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PREFACE

In the York records mist prevails. It has prevailed for 300 years with no signs of the clouds clearing. If anyone thinks he can give a final answer in interpretation he is an ass. That's all.

It is this. The originals are written in such a manner that they can be read in various ways. And they have been - to our confusion.

1st. The earliest book, 1633 plus with skipping dates, is evidently a 17th century transcript of an original now lost. This transcript being of selected items, some plainly in error. Yet this, perforce, must be accepted as the first York record. The most unfortunate mistake being in the name of Capt. Nicholas Martiau, which gives rise to the uncomfortable thought that error may apply, or almost certainly does apply, to other names appearing in these abstracts.

2nd. In regard to the handwriting. It is difficult to distinguish between the capital F and the capital H. Fellgate or Hellgat are as you please. The capitals K, L and R are similar. Almost any entry appearing in these abstracts as Lee, particularly in the case of Richd. Lee, may much more easily be read as Kee. Incidentally Henry Lee always appears as Lee and plainly so. The small u, v and n are identical. The small g is always left wide open at the top so appears a better y than the y itself. The small letters c, i, j, m, n, r, u, v, w, are usually run together, so in any combination are to be guessed at only.

Transcripts of the early York records were made in 1894. While not altogether to be relied upon, they prove a great time saver, and give a different point of view in interpretation. I have worked with them constantly at hand and would advise that anyone else working in the originals avail themselves of this assistance - but not too much.

York was a port of entry. Many records of persons from other sections are here. The late Morgan Poitiaux Robinson told me these records were the most valuable now existing in Virginia. He knew.

These abstracts will be subject to many corrections. Right or wrong, it is my intention to carry forward a second and third volume of York abstracts. As far as 1652 if possible.

Beverley Fleet

30th April 1945.

YORK COUNTY CHART

Charles River
1634 - 1642/3

York
1642/3 - 1945 plus

Gloucester
1651 - 1945 plus

New Kent
1654 - 1945 plus

King and Queen
1691 - 1945 plus

King William
1702 - 1945 plus

Hanover
1721 - 1945 plus

Louisa
1742 - 1945 plus

Matthews
1791 - 1945 plus

York County Records

The following are available in the Archives Division of the Virginia State Library, Richmond, Virginia.

No.1	Deeds, Orders, Wills, etc.	1638 - 1657	and	1691 - 1694
No.2	Orders, Wills, etc.	1645 - 1649		
No.3	Deeds, Orders, Wills, etc.	1657 - 1662		
No.4	" " " "	1664 - 1672		
No.5	" " " "	1672 - 1676		
	" " " "	1675 - 1684		Transcript
No.7	" " " "	1684 - 1687		
No.8	" " " "	1687 - 1691		
	" " " "	1690 - 1694		Transcript
	" " " "	1694 - 1697		"
	" " " "	1697 - 1702		"
	Deeds	1691 - 1701		"

Also:

Stanard's Mss. Notes. 2 volumes.

York County
Deeds, Orders, Wills, etc. NO. 1
1633 - 1657
1691 - 1694

Items 1691 - 1694 will be omitted from this, Vol. 24, Virginia Colonial Abstracts. Also the records from 1652 on. Volume 2 of the York County begins 1645. It seemed best to continue these abstracts according to date.

This volume No. 1 Of the York County records is unquestionably a transcript of certain items from an original now lost. It was made during the colonial period. The outstanding error in this transcript is in the spelling of the name of Capt. Nicholas Martiau, which is shown as Capt. Nicholas Martian throughout No. 1. After a considerable amount of wrangling on the part of modern historians the spelling 'Martian' was finally decided to be in error.

No. 1 - No entries of any value until page 4.

No. 1. p. 4

Att a Court held att Utimaria the 12th of July 1633

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Wm English
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Lyonell Rowleston
	Capt Robert Fellgate	Richard Townsene

No. 1. p. 5

A Court at Utimaria 12 August 1633

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Wm English
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Lyonell Rowleston
	Capt Robert Fellgate	Richard Townsene

No. 1. p. 6

A Court at Utimaria 20 Sept 1633

Present	Capt Wm Clayborne	Mr Wm English
	Capt John Utie	Mr Lyonell Rowleston
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Richard Townshene
	Capt Robert Felgate	

No.1. p.7

A Court at Utimaria 5 Oct 1633

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Wm English
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Lyonell Rowliston
	Capt Robt Fellgate	

No.1. p.8

A Court at York 7 Jan. 1633/4

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Lyonell Rowliston
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Richard Townshend
	Mr. Wm English	

No.1. p.9

A Court at Utimaria 8 April 1634

Present	Capt John West	Mr Will: English
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Lef't: John Cheesman
	Capt Robt Fellgate	

No.1 p.10

A Court at Utimaria 5 May 1634

Present	Capt John West	Mr Wm English
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Lef't John Cheesman

No.1. p.11

A Court at York 7 July 1634

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr William English
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Felgate	

No.1. p.12

A Court at Utimaria 12 Aug 1634

Present	Capt John West	Mr Wm English
	Capt John Utie	
	Capt Robt Felgate	

Note: The name appearing here as Martian is actually Martiau. B.F.

No.1. p.13

A Court at Utimaria 3 Nov 1634

Present	Capt John West	Capt Robt Felgate
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	

No.1. p.13. Whereas Thomas Trotter was seated on 50 acres, found to be within the dividend of Serj't John Wayne, Wayne now deeds the land to him in consideration of 50 acres he shall choose elsewhere. Dated 4th Sept. 1633. Signatures not shown. Wit. by Will Clayborne and John Utie.

No.1. p.14

A Court held at Utimaria 13 Jan 1634/5.

Present	Capt John West	Mr Wm English
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	

No.1. p.14. Wm Pryor assigns Capt John Utie all interest in a house and land adjoining "the plantation of Broche westward and to the Creek southward".

No.1. p.15

A Court held at - , 13 April 1635

Present	Capt John West	Capt Nicholas Martian
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Leif't John Cheesman

No.1. p.16

A Court at York 15 June 1635

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Will English
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	

No.1. p.17

A Court held at York 13 July 1635

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Will English
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Lef't John Cheesman

No.1. p.18

A Court at Mr John - , 2 Nov 1635

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Wm English
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Felgate	

No.1. p.19

A Court at Leift John Cheesmans

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Richard Townshend
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Lef't John Cheesman

No.1. p.20

A Court at Utimaria 18 Jan 1635/6

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Richard Townshend
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Lef't John Cheeseman
	Capt Robt Fellgate	

No.1. p.21

A Court at Utimaria 12 Feb 1635/6

Present	Capt John West Esq'r Gouverneur etc	
	Capt John Utie	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Richard Townshend
		Lef't John Cheesman

No.1. p.22

A Court "att Mr John Chew his house in Charles River", 24th March 1635/6.

Present	Capt John Utie	Mr Richard Townshend
	Capt John Chew	Lef't John Cheeseman

No.1. p.23

A Court at Capt Nicholas Martian 28 April 1636

Present	Capt John West Esq'r Governour etc	
	Capt John Utie Esqr	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr Rich'd Townshend

Note: The record of the Court of 28th April 1636 indicated that Capt. John Utie was at this time a member of the Council. B.F.

No.1. p.24

A Court at Mr Richard Townshend's house in Charles River.
30th June 1636.

Present	Capt John West Esqr Governour etc	
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr Richd Townshends
		Leift John Cheeseman

No.1. p.25

A Court at Mr Wm Pryor's house 28 July 1636

Present	Capt John West Esqr Governor etc	
	Capt John Utie Esqr	Mr John Chew
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Richd Townshend
		Left John Cheeseman

No. 1. p. 26

A Court at Lef't John Cheeseman's house 18 Aug 1636

Present Capt John West Esqr Governour etc
 Capt Nicholas Martian Mr Richard Townshend
 Mr John Chew Left John Cheesman

No.1. p.27

A Court at Utamarua 21 Nov 1636

Present Capt John West Esqr Governour etc
 Capt John Utie Esqr Capt Robt Fellgate
 Mr George Minifie Esqr Mr John Chew

(Note: Wm. G. Stanard's Mss. Notes, York Co. p.4. "George Minifie came to Virginia in 1623; burgess for James City County 1629; member of the Council 1635 - 1645". His residence "Littleton" on James River had the finest gardens and orchards in Virginia. Said to have been the first who introduced the peach in America. B.F.)

No. 1. p. 28

A Court at Capt Robt Fellgate's house 12 Jan 1636/7.

Present	Capt John West Esqr Governor etc	
	Capt John Utie Esq'r	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr Rich'd Townshend
		Left John Cheesman

No.1. p.29

A Court at Capt Christopher Wormelyes house 15 Feb 1636/7

Present Sergeant Mayor George Dunn Esqr (sic)
 Capt Christopher Wormely Mr Wm Pryor
 Mr John Cheeseman Mr Hugh Owen

(Note: The following from Mr. W. G. Stanard's Mss. Notes, York Co. p.5.
 "George Donne was a son of the poet, and was Serjeant Major of Virginia and member of the Council. He returned to England. See Neil".

"Capt. Christopher Wormeley was Governor of Tortuga 1632 - 1635. Came to Virginia and was appointed member of the Council 1637 and d before 1649 leaving a son Capt Ralph Wormeley burgess and member of the Council who settled at "Rosegill". Etc.

No.1. p.30

A Court at York 16 March 1636/7.

Present Capt Christopher Wormeley Mr Will: Pryor
 Capt Robt Fellgate Mr Hugh Owen
 Mr John Chew
 Mr Richard Townshend

No.1. p.31

A Court at the house of Mr John Chew 25 April 1637

Present Capt Christopher Wormeley Esqr
 Mr John Chew Mr Richard Townshend
 Mr Will: Pryor

No.1. p.32

A Court at the house of Mr Richard Townshend 25 May 1637

Present Capt Christopher Wormeley Esq
 Capt Robt Fellgate Left John Cheesman
 Mr John Chew Mr Will Pryor
 Mr Richard Townshend Mr Hugh Owin

No.1. p.33 (This will is given in full)

"The 10th of March 1631" (1631/2)

"In the name of God Amen This Will and Testament being the last will and Testament of Andrew Whowell made the Tenth of March 1631 being in his perfect senses as ever he was in his life time Wittnesseeth That I make Christopher Stookes my lawfull Overseer to see that the tenor of

The will of Andrew Whowell, 1631/2 (continued)

this my Will be performed as followeth

Imprs: First I bequeath my Soule to almighty God my maker and my body to be buryed in the Ground and for my worldly Wealth that itt hath pleased God to endow me with as followeth

Item: I give my brother Nathaniel Clarke one sow pig the which my father doth owe me and one barrell of Corne when that is one and Twenty Yeares of Age and two Henns presently and one

Item I give unto my Sister Bettris Clark Three barrells of Indian Corne and one Pullett and one Sow.

Item I give unto my father Joseph Jolly one Sow pigg and one barrow pigg

Item I give unto my Mother Margaret Jolly one barrow pigg

Item I give unto Francois Laster (or Lasler ?) one Sow pigg

Item the Three barrells of Corne that I give unto my sister Bottris Clark is to be putt to use till she cometh to Age, and the Sow that I give her they that keep her till that shee cometh to age are to have of the increase all she beare piggs and the Sow piggs to be putt to the best use till that shee cometh to Age

Witnesse my hand the Day and Yeare first above written

The mark of

Andrew Whowell

Wittness

Peter Mountague "

No.1. p.34

A Court at Mr William Pryor's 22 June 1637

Present	Capt Robt Felgate	Leif't John Cheesman
	Mr John Chew	Mr William Pryor
	Capt Richard Townshend	Mr Hugh Owin

No.1. p.35

" In nomine domine Amen

I Adam Lynsey being sick in bodey but perfect in minde and memory prayed be god doe make and ordaine this my last Will and Testament in manner and forme following

Imprs: I give and bequeath my Soule to God my Maker and Redeemer and my body to the earth and as concerneing my worldly Estate as followeth

Imprs: I give and bequeath to Ann the wife of John Jackson Two hundred pounds of Tobacco Moreover I bequeath to Christian Owin of - perquoson Fower hundred pounds of Tobacco and what remaineth of my Estate I bequeath unto my good friend Edward Mollson whom I make and ordaine my Executor to see this my will performed and my Legacies

(continued next page)

The will of Adam Lynsay (continued)

payd

In wittness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seale this 30th of July 1636

Sealed signed and delivered
in the presence of
Wm Hookaday
Allexander Gregory

the mark of
Adam x Lynsay

No.1. p.35

A true and perfect Inventory of all the goods of Adam Lynsey of York late deceased taken and prised the 21th of June 1637 by us whose names are here underwritten

Impr. One Cloath suite	120 lb Tobacco
It. Two shirts 2 bands 3 handkercheifes	120
It. Two old Wastcoats	015
It Old Canvis Drawers	010
It One hatt	020
It one Flock bed and Covering	080
It one Silver Whissle and Chaine	080
It one Small boate	500
It In Tobacco oweing Mr Stockton	600
It Mr Young	400
It Mr Charlton	200
It Mr Jernew	020
It Wm Freeman	050
It Richard Heather	020
Item Mr Hugh Owins man	036
Item Certaine Carpenters Tooles	250
Item one ould peece	030
Item one bushell 1/2 Corne	045

Sume is 2036

Wm Warren
the mark of
John IP Penrice

No.1. p.36

"An Inventory or List of all the Goods found belonging unto Ralph Gerrard deceased in the house of Anthony Panton Clerck dwelling att Cheisekiake taken by those whose names are unto written July the 24th 1637".

Includes "one bill of Robt Kingsayes for 0800". Total 1070 lb tobo.
Signed: Anthony Panton, Serjeant John x Wayne, Thomas Blease.

No.1. p.37

A Court at the house of Capt Robt Fellgate 25 July 1637.
 Present Capt Christopher Wormely Esqr
 Capt Robt Fellgate Capt Richd Townshend
 Mr John Chew Mr Will: Pryor

No.1. p.38

A Court at the house of Mr John Cheeseman 24 August 1637
 Present Capt Christopher Wormely Esqr
 Capt Robt Fellgate Capt John Cheeseman
 Mr John Chew Mr Wm Pryor
 Capt Richd Townshend Mr Hugh Owin

No.1. p.39

A Court at the house of Capt Christopher Wormely 30 Oct 1637
 Present Sr John Harvey Governour etc
 Capt Christopher Wormely Esqr Capt Richd Townshene
 Capt Nicholas Martian Capt John Cheeseman
 Mr John Chew Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.40

A Court at the house of Capt Richd Townshend 26 Dec 1637
 Present Capt Christopher Wormely Esqr
 Capt Nicholas Martian Capt Richd Townshend
 Capt John Cheeseman Mr Wm Pryor
 Mr John Chew Mr Ralph Wormeley

No.1. p.41

A Court at the house of Mr Wm Pryor 23 January 1637/8
 Present Capt Nicholas Martian Mr William Pryor
 Mr John Chew Mr Ralph Wormeley
 Capt Richd Townshend

No.1. p.42

A Court at the house of Capt John Cheeseman 13 Feb 1637/8
 Present Capt Nicholas Martian Mr Wm Pryor
 Mr John Chew Mr Ralph Wormeley
 Capt John Cheeseman

No.1. p43

A Court at the house of Mr John Chew 13 March 1637/8

Present Capt Nicholas Martian Mr William Pryor
 Capt John Cheeseman Mr Ralph Wormeley
 Mr John Chew

No.1. p.44

"A Court houlden att the Governours house the 18th of March 1637" (1637/8).

Present Capt Nicholas Martian Mr Ralph Wormeley
 Mr William Pryor

No.1. p.44 "It is ordered by this Court that the Leases belonging to the Governours Tennants be Recorded".

No.1. p.44. Deed of Lease. 2 May 1635. Martin Becker, Merchant, leases a parcel of land to Thos. Trotter, Thos. Jefferyes and John Balyes, planters, in York in Virginia, for 11 years at 50 lb tobo and "one fatt hogg of a yeare old" per year, payable 20th Dec. The land "Being in the Plantation called York from the River side unto a marked Poplirin in the woods and bounding on Mr Johnsons Land to the Southeast on the one side and on the land of Owin Dawson on the North west side".

Wit:

Signed Martin Becker

Charles Babb

Richd Hamlin

No.1. p.45. Deed of Lease. 23 Oct 1636. Martin Becker, Merchant, leases to John Penrise "of York in the Country of Virginia", 100 acres, for 9 years at 200 lb tobo per year payable 20th Dec. The land "in the Plantation called York beginning on the head of the Mill Swamp being the outside of his land runing back into the woods".

Wit:

Signed Martin Becker

John Hampton

Wm Hocaday

No.1. p.45. Deed of Lease. 18 Feb 1633/4. Lyonell Rowlston to John Balyes and Andrew Kirby of Virginia, planters, for 12 years. Yearly rent "one Couple of Capons". A parcel of land adj the water side and the land of Francis Compton.

Wit:

Signed Lyonell Rowlston

Thomas Burbay

Wm Torkeesent

No.1. p.46. 15th November 1632. Agreement between Lyonell Rowlston gent and Edward Johnson. Rowlston to let Johnson a tract of land during the life of John Johnson, his wife and Luke Johnson. The yearly rent being "one barrow hogg of a yeare old att the Feast day of St Thomas". If the Johnsons leave, or sell, their life interest, Rowlston to have first refusal and they to leave it with "a Tennantable house upon itt". The land adjoins "Will: Warren to a marked Tree by the Riverside and soe extending backwards into the woods to the head of a Swamp".
 Wit: Signed Lyonell Rowlston
 John Penrice Edward Johnson

No.1. p.46. Deed of Lease. 13 March 1633/4. Martin Becker "of Plimouth within the Kingdome of England Merchant" lets to William Warren of York in Virginia, planter, a parcel of land, during the life of said William Warren and Ann his now wife. Yearly rent "a good fatt hogg of the Age of one yeare old". The land "lying upon Charles River North and upon the lands of Edmond Johnson west and upon the land of John Jackson south and joyneing to the lands of the said Martin Becker East".

Wit: Signed Martin Becker
 Robt Paine (This name actually illegible. It may be Caine, or else ?)
 Francis Arkistall

No.1. p.47

A Court at Capt Wormeley's house in Charles County 17th April 1638.

Present Capt Nicholas Martian) Mr Wm Pryor)
 Capt John Cheeseman) Mr Ralph Wormeley) Gents
 Capt Richd Townshene)

No.1. p.48

A Court at the house of Capt Nicholas Martian in Charles County. 12 June 1638

Present Capt Christopher Wormely Esqr
 Capt Nicholas Martian)
 Capt Richd Townshend) Gent
 Mr Wm Pryor)
 Mr Ralph Wormeley)

Note: We must not forget that the name Martian as shown in this early transcript is actually Martiau. B.F.

No.1. p.49.

A Court at Mr William Pryor's 20th July 1638.

Present	Capt William Brocas Esqr	
	Capt Nicholas Martian)
	Capt John Chisman)
	Mr John Chew) Gen'ts
	Capt Rich'd Townshend)
	Mr William Pryor)

Note: There is, or rather we should say in the year 1945, that there was in 1914, in the Royal Collection at the Hague, a portrait of Robert Cheseman, Falconer to Henry VIII. This, painted by Hans Holbein the Younger during his second visit to England in 1533, is (or was) one of the world's great portraits. A photograph is before me now. It shows the courtier in full power of manhood, aged 28. His features are high bred, strong, kindly. The hair curled just before it reaches the collar. The costume simple which was customary for English gentlemen in comparison with the elaborate and costly outfits of the merchants of the period. It would be impossible for me to attempt to trace the exact relationship with Capt. John Cheeseman of York County. The family was of Kent in England - the background of so many early Virginians. B.F.

