (being a tract left to James Jordan by his grandfather, Blackeby Ferrell) adjoining Samuel Jones, the Reedy Branch and Hill.
Wit: William Wigg, James Took Scott and Joseph Denson. James Jordan
Rec: 22 Feb 1741

(p.56) 25 Jan 1741.... Robert Monger to Joseph Exum.... 4 acres on the south side of Round Hill Swamp.
Wit: J. Gray, Joseph Jones, Etheldred Taylor and George Briggs.
Rec: 22 Feb 1741 Robert (X) Monger

(p.58) 22 Mar 1741.... Geroge Portis of Isle of Wight to Mathew Jones, Gent., of Warwick County.... 100 acres in Newport Parish adjoining Stewards Creek, Joseph Hill and Charles Chapman (being part of a patent for 376 acres granted John Portis, decd., father of the said George Portis, on 21 Sep 1674 who willed it to his son, George Portis, on 17 Apr 1703).
Wit: Charles Ghapman, Benjamin Davis and Linton Hayles (Hailes?).
Rec: 22 Mar 1741 George (X) Portis

(p.61) 20 Jan 1741.... Samuel Carter and wife, Rebecca Carter, to Richard Blow.... 120 acres (being all of a patent granted Thomas Carter on 23 Mar 1715) adjoining Blows Branch.
Wit: Francis Albrit (X) Jones, George Gurley and Elizabeth (X) Carter (the Younger ?).
Samuel Carter
Rec: 22 Mar 1741 Rebecca (X) Carter

(p.65) 18 Nov 1741.... Jacob Sharpe and wife, Elizabeth Sharpe, of Surry County to Francis Sharpe of Isle of Wight County.... 240 acres on the south side of Flat Swamp (being the land deeded by Edward Simmons to Francis Sharpe, the Elder, on 24 Jan 1725 who willed it to his son, Jacob Sharpe).
Rec: 22 Mar 1741 Jacob Sharp

(p.68) 18 Mar 1741.... Joshua Perry and wife, Elizabeth Perry, to John Windham.... 82½ acres (being ½ of the 165 acres sold by Edward Lundy to said Joshua Perry on 3 Feb 1737) on the north side of Meherrin River adjoining John Thweet and Harmon Read.
Rec: 22 Mar 1741 Joshua (X) Perry

(p.70) 20 Mar 1741.... Joseph Birkett to Thomas Jarrell.... 100 acres on Sweat House Swamp and Wolf Pit Branch (being part of a patent dated 28 Sep 1732).
Wit: Jesse Browne, Jacob Dickinson and Thomas Atkinson. Joseph Birkett
Rec: 22 Mar 1741

(p.71) 22 Mar 1741.... Valentine White to John Thomas.... 100 acres on the north side of Meherrin River (being a patent dated 10 Jan 1735).
Wit: James Baker and Etheldred Taylor, Valentine (X) White
Rec: 22 Mar 1741

(p.73) 24 Apr 1742.... Arthur Sherrod to Edward Allmand.... 135 acres in Nottoway Parish on the east side of Tuckers Swamp adjoining William Boykin and Joseph Turner (being a patent granted Thomas Sherrod on 24 Mar 1725).
Wit: James Simmons, Thomas Williamson and George Hall. Arthur Sherrod
Rec: 26 Apr 1742

(p.76) 8 Nov 1741.... John Irby of Brunswick County to Timothy Tharpe of Isle of Wight.... 170 acres on the south side of Three Creeks (being a patent granted on 22 Feb 1724).
Wit: James Ridley, James Jones and Samuel Seward. John Irby
Rec: 26 Apr 1742

(p.79) 19 Apr 1742.... Arthur Jones and wife, Mary Jones, to Giles Kelly.... 50 acres on the south side of the main road against Edward Miller adjoining the Meadow Branch and George Bell.
Rec: 26 Apr 1742 Arthur Jones

(p.82) 26 Apr 1742.... Henry Clark to Col. John Simmons.... 100 acres (being land granted to Henry Clark on 6 Jun 1714) on the east side of Cowshunker Swamp and Capt. William Brown. Henry (X) Clark
Rec: 26 Apr 1742

