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Nov the 4th 1727 - In the name of God, Amen. I John Vinson of Brunswick County, being very sick and weak but of perfect sence and memory, thanks be given to Almighty God, and knowing that it is appointed for all men to dye, I do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as followeth. First I give and bequeath my Soul to Almighty God that gave it me, nothing doubting but I shall receive the same again at the Generall Resurrection. 2ly. I bequeath my Body to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like manner - according to the discretion of my Executors hereafter named, and touching what Small matter it hath pleased God to bless me withall in this World, I give and dispose of in manner & form following:

Imprimis. I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas Vinson the Plantation where I now Live, on the South side of Fountains Creek, and all that Tract of Land belonging to the Plantation, and two hundred and fifty acres of the Lower end of my uper Tract of land joining to the Lower Tract, and the rest of this uper Tract I give to the Child that my Wife is now bigg withall if it be a Son, and if it be a Daughter than I give that Land to my Daughter Mary. Item. I give to my Son John all my Land at Josephs in Surry County. Item. I give to my Son John one negro Boy named Peter after my Wifes decease or Marryage.

Item. I give to my Son Thomas fifteen pounds in money which I have in the House, only my Wife is to have the use of it dureing her Widowhood or her Lifetime, and all the rest of my Estate both Real and personal, I desier to be Equally divided between my Wife and Children, and of this my Last Will and Testament I make and Ordain my well beloved Wife and Mr. Thomas Eldridge, as Witness my hand and Seal this day and year within written.

Sealed Signed and Delivered
in the presence of
John Bradford
John Rooke
Thomas Avent

his hand
John  Vinson Sealed with red Wax
and Seal

November the 6th day 1727. I then desired my Brother Peter Vinson to be Jointly Executor with my Wife and Mr. Thomas Eldridge, being in perfect Sence and Memory

thanks be unto God Almighty for it.

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John \mp Vinson
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Test. John Bradford
John Rooke
his
William Wise
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At a Court held at Fitzgerralds, for Prince George County, on the Second Tuesday in January, being the Ninth day of the said month, Anno Dom: 1727- The above written Last Will and Testament of John Vinson deced: was Exhibitted into Court by Mary his Relict and Executrix, who made Oath thereto and it being proved by the Oath of William Wise one of the Witnesses thereto, by Order of the Court, ~~is~~ truly Recorded. and on the motion of the said Mary Vinson and her giveing Bond and Security according to Law, Certificate is granted her for Obtaining a Probate of the said Will in due form .

Test: W^m Hamlin C of Cur.