No.1. p.50. Deed. 20 Nov. 1635. John Utie of Utimaria Esqr sells Edward Moulson, Sawyer, 100 acres between the land of Francis Morgan and Mr William Pryor. Payment being 1000 ft "Sawen Boards" already received and 800 ft more to be paid between this and 1st of March.

Wit:	Signed John Utie
Edward Major	Edward Moulson
James Besouth	

Moulson assigns his interest in above 100 acres to Francis Morgan.
Dated the last day of October 1637.

Wit:	Signed Edward Moulsome
Richard Benminge	

No.1. p.50. Will of Joseph Ham. Dated 3 March 1637/8. Probated 10th July 1638 in Charles River Co.

Sick in body. To wife Mary Ham all land. To "my sonn and Daughter in law John Pead and Catherine Pead" 30 young kids in full of their legacy left them by their father deceased, John Pead. The cattle to be in charge of wife Mary until the children be of full age to enjoy them. To wife Mary 21 old goats. If she marry before the children are 21 the goats to be divided between them. Wife extrx.

Wit:	Signed Joseph x Ham
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Robt Breckwell Minister

Pero Blan:

John Johnson "Vera Copia Test Mar. Johnson Clk"

No.1. p.51

Inventory of the estate of Joseph Ham of the new Poquoson, deceased. 3 March 1638/9. Appraised by Thomas x Curtis, Wm x Clarke and Arthur Markworth, (Inventory signed "Wm Mackworth") of the Poquoson, planters. Sworn before Capt John Cheeseman on 12th July 1638.

"Twenty old Goates att Two Thousand weight of Tobacco	2000
Twenty young Goates att foureteen hundred pounds	1400
One old Gote att one hundred pounds	0100
One Kid att Fifty pounds	0050
One old Feather bed and two blanketts one Rugg and a Boulster	0060
A parcell of ould Pewter att fifty pounds	0050
Three Iron Potts att Fo'oer score pounds	0080
One Warmeing Pann two Brass kettles one brass Bason att	0050
One Copper Kettle att Eighty pounds	0080
A parcell of old Iron ware att one hundred	0100
One old Fowleing Peice without Look and a Shottbag	0050
One Maide Servant att seaven hundred	0700
Thirty pounds of Shott att Thirty pounds Tobacco	0030
Three payer of old Sheets 1 Doz Napkins 1 Table Cloath	0150
One Lookeing Glass att 2 pounds	0002
A parcell of old waring Cloathes fifty	0050
Two Cases Two boxes one Chest fifty pounds	0050
Three small Shoats or Swine att 1 hund and Twenty	0120
Tenn Barrells of Corne att fower hundred	0400
The Plantation for Two Yeares att five hundred	0500
	- - - -
	6552

The mark of
Tho: T Cortis
The mark of
Wm x Clarke
Wm: Mackworth

vera Copia test Mar'n Johnson "

No.1. p.53

A Court at the house of Capt Richd Townsend 14 Aug 1638

Present

Capt Wm Brocas Esqr	
Capt John Cheeseman	
Capt Richard Townshend	gen't
Mr Wm Pryor	

No.1. p.54

A Court at the house of Capt Wm Brocas Esqr 11 Sept 1638

Present	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr		
	Capt Nicholas Martian)	Capt Richard Townshend)
	Capt John Cheeseman)	Mr Wm Pryor) gent
	Mr John Chew)	

No.1. p.55.

A Court at the house of Capt Cheeseman 16 Oct 1638

Present	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr		
	Capt Nicholas Martian)	Mr John Chew)
	Capt John Cheeseman)	Mr Wm Pryor) gent

No.1. p.56

A Court at the house of Mr John Chew 2 Jan 1638/9.

Present	Capt Nicholas Martian)	Capt Richd Townshend)
	Capt John Cheeseman)	Mr Wm Pryor) gen't
	Mr John Chew)	

No.1. p.57 Deed. 1 Oct 1638. Rich'd Major of Queens Creek in Virginia, planter, sells Thomas Bowrren (Bourne ?) of Cheiscoake, cooper, 25 acres on Western side of West Creek, adjoining land of Wm Barber.

Wit: Signed Rich'd Major

Robt Booth

Rowland Burnham

"vera copia Mar. Johnson Cl Curia"

1 Oct. 1638. Thomas x Bourne assigns above 25 acres to Wm Barber of Cheiscoake, cooper,

Wit: Signed his mark
Wm Hookeday Tho B Bourne

No.1. p.58

A Court at the house of Capt Nicholas Martian 12th February 1638/9

Present	Capt Nicholas Martian)	
	Capt John Cheeseman)	gent
	Mr John Chew)	
	Capt Richard Townshend)	

No.1. p.59

A Court at the house of Capt Richd Townshend for Charles River County 28th February 1638/9.

Present Capt Wm Brocas Esqr
 Capt Nicholas Martian (Martiau)
 Capt John Cheeseman
 Mr John Chew
 Capt Richd Townshend
 Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.60

A Court at the house of Mr Wm Pryor in Charles River County, 28th March 1639.

Present Capt Nicholas Martian Capt Richd Townshend
 Mr John Chew Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.61

A Court at Capt Brocas' house for Charles River County. 25th April 1639

Present Sr John Harvey Knt
 Capt Wm Brocas Esqr Capt Jno Cheeseman
 Capt Nicholas Martian Capt Richard Townshend
 Mr John Chew Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.62. Deed. 17 Jan 1638/9. John Hartwell of Charles River County, planter, sells Tobias Freer and Robert Vause, 400 acres adj. Queens Creek north, running along Hartwells Creek S.W. from the Saltwater, likewise along the swamp, and also S.Sw. from the head of the swamp to Mayden Swamp, abutting West upon both.

Wit: Signed John x Hartwell

Tho Gybson
 his mark

Nicholas NI Jurnue

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No.1. p.64 Deed. 15 Oct 1640. William Reynolds of Chiskiake, planter, sells Thos Denham, 200 acres in Charles River County, on Queens Creek, bounded as by "a Pattent in my owne name beareing date the 15th day of

Deed. Reynolds to Denham (continued)

August in the yeare of our Lord God 1637".

Wit: Signed the mark of
Wm x Smoote Wm x Reynolds

Robt Booth

Thomas Ramsey

"vera copia Test per me
Robt. Booth Cl Curia "

No.1. p.65. Deed. 28 Sept 1639. Wm Banister sells John Haukins (this name also appears as 'John Hawkins' in this entry), "Fower Per-cells of Land with the Marsh and woods runing Westward to a Creek that lyeth North and South to the Tinkers Sheeres by the little Presim'on Iseland".

Wit: Signed Wm Ban'ister

Tho: Larramer

Wm Smith

No.1. p.66. Deed. 13 Nov 1639. John Utie and Robert Booth sell Thos. Gybson 100 acres in Charles River County, at the head of a small Creek called Queenes Creeke, running up the N side of the creek to Bryary Swamp, including the swamp to the run of water in the swamp. All the land from the dividend of John - (the surname here omitted from the original record). Adjs the land of John Utie as by a survey made by Mr Thomas Simons in 1638.

Wit: Signed John Utie
Thomas Watts Robert Booth

Edmund Plunkett

"Vera Copia Test per me Robt Booth Cl Curia"

John Utie and Mary his wife confirm above.

Wit: Signed John Utie
John Baldwin the mark of
Hugh Owin Mary Utie: M U

Anthony Parkhurst

Thom: Lucas

No.1. p.67

A Court held for Charles River County 27th Nov. 1640.

Present Capt Wm Brocas Esqr Commander
Capt Nicholas Martian (actually Martiau)
Mr John Chew
Mr Hugh Owin

No.1. p.68. Deed. 14 Nov 1640. Tho Denham of Queens Creek, planter, sells John Vaughan, for 1000 lb tobo, 50 acres. This land bought from Wm Reynolds 15 Oct last past, being 1/2 of 100 acres where said Thos. Denham "now dwelleth". Refers to agreement betw Denham and 'Vaugham' dated 2 March 1639/40

Wit:

Signed Tho: Denham

Robt Booth
John Scales

No.1. p.69. "The bounds of John Condons Land". "John Condon desyreth a Pattent for 100 Acres of land lying in the County of Charles River". He has 50 acres already and 50 more to be taken in a new patent which was part of land granted to Wm Freeman about 5 years since "but to this day there is noe body hath cleared or built uppon itt therefore John Condon doth suppose that itt is lawfull for him to take upp for his owne use his Pattent being voyd for want of seateing uppon itt". The bounds according to a survey 10 Nov 1640, are adj the back Creek, North beginning at the mouth of Gwins Creek and measuring W and by N 100 poles, etc. "If the reason should be demanded why he runs noe further into the woods itt is this; old Attoway lives upon Cheesemans Creek and hath his breadth double by the water syde as John Compdon doth and if they should runn a Mile they would intercept or cutt of one the other therefore I have taken the best course I could to prevent a contraversie that would arrise".
"Concordat cum original".

No.1. p.70. Deed. 12 May 1640. Joseph Jolly of new Pawquoson, planter, sells William Clark of the new Pawquoson, planter, 350 acres formerly granted said Jolly. Adjoins Pawquoson River, the land of said Clark and W on the land of John Watson, etc.

Wit:

Signed Joseph x Jolly

Arthur Price
Richard Russell (signed with mark)

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No.1. p.72

A Court for Charles River County 11 Jan 1640/1. "att the Ordinary appointed"

Present Capt John West Esqr
Capt Robt Fellgate
Capt Nicholas Martian
Mr John Chew

Capt Richard Townshend
Capt John Cheeseman
Mr Wm Pryor
Mr Hugh Owlin
Mr John Baldwin

No.1. p.73

"Att a Court held att James Citty the 18th of December
 1640: Present Sr Francis Wyatt Governour etc
 Capt John West Capt Wm Brocas
 Mr Roger Wyngate Mr Ambrose Harmer "

Notes:

	(George Wyatt (Sir Francis Wyatt, Governor of
	(1554 - 1624 (Virginia, etc.
Sir Thos. Wyatt	(m Jane Finch (m Margaret Sandys who was a niece
(the Rebel)	((He must not (of Sir Edwin and of George Sandys.
1520 - 1554	(have had much(No descendants in Virginia.
married	(respect for (
Jane Hawte	(his father's (Rev. Hawte Wyatt
	(memory when (1594 - 1638
	(he fell in (Minister at Jamestown.
	(love with her(Ancestor of the Wyatt family of
	(Virginia.
	(
	(Jane Wyatt (Deborah Scott (Lt. Col. Henry Fleet.
	(m (m (In Va. 1622.
	(Charles Scott (Wm Fleet, gent.(Numerous descendants
	(of Edgerton (of Chartham (in Virginia.
	(
	(Numerous other children

If anyone, however remotely descended from the Council group, has any desire for ancestral granduer, here we are. Merely examine the pedigree of Scott of Scots Hall, but more particularly that of Hawt. You will find anything the heart desires from the Earl of Leioester to Lord Guildford Dudley and Sir Philip Sidney. B.F.

No.1. p.74. "January the 12th 1640". (1640 - perhaps ?)

Present	Capt Jno West Esqr	Mr John Chew
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Capt Jno Cheeseman
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Jno Baldwin

No.1. p.75

"Att a Quarter Court houlden att James Citty the 18th of
 September 1640"

Present	Sr Francis Wyatt Governour etc
	Capt John West Capt Wm Brocas
	Mr Roger Wyngatt Mr Ambrose Harmer

No.1. p.75. Deed. 25 Dec 1640. Wm Taylor of Utimaria in Charles River County, Virginia, merchant, sells Wm Blackley (who has already paid Jno Utie). 100 acres in Charles River County, on Queens Creek. Adjoins Bell Creek, beginning at Bells bridge, the line running until it meets with "Queens house Fence", etc. This land formerly purchased from John Utie by Taylor.

Wit:

Signed W m Taylor

Stephen x Gill
Joshua x Kinsell
Edward Phillips

No.1. p.76

River

A Court held for Charles City County 23 March 1640/1.

Present

Capt Wm Brocas Esqr Commander	
Capt Robt Fellgate	Capt John Cheeseman
Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Wm Pryor
Mr John Chew	Mr Hugh Owin
Capt Richard Townshend	

No.1. p.77

"A Court held att James Citty the 6th of March 1640".(1640/1)

Present

Sr Francis Wyatt Knt Governour etc	
Capt John West	Mr George Minify
Mr Wm Wingate	Capt Wm Brocas
	Mr Ambrose Harmer

(The name Wm Wingate appearing here is probably an error in the original. Doubtless it should have been Roger Wingate. B.F.)

No.1. p.78

"At a Court holden att James Citty the 5th day of March 1640". (1640/1)

Present

Sr Francis Wyatt Knt Governour	
Capt John West	Mr George Minify
Capt Wm Peirce	Capt Wm Brocas
Mr Roger Wingate	Mr Ambrose Harmer

No.1. p.78. Will of John Jackson of Virginia, planter. Dated 22 Oct 1640. Date of probate not shown on record. Very weak in body. To wife Ann all cleared ground within the fence. Other land for life. She to have "my Sonn Thomas Jackson" till 21. Cattle to son Thomas.

(continued)

The will of John Jackson (continued)

Also to son Thomas a plantation now leased to Jeremiah Rogers.
Balance of estate to wife. 50 acres at York to be sold for benefit of son.

Wit:

Wm x Burterwood

John Shreggs

Signed his mark

John II Jackson

No.1. p.80. A Court for Charles River County 3 May 1640.

Present

Capt John West Esqr

Capt John Cheeseman

Capt Wm Brocas Esq'r

Mr William Pryor

Capt Richd Townshene

No.1. p.81

"A Court houlden att James Citty the 20th of Aprill 1640"

Present

Sr Francis Wyatt Knt Governour

Capt John West

Capt Tho: Willoughby

Capt Wm Claybourne

Mr Ambrose Harmer

Mr Rich'd Kempe

Mr Richd: Bennett

Mr Roger Wingate

No.1. p.81. Deed. 11 Oct 1640. Christopher Abbot of Chiskiacke in Virginia, planter, sells Wm Sutton, 40 acres adjoining "the great swamp" along a line of marked trees from the other swamp, etc.

Wit:

Signed Christopher Abbot

Wm Williams

the mark of

John x Bennett

No.1. p.82.

A Court for Charles River County "the 34th Day of May 1641"

Present

Capt John West Esqr

Capt Wm Brocas Esq

Capt John Cheeseman

Capt Nicholas Martian

Mr Wm Pryor

Note: Here we have a little overtime in Charles River County. The record says the 34th of May, so I suppose it must have been. B.F.

No.1. p.82. Deed. 21 May 1639. John Congdon "of the back Creek" in Charles River County, planter, sells Edward Persivall of the same place, planter, 25 acres, "upon the side of Back Creek with two

boarded houses belonging to the said Twenty five Acres of Land the one house of Thirty foote long and the other of Twenty foote long". The land as by patent dated 21 August 1638.

Wit:

Signed John x Congdon

Humphry Hamnar

his mark

Peter P:R: Rigby

Note: The name Rigby as written here is a perfect example of how carelessly this transcript was prepared.. The top of the small 'g' was left open and the top of the small 'y' closed, so that the name actually appears as 'Riybg'. The name 'Congdon' also appears in these entries as 'Congdon' and as 'Conydon'. The student will have to forgive me if my guess, often in complete darkness, is not always exactly right.

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No.1. p.83. Deed. 16 Jan 1640/1. Jno Congdon to Edward Persifull, for 3 bbl corn adds 13 acres to foregoing deed. This land near the dwelling house of Persifull.

Wit:

Signed John Congdon

Thomas Sim'ons

The mark of

Nich: N: Clark

No.1. p.84.

A Court for Charles River County 29 June 1641 "att the Ordinary appointed"

Present

Capt Robt Fellgate

Capt Richard Townshend

Capt Nicholas Martian

Capt John Cheesman

Mr John Chew

Mr William Pryor

No.1. p.85

A Court for Charles River County 22 July 1641

Present

Capt John West Esqr

Capt Richd Townshend

mr Roger Wingatt

Capt John Cheeseman

Capt Robt Fellgate

Mr Wm Pryor

Mr John Chew

No.1. p.86

A Court for Charles River County 24 August 1641

Present

Capt Wm Brocas Esqr Commander

Capt Nicholas Martian

Capt Rich'd Townshend

Mr John Chew

Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.86 Deed. 10 June 1641. John Bell of Queens Creek, planter, sells Samuel Watkeyes his plantation and house in Queens Creek, formerly purchased from Wm Reynolds.

Wit:

No signature shown.

George Clark his mark
his mark

Wm W Robbertts

Notes: Here again the imperfect handwriting. It is highly probable that this name appearing as 'Watkeyes' may be 'Watkenes' - just plain old Watkins in the modern sense. B.F.

No.1. p.87

A Court for Charles River County 20 September 1641.

Present	Capt John West Esqr	Mr John Chew
	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr	Capt John Cheesman
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.88

A Court for Charles River County. 29th October 1641.

Present	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr	Capt Rich'd Townshend
	Mr John Chew	Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.89

A Court for Charles River County 24 Nov 1641.

Present	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr	Commander
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Capt Richd Townshend
	Mr John Chew	Mr Wm Pryor

No.1. p.90

"At a monthly Court houlden for the County of Charles River the 5th of January 1641: " (1641/2)

Present	Capt John West Esqr
	Capt Robt Fellgato
	Capt Nicholas Martian
	Mr John Chew
	Capt John Cheeseman
	Mr Wm: Pryor

No.1. p.91

"At a Quarter Court houlden att James Citty the Thirteenth of December 1641"

Present

Sr Francis Wyatt Knt Governour etc
 Capt John West Capt Tho: Willoughby
 Mr George Minefie Mr Ambrose Harmer

No.1. p.91. Deed. 4 Jan 1641/2. Robert Bew of York in Virginia in the County of Charles River, planter, sells Richard Carter of the same County, planter, 1/2 of 150 acres in Charles River County "butting on Rowlston first divydend North bounded with Hugh Allen his land on the West syde and bounded on the East syde with John Peteets house Runing Southwest into the woods a Myle". The price 600 lb tobo.

Wit:

Signed Robert Bew

Henry Jorden
 the mark of
 Tho A Allen

Note: The name shown above appears to be correct as it is and not to be John Peters. There having been a land grant to John Peteet. B.F.

No.1. p.92. Deed. 26 Jan 1638/9. John Utie of Utimaria in the County of Charles River, Gent and Robt Booth of the same County sell Steephen Gill, Chirurgeon, 100 acres, Adj S by "Mr Englishs Plantation" and adj the land of James Besouth, the land of Henry Willis, "soe to the fence syde of the ould Forte feild", etc.

Wit:

Signed John Utie
 Robert Booth

Tho. Watts
 John Wright

No.1. p.93. 15 Dec 1640. Stephen Gill assigns the foregoing to Capt William Leigh.

Signed the mark S of
 Stephen Gill

Wit:

Phillip Thacker
 John Hull

No.1. p.93. 3 Nov 1640. William Taylor confirms sale of foregoing 100 acres made by John Utie and Robt Booth to Stephen Gill.

Wit:

Signed William Taylor

Robt Taylor
 Isaack Kinsmell

No.1. p.94. 26 Feb 1641/2. Capt William Leigh assigns above 100 acres to John Hull. The land described as "lying and being in Chees-kaike".

Signed William Leigh

Wit:

Richard Leigh
 Tho: Dutton

No.1. p.95

A Court "houlden att Charles River" 25 Feb 1641/2.