(p.83) 14 Feb 1738.... Thomas Browning and wife, Elizabeth Browning, of Isle of Wight to John Phillips of Lawnes Creek Parish in Surry County.... 82 acres on Mosock Swamp adjoining William Wood and John Browning.
Rec: 24 May 1742 Thomas (X) Browning

(p.87) 26 Apr 1742.... Richard Vick and wife, Sarah Vick, of the upper parish to Capt. John Darden of the lower parish.... 320 acres in the lower parish (being a patent granted to Joseph Vick on 22 Sep 1682) adjoining Hodges Council and the Chowan River near the Indian Spring.
Wit: Peter Britten, William Denson and Robert Darden. Richard (X) Vick
Rec: 24 May 1742

(p.90) 20 May 1742.... Jonathn Joyner and wife, Drewcilla Joyner, to Robert Hodges.... 20 acres on the south side of the main Blackwater adjoining Bull Branch on Tuckers Swamp and Mrs. Elizabeth Kinchin.
Wit: John Dunkley and Edward Goodrich. Jonathn Joyner
Rec: 24 May 1742

(p.92) 25 Apr 1742.... John Wright to Joshua Hunter.... 50 acres (being the land he lived on which was given to him by his father's will) in Newport Parish adjoining a boiling spring, John Long and the mill dam.
Wit: John Monro, Charles Driver, John (X) Frizell, John Long, John Watts, Thomas (X) Wright and James Wright.
Rec: 24 May 1742 John Wright

(p.93) 20 May 1742.... Thomas Wright to George Hall.... 100 acres (being part of a patent for 400 acres granted to Thomas Blake on 27 Oct 1670 who sold it on 9 Jun 1702 to John Prime who willed it on 4 Mar 1717 to said Thomas Wright) on a branch of Blackwater adjoinng Thomas Blake and Thomas Tooke).
Rec: 24 May 1742 Thomas (X) Wright

(p.97) 10 Jul 1741.... Elizabeth Walton to her daughter Catherine Walton for Love and Affection.... slaves and household goods.
Wit: John Goodrich and Charles Portlock. Elizabeth (X) Walton
Rec: 24 May 1742

of a patent formerly in the possession of Timothy Fenne and Robert Fenne) adjoining Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, Thomas Murry, decd., and John Hodges.
Wit: Nicholas Bourdon and John Driver. John Ruffin
Rec: 8 Jan 1746

(p.415) 12 Feb 1746.... James Baker, Gent., to William Lawrence.... 300 acres on the north side of the main Blackwater Swamp (being part of a patent for 1311 acres granted Hugh Campbell, decd., in Nansemond County on 24 Apr 1695 who willed the 300 acres to Henry Baker, decd., father of the said James Baker who willed it to his son on 28 Jul 1712 and the land has been surveyed by John Milner, Gent., Surveyor of Nansemond County) adjoining Braswells Branch, Robert Carr, said William Lawrence and John Lawrence.
Rec: 12 Feb 1746 James Baker

(p.417) 9 Feb 1746.... Lewis Bryant and wife, Elizabeth Bryant, of the upper parish to Robert Tyler of the same.... 345 acres (being a patent granted said Lewis Bryant in 1732) adjoining William Harris, William Gray and John Barnes.
Wit: Hodges Council and Lewis (X) Bryant. Lewis Bryant
Rec: 12 Feb 1746

(p.420) 24 Mar 1737.... The Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians to Col. John Simmons.... 390 acres on the east side of Atsamoosock Swamp.
Rec: 12 Feb 1746

(p.423) 9 Dec 1746.... William Drake of Isle of Wight and wife, Mary Drake, to James Smith of Gloucester County.... 150 acres on the south side of the main Blackwater Swamp.
Wit: Lawrence Lancaster and Joseph Lancaster. William Drake
Rec: 12 Feb 1746 Mary Drake