Present	Capt Robert Fellgate	Mr William Pryor
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr Hugh Gwynn
	Capt Rich'd Townshend	

No.1. p.96

At a monthly Court for Charles River County 25 April 1642

Present	Capt Xpoher Wormeley Esqr	Mr John Chew
	Capt Wm Brocas Esqr	Capt Richd Townshend
	Capt Robt Fellgate	Mr Wm Pryor
	Capt Nicholas Martian	Capt Jno Cheeseman
		Mr Hugh Gwynn

No.1. p.97

"At a Court houlden the 26th of Aprill 1642"

Present	Capt Christopher Wormeley Esqr	
	Capt Robertt Fellgate	(sic)
	Mr John Chew	
	Mr William Pryor	

No.1. page 98 blank. The next page numbered 130.
Records are missing from 26 April 1642 to November (?) 1645.

No.1. p.130

"May the eighth 1652:

Commissioners for the County Court of York are as
felloweth Viz't

Present	Capt Nicholas Martian	Mr John Hansford
	Mr John Chew	Mr Edward Cheeseman
	Major Xtopher Chalthropp	Mr Wm Gooch
	Capt Francis Morgan	Mr Thomas Harwood
	Capt Augustine Warner	Mr Wm Hockaday
	Mr Henry Lee	
	Capt Stephen Gill	
	Capt Wm Barber	

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In the original pages up to No. 47 are missing. However there is a transcript in the Virginia, made in 1894, which has entries from pages 45 and 46. Historians inform me that this transcript is not always to be relied upon. Well, any interpretation of these early York records is open to question. Certainly mine are. So we will include abstracts of these few entries anyway. B.F.

Entries of the year 1645. Probably for the month of November.

p.45. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Richd Bennett ordered to pay debt of 450 lb tobo to - Belchambers.

p.45. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Richd Bennett ordered to pay Tho: Bennett amount due him.

p.45. Transcript of 1894. "Present Capt Chisman"

p.45. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Mr Wm Pryor sued by Joseph Croshaw for false imprisonment. Jury awards Croshaw 300 lb tobacco.

p.45. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Order that - pay a debt of tobo to Mr Wm Pryor at his dwelling house.

p.45. Transcript of 1894. Fragment. "Whereas Mr Henry Brooke stands x"

p.46. Transcript of 1894. Fragment. "that John Haward who hath x x ed unto the said Rebecca Wallis shall make payment of x x lb tobo and caske with forbearance and Court Charges x x x Jurnew within 5 dayes next ells exec"

p.46. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. - Brooke ordered to pay debt of 55 lb tobo to Richard Smith within 5 days.

p.46. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Thomas - ordered to pay debt of 300 lb tobo to John Hamor within 5 days.

p.46. Transcript of 1894. Abstract. Tho Hart ordered to pay George Baskpoole the assignee of Michael Saturwight a debt of 300 lb tobo.

Note: The abstracts from now on are taken from the original. B.F.
The transcript referred to above is in the Virginia State Library, Richmond, Va.

YORK COUNTY
Record Book No.2

Absracts from the original. Pages 1 - 46 missing.

No.2. p.47 Entry concerning John Thomas. He to answer suit of Mr Wm Pryor. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Wm Light ordered to pay debt of 660 lb tobo to Jno Watson. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Order that Wm Todd pay debt of 325 lb tobo to Thomas Nightingale assignee of Hercules Bridges. (1645)

No.2. p.47. Order that Wm Suite pay debt of 700 lb tobo to George Beech. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Order that Antho: Parkhurst pay debt of 300 lb tobo due Amborsse Harmor. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Thomas Borne arrested to answer suit of Thomas Ramsey and not appearing "it is ordered utt sup". (1645)
Note: "it is ordered as before" B.F.

No.2. p.47 Order that Tho Hatfield pay debt of 460 lb tobo to George Beech. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Order that August Hodges pay debt of 280 lb tobo due Tho Nightingale. (1645)

No.2. p.47 Richard Milborne arrested to answer suit of Henry Corbell and not appearing "it is ordered ut sup" (1645)

No.2. p.47 Entry destroyed in the original. The transcript of 1894 shows "Whereas John Hartwell x x x -bert Beech and doth x x". (1645)

No.2. p.48 Entry mutilated. "x x Bennett was arrested to the Court x x x and doth not appear it is ordered ut sup" (1645)

No.2. p.48 Henry Brooke arrested at suit of George Beech and not appearing "ut sup". (1645)

No.2. p.48 Elizabeth Hopkins the relict and admr of Geo Hopkins dec'd arrested and not appearing "ut sup". (1645)

No.2. p.48 Order that Rice Maddoxe pay debt of 134 lb tobo due Wm Hawkins, this being the balance of a larger debt. (1645)

No.2 p.48

A Court "December the 20th 1645".

Present

Mr Wm Pryor

Capt Ralph Wormley

Mr Row: Burnham

Mr Richard Lee (or Kee)

No.2. p.48 Charles Smith arrested at suit of Thomas Ticknor and not appearing "ordered ut sup".

No.2. p.48 Order that Joseph Croshaw and Nicholas Clarke pay a debt of 600 lb tobo due to George Ludlowe esqr within 5 days.

No.2. p.48 Anthony Wady arrested at suit of Robert Lewis and not appearing "ordered ut sup"

No.2. p.48 Edward Grimes arrested at suit of Samuell Tucker and not appearing "ordered ut sup".

No.2 p.48 "Present Capt Nicho Martiau".

No.2. p.48 "Whereas Thomas Iles did this Court impleade John Leake for on hund: pounds of tob: and twoe barrells of Corne, due by bill dated the 14th of Apriell 1644 which was in consideration of Howse and grownd to plant on and Diett and washinge And for as much as it appeareth to the Court that since that bill past by the said Leake by reason of the late march the said Iles Leake and many others being drawne together and forced and made new Covenantes the said Iles Leake and the rest to plant in a generall way and to have all the Grounds in Com'on It - (The balance of this entry is destroyed in the original and is filled in from the transcript of 1894) - is therefore the opinion of the Court and see ordered that the said Leake

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shall have in his sted for the said tobacco and corne and that the said Iles pay the said Leake his charges within 5 days elis exec"

No.2. p.49 First entry destroyed. The 1894 transcript reads "Whereas Edw Woodley was arrested to the Court to answer the suit x x not appeare it is ordered ut sup"

No.2. p.49 In dif betw Thomas - and Capt Ralph Wormley deft., regarding corn which was fetched by Wormley from the other side of the river. The Court orders "in respect the deft confessed that he fetched over the plantiffes Corne by order from the Leift of the County that the said Difference be referred to the Counsell of warr".

No.2. p.49 Order that Wm Smoate (also as Smote in the entry) pay debt of 1188 lb tobo due Mr Francis Morgan within 5 days. Morgan to discount what he owes Smoate.

No.2. p.49 Order that Charles Smith pay debt of 580 lb tobo due Wm Padyon within 5 days. This name may possibly be Wm Padgon.

No.2. p.49 "Whereas it appeareth to the Court by the generall testimoneyes of Mr Rowl Burnham, William Gautlett and John Perrin that the greatest part of the Cropp of tob: that was made by Mr's Dorothy Caynhoes servants and Robert Harrison doth belong to the said Harrison And that John Underwood whoe hath intemarryed the said Caynhoe; as the said Robt Harrison alledgeth doth dayly dispose of the said Cropp of tob: whereby it is likely the said Harrison shalbe much Damnfied The Court doth therefore order that the Sherr shall forthwith Attach the said Cropp of tob: and that he see and provide that the said tob: may not be Dysposed of till the next Court or the said Harrison and Underwood agree uppon Division of the said Cropp, or that the said Underwood put in sufficient security to the said Harrison to be responsible for all Damages that may insue there uppon".

No.2. p.49 Order that Thomas Deacon and Joseph Croshaw pay debt of 946 lb tob due George Beech within 5 days.

No.2. p.49 "John WoddBridge" arrested by Wm Gautlett and not appearing, ordered "ut sup".

Note: Although the 3rd letter in this name is a perfect 'u' in the original, still it may be Wm Gantlett. B.F.

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No.2. p.49 Entry mutilated. Mr Wm Pryor having formerly obtained an attachment agt the estate of Mr John Mottrom for debt of 8 lb of beaver, which appears due by oath of Richard Elrington and which was executed agst goods in the hands of Thomas Deacon, etc.

No.2. p.50 Entry mutilated. Gabrell Smith arrested at suit of - Bridges (prob Hercules Bridges) and not appearing "ordered ut sup".

No.2. p.50 In dif betw Capt Ralph Wormley and Martin Westerling for debt as due to the estate of Lewis Conquest. Referred to next Court and that George Gray who is found to be a party to the difference to appear, witnesses to be produced and the matter settled.

No.2. p.50 Order that Thos Wilkinson pay debt of 200 lb tobo due to Hugh Dowdy assignee of Wm Smote in 5 days.

No.2. p.50 John Sutton arrested at suit of Tho Lewin and not appearing "ordered ut sup".

No.2. p.50 Tho Deaco (evidently Thomas Deacon) ordered to pay debt of 234 lb tobo due Francis Wheeler in 5 days.

No.2. p.50 Dif betw Martin Westerling pltf and Capt Ralph Wormley deft, for a man servant, to next Court. Westerling to give notice to Mrs Mary Wormley who is joint executrix with Capt Wormley to appear.

No.2. p.50 Order that Charles Smith pay debt of 372 lb tobo due Wm Stookes in 5 days.

No.2. p.50 Charles Smith arrested to answer suit of Mr Rich: Lee and not appearing "is ordered ut sup".

Note: This certainly is "Mr Rich: Lee" in this entry. Not Kee. B.F.

No.2. p.50 Order that Francis Wheeler pay debt of 1046 lb tobo at the house of Tho Chapman, within 5 days, to Joseph Hill, he being bound with said Chapman.

No.2. p.50 Entry mutilated. The following names appear on fragments. "by Tho Wilkinson Attorney of" and "that the said Hickman and Weaver"

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No.2. p.51 Mutilated. "Whereas x x was arrested to the Court to answer x x of Sam: Abbott and doth not apper It is ordered ut sup"

No.2. p.51 Edward Grimes arrested at suit of Wm Hawkins "and noe Acccn as yett appeing against him", Hawkins ordered to pay Grimes 40 lb tobo for charges and the case ref to next Court.

No.2. p.51 Rich: Milborne arrested at suit of John Duncombe and not appearing "ordered ut sup".

No.2. p.51 Tho Broughton arrested at suit of Nicholas Brooke and not appearing "order~~ed~~ ut sup".

No.2. p.51 A long entry. By a proclamation of the last Assembly certain causes at the Quarter Court were referred to the County Courts. Carbery Liggin having sued Charles Smith for 4500 lb tobo in the Quarter Court, and there being no County Court, a question arises of precedenoy, several judgements already having passed against Smith's estate.

Note: The name shown in this abstract as Liggin, upon the assumption that it may be the old Virginia name Ligon, may possibly be Kiggin. One would have to trace this individual to be sure, which I cannot attempt. B.F.

No.2. p.51 Lewis Burwell, admr of the estate of Francis Carter dec'd, ordered to pay a debt of 300 lb tobo for making the coffin and other funeral charges, within 5 days, which is due to Francis Wheeler.

No.2. p.51 Thomas Heath to have an attachment against the estate of John Clark for 806 lb tobo. "the said Heath hath had many writts against the said Clarke and he cannot be arrested".

No.2. p.51 Order that Hercules Bridges pay debt of 1726 lb tobo due to Sam: Abbott the assignee of Thomas Beale within 5 days.

No.2. p.51 Entry mutilated. Capt Ralph Wormley to have an attachment against the estate of - for 1800 lb tobo and 10 bbl of corn for servants' wages.

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No.2. p.52 Mr Wm Pryor to have attachment agt est of John Holding for 800 lb tobo and 5 bbl corn due Mr Rich Lee for wages of a servant let to Holding by Mr Wm Littlewood deed, and assigned to Mr Pryor and Mr Lee by Rich: Kempe Esqr admr of the said Littlewood.

No.2. p.52 Thos Bassett arrested at suit of George Ludlow Esqr, not appearing "is ordered ut sup".

No.2. p.52 Wm Smote ordered to pay debt of 400 lb tobo due Jno Hutton within 5 days.

No.2. p.52 Tho Hudson ordered to pay debt of 1500 lb tobo due from him and Thos Todd to Thomas Wright, within 5 days.

No.2. p.52 Edward Shelu'rdine owing debt to Thomas Deacon, assignee of John Earle, "by bill on hogg of twoe hundred and fifty pownds of tobacc". Is ordered to pay Hogg or settle difference in next Court. Note: This name Shelu'rdine. Or shall we say Shelueurdine. It appears on pages 56 and 57 as Chelmadine. Now how on earth are you going to pronounce it ? Or spell it in the modern manner ? My guess, just as good as yours, for yours is going to be a guess in the dark too, is 'Sheldon'. Not Shelton, not Skelton, not Selden - but Sheldon. B.F.

No.2. p.52. Joseph Croshaw attorney of Wm Todd, ordered to pay debt of 600 lb tobo due Thos Wilkinson within 5 days.

No.2. p.52 Dif betw John Broch pltf and Wm Light debt concerning goods claimed by Broch from Light, referred to next Court. Note: Once again there is a question of what name this actually may be. Families named Broch and families named Brock may both be found in the telephone book in Richmond in 1945. Both are of old Colonial Virginia. The writing in this original is so imperfect that it may be either - or it may be just another way of showing Brooke. All three families lived through the three centuries in the same section. And I might inadvetantly remark, with some slight contempt for each other. I believe the Brooke family had some material advantage in the eyebrow lifting contest - but they are all very old in Virginia. B.F.

No.2. p.52 Richard Forde arrested at suit of Wm Suite and not appearing is "ordered ut sup".

Note: Once again the name Ford is exceedingly old in Virginia and recalls that one of the family was murdered shortly after 1700 in what is now King William County, then King and Queen Co, and in date of these records, 1645, York Co. Disputes concerning the expenses in the hanging of the murderer had to do with the recall of Governor Francis Nicholson.

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No.2. p.52 Order that Wm Pitcher pay debt of 230 lb tobo due Thomas Deacon within 5 days.

No.2. p.53 Order that James Harris pay debt of 8 bbl corn due Robert Lendall within 5 days. The debt sworn to by Robt. Todd.

No.2. p.53 Order that Thes Sheppard pay debt of 200 lb tobo due Joseph Hill within 5 days.

No.2. p.53 Order that Tho Heath pay debt of 500 lb tobo due Nicholas Jurnew within 5 days.

No.2. p.53 Wm Burwell to have attachment agst whole estate of John Davis Junior for debt of 2500 lb tobo. Burwell to put in security to protect the Court for damages that may arise.

No.2. p.53 Nicholas Brooke arrested at suit of Richard Belchamber and not appearing "is ord ut sup".

No.2. p.53 John Peade the attorney of Francis Browne confesses a debt of 348 lb tobo to Florentine Payne. Order that Browne pay John Merryman attorney of Payne within 5 days.

No.2. p.53 Richd Bennett arrested to this and the last Court at the suit of Robt Blackwell and not appearing, an order that he pay the debt due of 330 lb tobo. also Court charges "and is in case of a Nihill Dicitt ells exec".

No.2. p.53 Order that Henry Lee and Robt Bouth pay debt of 1150 lb tobo due Richard Belchamber, ells exec.
Also another order. The same names. The entry mutilated. Also on p.54 an order regarding security for the two foregoing.

No.2. p.54 Order that John Wilson pay debt of 600 lb tobo and 4 bbl corn due John Broch in 5 days.

No.2. p.54 Order that Wm Gautet atty of Robert Haud pay debt of 300 lb tobo due Elias Wiggmore within 5 days.

Note: These names may possibly be Wm Gantlet and Robert Hand. B.F.

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No.2. p.54 Order that Wm Smote pay debt of 854 lb tobo due Ashwell Battin within 5 days.

No.2. p.54 Thomas Sheppard to have attachment agt estate of Thomas Hayles to secure a debt of 200 lb tobo paid by Sheppard for Hayles to Joseph Hill.

No.2. p.54 Order that Mathew Halyatt pay debt of 950 lb tobo due to Francis Morgan.

Note: This name may be read 'Holyatt' and more than likely is actually Halgatt. Now pronounce it as you please. For instance 'Holdgot' - we all know people like that. Or perhaps 'Hellgate' or 'Helleat' which would perfectly describe some of my most beloved friends. B.F.

No.2. p.54 Richard Milborne arrested at suit of Hercules Bridges and not appearing "is ordered ut sup'er".

No.2. p.54 Entry mutilated. Half torn away. "x x was arrested to this Court to answer the suite of x -w Wyate Admr to John Clark x x ut sup" The transcript of 1894 shows this name as 'Edw Wyate', or as we would have it Edward Wyatt.

No.2. p.54 Last entry. All names torn away.

No.2. p.55 "Whereas Thomas Waldoe was by the Churchwardens of the new Poquoson presented for an abuser of the Church and minister, and for not receiueing the sacrement The Court doth therefore order him the said Waldoe to bring Certificate under the hand of Mr Charles Grimes minister of the said parish of his reformation of the said abuses to the next Court otherwise to be censured by the Court for the same".

Note: The Colonial Church in Va. Goodwin. p.275.

This entry prepared by Dr. G. MacLaren Brydon.

Grymes, Charles. Admitted Sizar (age 19) at Pembroke College (Cambridge), 1631. Son of - - of Ightham, Kent. Matriculated 1631. Minister at York Parish, York Co., as early as 1644. (Va. Hist. Mag. 1.346; April 1920 p 133; Nov. 1920.)

No.2. p.55 Richd Wells arrested at suit of Edward Woodly and there being no cause for action Woodly is nonsuited and to pay costs.

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No.2. p.55 John Coleman arrested at suit of John Leake assignee of Gload Garraud and not appearing is ordered to pay Leake 20 lb tobo for non appearance.

No.2. p.55 George Forde "father in law and Gardian to John Saker sonn of John Saker dec" presents account for "the scoleing Cloathing Diett and other nesessarys charges for the education and keeping of the said John Sakers his estate". The account amounting to 2920 lb tobo. Also presents an account of his ward's cattle. Court order that Ford have all male cattle that falls from the stock in full satisfaction of the account.

No.2. p.55 Thomas Chapman having made sufficient proof in Court that there is due to him 1200 acres of land for transportation of persons hereunder named. The Court orders certificate be granted him for
Vizt

Tho Hinde
Richard North
Wm James
James Hurleston
Isack Sanderson
Thomas Adkins
Robert Smith
John Pratt
Phillipp More
Mary Greene
John Wallis
Wm Longe

Wm Payne
Henry Page
Thomas Reynalds
James Lewis
Thomas Andrewes
Eliz: Smith
Richard Doyddn
Ralph Boyer
Thomas Roahds
Rich King
Francis Hide
John Bridges

No.2. p.56 Bill. Dated 10 Oct 1645. Wm Hockaday promises to pay to Peter Simes 8000 lb tobo on or before 10 Dec next. Security being his whole estate, servants, cattle, household goods, crop of tobacco and corn, etc.

Wit: Robert Bouth

Signed Will: Hockaday

No.2. p.56 P of A. 21 Dec 1645. Henery Brooke to Thos Heath to collect debts in Colony of Virginia.

Wit:

Signed Henery Brooke

John x Sheirolife
Robert Deuty

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No.2. p.56 The following entry cancelled in the original and not included in the 1894 transcript.

"A true and perfect Inventory of the Estate of Mr Francis Carter Merchant deceased

Imprs - bill of John Davis for 00546 lb Tobo
 Sr William Berokly his warrant the Receipt for 13542 " "
 etc. signed Lewis Burwell Admr

No.2. p.56 Wm Todd authorizes Joseph Croshaw to confess judgt for a bill of 600 lb tobo due Thos Wilkinson. Dated 18 Dec 1645.
 Teste Thomas Beale.

No.2. p.56 "To the right Worp'll the Comit'rs of Yorke Countie
 The humble peticon of Christopher Stoakes Sheweth
 that William Light and Richard Smith did become bound to your petition-
 er Joyntly and severaly for the payment of eighteen hundred pounds of
 tobacco and Caske", etc. The tobo to be pd 10 Nov last. The only paymt
 having been 1 hhd of 300 lb paid by "the said Smith befor his death".
 Desires judgmt agst Light and the estate of Richd Smith dec'd.

No.2. p.56 "Mr Bouth. Whereas John Griggs hath arrested me and you
 at the sute of Richard Belohamber merchant my occasion urgent at
 present that I cannot be at Court I desire you to present twoe notes
 to the Court", etc. The entry is mutilated here. It continues " x x
 Robert Lewis I would desir you to pay unto Edward Chelmadine seven
 hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco and caske this my note shalbe
 your discharge witnesse my hand" Dated - Oct 1644

Wit: Signed George GR Ruttland
 Ar Willis

No.2. p.57 P of A. 29 Oct 1644. George Ruttland of "lin haven"
 (Lynnhaven), planter, to welbeloved friend Edward Chelmadine to
 receive 750 lb tobo from Robert Lewis of Queens Creek, planter.

Wit: Signed George x Ruttland
 Thomas Ramsey

The will of Robert Bew.
No.2. p.57

"Debts due from me Robert Bew being in full of what I am indebted within this Colonie of Virg this 29th day of Octob: 1645

Imprimis	to Rich Pasmuch	090 Tobo
"	to Capt John Chisman	320
"	to Herk Bridges what he shall demand justly	
"	to Thomas Nightingall	120
"	to Anthony Stanford for strong watters	
"	to William Pattison	020

I Robert Bew beinge sicke and weake in body but in perfect mind and memorie doe make this my last will and testament in manner and Forme Following

Imprimes I doe commit my soule into the hands of allmighty God my Creator and my body to the dust from whence it Came.

Impremes I do Bequeth my temporall Estate wholly and soly to my Brother Jeffry Bew making him sole executor thereof ". He to pay above debts, etc. Dated 29 Oct 1645.

Wit:

Signed Robert Bew

George Wescombe

Charles Smith

No.2. p.57 Petition of Joseph Croshaw. That in July Court he was sued by Mr Wm Prior for 6 bbl meal. That a settlement was proposed but not accepted. Mr Nicholas Jurnew also being interested. That Mr Prior took out an execution to the injury of his credit and he prays for a Jury to settle the difference.

No.2. p.57 Entry mutilated. The transcript of 1894 shows "To Henry Brooke mercht - A cravett agt the admr of the estate of Eliz Popley widow. " 25 Jan 1645/6.

No.2. p.57 Entry mutilated. "Thomas Wilkinson to answeare a sute". " x x of December 1645". Signed Thom T Hickman.

No.2. p.58 "John Meryman these are to desire you to get an order of Court against Francis Browne for 300 lb of tob' and Caske and two yeares forbearance which cometh to 348 and Caske or else - for the payment of it the next yeare and likewise one hundred and twelve pounds of tobacco of Mr Sewell ther as Mr Hopkins note of the pertick- elers with his hand to it if past for it remembers it and likewise fiftie pounds of Tobacco from the Estate of Mr Hanmore I paid him - hhd of Salt lost to him at play and after on the same day at Kiquo- tan I won fiftie pounds of tobacco of him I pray doe these things for

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me at the Pawquoson and you shall command me the like not other but
rest

Aprill 21th 1645

Yours Florent' Payne "

No.2. p.58 P of A. 19 Dec 1645. Francis Browne to John Pead, to
answer suit of John Meryman

Testes

Signed Francis Browne

John Pead

Walter Gillerd

No.2. p.58 P of A. 9 Dec 1645. Wm Hodsson to Wm Browne to answer
suit betw Mr Prior and him.

No witnesses shown

Signed Willa Hodsson

No.2. p.58 Deed. 20 Oct 1638. Thomas Curtice of the new Poccoson in
Virginia, planter, sells to Christopher Carlington of the same place,
planter, for 500 lb tobo in leaf, 100 acres at head of New Poccoson
River, adjcining the River on the north "and runing South into the
maine woods and by the gleabe land on the east side and on the west
side the said Thomas Curtis his land wheron he now liveth and in habits"

Wit:

Signed Thomas Curtice

Johanes Carter

his I marke

Henery Jordaine

An agreement that Carlington shall pay the King's rent on the land to
Curtis.

Signed Christopher Carlington

Wit:

his marke x

Roger Sadler

Note: This name is clearly Carlington throughout these entries. But
nevertheless I presume it should be Garlington just the same. B.F.

No.2. p.58. Entry mutilated. The transcript of 1894 shows it to be
an appraisal of the estate of Richd Winn, deceased, sworn in Court
in Dec. 1645 "Teste me Ro Bouth".

No.2. p.59 Inventory of the estate of Edward Percifull, deceased.
Dated 14 December 1644. (This date is possibly an error in the record
and may be 1645). Total value 3292 lb tobo.

Signed Thomas Illes

"Jurat Coram me

John x Claikson

John Chew

John Dauson

John x Smith

Exhibited by Johanes Adyson

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No.2. p.59 Power of Atty. 17 Dec 1645. This is headed "Dme Ro Bouth".
It is from Joseph Hillis to Jno Perrin to represent him in Court.

Wit: Signed Joseph Hillis

Will Grimes

No.2. p.59

Nathaniel Warren his bill of	100 in Rowle
James Harris his bill for	120 in Rowle
Mr Felgatte his bill for	620
Henery Lee his bill for	300 in Caske
Roger Sadler his bill for	180 in Rowle
William Light his bill for	600 in Caske

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Power of Atty. 11 March 1644/5. Henery Hedly to Arthur Price to
collect above accounts.

Wit: Signed Henery Hedlee

Elias Wagmore

John Robison

Note: I'll be darned if Henery has'ent got as many little 'e's in his
name as I have in mine. Beverley Fleet.

No.2. p.59

Mr Mergan his bill for	500 Caske
Jchn Peted his bill for	400 "
Steven Gill his bill for	1200 "
Mr Gill his bill for	0350 "
Rice Madox his bill for	0790

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Power of Atty. 11 March 1644/5. John Robison to Arthur Price to
collect above accounts.

Wit: Signed John Robison

George Rideell

Jchn Ince

Henery Hedlee

No.2. p.59 Entry mutilated. The fragments show "Mr Robison received
of" Mr Hardege (?) 240, and "part of John Pettit his debt of 400 and
Caske"

Note: This fragment suggests that the name Pettit may have derived
from this confusion of tongues here in York County. B.F.

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No.2. p.60

Thomas Petman his bill for	50
Steven Gasler his bill for fowrene shillings	
Mr Heath his bill for	330

Power of Atty. 11 March 1644/5. John Ince to Arthur Price to collect above accounts.

Wit:

Signed John Ince

Jaack Woose

(Prob a Dutch sailor. This first name may be 'Jaack' or 'Janck'.)

No.2. p.60 Receipt. 6 April 1646. Tho Jefferyes has received from Francis Wheeler the bills listed below to be collected.

Heroules Bridges	1000
John Evens	0720
Thomas Ramsey	0980
Wm Blackes	0300
Mr Feigatts	0250
Thomas Holdridges of	0200
Denis Steevens	0100
Mr Deacon and Robt Abrall	0380
Wm Coxe	0950
Wm Sawyer	0075
	- - - -
	4755

Wit:

Signed Tho Jefferyes

John Hull

Thomas Ramsey

No.2. p.60 Receipt. 6 April 1646. Received by Tho Ramsey, on a bill of Francis Wheeler, from Tho Jefferyes and Thos Best, 1600 lb tobo and cask, for which he will be accountable.

Wit:

Signed Tho Ramsey

John Hull

Thomas Jefferyes

No.2. p.61 The estate of John Saker sonne of John Saker deceased.

Imprs to scoleing one yeare	200 lb tobo
To 3 yds of stuffe at 60 per yd and makeing the suite	190
To 2 ells of Canvis for drawers and makeing	070
To 2 pare of shooes	090
To 2 shierts	040

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The estate of John Saker, Junior, (continued)

To a Menmouth Capp	050 lb tobo
To a marking Iron to mark the Cattle	050
To 3 yds of cotton and makeing his suite	100
To 1 pare of shooes	030
To sixe barrells of Corne for 2 yeares provision	660
To his scholeing one yeare more	150
To 3 yeares keeping his cattle being 12 head the first yeare	1200
	- - - -
	2920

Actually adds up 2830 lb tobo.

Then follows a list of the cattle, 23 head.

No.2. p.62 (Note: The page in the original was eaten away by the acid in the ink right at this date. However I can make nothing but 1641 of it. The 1894 transcript also has it as 1641.

Deed. 11 January 1641/2. Capt Wm Brocas Esqr and Daniell Dickenson, both of the parish of York, sell to Capt Tho Harryson, for 4000 lb tobo in leaf, 200 acres in parish and County of York. It being part of a greater tract formerly granted Capt Brocas "Butting and Bounding northerly uppon the lands of Capt Nicholas Martiau and Capt Richard Townshend, westerly uppon the mayne woods the measureing bounds to begin easterly close adjoyning to a greate swamp and soe extending it self between two swamps untill it meete with certeyne markd Trees at the head of a run of water called the Midle Swamp being the uttermost bounds of the said lands belonging to Capt Brocas on that part late in the tenure of me the said Daniell Dickinson and my late brother John Dichinson deceased", etc.

Wit:

Henry Headly
Augustin Hodges

Signed Wm Brocas
Daniell Dickinson

No.2. p.63 Deed of Gift. 19 Feb 1645/6. Edward Michell of the new pawquosen in the County of Charles River, planter, gives to Robert Sheild 2 cows.

Wit:

Thomas Harrison
John Rose

Signed Edward Micheill

No.2. p.63 Deed. 27 Feb 1645/6. Henry Brooke Jr, Gent., sells to Nicholas Brooke Senior of London, merchant, 3 negroes (2 women and a child) for 5500 lb tobo.

Wit:

Michell Maisters
Nicholas Brooke Jr

Signed Henry Brooke

No.2. p.64 Bill. 9 March 1645/6. Stephen Gill to pay Nicholas Brooke, mercht, 1150 lb tobo 10th Nov next.

Wit:

Signed Steephen x Gill

John Wyatt

Thomas Wilkinson

No.2. p.64 Bill. 9 March 1645/6. John Clyman to pay Nichs Brooke, mercht, 924 lb tobo 10th Nov next.

Wit:

Signed John Clyman

Tho: Harrison

John Griggs

No.2. p.64 Bill. 4 March 1645/6. Michell Master to pay Nicholas Brooke senior of London, mercht, 265 lb tobo on 10th Oct next.

Wit:

Signed Michell Master

Nicho Brooke Junior

Thomas Poynter

No.2. p.64 Bill. 30 March 1646. Nicholas Brooke Jr to pay Nicholas Brooke Senior 300 lb tobo 10th Dec next.

Wit:

Signed Nic Brooke Junior

Michell Master

No.2. p.64 Entry mutilated. Another bill of Nicho Brooke Jr to Nicho Brooke Sr for 4106 lb tobo.

No.2. p.65

"Att a meeting by the Comittee of the forrest this 3d day of January 1645" (1645/6)

Present

Capt Samuell Mathew

Capt Thomas Barnett

Capt Wm Brocas

Capt Christopher Calthropp

George Ludlowe Esqr

Mr Rowland Burnham

Capt Richard Townsend

Mr Arthur Price

Mr Peeter Reddley

No.2. p.65 Order by the Committee that George Ludlowe Esqr pay 50 lb powder to York County on demand.

No.2. p.65 Order by the Committee that Capt Richard Townshend Esqr pay 10 lb powder and 30 lb shot for use of York Co on demand.

No.2. p.65 (3 January 1645/6). Phillipp Thacker sworn undersheriff by Capt Richd Townshend at request of Capt Wm Taylor the High Sheriff of this County. Signed Ro Bouth Clr

No.2. p.65

A Court for York 20 Jan 1645/6.

Present

Capt Nicholas Martiau

Capt John Chisman

Mr Robert Vaus

Mr Wm Pryor

Mr Rowland Burnham

Mr Francis Morgan

No.2. p.65 Order that Jeffery Power pay debt of 600 lb tobo due Mr Zaoray Cripps in 10 days.

No. p.65 Order that Tho Nightingale pay debt of 288 lb tobo due to Arthur Price the assignee of Capt Henry Fleete within 10 days.

No.2. p.65 Entry mutilated. This abstract is from the transcript of 1894. Thos Harwood exor of estate of Christopher Bartlett ordered to pay a debt.

No.2. p.66 Order that Martin Westerlin pay debt of 600 lb tobo due Arthur Price within 10 days.

No.2. p.66 Wm Harefinck ordered to pay debt 400 lb tobo due Arthur Price within 10 days.

No.2. p.66 Michell Saturway ordered to pay debt 300 lb tobo due Richard Evens within 10 days.

No.2. p.66 Jno Stevens ordered to pay debt of 300 lb tobo to Capt Jno Chisman assignee of Henry Maggett within 10 days.

(Note: The uncomfortable thought occurs to me that this may be our old and violent friend Henry Haggett. If so he is reduced to a horrid little bit of vermin here. B.F.)

No.2. p.66 Order that Mr Nicholas Brooke Jr pay debt of 1700 lb tobo and 3 ells of Lockrum, in all equal to 2000 lb tobo, due Sebastian Hill, within 10 days.

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No.2. p.66 Order that Nicholas Brooke Jr, who is security for Humphrey Chaplin, pay debt of 537 lb tobo that said Chaplin owes to Tho. Gibson, or produce Chaplin at the next Court,

No.2. p.66 Order that Tho Bassett pay debt of 911 lb tobo due Mr Wm Pryor at said Pryor's house within 10 days.

No.2. p.66 Entry torn away. The 1894 transcript shows the name Edw Dare in the entry.

No.2. p.67 Upon the oath of Edw Mikell it appears that Humphrey Hamure deceased did owe the "sd Michill" 427 lb tobo, 3 lb soap, 2 pr shoes and 7 pairs of Irish stockings. The Court orders the supervisors of the estate to pay.

(Note: A number of entries appear later, abt p.77 plus showing the name of the deceased, and evidently generous gentleman, as Humphrey Hammore. B.F.)

No.2. p.67 Order that Nicholas Brooke pay debt of 700 lb tobo due to John Coleman within 10 days.

No.2. p.67 Order that Edward Woodly pay debt 200 lb tobo due Edward Dare within 10 days.

No.2. p.67 Order that John Pownsey pay debt of 221 lb tobo due Richd Belchamber.

No.2. p.67

A Court 27 January 1645/6.

Present

Mr John Chew

Mr Rowland Burnham

Mr Robert Vaus

Mr Richard Lee

No.2. p.67 Upon oath of Nicholas Brooke senior, merchant, Amos Johnson deceased owed him 18278 lb tobo. This appears from a letter under the hand of said Johnson which is acknowledged by Nicholas Brooke Junior, the administrator of Johnson's estate. Order that payment be made with forbearance.

No.2. p.68. Order that Henry Brooke put in security in an appeal to the General Court in a dif betw him and Arthur - (torn away)

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No.2. p.68 Order that Richard Duning pay balance of account amounting to 293 lb tobo due to Christopher Copeland within 10 days.

No.2. p.68 Order that Joseph Croshaw pay debt of 600 lb tobo due Thomas Basewell within 10 days.

No.2. p.68 Order that John Peteete pay debt of 360 lb tobo due Thos Nightingale within 10 days.

(Note: More and more as I work in these records do I believe that this impossible name is actually Pettit. This very day as I write, I note that a gent (in the modern sense, not gentleman) is hauled up in the Police Court in Richmond in violation of the liquor laws, who bears this ancient Virginia name. It somehow sounds quite right to me. Incidentally the Nightingales sing no more in Virginia. B.F.)

No.2. p.68 Order that Walter Downes pay debt of 247 lb tobo due to Wm Barber.

No.2. p.68 Order that George Gill, attorney of John Bede pay debt of 1000 lb tobo due Henry Tyler within 10 days.

No.2. p.68 Now present Capt Nicholas Martiau
Mr Wm Pryor

No.2. p.69 Entry mutilated. Regards an account of 1125 lb tobo due - Price. Apparently from - Lee and - Burwell. (Of course to Arthur Price from Richd Lee and Lewis Burwell.)

No.2. p. 69 In dif betw Steeven Hamlin pltf and - Brooke and Henry Brooke defts for 7 hhd tobo, it is referred to a jury who award 1 lb tobo to defts.

No.2. p.69 Order that George Westcombe, attorney of Hercules Bridges, pay debt of 1231 lb tobo due James Eleott within 10 days.

No.2. p.69 Jeffery Poore to have attachment against estate of George Higgins for 600 lb tobo "in regard the said Higgins cannot be arrested by the Sherriff".

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No.2. p.69 Order that Thos Bassett pay debt of 300 lb tobo due Geo Ludlowe Esqr.

No.2. p.69 Thos Bushrode to have attachmt agst estate of Wapt Thomas Cornewallis to cover debt of 3030 lb tobo.

No.2. p.69 Order that Geo Westcombe attorney of Hercules Bridges pay debt of 257 lb tobo due to Mr John Chew.

No.2. p.69 Last entry torn away.

No.2. p.70 Entry mutilated. Richd Belchamber to pay Geo - 345 lb tobo. And further that John Griggs attorney of Belchamber shall make paymt of the 345 lb tobo with 2 years forbearance.

No.2. p.70 Dif betw James Rogers pltf and Mr Wm Pryor deft for the freedom of sd Rogers ref to a jury, which by verdict found for the deft. Rogers to serve 5 months from this date.

No.2. p.70 Richd Duning formerly obtained an attachment agst the estate of Francis Hardidge for 600 lb tobo, which was executed on the estate in the hands of Nicholas Jurnew, etc.

No.2. p.70 Order that Geo Westcombe attorney of Hercules Bridges pay debt of 1500 lb tobo and 6 bbl corn due Mr Richard Lee within 10 days.

No.2. p.70 Entry mutilated. The same names appear as in foregoing entry. The amt of debt 267 lb tobo.

No.2. p.71 Nicholas Dale exor of estate of Ralph Watson ordered to pay debt of 1000 lb tobo "for Phycike administered x x in the tyme of his sicknes" to Richard Dunning.

No.2. p.71 Order that Wm Smote pay, within 10 days, corn and clothing to George Codd who has served his time, he, Smote, being Codd's last master.

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No.2. p.71 Order that Geo Wescombe attorney of Hercules Bridges pay debt of 1250 lb tobo due in 1644 to Anthony West within 5 days.

No.2. p.71 Capt Nich: Martiau absent

No.2. p.71 Wm Hockaday having arrested Joseph Mosely to this Court and hath no prosecution agst him is non suited.

No.2. p.71

A Court 30th January 1645/6.

Present	Capt John Chisman	Mr Robert Vaus
	Mr Row Burnham	Mr Rich Lee

No.2. p.71 Order that Christopher Allen pay Thos Man assignee of Michell Peasley a debt due of 350 lb tobo.

No.2. p.72 Entry mutilated. Henry Tyler who was security for Ralph Eaten ordered to pay debt of 4 bbl corn to Steven Gill.

No.2. p.72 Richd Beetle was arrested to answer suit of Lewis Burwell assignee of Luke Billington. He failing to appear, Thos Peach, his security, ordered to produce him or pay the debt.

No.2. p.72 The estate of Ralph Watson decd being indebted to Joane Floyne 300 lb tobo and 4 bbl corn, the Court orders that Nicholas Dale, the executor, pay within 5 days.

Note: The name Teage Floyne appears in the early Lancaster Co records, he being of Fleets Bay. It is possible that Joane Floyne nursed the Rev. Mr. Watson in his last illness and wanted to go home - hence the order for immediate payment from the estate, which was perfectly good for it.