(p.424) 12 Feb 1746.... Henry Johnson and wife, Patience Johnson, to John Eley.... 210 acres on the east side of the main Blackwater Swamp (being part of a patent granted Matthew Strickland for 1803 acres in 1780 (1680? or 1718?)) adjoining the Horse Swamp, George Peirce and Thomas Boon.
Wit: Edmund Godwin and William Watkins, Jr. Henry Johnson
Rec: 12 Feb 1746 Patience Johnson

(p.426) 12 Feb 1746.... William Lawrence to John Lawrence.... 150 acres on the north side of the main Blackwater Swamp (being part of a patent for 1311 acres granted Hugh Campbell, decd., on 24 Apr 1695 who willed 300 acres to Henry Baker, Gent., decd., in Nansemond County and said Baker on 28 Jul 1712 willed the 300 acres to James Baker, Gent., who deeded it to said William Lawrence) adjoining Brewer.
Wit: John Eley. William Lawrence
Rec: 12 Feb 1746

(p.428) 11 Feb 1746.... John Goodrich to Joseph Ward.... 200 acres on the First Swamp (being land formerly in the possession of John Goodrich, decd.) adjoining Mrs. Lawrence Baker, Honour Peirce, the Chinquepen Neck Branch, John Davis and said Ward.
Wit: Edward Goodrich and James Tooke Scott. John Goodrich
Rec: 12 Feb 1746

(p.430) 9 Oct 1746.... James Tooke Scott states that he has land on one side of Ashen Swamp adjoining Nicholas Miller and he asks for 1 acre of said Miller's land to build a Water Grist Mill.
Jury: Nicholas Bourden, Joseph Hill, John Eley, Joseph Copeland, John Murry, John Hodges, William Harrison, Edward Davis, Benjamin Davis, W. Bidgood, Christopher Reynolds, William Hollowell and Edward Goodrich.
Wit: John Giles and Benjamin Hodges.

(p.431) 13 Dec 1745.... James Davis to George Taylor.... 100 acres (being part of a patent for 420 acres granted James Denson on 1 Oct 1717 and known as "Bear Garden") adjoining Robert Johnson, John Powell and John Powell, Jr.
Wit: Robert Eley and Jacob (X) Powell. James Davis
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 Rebeckh (X) Davis

(p.433) 4 Mar 1746.... William Bidgood and wife, Esther Bidgood, and George Proctor to their son, Josiah Bidgood (under 21 years of age) for Love and Affection.... -?- acres (being part of a tract given said Esther Bidgood by the will of her father, George Williamson) adjoining Little Creek, the Bear Bottom and the Pipe Clay Spring. NOTE: George Proctor "being Heir Expectant to the said Esther." It appears that said Proctor and Josiah Bidgood are to share the land. William Bidgood
Wit: Lewis Davis, Samuel Bundy and Thomas Davis. Esther (X) Bidgood
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 George (X) Proctor
Josiah Bidgood

(p.435) 12 Mar 1746.... Owin Myrick of Nottoway Parish to his son, John Myrick, and his grandsons, Owin Myrick the Younger and William Myrick, for Love and Affection.... 7 slaves named Emanuel, Peter, Abram, Tom, Jugg, Jack and Ned. Also Jane, Dorcas and Patt.
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 Owin (X) Myrick

(p.436) 12 Mar 1746.... William Bayley to Joseph Gray.... -?- acres (being a tract bought from the Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians on 4 Apr 1743).
Wit: Thomas Gray and John (X) Phillips. William Bayley
Rec: 12 Mar 1746

(p.438) 12 Mar 1746.... Richard Gray to Francis Ward.... 100 acres on the west side of the First Swamp of Blackwater (being land willed on 9 Feb 1670 by John Monger, decd., to his daughter, Mary Monger, who was later Mary Gray. This land descended to said Richard Gray as grandson and Heir at Law of Mary Gray.) adjoining Wombwell, Patience Jordan, Thomas Cofer and the Rooty Branch.
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 Richard Gray

(p.439) 12 Mar 1746.... Col. John Simmons to Benjamin Simmons.... -?- acres (being land bought from the Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians on 24 Mar 1737).
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 John Simmons