B.F.

No.2. p.72 John Sutton arrested for debt of 300 lb tobo and one steer 3 yrs old, due Hercules Bridges assignee of Christopher Allen, and not appearing, order that John Dawson senior security for Sutton, produce him at the next Court or pay the debt.

No.2. p.72 Tho Sheppard arrested at suit of Michell Rooe who did not prosecute him. Rooe therefore non suited.

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No.2. p.72 Henry Brooke ordered to pay 1000 lb tobo to Thomas Cater for services done, within 5 days.

No.2. p.72 Mutilated. Fragments show "- Richardson shall have an attachment" and "Geo Higgins as will be sufficient"

No.2. p.73 Order that Thos Broughton pay debt of 20 shillings (or 240 lb tobo) due Tho. Heath assignee of Nicholas Brooke Junior, within 5 days.

(Note: Which shows the price of tobacco at that date. B.F.)

No.2. p.73 "Mr Francis Morgan present"

No.2. p.73 Order that Anthony Parkhurst pay in 5 days debt "by bill beareing date the 15th day of January 1643" for 6554 lb tobo, due to Henry Brooke merchant. This being the remainder of a greater sum due to be pd in 1644, Parkhurst having bound over his whole estate in security.

Also Parkhurst is further indebted to Brooke 1300 lb tobo which Brooke undertook to pay to Geo Hopkins late deceased, etc.

No.2. p.73 Order that Anthony Parkhurst pay debt of 320 lb tobo due Thomas Bushrode in 5 days.

No.2. p.73 Order that Dictoris Chrismas pay debt of 300 lb tobo due Tho Bushrod attorney of Henry Hawley and Mathew Bassett within 5 days.
Note: One cannot but wonder what on earth a person with such a name as Dictoris Chrismas looked like ! - however a relief from the eternal William, Thomas, Henry and Mary that our ancestors used for no other purpose than to confuse modern genealogists. B.F.

No.2. p.73 Present Geo Ludlowe Esqr
Capt Richard Townshend

No.2. p.73 The last entry destroyed.

No.2. p.74 "Whereas there was due to Thomas x x x x The Court doth therefore order that x x x collect the said tob and corne from the said fowerteene Mr Robert Vaus and his familye being seaven of them and hath made satisfacon of on halfe of the said waiges to the said

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The Gibson of whom the Sherr is to receive the same baacke again and the remaynder from the rest of the said fowerteene which tob is to be disposed of for the other publique uses and servis allready done by men whoe have as yet not been appoynted payment for there said servis Vizt to Robert Halsey in the first place his sallery due for his servis done in 1644 att the Midle plantation Garrison"

No.2. p.74 Order that the Sheriff shall appraise sufficient from the estate of Francis Browne to pay a debt of 348 lb tobo due John Merryman, and Browne to be clear from an execution for that amount according to Act of Assembly. Browne's estate consists of "a plantation for three yeares on oow one Bedd coverlett and Boulster one pott and pestle"

No.2. p.74 Absent Mr Ludlowe and Capt Townshend.

No.2. p.74 Order that Francis Finch pay debt of 385 lb tobo due Tho Bushrood attorney of Mathew Bassett and Henry Hawly within 5 days.

No.2. p.74 Francis Beetle arrested to answer suit of Tho Bushroode who did not prosecute. Order that Bushroode be non suited and pay 100 lb tobo to Beetle.

No.2. p.74 Present Geo Ludlowe esqr
Capt Richard Townshend esqr

No.2. p.74 Difference betw Mr Ambrose Harmor, Admr of Tho Freeland dec'd, and Eliz: Hopkins, Admr of George Hopkins dec'd, for debt is referred to the next Quarter Court.

No.2. p.74 In difference betw Abraham Turner plaintiff and Thomas Chapman deft, concerning cattle and goods, Chapman appeals to the next Assembly for trial and is ordered to put in security.

No.2. p.74 Last entry half torn away. The name Joseph Croshaw appears and "refferred to the next County Court"

No.2. p.75 Order that Edw Woodly pay debt of 390 lb tobo due - Hamor within 5 days.

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No.2. p.75 Francis Willis was arrested to answer suit of Wm Whitby who did not prosecute. Whitby non suited and ordered to pay Willis 100 lb tobo.

No.2. p.75 Joseph Preston admr of est of Wm Baulke deceased was arrested to answer suit of Wm Whitby who did not prosecute. Whitby non suited and ordered to pay Preston 50 lb tobo.

No.2. p.75 A Court 31st January 1645/6.
Present Capt John Chisman
Mr Francis Morgan
Mr Robert Vaus
Mr Richard Lee

No.2. p.75 "certificate to Robt Bouth 300 land". This written on the bias on the page and no further notation concerning it.

No.2. p.75 Order that Richd Wyate pay debt of 457 lb tobo due Tho. Bushroode the assignee of Robert Goodman and Attorney of Mathew Bassett and Henry Hawley within 5 days.

No.2. p.75 Whereas there was a suit commenced in this Court agst Nicholas Clark for 2559 lb tobo due to Robert Brasheire, by order of the Governor and Council in 1640 for trial. Clark then appealed to the next Quarter Court. He is ordered to put in security and "to pay Double Damages in case he be cast in the said suite according to Act".

No.2. p.75 Mr Wm Pryor ordered to appear and answer suit of Joseph Croshaw.

No.2. p.75 The last entry on this page destroyed.

No.2. p.76 Edward Adcocke to be pd 50 lb tobo for attending 3 days as a witness for Joseph Croshaw agst Mr Robt Vaus.

No.2. p.76 Jno Merryman attorney of Peter Walkington impleaded John Clarkson for renewal of a former judgmt agst Clarkson for 2575 lb tobo at a Quarter Court at James Citty the 15th of Aprill 1640. Clarkson claims payment and says he will bring proof to next Court.

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No.2. p.76 That Abraham Turner obtained an order of this Court in Sept 1644 agst Thos Chapman for 240 lb tobo and 1 hhd which is not yet paid. Chapman ordered to pay within 5 days.

No.2. p.76 "A caveat entered by the supervisors of Humphrey Hamnors estate against the quietus of the administrators of Wm Baulkes estate"

No.2. p.76 A Court "February the second Day" 1645/6.
Present Capt Nicholas Martiau
Mr John Chew
Capt John Chisman
Mr Richard Lee

No.2. p.76 "Whereas Thomas Deacon did formerly agree with the Commissioners of this County to erect build and finish a prison for the County after such manner and forme as in the said agreement upon record at large may appear and for as much as the said Deacon as yett hath not performed the same according to his agreement this Court doth therefore order that the said Deacon shall within one month next finish the said prison at his owne cost and charges in respect he hath received full satisfacon for the same according to the agreement and for his default herein the Sherriff to take him into his custody and to detayne him without bayle or mayne prise till the said Prison shalbe finished according to his former agreement".

Note: If there was such an agreement entered upon the records, then this entry plainly shows that some of the early records of York Co. were lost. B.F.

No.2. p.76 Present Mr Robert Vaus. Mr Row: Burnham

No.2. p.76 Last half of this entry worn away. It has to do with prison rules. "his said offence during the tyme of his imprisonment lye in irons".

No.2. p.77 x x "that Humphrey Hammor did by Will give to every on of his supervisors and to there wives the sume of twenty five shillings to buy each of them a Ringe". The Court orders payment from the estate.

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No.2. p.77 x x "that Humphrey Hanmore did by his last will give unto John Griggs howse and grownd for his life in the old feilds as also twee sowes". Order that the legacy be paid.

No.2. p.77 x x "by the will of Humphrey Hanmore dec that he gave unto the wife of Arthur Seawell twenty five shillings for a ring". Order that the legacy be paid Mrs. Seawell.

No.2. p.77 Mutilated. A long entry. That Mr Wm Pryor admr of the est of John Scales and Edw Jorden sued Robt Bouth for 2300 lb tobo. Bouth produced an account with Scales and Jorden showing payment. That by oaths of The Wilkinson and Peter Richardson and also some part allowed by Wm Hockaday attorney of said Pryor. Order that Bouth be cleared of the account.

No.2. p.77 "Whereas there is due to Thomas Beale late Sherr of this County since last yeare severall sumes of tobacco of Leveyes and fees yett not rec". A Court order that Mr Beale cannot receive the levies or fees but that they be collected by the present Sheriff or his deputy and that he collect from them.

No.2. p.77 Mutilated. "The Court doth grant a commission of x x on the estate of Ralph x x x security to the Court for the x x x"

No.2. p.78 Thos Deacon ordered to pay Richard Belchamber debt of - hundred lb tobo within 10 days.

No.2. p.78 By will of Humphrey Hanmore he gave a sow to Jno Madison. Order that the legacy be paid.

No.2. p.78 Order that Charles Smith pay debt of 2116 lb tobo, it being unpaid balance of 2516 lb tobo due Thos Deacon, within 10 days.

No.2. p.78 Augustine Warrnor arrested by Ann Caudlier widow to James City, and there referred to this Court. She not appearing to prosecute is non suited.

No.2. p.78 Order that Charles Smith pay The Deacon, within 10 days, a debt due of "three ells of canvis on pare of shooes of the tenns and 340 size penny neales".

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No.2. p.78 Supervisors of the estate of Humphrey Hanmore deceased arrested to Quarter Court to answer suit of David Foxe. The suit ref to this Court. Foxe not appearing is non suited.

No.2. p.78 Mutilated. The dif betw Lewis Burwell admr of the estate cf Francis Carter deceased, plaintiff and Joseph Croshaw referred to a Jury trial. The name of Robt Bouth appears in the entry.

No.2. p.79 Mutilated. This is greatly to be regretted for very likely this is a bequest of early Church silver in Virginia. However all we have is: "Whereas Humphrey Hanmore did by x x x x parish Church of the New Pawquoson parish x x x x five pounds price". The balance of the entry being an order that the supervisors of the estate pay the legacy.

Note: Now during the Colonial Period all wills of any estate in value in excess of L 5. must be filed in duplicate in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury. No, they were not destroyed. Having been kept for many years at Somerset House, London, they were removed at the beginning of this war and stored in the Welsh coal mines. Now many of our Colonial Virginia wills, the original records destroyed here, simply must be there. B.F.

No.2. p.79 Mutilated. Half torn away. Seems to be that Mr Francis Morgan, arrested to answer suit of Mr Robt Vaus for 700 lb tobo, is ordered to pay.

No.2. p.79 Mutilated. Half torn away. Refers to and appears to be an order that Nicholas Dale executor of - Watson, pay an a/c of 257 lb tobo.

No.2. p.79 Mutilated. Refers to - Hopkins admr of her late husband.

No.2. p.79 Mutilated. Half gone. Refers to Humphry Hanmore having in his will left a silk carpot to Mrs Margaret Chisman, and according to other like entries, the supervisors of the estate are ordered to pay.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. The remaining words are meaningless. x x x x "confessed the 26th of January 1645".

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "John Chisman and Mr Wm Pryor".

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No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "confessed a judgment to Henry Brooke for three thousand x x x and caske to be paid with Court charges within 10 dayes".

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgmt to Arthur Price attorney of John Ince". This name Ince open to question. In the original it is as though it were 'Ince' possibly even 'Juce'.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "confessed a judgement to Arthur Price for sixteene" x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "before Mr John Chew Mr Rowland Burnham x x x George Wescombe confessed a judgement to Rice Row" x x x. This name shown here as Row is shown in the 1894 transcript as 'Rice Love'. It may well be that, or 'Rice Law'. It is really impossible for me to decide definately. B.F.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Thomas Vaus for three hundred" x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgmt to Thomas Deason for nine hundred x x tobacco".

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "Confessed a judgment to Capt Ralph Wormeley for " x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "Confessed a judgement to Nicholas Clarke for nine x x tobacco" x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to John Robinson for seaven x x pounds of tobacco" x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "a judgment to Nicholas Sebiell for five hundred x x x of tobacco" x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Thomas Harrwood x x x Mathew Hawkins Junior for two thousand six x " x x x.

No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Rowland Burnham x x pownds of tobacco".

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No.2. p.80 Mutilated. x x x "judgment to Thomas Deacon for" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Half torn away and difficult to read. The following items, separate entries, occur:

"George Leake confessed a judgment to Thomas" x x x.

"Rice Maddoxe confessed a judgment to" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. January the 28th before Capt Nicholas M-.

"Bartram Oberd confessed a judgment to Capt H-". x x.

Note: For Bertram Obert or Hobart see Va. Colonial Abstracts. Vol.1.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Christopher Copeland as security for Henry x x a judgment to Thomas Curtis for three" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Nicholas Clarke and John Coleman co- x x x Rich: Belchamber for twelve hundred -" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Charles Smith confessed a judgment to Nicholas" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Eliz: Hopkins confessed judgment to Thomas -"

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Thomas Sheppard confessed a judgment to -"

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Geo Wescombe confessed judgment to Wm -"

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Edward Roberts confessed a judgment to -"

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Stephen Gill confessed a judgment x x x of tob and caske to Francis Wheeler" x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Charles Smith confessed a judgment" x x x.

No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Rice Maddoxe confessed a judgment" x x x.

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No.2. p.81 Mutilated. "Robert Jmes confessed a j- x x Steephen Gill for 300 lb x x".

Note: Now here is a name open to any kind of an argument. The transcript of 1894 shows it as 'Inns', which it certainly is not. The best guess that I can make is that it is 'James' written in the cockney method of pronunciation. It is subject to correction in any interpretation. B.F.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Hugh Rookes for 300 lb tobo: and -". x x x.

Note: For Rookes see records of County Kent, England. B.F.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Denis Steevens for" x x.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment for 308 lb bob: and caske to John -" x x x.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment to Charles Smith for three -" x x x.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed judgment to Richard Duning for five -" x x x.

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "confessed a judgment for 300 lb tob and caske to be x x x -as Ramsey within five dayes with Court Charges".

Note:

Rev. Ralph Watson.

The following mutilated entries have to do with the settlement of the estate of the Rev Ralph Watson. In Colonial Church in Virginia, p.314, Goodwin, but these notes prepared by Rev. G. MacLaren Brydon, this; "Of County Derby, cler. fil. Brasenose College, Oxford. Matriculated January 28 1619/20. Age 17. B.A., November 22 1621. Rector, Trusley, County Derby, 1629. Died in York County in 1645".

No.2. p.82 Mutilated. x x "just inventory of the goods catles and chatles of Ralph x x x taken and apprased the 22th Day of January 1645" A list of 21 items follows. Then "Exhibit" in Cur Count Eborā secoundrd die feb: seq sio per sacrament Nich: Dale Ano 1645"

No.2. p.83 Mutilated. Half torn away. Is a continuation of inventory of the Rev. Ralph Watson submitted by Nicholas Dale. Refers to 30 great

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books and about 50 books, "x x of them being lattan bookes". That is about 50 Latin books. The name of Mr. Grimes appears concerning them. Then follows a list of debts due the estate:

"Specialtyes Due to the estate"

Robt Todd by - (Amounts torn away down the page)

John Thomas by bill

Mr Hugh Gwin by bill

John Clarkson by bill

Charles Smith by bill

Edward Grimes

Richard Smith

Abraham English

Capt Martiau

Ralph Horsely

John Holding

John Clarkson

A note written in margin "Some small quantity of Tob: and Corne due for by those in the parish which the Church Wardens have not as yet given any accot of"

The inventory includes "one blake serge suite
one old frize suite and one focke and a pair -
twoe yeards of blacke serge" etc.

No.2. p.84 Estate of Rev. Ralph Watson continued. Includes:

"x x and 3 Lodgings in James Citty Nov: Court 1645	108
and fees to Mr Bouth	080

No.2. p.85 Inventory taken last day of Oct 1645. A long list of items. At bottom of page "Jurat: Coram John West".

No.2. p.86 Completely filled with list of debts due 1643 and 1644. The names are most unfortunately torn away excepting:

- Corbell by bill	0011
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- and Geo Gill by bill	0034
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Edward Jordan by bill	0500
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No.2. p.87 List of debts due the estate of Rev. Ralph Watson.
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Thomas Heath by bill	Amounts all torn away.
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Capt Rich Poopely by bill	
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John Spencer

Edward Williams

Thomas Gibson

John Bell

Wm Crouch

Ashwell Batten

Wm Bates

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Thomas Henley Amounts all torn away.
 Wm Gantlett (this name may be Gautlett)
 Joseph Croshaw and for his boy
 Nick: Sebiell
 John Wayne
 Robert Wilde
 Leift Steelwill
 Martin Westerling 4 persons
 Capt Poopeley 15 persons
 Thomas Saxe
 John Thacher
 Humphry Allen
 Thomas Parnell
 John Peynter
 Richard Wells
 George Leake
 Geo: Wyate
 Rebera Wallis
 Fr: Peale
 Thomas Watson
 John Neler
 John Calverley (Calverley)
 John Perrin
 Furnew for his wifes buriall in the C- (this name prob Jurnew)
 Jeerye Beery (this name may be George Beerg)
 John Utye
 Robt: Bouth
 Robert Lonyham (this name prob Longham although plainly written
 Lonyham)
 Richard Milborne
 Richard Mayor (this name is certainly Richd Major - which only
 goes to show the difficulty in reading these York
 records)
 Jarvis Pilling (possibly Pillivy and possibly later as Pollin, as
 there was a John Pollin in York 1656. This name
 also appears as Jarvis Pellum on page 195.)
 Hugh Alden
 Richard Wm. (Subject to correction - possibly Win.)
 John Hartwell

No.2. p.88 Has a wide strip torn away down the margin. Half of each name is gone. The list continues the sums due the estate of Rev. Ralph Watson.

- Hopkins	0049
- Henshaw	0053
- Croshaw by bill	0650
- Norer (?) by bill	0094

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Sums due the estate of Rev. Ralph Watson 9 continued)

-aley and Fr Jorden by bill	1200
-als estate do	0320
- Carters estate	0265
- Westerling - Caske at	0200
-ias Whiteheade	0375
-s Hardige	0080
-ry Brooke	0300
-y Brooke for Robt Wallis	0300
-y Brooke for Mr Parkhurst	1300
- Poopeley tythes 1644	0265
-ohn West by acc't	1528
- - - -	15488

No.2. p.88 Records in the settlement of the estate of the Rev. George Hopkins, deceased. Of him we know practically nothing. Perhaps he came over betw 1618 and 1623. There were two of the name. One at Oxford 1634 and one at Cambridge 1598-1600. The name appears to have continued in Virginia.

These entries are mutilated - the page torn down lengthways.
Due to the estate of Geo Hopkins Dec' 1644 - 84 tytheable persons at 1 bushell per poll is 56 barr, 4 bush.

Rich: Hopkins	02	
Nich: Jurnew	03	
- Phillipps	02	
- Peale	00	1 bu 1/2
- Carter	03	
- Vaus	02	4
- Westerling	01	1
-rd Magor	00	3
- -iutlett	03	
- Allen	01	1 1/2
- Burrowes	00	1 1/2
- Win	00	1 1/2
-hn Hartwell	00	1 1/2
-r Pitchfork	00	1 1/2
-	00	1 1/2
- -rnham	01	1 1/2
-d Beetle	00	1 1/2
-	00	3 1/2
-	00	1 1/2
-	00	3
-	01	
-	03	3

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Items due the estate of Rev. George Hopkins, deceased. (continued)

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from Peeter Bassill	00 -	(page torn away here)
from Tho: Heath	01 -	
from Thomas Henshaw	00 -	
from Thomas Peach	00 -	
from Elias Richardson	01 -	
from Edw: Wade	00 -	
from Richard Harrison	00 -	
from Christopher Abbott	00 -	

Lost by 30 persons the yeare 1644 being souldiers at Midle plantation and others run away out of the parish

(Note: This item is not exactly a 100% boast of heroes. B.F.)

No.2. p.89 Tobacco paid out of the estate of Geo: Hopkins Cler dec'd
 - - - Hopkins widdow and Administratrix of Geo: Hopkins - - - 164-
 Imp'rs paid Capt John West Esqr for diett 3 yeares - one yeare for
 mr Hopkins and on yeare for himselfe and wife - yeare for himselfe wife
 and twoe servants
 for one steere paid Capt West for his funerall -
 for one heifer twoe yeares old Due to one of Capt Wests negroes and
 paid Capt West for it -
 paid Martin Westerling -
 paid Thomas Ramsey for a coffin and takeing upp the - in the Church
 to make his grave there -
 paid John Wayne -
 more paid John Wayne -
 paid Ralph Green for looking and bringing home - belonging to the dec
 estate -
 paid Wm Hodgson -
 paid Joseph Croshaw for Thomas Deacon -
 paid John Hammon for Wm Sawyer -
 paid Joseph Croshaw for the use of Joseph - -
 paid for the Caske due to Sawyer and Moseley -
 paid Henry Beech on hogd tob -
 paid Mr Robt Wilde -
 paid more to Mr Wilde -
 paid to Thomas Peach -
 - - (illegible) - -. Transcript of 1894 shows this as "pd Capt Wm
 Taylor")

No.2. p.90 Page torn away down outside edge.

- ansford on hoghd tob and caske (this name prob. Hansford)	0325
- Weaver	0810
- Lee for Phisioke	0206
-n Broch	1260
-en Gill for Diett Lodging Phissioke and Attendance in the tyme of his sicknes	1000

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Items due the estate of Rev. Geo: Hopkins, deceased. (continued)

No.2. p.90 Torn away down the outside edge.

- Caynhoe for supplying the Cure of the parish from - of the	
dec'ts Dec till Christmas (Rev. Wm. Caynhoe)	0600
- funer sermon	0100
- Charges of letters of Adminstr	0065
- County Clerke 3 pounds percent on the Inventory	0460
-arges expended at Towne to gett Adminst	0100
- Wheeler	0110
	- - - -
	17159

- - acco't of Corne paid out of the estate of Geo Hopkins deod
barrells

Mr Wm Caynhoe	10
Robt Wilde for his wages being Clerke of the parish	15
-ephen Gill (Stephen Gill)	10
Francis Wheeler	10
John Foster Sexton	
- Robert Bouth for findeing out what - and tob: rests	
due from the parish 1643	10
Capt Rich: Townshend	01
- Wm Pryor	07
- John Chisman	06
-hn Chew	01
- - -	
- - 45 by Eliz: Hopkins	
x x x	

Audited 1 Dec 1645 by James Corbett. (This name exceedingly difficult to read. It may be Cockett or whatnot.)

No.2. p.91 Release. Part torn away. 19 August "the 21st yeare of the raigne of our sov' x x Charles of England". Releases - of Virginia from all debts, bills, etc. This person being "Tobias Dy- x x x and haberdasher of London".

Wit: Signed Tobias D-
The first name illegible. It may possibly be "Francis Moniux"
Wm Brame
John Perrott

No.2. p.91 Most of this entry torn away. The part remaining all but illegible. It has to do with the sale of 2 cows to Thomas Gib-, prob from Capt Richard Popeley. In the original the witnesses names are torn away but the 1894 transcript shows them as Thomas Smalcomb and Thomas Heath.

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No.2. p.92 Will of John Baxter. Dated "tenth of December at night".
 Probated 6 January 1645/6.

All goods to Eliz: Clarke.

Lists debts due him as follows:

Thomas Beale 300 and odd

John Pellam 160

Charles Smith 90

Mr Lee a pair of shoes

Francis the Frenchman a pair of shoes.

Wit:

Signed John Baxter

John Peade

His marke

Francis Browne

No.2. p.92 Mutilated. Bond. 1st March - (year torn away). Christopher Allen stands bound to Rich - for 700 lb tobo and 3 bbl corn. Allen being bound with Charles Smith.

Wit:

signed Charles x Smith

- Wescombe

- Barthelmew

No.2. p.92 P of A. 26 May 1645 (the year open to question, the page being mutilated here). - - to George Wescomb to answer suit agst him.

No.2. p.93 P of A. 7 April 1646. Richard Glover of Amsterdam, mercht, to welbeloved freind - Lee of York in Virginia to collect debts.

Wit:

signed Richard Glover

James Besouth

Edw: Louicton (this name actually illegible)

Ralph x Greene

No.2. p.93 Bill. 28 March 1646. Sam: - to Richd Glover, mercht, 4400 lb tobo to be pd 10th Oct next. Witnessed by James Besouth.

No.2. p.93 Original entry practically destroyed. The transcript of 1894 shows it to have been a bill dated 4 April 1646 to Richd Glover, 2000 lb tobo, Signature missing. Wit by Richd Lee.

No.2. p.94 Bill. 15 Jan 1645/6. Francis Ceeley binds himself to pay Richd Glover, mercht, 600 lb tobo on 1st Sept 1646.

Wit:

Signed the mke of

Augustine Warner

Francis FC Ceeley

John Duncombe

Ceeley likewise binds himself an additional 50 lb tobo. Wit: by John Duncombe, Francis Willis, James Besouth.

Wit:
Augustine Warner
John Duncombe

signed "Signum F C"
Fr: Ceely the seale"

No.2. p.95 A list of bills and debts due Richard Glover of Amsterdam, merchant, left with Richard Lee in Virginia April 7th 1646. (Note: The name written here is Richard Kee just as plain as day. It no doubt is Richard Lee - but still it is written Kee. B.F.)

Wittnes
James Besouth
Nick Satturthwaite

No.2. p.95 Deed, 23 of - - (month and year torn away in original but transcript of 1894 shows Feb 1645/6) Richard Lee sells Edward Yarrow son of Edward Yarrow deed, a brown cow and calf. Provision if said Edw die before 21, etc. This mutilated entry seems to indicate some family relationship.

No.2. p.96 Bill of Sale. 4 Oct 1645. John Wayne of Hampton parish in Yorke Co sells to Thomas Wilkinson a cow and calf.

Wit: signed the marke of
Steephen Gill John x Wayne
Wm Waters

No.2. p.96 Bill of Sale. Date torn away. John Wayne sells Francis Flood a cow. Delivery made in presence of Steeven Gill and Tho -head.
signed John x Wayne

Names of wit: torn away

No.2. p.96-A Bill. 23 Mar 1645/6. Capt Bridges Freeman promises to pay Richd Glover, mercht., - lb tobo at a convenient place in James City Co.

Wit: signed Bridges Freeman
Robert Morslay
Wm Morgan
James Besouth

No.2. p.96-A - Jan 1645/6. Augustine Warner promises to pay Richard Glover 350 lb tobo at some convenient place "uppon the New Pawquoson" on 10th Sept next.

Wit: signed Augustine Warner
Abraham Turner
John Duncombe

No.2. p.96-A Bill. 2 April 1646. Ralph Wormley of York promises to pay Richd Glover 420 lb tobo at some convenient place upon the York river, 10th Oct next.

No witnesses shown signed Ra: Wormley

No.2. p.96-A Mutilated. 4th Jan 1645/6. Steeven Gill owes Richard Glover - lb tobo.

Wit: signature torn away
Henry Brooke

No.2. p.96-B Bill. 4 April 1646. Richard Lee promises to pay Richd Glover 3000 lb tobo 10th Dec next.

Wit: signature missing
-ha Cavell

No.2. p.96-B Bill. 31 March 1646. Nicholas Brooke Jr of Virginia, merchant, promises to pay Richard Glover, merchant, 5292 lb tobo on 10th Oct next.

Wit: signed Nicho: Brooke Junior
Edward Wyatt
James Besouth

No.2. p.96-B Bill. 31 Jan 1645/6. Nicholas Brooke Senior and Nich: Brooke Junior promise to pay Richard Glover 7500 lb tobo 10th Dec next.

Wit: signed Nich: Brooke
Augustine Warner Nico Brooke Junior
- Hookaday

No.2. p.96-B Bill. 16 Mar 1645/6. Wm Light, Joyner, of York Co in Va., promises to pay Richd Glover 813 lb tobo.

Wit: names destroyed signed Wm Light

No.2. p.97 Bill. John Chew promises to pay Richd Glover 210 lb tobo.

Wit: signed John Chew
James Besouth
John x Shertcliffe

No.2. p.97 Bill. 20 March 1645/6. Robert Kinsey promises to pay Richd Glover 1030 lb tobo "made out of my cropp" 10th Nov next.

Wit: signed Robert x Kinsey
Rich Lee
Samuell Abbott

No.2. p.97 Bill. 20 Jan 1645/6. Geo Saughier promises to pay Richd Glover 344 lb tobo at some convenient place on the new Pawquoson on 10th Sept next.

Wit: signed Geo Saughier
Augustine Warner
John Duncombe

No.2. p.97 Bill. 23 Jan 1645/6. Rowland Vauhan binds himself to serve Richard Glover "the full and just tyme - - yeare beginning uppon the first of November next ensueing".

Wit: signed The mke of
Augustine Warner Rowland -
John Duncombe

The above to be void upon payment of 300 lb tobo.

No.2. p.98 Bill. 23 January 1645/6. Francis Cole promises to pay to

Rich Glover, 400 lb tobo, on 1st Sept next. For security binds over 2 cows "being at Rye". The tobacco to be paid at some convenient place upon the New Pawquoson.

Wit:

Signed Francis x Cole

Augustine Warner

John Duncombe

No.2. p.98. Bill. 10 Dec 1645. Wm Wright, merchant, promises to pay Richd Glover, 2700 lb tobo on demand.

Wit:

signed Wm Wright

Henry Brooke

"Vera Copia Rich Lee"

No.2. p.98 Mutilated. Appears to be a bill dated - - 1646. Sr Wm Berkley knt, Governour of Virginia, promises to pay - lb tobo at some convenient place in James City Co.

signed Wm Berkeley

No.2. p.99 John Hold- sells Edward Williams, planter, 2 cows. Dated 20th - 1645.

Wit:

signed John x Hold-

Lewis Burwell

Wm Roberts

(Note: We presume this mutilated entry to have been the name of John Holden. B.F.)

No.2. p.99 "This last of february 1645" (1645/6)

The Inventory of Leift Smalecombe prayesd as followeth

Imprs 20 armes length of Roanoke at (all amounts torn away)

Im' one parcel of old Cloathes one old

small trunk without a key

One Indian Gerle three yeares of age

or thereabouts prayesd at

Jurat' Coram Row: Burnham

John Broch

Thomas Browne

No.2. p.99 Mutilated.

"Cozen Henry Brooke

These are to desire you on my behalfe to conf- - upon a bill of mine to Mr Thomas - - - for three thousand pownds of tobacco - - - a hundred more Kerborough Rigg- - him and I shall rest your very - - - January the 28th 1645 Ni- - -

Note: It is most unfortunate that this partioular entry should be so mutilated that it is practically unreadable. That part of the name shown as 'Rigg-' is more than likely 'Kiggan'. It would be interesting to know what the signature actually was. B.F.

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No.2. p.100 A Court for York 25 Feb 1645/6

Present Capt Nicholas Martiau Mr Robert Vaus
 Mr John Chew Mr Richard Lee
 Capt Ralph Wormly

(Note: The name Lee, that is if it is Lee, is written exactly like Kee in this entry. B.F.)

No.2. p.100 Whereas John Griggs, atterney of Richd Belchamber, has an execution agst the body of Hen: Lee for debt of 2200 lb tobo, and Lee has petitioned the Court that he has not the tobacco in kind, and that so much of his estate be appraised to satisfy the debt. Order that 4 men appraise his estate and "the said Henry Lee his body to be sett at Liberty". Then follows a list of items appraised. Includes a "bote of 15 foote by the keele 3 cares".

No.2. p.100 Order that attachment be awarded agst the estate of Segt Nic: Steelwill sufficient to pay a/o of 608 lb tobo and 1 bbl corn at the suit of Henry Lee. Steelwill having departed the County without License, Lee to be responsible if the a/o be not just and true.

No.2. p.101 A Court for York 24 March 1645/6.

Present Capt Nicholas Martiau Mr Francis Morgan
 Capt Ralph Wormley Mr Row Burnham

No.2. p.101 Whereas Francis Beetle was arrested to answer the suit of the Supervisors of Humphrey Hanmore's estate for debt of 300 lb tobo due by bill, and did not appear. Order that Edward Roberts, his security, pay or produce the body of Beetle at the next Court.

No.2. p.101 Present Mr John Chew

No.2. p.101 Whereas Wm Keaton is bound by indentures to serve Wm Hookaday the assignee of Henry Brooke, 5 years from 1641. The sd Keaton absenting himself on the pretence of being free and also ran away from his master. Order that he serve Hookaday till 28 February next and for running away to receive 30 lashes on his bare back at the whipping post.

No.2. p.101 Order that John Bell pay debt of 1080 lb tobo due to Robt Bouth assignee of Walter Pitchforke.

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No.2. p.101. Mutilated. Wm Suite was arrested to answer suit of John Dawson and does not appear himself or by attorney. The name Elias Wigmore appears in the entry, which is so far destroyed that it is impossible to make sense of it. Wigmore is to be paid for something ?

No.2. p.101 Mutilated. Order that Elias - (Wigmore) - pay debt of 898 lb tobo to Wm Hinde.

No.2. p.102. Elias Wiggmore arrested to answer suit of John Dawson assignee of Nicholas Brooke. Dawson not appearing is non suited.

No.2. p.102 Mr Hugh Gwin present.

No.2. p.102. Whereas a difference long depending in this Court between Martin Westerling pltf and Capt Ralph Wormeley and Mrs Mary Wormeley exors of the estate of Capt Christopher Wormeley dec'd, for a man servant due from the estate. The Wormeleys divers times summoned to this Court, and this particular Court do not appear. Order therefore that the Sheriff summon Capt Wm Brocas Esqr "whoe hath intermarried with the said Mrs Mary Wormeley" and Capt Ralph Wormeley to appear at the next Court, they to have "tymly notice thereof".

Note: This long and involved entry irritates me. It must be included to make the Abstracts complete. Now every Virginia genealogist knows all the ramifications of the Wormeley family. All this type of entry has to offer is slight additional evidence of the arrogance, complete indifference to the written law, of the Council Group in Colonial Virginia. The Wormeleys simply could not be bothered with such trivial nonsense. B.F.

No.2. p.102 Whereas David Foxe obtained an attachment agst the est of Arthur Makeworth for 6400 lb tobo on 25 April 1645. This was executed upon a pair of stilliards, 3 pewter dishes, 1 chamber pott, 1 broken kettel and 20 lb tobo in the hands of Thomas Harrwood, and also 2 young bulls in the hands of Arthur Seawell. But no replevy made to Makeworth according to law. Order that Fox have - agst the goods toward payment of the debt. etc.

Note: Let us hope that the wealthy and elegant Mr. Fox at least got the chamber pott - such a necessary comfort for an elderly widower on a cold winter's night. B.F.

No.2. p.102. Mutilated. By confession of Doctor Henry Waldron, he is indebted to Arthur Seawell 2500 lb tobo. Order that he pay.

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No.2. p.103 Order that Mr Francis Morgan have an attachmt agst the estate of Nicholas Steelwill for 700 lb tobo "in regeaurd the said Steelwill hath privatly conveyed himselfe to Maryland to live".

No.2. p.103 Order that Thomas Morley have attachment agst the est of Leift Nich Steelwill for debt of 929 lb tobo "in regard he is gon for Mary Land to live".

No.2. p.103. Order that Thomas Adams have attachmt agst est of Leift Steelwill for 1300 lb tobo.

No.2. p.103 A Court "March the 25th 1646". (1645/6)
Present Capt Nicholas Martiau Mr Hugh Gwin
 Mr John Chew Mr Rowl: Burnham
 Capt John Chisman

No.2. p.103 Order that Elias Wigmore have attachmt agst est of Peter Marks for security of a debt of - lb tobo, which he is bound to pay to Wm Hinde.

No.2. p.103 Order that Edward Moleson be sworn Constable in place of Edward Palmer. Mr John Chew to admr oath from which time Palmer to be clear from service.

No.2. p.103 Order that David Fox and Richard Vau- appraise the est of Ralph Pettymund. Jno Chisman to give them their oath.

No.2. p.103 Present Mr Fr: Morgan

No.2. p.103 Mutilated. The Harwood being under execution at the suit of Christopher Garlington for 360 lb tobo, his estate to be appraised.

No.2. p.103 Mutilated. Appears to be that Humphry Hanmore, owes, or owed, Francis Willis 200 lb tobo for doing certain things at James City. That Willis oweing him a larger amount is ordered to pay balance.

No.2. p.103 That Ralph Watson, clerk, deceased owed Capt Ralph Wormeley 1371 lb tobo. Nicholas Dale, exor of Watson, ordered to pay within 4 days, he having assets in his hands.

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No.2. p.104 In dif betw Augustine Warner pltf and Mistris Ann Caudlier (or Candlier ?), widow, deft, which should come to trial at this Court, is appealed by deft to next Quarter Court.

No.2. p.104 Francis Carter deceased owed Mr Wm Pryor 4229 lb tobo. Lewis Burwell the admr ordered to pay.

No.2. p.104 Mutilated. By testimony of Phillip - and Richd Duning, Edward Wright stood with Jno Holding deceased for paymt of - tobo to Ralph Horsely, etc. Order for paymt.

No.2. p.105 "Christopher Abbott is this Day chosen Constable for the Southside of Hampton parish and to be sworn by Mr Hugh Gwin".

No.2. p.105 Thomas Thrasher complains to the Court that Michell Peasely his guardian "doth Dayly make wast and spoyle of tymber of the Land of the said Thrasher". Peasely ordered to desist and appear at next Court.

No.2. p.105	A Court 26th March 1646	
Present	Capt Nicholas Martiau	Mr Francis Morgan
	Mr Hugh Gwin	Mr Rowland Burnham
	Capt Ralph Wormly	

No.2. p.105 Capt Wm Brocas Esqr by note under his hand confesses judgt to Sir Edmund Flowden knight for - lb tobo to be pd 10 Nov next. Also 1000 lb tobo more for the service of a man servant from 8 July 1644 till 20 Dec following, as by bill of 8 June 1644. Also for a servant sent to serve Nicholas Browne, etc.

No.2. p.106 Tho Adams confesses he stands obliged to Wm Howard as security for Leift Nicholas Steelwill 1300 lb tobo. Adams ordered to pay within 5 days to Henry Lee the attorney of Steeven Hamlin who was assigned the bill.

No.2. p.106 In dif betw Thomas Shaw pltf and Capt Ralph Wormly deft for 6 bbl corn "fetched over emediatly after the Masacre from the house of Thomas Shaw on the north side of Yorke river". This confessed by Wormeley who states it was brought by order of the Lieutenant. Capt Wormeley ordered to pay plus 50 lb tobo expense.

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No.2. p.106 Augustine Hodges stands indebted to Wm Padeson, assignee of John Pellam, for 700 lb tobo. Order that he pay.

No.2. p.106 By note under the hand of Nicholas Brooke Jr, he promised to pay Eliz: Hopkins widow, admr of Geo Hopkins deceased, for the burial of Mr Edw Brooke deceased. "whoo was buried in the Chancell". Brooke Jr is ordered to pay Mrs Hopkins 300 lb tobo.

No.2. p.106 Henry Lee obtained an attachmt agst the est of Lt. Nicho: Steelwill in Feb Court which was executed on 1100 lb tobo in hands of Francis Willis, etc.

No.2. p.107 In dif betw Francis Willis admr of Tho Simons deed pltf and Tho Kerby deft, concerning cattle, Kerby appeals to next Quarter Court and is ordered to put in security.