(p.441) 12 Mar 1746.... James Kitching and wife, Martha Kitching, to Robert Johnson.... 120 acres in Nottoway Parish adjoining Doctors Branch (being part of 200 acres said Kitching bought from William Peirce).
Wit: Thomas Williamson, Joseph Harris and William (X) Harris.
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 James Kitching

(p.443) 11 Aug 1746.... Charles Brown of Nottoway Parish to Hugh Norwell of the same.... 4 Negroes viz Rachel, Chance, Flora and Hannah.
Rec: 12 Mar 1746 Charles Brown

(p.443) 18 Nov 1746.... Charles Brown, carpenter, to Robert Burwell, Gent.... two Negroes.
Wit: Henning Temble (?), Nicholas Massenburg and John Driver.
Rec: 18 Nov 1746 Charles Brown

(p.445(5 May 1739.... Elizabeth Branch to her daughter, Sarah Williams, for Love and Good Will.... one Negro girl named Agney.
Wit: John Dunkley and Catherine Dunkley. Elizabeth (X) Branch
Rec: 12 Mar 1746

(p.278) 4 Dec 1749.... Edmond Fowler of Isle of Wight to Mathew Griffin of Southampton County.... 80 acres on Wolf Pit Branch.
Rec: 7 Dec 1749 Edmond (X) Fowler

(p.280) 25 Oct 1749.... Robert Duck of Edgcomb County in North Carolina to John Bretten, Jr. of Isle of Wight.... 200 acres on Beaver Dam Swamp adjoining Mathew Stricking and Bryants Branch.
Wit: Charles (X) Bretten, Edmond (X) Fowler and William Godwin.
Rec: 7 Dec 1749 Robert Duck

(p.281) 2 Nov 1749.... William Harrison and wife, Mary Harrison, to John Meacom.... 100 acres (being land willed by Edward Brantley on 30 Mar 1688 to his daughter, Mary Brantley, and then it descended to John Deberry as Son and Heir of the said Mary Brantley. He sold the land to Thomas Royall on 4 May 1716 and Thomas Royall, Son and Heir of the said Thomas Royall, sold the land on 22 Jan 1739 to the said William Harrison) on Ashen Swamp and adjoining Phillip Brantley.
Rec: 7 Dec 1749 William Harrison

(p.283) 31 Oct 1749.... Robert Jones to William Rand.... 80 acres (being part of a tract formerly belonging to John Williams who willed it on 20 Mar 1741 to the said Robert Jones) adjoining William Bell, Edward Hall and William Rand.
Wit: John Saunders, William Crocker and Phillip Moody. Robert (X) Jones
Rec: 7 Dec 1749 Martha (X) Jones

(p.285) 14 Dec 1749.... Deed of Gift ot William Daughtry and wife, Priscilla Daughtry, to their grandson, John Daughtry, Jr.... 200 acres on Kingsale Swamp adjoining "my brother John Daughtry's land" (being part of 400 acres bought by my brother John Daughtry, now deceased, from Robert Evans and the 200 acres was sold to said William Daughtry on 1 Aug 1710). Also, one slave named Essex and household furniture. William (X) Daughtry
Wit: Isaac Flemming, John Daughtry, John (X) Hedgpath and William (X) Daughtry.
Rec: 1 Feb 1749 Priscilla (X) Daughtry

(p.287) 1 Feb 1749.... Owin Jones to John Meacom.... 100 acres on the east side of the first swamp of Blackwater (being land willed by Edward Brantley, decd., to his grandson, Edward Brantley the Younger, and the land descended from him to his son, John Brantley, as his Son and Heir, who sold it to Joseph Atkinson on 9 Apr 1747 who then sold it to the said Owin Jones) adjoining James Tooke Scott, John Miller, John Wrenn, land formerly James Ingles and John Davis.
Rec: 1 Feb 1749 Owin (X) Jones

(p.289) 30 Dec 1749.... William Braddy and wife, Sarah Braddy, and William Flake to Henry Harrison.... 180 acres in Newport Parish adjoining Samuel Person, the Beaver Dam Branch, Benjamin Ward and Patience Jordan. William Braddy
Wit: Jordan Thomas, Samuel Cornwell, James Sampson Clark and Richard Jones.
Rec: 1 Feb 1749 William Flake