No.2. p.107 Mutilated. Wm Hodgson is indebted to Mr Wm Pryor, by specialty as security for Elizebeath - for 8 bbl corn to be paid in Hampton - (prob. parish) -. Order for payment.

No.2. p.107 George Brocas to have comm of admr on estate of William Quoke, he being a creditor.

No.2. p.107 Capt Jno West Esqr to have comm of admr on estate of Tho: Doe deceased for use of Ann Doe his daughter, according to the will of said Doe proved in Court.

No.2. p.107 By specialty under the hand of Thos Hickman and of James Harris they are indebted to Robt Kinsey 1500 lb tobo. Hickman ordered to pay within 5 days.

No.2. p.107 Mutilated. The name Samuel Tucker appears as having arrested - on an account.

No.2. p.108 Christopher Allen arrested at suit of Anthony Stanfforde and sd Stanford not appearing is non suited.

No.2. p.108 Mr Nicho: Brooke Jr appealing upon petition of Thomas Stegg Esqr to next Quarter Court is ordered to put in security.

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No.2. p.108 Hercules Bridges arrested to answer suit of Nich: Jurnew. Jurnew not appearing is non suited.

No.2. p.108 A Court 27 March 1646 (1646)
Present Capt John West Esqr Mr Row: Burnham
Capt Nicholas Martiau Mr Rob't Vaus
Mr Hugh Gwin

No.2. p.108 In dif betw Joseph Croshaw pltf and Mr Robt Vaus deft, Vaus appeals to next Quarter Court and ordered to put in security.

No.2. p.108 John Adison "he being a soulder at forte Royall", petitions to be clear from the Country levy. This granted.

No.2. p.108 Wm Hockaday arrested at suit of Tho Saxe. Saxe not appearing is non suited.

No.2. p.109 Jeffery Power obtained an attachmt agst the est of Geo Higgins for 600 lb tobo. This executed upon a cow, heifer and a calf.

No.2. p.109 Charles Smith, John Clarkson and Robt Todd impleaded by Nicholas Dale exor of Ralph Watson dec'd for debts due are ordered to come to a settlement.

No.2. p.109 Comm of admr granted Robt Vaus on estate of Geo Peterson deceased as a creditor.

No.2. p.109 Such cattle of Jeffery Power to be appraised as will satisfy a debt of 600 lb tobo due Mr Cripps.

No.2. p.109 Mutilated. Order that Robt Vaus have attachmt agst est of Francis Hardidge for debt of 1025 lb tobo.

No.2. p.109 Entry half gone. Has to do with a debt due from Francis Hardidge to Richard -

No.2. p.110 Capt Derrick Derrickson to have attachmt agst the est of Lt Nicho: Steelwill for 2132 lb tobo.

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No.2. p.110 In difference at last Court betw John and George Jonson pl'tfs and Christopher Copeland def't for 50 acres of land which Copeland "Did long since sell to the plaintiffs and past bill of sale for the same therein binding himself to make good the said Land", deliver the patent, etc. Copeland not appearing is ordered to make good the land or return 1400 lb tobo with interest.

No.2. p.110 Unfinished cases at this Court to be put off until 1st of May "Easter is so ny at hand".

No.2. p.110 Wm Todd by his attorney Joseph Croshaw confesses judgmt to Saml Snead for 300 lb tobo.

No.2. p.110 Wm Hockaday atty of Obedd Wms confesses judgmt to Wm Todd for 300 lb tobo.

No.2. p.110 P of A. - March 1646. Obed Wms to "my frend" Wm Hockaday to conf judgt in a debt due Wm Todd
Wit: names torn away. signed Obed Wms

No.2. p.111 Judgmts confessed 24th March 1645/6 before Capt Nicholas Martiau and Mr John Chew.

David Doehart 266 lb tobo due to Thomas Deacon

John Hutton 1300 lb tobo due Robt Kinsey

David Doehart 500 lb tobo due Jno Holding

Jno Bide 1403 lb tobo due Mr Wm Pryor

The Hatfield due Mr Wm Pryor 607 lb tobo.

Henry Brooke due 4000 lb tobo to Mr Wm Pryor

Wm Blackey due 661 lb tobo to Mr Wm Pryor

No.2. p.111 Judgmts confessed 23 March 1646 (actually 1645/6) before Capt Nich Martiau and Mr Jno Chew.

Thomas Bremer 300 lb tobo to Capt Henry Fleet

Francis Willis admr to Tho Simons dec'd, 500 lb tobo to Sir Edmund Plowden

Robert Todd, 300 lb tobo to - (torn away) -.

No.2. p.112 Judgments confessed "before Mr Hugh Gwin and Mr Row: Burnham".

Thos Sheppard and Thos Hayles 494 lb tobo to Mr Wm Pryor

Thos Taylor 250 lb tobo to Thos Deacon

Thos Taylor 1200 lb tobo to Mr Wm Pryor

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Judgmts confessed beore Mr Hugh Gwin and Mr Row: Burnham (continued)
No.2. p.112

Thos Kerby by his attorney Mr Wm Whitby to Mr Richd Lee 250 lb tobo
Edwd Woodly 400 lb tobo to Mr Richd Lee

Thomas Beale 2000 lb tobo to be paid in "porke or catle" due by bill
dated 3 Feb 1645/6 to Arthur Price. Also 180 lb tobo as foregoing
John Holding 230 lb tobo to Nicholas Dale exor of Ralph Watson, Clerk.

No.2. p.112 P of A. 23 March 1645/6. David Doeharte to Phillipp
Wooden to ack judgt in 2 suits, one of Jno Holding and the other of
Thos Deacon.

Wit: names mutilated,
appears to be - Abeall

signed the mark of
x
David Doeharte

No.2. p.113 P of A. 16 Feb 1645/6. "Mary Minifie widdow and execu-
trix of George Menefie late of Buckland Esqr dec'd" to "my trusty and
Loveing Freind Rowland Burnham" to collect a/cs due in York Co.

Wit: signed Mary Menefie

John Bishoppe
Humphry Lister

No.2. p.113 Certificate dated 13 Feb 1645/6. From the Court of
Charles City County that George Menefie of Buckland esqr deceased,
did, by his will, appoint his wife Mistress Mary Menefie his executrix.
That the will was probated at a Court held 20 Jan 1645/6.

signed Tho: Stegge
John Bishoppe
Thomas Drewe

Test Hoell Price

(Note: This is one of the most interesting items in these records.B.F.)

No.2. p.114 P of A. 17 March 1645/6. Wm Blackey writes to Mr Bouth
appointing his friend Wm Hockaday his attorney to ack a debt of 61 lb
tobo to Mr Pryor.

Wit: signed William Blackey
Tho. TH Holmes

No.2. p.114 P of A. 16 March 1645/6. Thomas Hatfield writes to Mr
Bouth appointing his friend Wm Hockaday his attorney to ack a debt of
670 lb tobo to Mr Pryor, for which his crop and a black cow are bound.

Wit: signed Tho Hatfield
Edward Jenkins his T marke

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No.2. p.114 P of A. 17 March 1645/6. John Bide writes Mr Bouth appointing his friend Wm Hockaday his attorney to ask a debt of 1403 lb tobo to Mr Pryor for which his plantation, houseing, crop and 3 cows are bound.

With:

Mishell Victor

signed John IB Bide
his mark

No.2. p.114 A letter from Henry Brooke dated 23 March 1645/6 to "Mr Le" explaining that he would not have failed to come to Court, but as Mr Hockaday knew, he was kept away by other business. Has to do with acknowledging a debt of 4000 lb tobo which he apparently in some way owes "Mistress Popeley to Mr Pryor". This mutilated entry is difficult to abstract. A transcript would mean nothing. The name Savage appears.

No.2. p.115 An entry regarding a suit brought by Sir Edmund Flowden against someone, name not shown, who does not appear. "Ordered by the Court to be subscribed by Ro Bouth Clr Cur".

No.2. p.115 "I Desire that an order may be entered for the payment of the tobacco due to Sr Edmund Flowden by the last of November next with forbearance"
signed W.Brocas
26 March 1646.

No.2. p.115 "Nicholas Browne of the Cacke river aged forty yeares or thereabouts maketh oath that Sr Edmund Flowden knight complayneing that Capt Wm Brocas had fayled to send him a servant to waite on him and that under twoe hundred pownds of tobacco a mounth he could not hire any fitted and cloathed

This Depo't for a thowsand pownds of tobacco and caske about the Eight day of July last past sold to the said Sr Edmund Flowden Thomas Waggett his tyme to serve him - for five Mounthes and more
Jurat' in Cur Nic Browne

Teste me
Tho. Cely

Note: Burke. "FLOWDEN (Flowden, co. Salop; derived from Roger Flowden, of Flowden, a crusader at the seige of Acre in 1194, who is stated to have received for his services there, the augmentation to his arms of the fleurs-de-lis. Of this ancient family was the learned Serjeant Edmund Flowden, of Flowden, so eminent as a lawyer temp. Queens Mary and Elizabeth) Az. a fesse dancettee, the two upper points terminating in fleurs-de-lis or. Crest. On a mount vert a buck pass.sable, attired or."

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No.2. p.115 Humphry Sayle sells Humphry Walden 25 acres of land "which was for my personall adventure unto Cheeskiacke". Dated 4th Dec 1635. "This Land Lieth on the est side of Wests Creeke nere the Head thereof"

Wit:

Signature torn away

Oliver Downes

Anthony Watts

No.2. p.115 Mutilated - half gone. Deed. 14 Feb 1642/3. Capt John West sells a parcel of land to Anthony Wayde. This land "bounded from the mayne -" x x x "first Inlett that -". Then the name appears in the body of the deed plainly as "Anthony Wady".

Wit:

Signed John West

Henry Lee

Wm W Sawyer

March 26th 1646

"This was aacknowledged in the presence of the Court to be the Reall Act and deed and Just sale of Capt John West Esqr And that the said Capt John West Did receive a valuable consideration for the same of and from Anthony Wadye

Teste me Ro Bouth Clr Cur "

No.2. p.116 Anthony Wadye assigns interest in above land to Robert Holte. 6th Jan 1643/4.

Signed Snthony Wady

Wit:

A

John Eaton

his mke

Richard x James

his mark

No.2. p.116 Robert Holt assigns his right in above land to Derreck Derreckson. 20 March 1646/ (1645/6) No signature or witnesses shown. "Teste me Ro Bouth Clr Cur"

No.2. p.117 14th April 1646. Thomas Beale of York Parish, in consideration of 1200 lb tobo due from him to Capt Wm Taylor "high Sherriffe of Yorke County the last yeare 1645", for Country Levies, which tobo being assigned over to George Ludlowe Esqr, and by the said Capt Taylor according to Act of Assembly. Beale now mortgages his cattle as securit; for paymt on 10th Dec next.

Wit:

Signed Tho Beale

Wm Whitby

Thomas Wallis

No.2. p.117 Receipt. 20 March 1642/3. - Brassure to John Clarkson of York in Virginia, 1329 lb tobo in full satisfaction of all debts. And "appoynte Capt Wm Leigh my Lawfull Atturney" to deliver Clarkson's specialty to "Owen Loyde my now Atturney whoe is to deliver it freely upp to the said Clarkson"

Signed "Brassure"

Wit: Arthur Price

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No.2. p.117 Mutilated. P of A. Dated at Capt John West's house - - 1644. Thomas Doe to Capt John West to administer his estate "for the good of my Daughter Ann Doe". Also an order for writings in a chest in the house of Steeven Giles in James Towne to be delivered to Capt West. "now finding the tymes Dangerous giveing my x x x to goe over the forrest alone"

Wit:

Signature torn away

Willi Hodgson

"Probat' in Cur. Court Eboris vicesimo x x"

No.2. p.118 Bill. 17 March 1645/6. Richard Bennett of Yorke in the County of Charles River, planter, stands indebted to Thos Harwood of same County, 900 lb tobo to be pd last of Nov next at the "now Dwelling howse of the sd Bennett". Whole crop of tobo as security.

Wit:

signed Richard Bennett his mke

Arthur Seawell

Edward Michell

Note: Thus the confusion of names. I do not presume this to be the Puritan who later became Governor of Virginia. I don't think it could have been. B.F.

No.2. p.118 Wm Smote of Hampton, "bootewright", (this certainly must mean 'boatwright') binds his whole estate to Joseph Hill to secure a debt of 860 lb tobo that the said Joseph stands bound with him to Ashell Batten. Dated 8 March 1645/6.

Wit:

signed the marke of
Wm W Smote

the mke of

Ashwell x Batten

the mke of

John x Bide

No.2. p.118 P of A. 12 Dec 1645. David Jones of Willoy to Steephen Hamlin to "recover a debt of Nicholas - Thomas Adams and Robert Bouth", etc. Entry mutilated. Not clear.

Wit:

signed David Jones

names destroyed

No.2. p.119 P of A. 5 March 1645/6. Steeven Hamlin to Henry Lee to collect debts in York River.

Wit:

signed Steeven Hamlin

Tho: x Morland

John Conell

No.2. p.119 Will of Richard Smith of the parish of York in Virginia. Dated 24 March 1644/5. Whole estate to wife. Her name appears in the

The will of Richard Smith (continued)

codicil. see below.

Wit: Signed Rich Smith

Henry Puccke

James x Winddral (possibly 'Wiuddral ?)

Codicil. Dated 18 Nov 1645. That wife Aloe is now with child. If the child lives it to have half the estate.

Wit: Signature torn away

John x Holding

Lawr: Hulett

No.2. p.120 Deed. 8 Nov 1643. Joseph Croshaw of Queens Creek, planter, sells Edward Adcooke of Martins hundred, planter, 250 acres in Queens Creek, part of a dividend of 350 acres. Adjs land of Wm Ireland, etc.

Wit: Signed Joseph Croshaw

Wm Burwell

Peeter Rainson

No.2. p.120 "I John Hartwell doe by theise presents acknowledge that I am hartlyly sorry for the scandall and aspersion by me layed upon Wm Todd and his wife and Edward Adcooke and his wife and I doe hereby acknowledge my fault, as wittnes my hand this last day of July 1646"

Wit: Signed the marke of

John Underwood

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Lewis Burwell

John Hartwell

Joseph Croshaw

Wm Gantlett (or Gautlett ?)

No.2. p.120 Elizabeth Popeley gives a heifer to Bennett Gill, her heirs, etc. 1 April 1645.

Signed Eliz: Popeley

No.2. p.121 A Court at Yorke 10 April 1646

"By the Leifts and Deputy Leiftents"

Present

Capt John West

Mr John Chew

Capt Wm Brocas

Capt John Chisman

Geo Ludlowe

Capt Wm Taylor

Capt Rich Townshend

No.2. p.121 An order from James Citty dated 2 March 1645/6, that the Lieutenants and Deputy Lieutenants press 16 men to march against the

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Indians under the command of Leift Francis Poyethres ant to be ready at place of Randevous the 20th of this April to attend this service, Provision to be made for protection of their crops. They to be pd 100 lb tobo for every day wasted, etc.

No.2. p.121 P of A. Derrick Derickson of Grast in Holland to Edward Peeters of York in Virginia to collect debts. Dated 15th - - month and year torn away.

Wit:

Signed Derrick Derickson

Steph G Gill

Thomas Hatton

No.2. p.122 A Court 13 April 1646

Present

Capt John West

Capt Wm Brocas

Geo Ludlowe

Capt Richard Townshend

No.2. p.122 By an order of the last Grand Assembly dated 20th March 1645/6, with consent of Edw Wyate Admr of the estate of John Clarke deceased, plaintiff, and Capt Robt Higginson, deft, that the said Wyate is to enjoy 50 pole breadth of land adjoining the land of Henry Tylor, "sittuate on the midle plantacon pales for ever and the said Higginson to injoye the howse he nowe lives in with an moyety of a tcbacco howse till the tenth day of December next and what howses the said Capt Higginson shall build or repaire upon the said land this present yeare at the surrender thereof to the said Wyate at the time aforesaid". Wyate to pay him in tobo or work as valued by Wm Davis and Henry Tylor, Wyate and Higginson to plant upon the land this year according to the proportion of their hands. The entry also refers to 50 pole of land next adjoining thereto belonging to Mr Nich: Brookes. A long entry, etc, etc,

A second entry follows in which above is referred to the Commissioners of York County.

Signed by

"John Corker Clk to
The Burgesses"

No.2. p.123 A Court for York 25 May 1646.

Present

Capt Nicholas Martiau

Mr Wm Pryor

Mr John Chew

Capt Ralph Wormly

Capt John Chisman

Mr Francis Morgan

No.2. p.123 Order that estate of John Abereruniway be appraised by

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Edward Michell Thomas Harwood Francis Howard and Richard Dudley. That Capt John Chisman administer the oath.

No.2. p.123 Order that Thos Jefferyes be Constable for the upper part of Hampton parish in place of Joseph Torqueniton. Capt Wm Taylor to admr the oath.

No.2 p.123 That Wm Waters stands indebted to Wm Barker 2 cows with calves to be paid "at the strawberry banckes or in some convenient place in hampton River". on 1 May 1645. Waters ordered to pay within 10 days.

No.2. p.123 The dif betw Tho Perrin pltf and John Hammon deft ref by consent of both parties to Robt Bouth and Kerbery Kiggin to be decided.

No.2. p.123 Upon depositions of Steeven Gill and Baker Cutts, that Mr Wm Waters owes Francis Flewellen, as by her account, 1000 lb tobo. Waters ordered to pay.

No.2. p.124 May 25th (1646). Before Capt Nicholas Martiau and Mr John Chew:

Wm Rennalds confessed judgmt to Mr Wm Pryor for 1073 lb tobo to be pd at the dwelling house of Mr Pryor according to specialty dated 14th April 1645, on 10th Sept next.

No.2. p.124 Robt Perry attorney of Richd Milborne confesses judgt to Charles Smith the assignee of Geo Wescombe for 500 lb tobo "and one pair of large Ruddr Irons for a shallopp" to be pd within 5 days.

No.2. p.124. A letter dated 25 May 1646 from Nicho: Martiau to Mr Bouth. Requests that 2 heifers be recorded "the which I have given unto Geo Beech sonn of George Beech late of Hampton parish late Dec". If he die before age or marriage the heifers to be returned to the heirs of Martiau.

Wit:

Signed Nicho: Martiau

Wm Barber

John Utye

No.2. p.124 Bill of Sale. 24 May 1646. Arthur Price of York sells William Davis of "Archers hoope Creek" a cow named "bowleing" with a calf by her side. Kerbery Kiggin to see sale recorded. A long entry.

Wit:

Signed Arthur Price

Karbery Kiggin

Wm Roberts

(See next entry)

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No.2. p.124 Wm Davis assigns whole interest in foregoing bill of sale to Arthur Price Junior. Karbury Kiggin appointed attorney to see this recorded.

Wit:

Signed Wm Davis

Karbery Kiggan

Wm Roberts

No.2. p.125 Deed. 25 May 1646. Wm Whitby, gentleman, for personal considerations, gives over and grants to Richard Lee, 100 acres "on the North side of Yorke river at the head of tindalls Creek where the said Lee lived before the Massacre the said land being parte of a greater Devident purchased by Geo Ludlowe Esqr and me Wm Whitby of Argoll Yeardly Esqr and is alsoe recorded and this to be a firme alination which I oblige my selfe my heirs and executors and administrators to make good against all persons"

Wit:

Signature torn away

Wm Brocas

Phillipp Thacker

Ro Bouth Cl Cur

Also an entry, mostly torn away, regarding a survey of this land. Apparently for Geo Ludlowe and Wm Whitby. The date appears to be 18th November 1645 but may be 1643.

No.2. p.126 6 April 1646. Wm Todd binds a cow to Wm Pryor as security for a debt of 707 lb to be pd 10th Nov next at Mr Pryor's house.