(p.292) 29 Jan 1749.... Christopher Reynolds and wife, Elizabeth Reynolds of Newport Parish, to Robert Tynes of the same.... 25 acres on the old road to Broadwater adjoining Arthur Applewhaite and said Tynes. Christopher Reynolds
Rec: 29 Feb 1749 Elizabeth (X) Reynolds

(p.295) 1 Feb 1749.... William Godwin and wife, Sarah Godwin, of Suffolk Parish in Nansemond County to Thomas Bullock of Newport Parish in Isle of Wight.... 100 acres in Newport Parish (being the land said Godwin lately lived on) adjoining Robert Driver, William Dixon, Barnaby Godwin and William Bullock (being a patent granted Godfrey Hunt for 600 acres who sold it to Henry Rones (?) of Rappahannock County who then sold 200 acres on 19 Dec 1688 to Thomas Godwin of Chuckatuck in Nansemond County and he willed it to his

son, William Godwin the father of the said William Godwin who willed it to his sons William Godwin and Barnaby Godwin in equal parts of 100 acres).
Wit: Benjamin Beal, Lydia Beal and Jonas Shevers. William (X) Godwin
Rec: 1 Feb 1749

(p.298) 1 Feb 1749.... Lawrence Baker, William Hodsden, Thomas Smith, Edmond Godwin, Jordan Thomas, John Eley, John Darden, Thomas Applewhaite, Robert Tynes, Hugh Giles, Joseph Bridger, Jr., and John Wills, Gents., Vestrymen of Newport Parish, to George Hall of the same.... 160 acres of Glebe lands adjoining John Hardy.
Rec: 1 Feb 1749 Thomas Applewhaite John Darden
Jordan Thomas John Eley
John Wills Joseph Bridger
Hugh Giles William Hodsden
Robert Tynes

(p.301) 20 Feb 1749.... John Clark to William Hodsden.... 26 acres called "Hillyards" on the Great Marsh (being part of a patent for 700 acres granted Hugh Winn on 3 Mar 1640 who held it with William Garret until it was repatented by said Clark) adjoining Charles Portlock, Goose Hill Creek, the Sawpit Branch, Luck's Plantation, said Hodsden, Braceys Creek, the Horse Gut and Oyster Bank.
Wit: James Ridley, Robert Hodges and William Richards. John (X) Clark
Rec: 1 Mar 1749

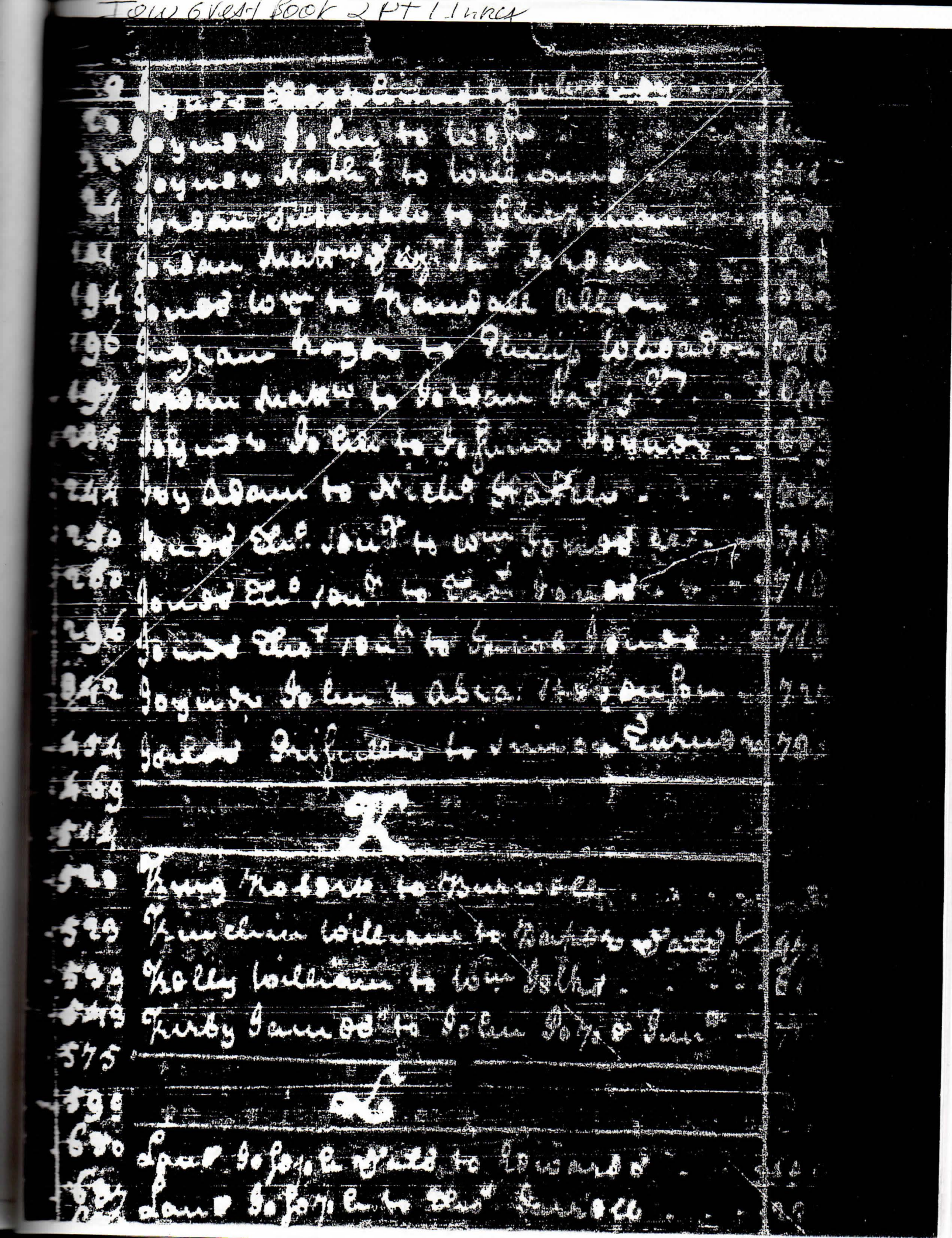
(p.304) 4 Jun 1749.... Jacob Dickinson of Isle of Wight to Joseph Godwin of Nansemond County.... -?- acres (being land he bought from Anthony Holladay on 8 Aug 1747 which land was willed by Thomas Bevan the Elder to his son, Thomas Bevan, on 28 Jun 1724, who sold it to Anthony Holladay) adjoining Jonathan Godwin, Pagan Creek, John Godwin, Virgos Creek, said Dickinson and Charles Chapman.
Wit: James (X) Ferrel, Thomas Godwin and Edmond Godwin. Jacob Dickinson
Rec: 1 Mar 1749

(p.307) 4 Jan 1749.... We the Subscribers have set apart the Dower of Rebecca Johnson in the estate of her deceased husband, James Johnson. Thomas Gale
Rec: 1 Mar 1749 John Eley
James Bridger

(p.308) 25 Jul 1749.... James Godwin of Nansemond County to Archibald Buckannan and Richard Hill, Merchants of Norfolk County.... 250 acres in Newport Parish (being land that descended to Martha Godwin, wife of the said James Godwin, as Heir at Law to her father, Thomas Godwin, decd).... also with another tract in Suffolk Parish in Nansemond County which the said James Godwin bought from James Hunt on 8 Mar 1748).
Wit: Jonathan Godwin, Gent., Thomas Godwin and John Wright, Gent.
Rec: 1 Mar 1749 James Godwin

(p.310) 16 Jan 1749.... Sarah Powell to Jesse Watkins.... 100 acres on the east side of the main Blackwater Swamp adjoining the Reedy Branch and Mandwes Spring Branch (being part of the land belonging to John Powell, decd.).
Wit: John Darden, Hardy Darden and John Watkins. Sarah (X) Powell
Rec: 1 Mar 1749

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Sarah 61. Richard Hill m d Sarah Bray 1814

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