Wit:

Signed Wm Todd

Wm Hockaday

John x Hartwell

No.2. p.126 24th Apl 1646. Tho Adams sells Wm Barber and Tho Borne 8 head of cattle.

Wit:

Signed Tho Adams

Henry Lee

Tho Turner

Bond on above. Mutilated. The name Steephen Hamlin appears on the fragments.

No.2. p.127 25 May 1646. Wm Howard of Hampton parish in York County, in behalf of his welbeloved wife Ann Howard, reliot of George Borne Junior, deceased, and for divers good causes, gives Thomas Borne, son of Geo Borne Junior, a heifer, it being of the estate of Borne dec'd. He to have the heifer when 18 yrs of age and in his minority "my welbeloved friends Wm Barber and Elias Richardson to be the overseers of the said Heifer". If Tho Borne die in minority the heifer to return to Howard.

Wit:

Signed Wm Howard

Robt Abrall

Phillipp Thacker

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No.2. p.127 25th May 1646. Thomas Beale of York sells Tho Shaw a cow.
 Wit: Signed Tho Beale
 Phillipp Thacker

No.2. p.127 P of A. 29 March -. Wm Waters to Lewis Burwell to answer
 suit of Mr Wm Barker and Mistress Fr: Leuellin.
 Wit: Signature torn away
 Ro: Vaus
 Phillipp Thacker

No.2. p.128 Will of John Abererumway. Dated 4 April 1645. Prob. 25
 May 1646.

Goodman Jolly to have 3 cows, a steer in the old field and 2 other
 steers. Also 1/2 of plantation "with the howsing againe that I
 bought of him". All wearing clothes. All hogs.

To Jolly's wife for her sole use a cow and calf bought from Captain
 Chisman. Also 2 cow calves.

To "my Countryman Wm Crumwell" a cow calf.

To Ralph Borer a bed and furniture.

To Goodman Jolly a bed. He to "see me buryed like a man"

Wit:

Nich Pescott

Signed John Abererunimi

John x funicin

Wm Trumbull

No.2. p.129 Indenture. 10 Sept 1640, Betw Wm Caynehooe of Cheskeack,
 clerk, on the one part, and Thos Scarlett on the other part. Caynooo
 lets to Scarlett, for 13 years, 50 acres in Chiskeacke parish in the
 County of Charles River, adj Utyes Creek and N.W. on the land of John
 Dennitt now in possession of Wm Barber. SW and SE into the woods, etc.
 As in patent granted said Caynehooe 26 Sept 1639. Scarlett to pay 2
 capons yearly.

Wit:

Signed Wm Caynhoo

Tho. Blease

Tho. Scarlett assigns all right in above lease. Does not say who to.
 27 Oct 1642

Wit:

Signed Tho x Scarlett

Geo Gill

Rich x Betle

Christopher Deny assigns all right in this lease to Tho. -. 27th -
 1643

Wit: Edw Wade

Signature torn away

Tho Hatfield assigns all right in above to Richd Hickes. 24 Aug -.
 No witnesses shown. Signature torn away

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No.2. p.130 A Court for Yorke 26 June 1646
 Present Capt Nicholas Martiau Capt Wm Taylor
 Mr John Chew Mr Francis Morgan
 Mr Wm Pryor Mr Row Burnham

No.2. p.130 The estate of Thos Smallcombe "is debtor to Disbursments
 as followeth"

March 10. 1645/6

	lb tobo
To Thomas Gibson for twee sheirts	0100
To twee pr of shoes	0080
To Rondell Renell for twee barrells of Corne	0300
To twee gall and a halfe of Sacke bought of Thomas Broughton	0100
To one bottle of drames bought of Thomas Broughton	0025
To Cheese bought of Robert Lewis	0100
To beere sent him in the tyme of his sicknes	0036
To Diett at the ordinary at James Citty	0035
To one blue scarffe	0050
To Diet five monthes at Gibsons	0300
To Tobo pd John Broch as by acct and receipt	0530
To his funerall Charges on steere about 4 yeares old	0700
To one barrell of strong beere	0260
To a Coffin	0150
To two pownd of Powder spent at his funerall	0024
To the minister Clarke and sexton for his buriall	0040
To Thomas Wilkinson as by receipt	0270
To Thomas Taylor as by bill and receipt	0330
To Mr Gill as by bill and receipt	0310
To Robert Taylor as by bill and receipt	0475
To Thomas Broughton as by acco't and receipt	0476
To Thomas Broughton for caske with the tobacco	0030
To William Coxe as by bill and receipt	0090
To Mr John Corker	0161
To John Vaughan as by bill and receipt	0150
To Church warden for parish Dutys	0014
To tob in roule lent him to -	0020
To John Underwood as by receipt	0030
To Mr Robert Vaus for Mr Tho: Vaus by bill and acco't as by receipt	1022
To Charges in - will probate and recording will and severall peticons	0300
To Mr Deacon as by receipt	0213

The est of Thomas Smallcombe is credited by contra
 By tobacco allowed him by the Assembly for his goeing at
 fort Royall 4000
 By twee Indians sold Sr Wm Berkley 0600

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The estate of Tho Smalloombe (continued)

	lb tobo
By two Indians sold John Hammon	0500
By an Indian sold Capt Thomas Pettus	0600
By Inventory as appeareth	0630
	- - - -
Sume is	6330

June the 26th 1646

Wee finde by Inventory recorded the estate Cr'dt	0630
more by Thomas Gibsons acct	5700
	- - - -
	6330

Estate Debtr by good proffe as bills taken in and receipts proveing soe much pd by Tho Gibson	3581
Rests for the Court to have Tho Gibson prove pd	3120

The which was this Day proved by the oath of Thomas Gibson and allowed
by the Court

Teste me Ro: Bouth Clr Cur

No.2. p.131 Bill. 24 March 1645/6. Jno Sutton promises to pay Richd
Creedle 500 lb tobo 10 Nov next. Security 2 sows, 12 shoats.

Wit: Signature torn away

Richard Wyate
Anthony Roakeby

No.2. p.132 15 May 1646. Jno Sutton binds a steer for paymt of 500
lb tobo to Giles Tavernor on 15 Oct next.

Wit: Signed John x Sutton

Hercules Bridges
Robert Wilde

No.2. p.132 19 April 1646. John Sutton sells Hercules Bridges a steer.
The steer was Mr Floyd's and to be ready 2 days before Whitsontide next

Wit: Signed John x Sutton

Francis Cointard (?)

17 May 1646. Hercules Bridges assigns his right in the steer to Richd
Watkins

Wit: Signed Hercules Bridges

Anthony Bassett
Edward x Woodly

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No.2. p.133 Bill, 27 March 1646. Luke Davis promises to pay Thomas Lucas 400 lb tobo 10 Oct next, at the dwelling house of said Davis. Security, smith's tools, viz, 1 anvil, 1 pr bellows, 1 vice, 1 nail tool and hammer.

Wit:

signed Luke x Davis

Geo Saughier

Wm Downeman

No.2. p.133 In dif betw Tho Chapman of the new Pawquoson and Abraham Turner of the same place, concerning title to 450 acres now in the possession of sd Chapman. An agreement that Chapman give up the land to Turner upon payment of 9000 lb tobo. This is a long entry. Dated 11 March 1645/6.

Wit:

signed Thomas x Chapman

Abraham Turner

Thomas Stampe

Carbey Kigan

No.2. p.134 P of A. 15 April 1646. John Merryman of the New Pawquoson in Va to "welbeloved Frend" John Griggs of the same place to collect debts in this colony.

Wit:

signed John x Merryman

Humpry Floyd

Mathew Hawkins

No.2. p.135 P of A. 15 April 1646. Christopher Garlington of the New Pawquoson, planter, to "welbeloved Frend" John Griggs of the same place to collect debts in Va.

Wit:

signed Christopher x Garlington

Mathew Hawkins

Humpry Floyd

No.2. p.135 Will of Richard Elrington. Dated 26 May 1646. Probated 6 June 1646. Sick in body but in perfect sense.

"unto the poore of St Martins of the feilds" L 10. Sterling "to be distributed to the severall oldest men as farr as it shall extend at twoe shillings sixe pence per peece"

To Mistress Margaret and Mistress Mary Pryor L 12. to be pd them or their supervisors by Mr Ralph Barrett

To "the sd children of Mr Pryor" the produce of a hhd of tobo marked R.E.W 6.

To Mistress Mary Keton the produce of 3 hhd tobo numbered 3, 4, 5 and marked as above.

To Ann Claxon servant to Mr Pryor the produce of 1 hhd tobo sent to Mr Ralph Barrett last year.

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The Will of Richard Elrington (continued)

To John Flower the produce of 1 hhd tobb, shipped as abovesaid and what money he can recover "as my due of my Brother"

To Mr Wm Pryor the balance of the estate to and for the use of Mrs Mary Elrington, he exor.

Wit:

Signature torn away

Wm Hookaday

Robert Lee

No.2. p.136 P of A. 23 May 1646. Wm Gantlett (or Gautlett) to John Perrin to implead John Clarkson this present Court.

Wit:

Signed Wm Gantlett

Robt Abrall

No.2. p.136 16th June 1646. Peter Richardson requests Wm Hookaday to conf a judgt for 1252 lb tobo to Mr Wm Pryor to be pd 10 Nov next.

No.2. p.136 P of A. 26 April 1646. Edward Shelverdine to "my Freind" Wm Hookaday to ask a judgt to Mr Pryor for debt. of 586 lb tobo,

Wit:

Signed Edward x Shelverdine

Tho Broughton

No.2. p.136 Inventory of the estate of Thos Broughton deceased 16th June 1646. Appraised by Nathaniell Warren and John Oliver.

Includes:

a bill of Thomas Kingwell	0100 lb tobo
a bill of Wm Carr	0108
a bill of John Peteetes	0600
a bill of Mr Wm Lights	0300
To tobo recd of Wm Thornton	0350
Due on a/o from Nicholas Jernew	0100
by Order of Court from Edward Grives	0700
50 acres of land with a house	

Exhibited on oath by Richd Townshend

Ro Bouth Clr Cur

No.2. p.137 Inventory of the estate of John Eaton as appraised by Edward Peeters and George Beech and sworn to before Mr Hugh Gwin 3 8bor 1645 (3rd Oct 1645). This is a quaint list. It included:

By Sam Seers	300 lb tobo
By John Earle	500
By Anthony Wady	214
By Thomas Floyd	130
By Thomas Sheppard	300

Totals 2702 lb tobo. Exhibited 6 June - by Henry -.

No.2. p.138 Patent. 5 Nov 1639. Sir John Harvey, knt, Governor, etc., to Saml Watkins, 250 acres in Charles River Co, in the forest adj land of John Utye extending from the head of Kings Creek westerly to the Mayden Swamp and adj land formerly granted the sd Saml Watkins by patent due by assignment from Joseph Croshaw, for transporting 5 persons.
Signed John Harvey

No.2. p.138 10 June 1644. Saml Watkins of Queens Creek assigns the above 250 acres to John Bell. Part of which was due to John Bell by deed of gift and now the full patent is sold to him.

Wit: Signed Samuell Watkeses (sic)

Geo x Clarke

Wm x Roberts

No.2. p.139 1 Oct 1645. John Bell of Queens Creek, planter, assigns to John Williams the above 250 acres lying in Hampton parish, etc.

Wit: Signed John Bell

Arthur Price

The Deacon

Then follows a further description of this land dated 20 April 1642. It adjs Bryry Swamp, Wm Taylor's land, Nicholas Comeings, Tho Gibson's and another dividend of Saml Watkeys (sic). This is signed with a name appearing to be 'Thomas Smout' which is prob incorrect since part of it is torn away.

No.2. p.140 Power of Atty. 16 June 1643. John Brooke of Boxked in the County of Essex (England), Clothyer, to Henry Brooke, Merchant, Resident in Virginia. To collect debts due him in Virginia "Especially to recover and secure all such goods wares Debts and things whatsoever As Barneby Brooke my Brother whoe deceased at Sea goeing to Virginia aforesaid had in his hands or possession or in Virginia at the tyme of his Death unto me belonging", etc.

Signed John Brooke

Sworn before John - notary etc dwelling in the City of London. Date, signature and witnesses names destroyed.

No.2. p.141 Deed. 14 June 1646. Joseph Croshaw of Hampton parish in the County of York in Virginia, planter, sells Richard Croshaw, 160 acres, being remainder of a dividend the said Joseph sold to Edward Adcocke being due by patent dated 29 Oct 1640. The land on N side of Queens Creek, adjs the Indian field now in possession of sd Joseph Croshaw.

Wit: Signed Joseph Croshaw

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No.2. p.141 Bill of Sale. 2 March 1645/6. Henry Brooke of Va, mercht, sells to Nicholas Heath son of Thos Heath a heifer.

Wit: Signed Henry Brooke

Nicholas Brooke

Robert Perry

No.2. p.142 Deed of Gift. 25 May 1646. Rich: Pasmuch, for natural love and affection, gives Edw: Yarborough Junior a cow calf. The male increase descending "backe unto me the sd Richard Pasmuch",

Wit: Signed Rich: R Pasmuch

John Petit surgeon

W Baxter

No.2. p.142 John Griggs attorney to the supervisors of the estate of Humphry Hanmore, was arrested to answer suit of Wm Whitby who did not appear to prosecute. Whitby ordered to pay him 50 lb tobo.

No.2. p.142 The dif betw Capt Robt Higginson pltf and John Witherford to be determined 1st July Court next. Dangerousness of this time will not permit his leaving his charge and care at Midle plantation for this Court.

No.2. p.142 Henry Lee arrested to answer suit of Richd James who did not prosecute. James non suited,

No.2. p.142 By a/c of Henry Lee Admr of John Eaton he having paid to the assets of the estate to have quietus est.

No.2. p.142 Wm Todd ordered to pay Richd Wells 400 lb tobo in Oct.

No.2. p.143 Wm Grimes arrested at suit of Richd Gonlett, who not prosecuting is non suited.

No.2. p.143 Dif betw Wm Hockaday assignee of Richard Croshaw pltf and Joseph Mosely deft referred to 24 July next.

No.2. p.143 Present Mr John Chew

No.2. p.143 Whereas by specialty under the hands of John Scales and Edward Jorden deceased that they were indebted to George Hopkins decd 500 lb tobo, 1 bbl and 2 bu corn, being due for themselves and their

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servants in 1643 for duties and Church levies, order that Mr Wm Pryor admr of Scales and Jorden's estate pay Eliz: Hopkins relict and admr of Geo Hopkins dec'd by 10th November next.

No.2. p.143 Commission of Admr to Capt Nicholas Martiau of the estate of George Beech deceased.

No.2. p.143 Whereas judgt passed agst John Dawson Senior, being security for John Sutton's appearance in January Court to answer suit of Tho Curtis for 1200 lb tobo. Now Dawson producing Sutton, which was accepted by the attorney of Curtis, Sutton is ordered to pay.

No.2. p.143 Wm Gantlett assignee of Tho Doe did implead John Clarkson for 200 lb tobo due by bill. By oath of John Dauson, part of the debt is paid. Doe ordered to allow paymt on a/c of 190 lb tobo.

No.2. p.144 That Francis Beetle owes Thos Bushroode the assignee of Henry Hawley and Matthew Bassett 200 lb tobo. Beetle ordered to pay. "and alsoe that the non suite obteyned by misinformation of the said Beetle in January Court last against the said Bushroode be voyd".

No.2. p.144 Ann Snoden an orphan now in keeping of Capt Nicholas Martiau, "haveing noe meanes at all left her towards her mentaynnance being now about the age of seaven yeares", is bound to Capt Martiau for 9 years from this date. Capt Martiau "according to his own proffer to give the said Ann Snoden forthwith a cowe calfe of three mounthes old and to keepe the said calfe with all her female increase for the for the said Ann Snoden during the tyme of her apprentishipp and to give an yearly ac'ot thereof to this Court". Capt Wm Taylor to see the calf marked.

No.2. p.144 Thos Beale owing Hercules Bridges 380 lb tobo "for the attendance of himselfe and certeyne men at his charge on Mistress Mary Wormeley when shee was under arrest by vertue of an order of Court from the Governour and Counsell directed to the said Mr Beale for that purpose". Beale ordered to pay.

No.2. p.144 Abraham Cayne owing Hercules Bridges 438 lb tobo by a/c, Thos Beale admr of Cayne's estate ordered to pay.

No.2. p.144 Daniel Holland owing the estate of Humphry Hanmore 522 lb tobo is ordered to pay by 10 Nov next.

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No.2. p.145 Whereas Humphrey Hanmore did, in his will, give Daniel Holland one year of his time, the supervisors of the estate ordered to do so.

No.2. p.145 That Humphry Hanmore by will gave Eliz Coole and Francis Coole the children of Francis Coole a cow calf "the first that fell after his Decease", and also a sow to the wife of said Francis Coole, the supervisors of the estate ordered to pay the legacies.

No.2. p.145 That Humphry Hanmore by will gave to Geo Haderell "soe much cloath as would make him a suite of clothes". Supervisors of the estate ordered to pay this legacy.

No.2. p.145 That Steeven Gill obtained an attachmt agst the estate of Henry Pountnell for 600 lb tobo in July last Court, which the Sheriff executed upon 350 lb tobo in hands of Hugh Dowdy and 5 shoats in the hands of Joane Trotter.

No.2. p.145 Order that the land and plantation belonging to Leift Nicholas Steelwill on West Creek be rented out. The rent to go to creditors. If he comes again the land to be returned to him.

No.2. p.146 Nicholas Brooke Jr owing Tho Broughton assignee of John Clieverius 20 shillings Sterling. order that the debt be paid.

No.2. p.146 Nicholas Brooke arrested at suit of Bicholas Sebrill who did not appear. Sebrill non suited.

No.2. p.146 By a/c of Tho Gibson admr of est of Tho Smalocombe, he having pd out the whole estateby inventory to have quietus est.

No.2. p.146 There is due Mr John Chew 696 lb tobo "from tytieular men in Yorke parish for his charges expended in the tyme of being Burgesse for the said parish", which tobacco should have been collected by the last year's sheriff but no payment made. Order that the tobo be raised at the next levy for the parish of York.

No.2. p.146 Order that certificate be granted Mr Wm Pryor for 200 acres for transporting "of fower Negroes", viz Peeter, John, Grace and Kathren.

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No.2. p.146 Order that Richd Vaugon be appointed constable in place of Christopher Stookes. Oath to be admr by Cap^t, Jno Chisman.

No.2. p.146 That Humphry Hanmer dec'd was indebted to Rd Belchamber by a/c 509 lb tobo. Order for paymt.

No.2. p.146 That Humphry Hanmore by will gave Rd Belchamber 1 hhd tobo. The supervisors of the estate ordered to pay.

No.2. p.147 David Doeheart arrested to answer suit of Geo Ludlowe is ordered to pay debt of 200 lb tobo.

No.2. p.147 Fif betw Mr Hugh Gwin pltf and Denis Steevons, Jno Smith, Leift Tho Dobbs and Jno Dyer debts to next (July) Court.

No.2. p.147 Court Order that John Hansford and Robt Lewis for Hampton parish, Samuell Sallis and Jeffery Power for York parish and Edward Michell and Abraham Turner for Pawquoson parish take a perfect list of the tytheables in the several parishes. As also of all cows of 3 years old, horses, mares and geldings of 3 yrs old and upwards, sheep and goats. And to deliver the lists to the Sheriff by 25th of this present June. "and that every mans name be taken particularly".

No.2. p.147 That the sheriff arrested Nicholas Jurneur, Wm Sawyer, Martin Westerlinoke, John Perrin and John Thomas. All to answer suit of Richd Malborne who did not appear against them. Malborne is non suited and ordered to pay 50 lb tobo to each.

No.2. p.147 June 16th 1646
Judgements confessed before Capt Martiau and Mr John Chew
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